. . . Spilling Five Pins at Acton Bowling Lanes

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High School

Nov. 29: Stoned Bones took the league-leading Blue Angels for two games, but the Angels' margin of victory in the second game gave them the singleton for totals. Ray Saitz 515 (200) and Jim Cooney 477 (181) paced the Bones. Terry Churchill 613 (245) and Bob Browne 525 (262) were Angels' top duo. Headpins won the first from Untouchables by eight pins, the second by 11, then fell off the pace and Untouchables clobbered them for the win and the odd point for totals. Bob Turbner 500 (211) and Larry Rowden 436 (170) were tops for Headpins with Harvey Taylor 605 (210) and Jackie Palmer 563 (215) being Untouchables' best.

League standing: Blue Angels 30, Untouchables 29, Headpins 21, Stoned Bones 21.

Beardmore

Nov. 29: Trimmers with a triple win from Rockers made their hold on first place a little more secure. Rockers made a bid to win the middle canto but missed it by four pins. Ed Parent 681, Charlie Hubbell 612, Roger Murray 203-561, Jerry Post 213-580 and John Fabian 213 were on the triple and single plateau for Trimmers. For Rockers it was Artie White 267, Dave Shannon 213. Hush Puppies lost the first to Dog Bones, then made sure of the next two and totals. Junior Measles 688, Helen LeSueur 306-218, Deanna Bullough 219, Rose Fountain 219, Helen Yateman 344, tripled and singled for Hush Puppies. Ron Bayliss 638, George Reed 601, Ben Bayliss 630, Jake Vanderkooy 223 and Ron Rudy 214 had 'em for Dog Bones. Rolling Room rolled up a two and totals win at Buffers' expense with Phil LeSueur 667, Al Dales 608, Ed Hubbell 607 and John Robson 237 making with the triples and single. For Buffers, Don Harris 724, John Pryor 209 and Eric Cripps 216 were best.

League standing: Trimmers 50, Hush Puppies 46, Rolling Room 43, Rockers 42, Dog Bones 32, Buffers 18.

Legion Ladies

Nov. 29: Diamonds with a two and totals win from Pearls took over first place. Louise Toth 515 (244), Shirley Turbner 501 (189) and Elsie Halladay 415 (154) paced the win. Top shooters for Pearls were Eva Williams 503 (186) and Vera Blanch 433 (180). Rubies knocked Sapphires off the top rung with a two and totals win from said Sapphires. Sapphires could have hung onto top spot but losing the third game by four pins was their undoing. Irene Grant 604 (223) and Dot Millson 500 (195) sparked the win. Top trio for Sapphires was Phyllis Angell 588 (223), Betty Luckerbur 467 (174) and Deanna Bullough 419 (162). Emeralds piled up a big win in the first, then dropped the next two to Opals and settled for one and totals. Pacing Opals were Joyce Buchanan 468 (184) and Lois Gordon 415 (155). Top duo for Emeralds were Stef Peycha 510 (205) and Helen Jocque 463 (163).

League standing: Diamonds 40, Sapphires 38, Opals 34, Emeralds 33, Rubies 33, Pearls 32.

Blue Springs Nursery

Nov. 30: The big news in the "flowerful league" was Violets forsaking their shy and modest role and winning all games from Roses. Violets won the first by 22 pins, the second by nine, then took the finale by plenty. Mac Curtiss 461 (163), Joanne Emmerson 394 (141) and Otti Vlietstra 393 (162) paced the win. Top trio for Roses were Flora Barber 457 (173), Jean Bullough 444 (191) and Pat Moyse 382 (129). Glads won all games from Lady Slippers, who made a bid for the middle spasm but missed it by 31 pins. Lois Norton 561 (189), Burma White 542 (221) and Ada Vlietstra 450 (159) sparked the win. Top trio in Lady Slippers' efforts were Betty Hardie 486 (169), Lil Wagner 399 (162) and Donna Flisnik 345 (135). Tulips won the first from Pansies by five pins, then made sure of the next two by plenty, for the triple win. Sylvia Mages 650 (252), Adele Nolan 619 (288) and Rheta Goodwin 478 (185) were Tulips' top trio. Tops in Pansies', losing cause were Dianne Matheson 475 (183), Bev Self 422 (143) and June Lawrence 341 (177).

