



GABBY LA POINTE will be umpire-in-chief during the two-day softball tournament at Acton park Friday and Saturday. The seasoned veteran always attracts attention any time he is in action. Mr. La Pointe is seen during the 10-team tourney last year as he lays down rules with officials and assistant umpire before the game with Hillsburgh. Left to right are Jack Hunter, Hillsburgh manager, base umpire Dave Stamp, Acton's Gabby La Pointe, Hillsburgh captain Don McKenzie and Acton coach Harry Lawson.

18 Teams Ready Friday-Saturday For Two-Day Softball Tournament

Plans have been finalized for the two-day softball tournament at Acton park Friday and Saturday and to date 18 teams have entered for competition. More teams are expected to enlist before the weekend.

Action begins Friday night at six o'clock with three games on the main softball diamond under lights. Bright and early Saturday morning the schedule will resume with finals being played under lights Saturday night.

Two Diamonds
Both the softball diamond and the former hardball diamond will be utilized on Saturday. Umpire-in-chief will be Gabby La Pointe from Newmarket who not only keeps players on their toes throughout the games but thrills the spectators with his wild antics and booming voice. He will umpire all games on No. 1 diamond.

Teams entered in the competition to date include Acton, All Stars, Station Hotel, Acton, Glen Williams, Galt, Gores, Logan Esso, Toronto, Georgetown, Ray Conn Awards, Toronto, Hillsburgh, Streetsville, Northern Electric, Brampton, Badenoch, Centre Inn, Hornby, Guelph Co Ops, Newmarket, Kent Hotel, Waterloo, Windsor Hotel, Mimico, and Listowel.

Committees in charge have been turning the midnight oil in order to finalize details and are looking forward to a big afternoon. Proceeds from the tournament will be used to pay off the mortgage owing on the headquarters at the park.

Exam Appeals

Although students who appealed failure marks in grade 13 examinations have been receiving their results individually in the mail this week, no list of results has been received yet by principal Ted Hansen for release to the press. He said it was some weeks last year before he was informed of the success of certain appeals.

But owners' Year Red Cross fund last year that federal law requires you to provide a government-approved life jacket for each person on board your boat.

Villagers Tackle Staffa In Provincial "C" Finals

Campbellville Intermediates will meet Staffa in the finals for the Ontario Intermediate "C" championship. While Campbellville was putting out Cannon in a semi-final series, Staffa was eliminating in straight games, Coroma, the old Campbellville rival.

The series opens in Staffa at 4:30 p.m. Saturday afternoon and continues at 2:30 p.m. in Campbellville on Sunday afternoon, September 13.

It was a busy baseball week for Campbellville teams. The juveniles took a 1-0 lead in games into their semi-final series.

with football and promptly dropped two straight and were thus eliminated from further play.

The Barkans on the other hand were drawn into a game when they met Essex on Saturday afternoon. They won this one 10-2 and then in a thriller on Monday (Lester Day) morning they won 1-0 as they scored two times in the bottom of the eighth. The game then in the Ontario Junior B semifinals against Beaton. The first game will be played at Campbellville at 2:30 on Saturday, September 12.



Wingrove, Elliot Provide Power As Merchants Sweep Semi-Finals From Cannifton in Two Straight

Campbellville defeated Cannifton 9-2 on Sunday to sweep their best of three Ontario Intermediate "C" semi-finals two straight. It was a far better game than the 2-15 facing Campbellville had handed the Eastern Ontario representatives the previous week.

Cannifton hurlers Dufco and Clapp were better than the previous week's performers, even though they gave up nine runs off 15 hits. They walked two and struck out two.

Wingrove, center fielder Ron Arch did off the eighth with a single and reached third on two passed balls. Two strikeouts followed and then a walk put men on first and third. Empp then doubled in one run and Petrie singled in the final run at the game to make it 9-2 for Campbellville.

Hamilton Hurler Win
The veteran Harry Hamilton was on the mound for Campbellville and he allowed two runs off nine hits. He walked two and struck out seven. Jack Roberts pitched the final one-third of an inning.

Score in First
A double by Wingrove and a single by Earl Cairns gave Campbellville a 1-0 lead in the first and then in the third singles by Dredge, Moore, Wingrove and Henderson followed by an infield out netted Campbellville three more and gave them a 4-0 lead.

Elliot Homered
Wingrove opened the bottom of the fifth with a single. Cairns hit to the first baseman who threw badly on an attempted double play and both men were safe. Henderson singled home. Wingrove and an error loaded the bases. Bill Elliot's double

Tournament Schedule

A total of 18 teams have entered the two-day tournament Friday and Saturday. The following is the schedule for games to be played.

Friday Night
6 p.m. Acton All Stars - Georgetown, 7:30 p.m. Badenoch Guelph Co-Op, 9 p.m. Centre Inn - Northern Electric

Saturday
10:00 a.m. Hillsburgh - Glen Williams, Streetsville - Hornby, 11:30 a.m. Galt, Gores - Newmarket, Kent Hotel - Logan Esso, 1:00 p.m. Ray Conn Awards - Windsor Hotel, Station Hotel - Listowel

Elimination games will be played at 2:30 p.m., 4 p.m., 5:30 p.m. and 7 p.m. with the final game at 8:30 p.m.

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Firefighters Cop Top Spot Meet Station Hotel To-Night

Harley Frank Daley silenced the Legion boys Tuesday night in a sudden death game to win Firefighters pennant position in the playoffs. Daley also came through with a pair of doubles at bat to lead his team to a 11-2 victory.

Firefighters won their game in the first innings with three runs and never looked back as they held the Legion team scoreless until the latter part of the game.

Del Walters came through for the winners with one of the long est hit homers this season with

no men on base and Harold Lowlesky executed one of the trickiest stops at second on a bunt hit grounder.