League standing: Glads 55, Tulips 52, Lady Slippers 44, Roses 36, Pansies 33, Violets 11.

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Nov. 30: Road Runners met up with the top spot Hillbillies and won all games, to take over first place. Bob Cathcart 757 (346), Gord McKinnon 623, Fred Curtiss 608 came up with the triples to cement the win. John Burchemeyer 634, Joan Knight 213 tripled and singled for the losers. Despite the banshee wailing of Auld Ireland's favorite son, Pat Dick, Bold Eagles made with a triple win from High Rivers, who failed to rise to the occasion. Mary Mowatt singled 278 for Eagles. Dave McMillan 218 and Jim Kelman 222 sniped for the Rivers. Hot Dogs won two games from Hurricanes, but Hurricanes blew up a storm to win the middle canto by enough to win totals. The Earl of Waller 690, Gino De Bartolo 248, Bob Price 209 and Bill Inglis 215 were on the trunk and single plateaus for Hot Dogs. Sandra Pietrangelo 300, Heather Ellis 230 and Hetty Wilson 229 made it for Hurricanes.

League standing: Road Runners 44, Hillbillies 40, Hot Dogs 39, Bold Eagles 38, Hurricanes 36, High Rivers 34.

Industrial-Commercial

Dec. 1: Mason Motors were on the GMC plan (get more conference) and made with a triple win from Mason Knit who were slightly unraveled. Wheeling for Mason Motors were Phil LeSueur 756, Terry Measles 654 and Walter Mason 602. Mason Knit dropped 156 stitches. Triplewise Rubber Cottage had one of their Nelly nights and handed Orlons a zero count. Handy Andy Williams 203, Bob Martin 692 and Ed Panyter were Rubber's top trio. Without their fearless leader, Jeff Fryer, Orlons couldn't make it. Ledgers IGA got a rude shock — Blow Pipes took 'em for the works. Ledgers threw a Shakhuster in the second but Blow Pipes topped them by 17 pins. Don DeForest 663 and Wilo Neut 462 (sixth) paced Blow Pipes. George Williamson 217-657 was a loner for Ledgers.

League standing: Mason Motors 63, Rubber Cottage 46, Orlons 45, Ledgers IGA 34, Mason Knit 29, Blow Pipes 28.

Acton Ladies

Dec. 1: Ledgers IGA took over first place with a two game win from Andersons. They won the first, got were beaten in the second, then rallied to take the third by 16 pins. Andersons had enough pins in hand to take totals. Donna Manes 511 (176), Anna Sowle 484 (191) and Eva McLur 471 (179) were IGAs top trio with Elsie Swift 584 (269), Bea Anderson 531 (197) and June Crosken 439 (159) being Andersons' tops. McIsaacs won the first from Parpeters by nine pins, the second by eight, then dropped the last by 28, to lose out for the singleton for totals by 11 pins. Lillian Herenberger 623 (247), Eleanor Gov 583 (229) and Grace Robertson 484 (167) headed up McIsaacs' win. Top trundling trio for Parpeters were Shirley Leslie 504 (197), Cora Walters 471 (199) and Isabel Moore 462 (194). Papillons dropped the first to ACCU by 10 pins, then wrapped up the next two for a two and totals win. Vivian Nightingale 569 (231) and Annette St. Pierre 460 (157) sparked Papillons' win. Tops for the Credit Union outfit were Verna Arbic 507 (204), Anne Greenfield 451 (195) and Helen Holmes 435 (170).

League standing: Ledger's IGA 23, McIsaacs 22, ACCU 21, Parpeters 21, Andersons 20, Papillons 19.