Earl Massey started on the mound for the losers and was relieved in the seventh inning by Van Hayward who completed the game.

Both teams ended up the regular season with identical wins and losses and the sudden death game was played to determine top position for the semifinals.

Firefighters play their first round of the semis Thursday evening at 7:15 p.m. against Station Hotel who wound up the season in third spot. Legion and Dominion Hotel meet Sunday afternoon in their first game of the semis.

Last Thursday night, Firefighters downed Dominars 14-4 in their last scheduled game of the season.

Milton Meets Stoney Creek

Milton Middlets will attempt to extend their playoff victory streak on Saturday afternoon at 2 p.m. at the fair grounds when they take on Stoney Creek in the first game of a best three O.B.A. semi-final series. The locals ousted Perth in quarter-finals this week by winning consecutive games by 5-1 and 15-10.

Craig Brush is the ace twirler on the Milton staff and he is backed by Rich Clement, John Simpson, Leon Stickle and Roger Wildfang. Milton will probably be missing Leon Stickle for the contest. The lanky long ball hitter left this week for Sarata, where he will be going to school and playing Junior "B" hockey in the Chicago Black Hawk farm chain.

Newmarket Wins Monday Tourney

Newmarket copped the Labor Day softball tournament at Hillsburgh to walk home with top prize money. Two teams from Acton entered to compete with six other teams during the day.

In the first round Acton All Stars defeated Hillsburgh 4-2 but were eliminated in the second round by Newmarket 6-0. The Station Hotel team went down to defeat in the first round at the hands of the Newmarket crew 7-1.

Entered in the competition were teams from Fergus, Northern Electric, Hornby, Glen Williams, Hillsburgh, Newmarket and the two from town.

Hart's Away on Holiday

If there appears to be some sports items missing this week, blame the regular sports scribe Hartley Coles. He decided to take the week off.

Although we're not certain, it has been rumoured he is looking over the Hamilton Tiger Cats in order to pass on info to Montreal coach Jim Trimble.

Once a year this scribe gets his only opportunity to make a prediction on the football series and as in past years "Hamilton Tiger Cats will be in the finals." This statement will no doubt be retuned next week by the regular scribe who believes Ottawa Roughriders will cop the title.

Hart will be back next week, kiddies so don't fret. Reports of the weekend softball tourney will appear if he isn't too tired to write them up.

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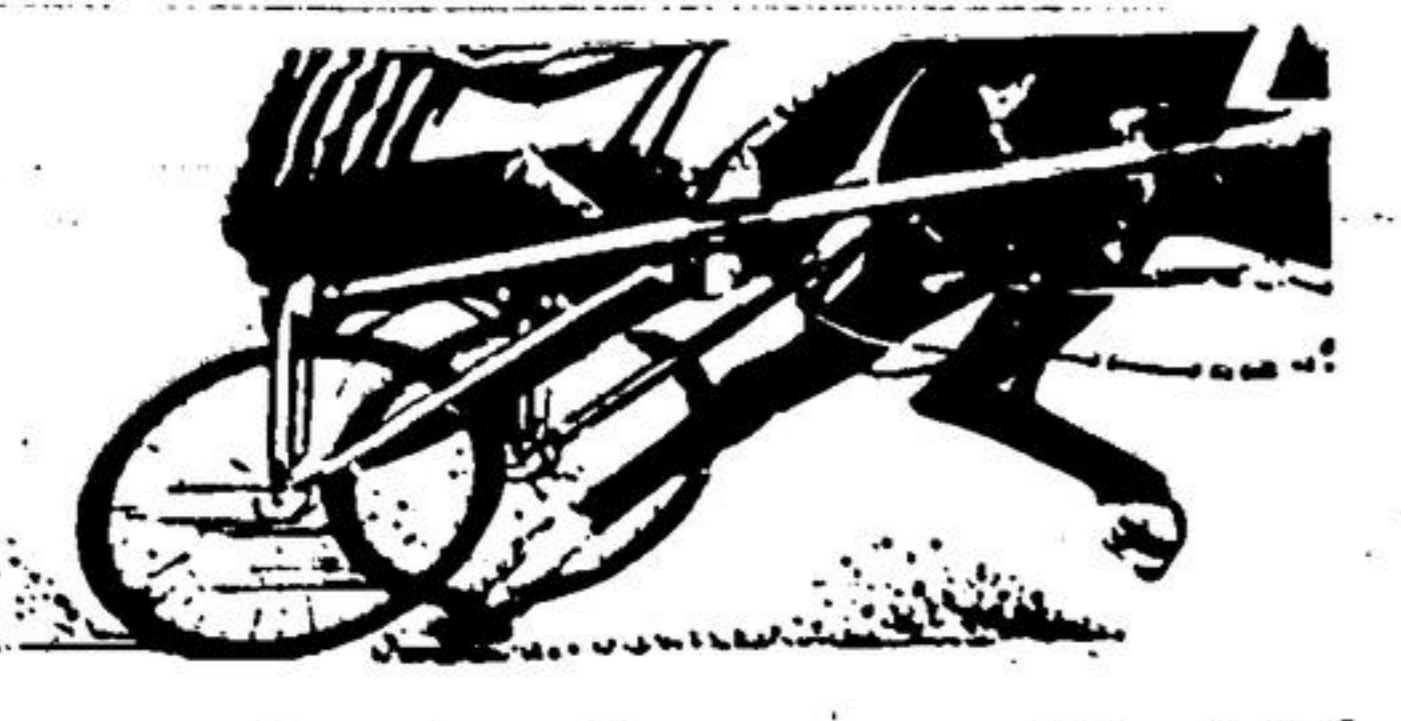
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