Thursday Toppers

Dec. 2: Rolling Stones won the first from AGeGos, then fell off the pace and it was GoGos for two and totals. Mae Curtiss 669 (246), Flo Bowen 426 (159) and Doris Fever 387 (135) were the winners' top trio. For Rolling Stones, Joan Knight 504 (213), Helen Bittorf 420 (160) and Agnes Holmes 325 (156) were best. Cool Chicks did some cool crowing over Jiggers with a two and totals win. Ivy Martin 645 (258), Phyllis Winters 489 (179) and Mamie Allen 425 (167) were Chicks' tops. Making with the mostest of the bestest for Jiggers were Rose Winters 487 (168) and Mary Matthews 411 (156). Spitfires won two games from Rinky Dinks but Jr. Dinky Ones made with a big win in the third to take totals. Louise Toth 572 (260) and Mary Hiscock 552 (217) were fired up for Spitfires. Lila Atkinson headed up Rinky Dinks' roll with 512 (206).

League standing: AGeGos 65, Cool Chicks 58, Spitfires 35, Rinky Dinks 35, Rolling Stones 33, Jiggers 28.

Major

Dec. 2: Dominion Hotel clipped the Acton Lanes for a two and totals win. The bowling alley crew failed to find the range until the last game. Don Harris 705, Phil LeSueur 602 and Al Noyce 630 tripled the triples for Dominion. It was a family affair for Acton Lanes — Dye DeForest 708, Hal DeForest 618 and Carl DeForest 615 being the triplers. Paced by Chet Peycha's hot 853 (326) and Andy Williams' 665 plus Larry Nolan's 678, Reliable Taxi made with a two and totals win from Norm's Barber Shop. Bill Shannon 768 (348), Wilo Neut 624 and Fred Nightingale 624 were best for the Clippers. Adam's Gold Stripe went all out for the points and grabbed all of them from Canadian Tire with, believe it or not, Fred Kentner 750, Bill Johnstone 742 and Leo McGilloway 659 pacing this win. Pete Schipper 644 and Larry Poole 689, along with Bob Sludgmore's 622 double, was CT's best effort.

League standing: Acton Lanes 55½, Adam's Gold Stripe 54, Reliable Taxi 48, Dominion Hotel 41½, Norm's Barber Shop 37, Canadian Tire 16.

Acton Friends

Dec. 2: Parrots' three game win from Hawks put them on the top rung in the league standing. Rae West 240, Keith Andrews 202, Anne Thomson 251 and Ray Toth 245-231 sparked the win with singles. Someone must've clipped the Hawks' wings — no singles, top rung in the league standing topped from the top spot when Ravens handed 'em a zero count. Lorna Besses 604, Ory Chapman 215 and Mery Harness 219, tripled and singled in the win. John Chapman 202 and Tony Damm 200 soloed for Vultures. Falcons won two games from Eagles with Eagles taking the singleton for totals by 12 pins. Eagles dropped a toughie in the third — five pins decided it. Marilyn McArthur 288, George Williamson 208 and Don DeForest 622 singled and tripled for Eagles. Hart Coles' 236 solo was a loner for Falcons.

League standing: Parrots 43, Eagles 41, Ravens 40, Vultures 38, Falcons 35, Hawks 34.

Acton Mixed

Dec. 3: Puffs retained their hold on first place by winning two games from Tiger Cats, who had a big first winning game, to take totals. Frank Daley 640 and Fred Landry 216 tripled and singled for Puffs. Getting the TC's singles were Grace Robertson 213, Jerry Martin 201 and Hec Daigle 203. Bees were a bunch of pin-buzzin' cousins with a three game win from Spees. Mary Daley 608 (apparently trying to keep up to Frank), Ray Lizotte 204 paced the win. Bill Mainprize's 223 was a loner for Spees. Beatles beat out Mascots in the first by four pins, took the second handily, then lost out in the third by 28 pins, to take a two and totals decision. Bert Robertson 209 and Fred Curtiss 204 singled for Beatles with Joe Pietrangelo sinking 221 for Mascots.

League standing: Puffs 39, Beatles 37, Mascots 35, Tiger Cats 34, Bees 33, Spees 32.

Big Four

Dec. 3: Rough Riders took two from the first place Alouettes but missed out for totals when Alouettes punched out a big win in the second. Third game was close. Rough Riders took it by eight pins. Ronie Voskamp 604 (254), Joe Holstede 546 (205) and Jake Kunken 480 (206) were Rough Riders' top trio. Rink Vlietstra 631 (249), Nellis Van Arragon 505 (180) and Harry Ensing 452 (188) were Alouettes' best. Argonauts grabbed two and totals from Tiger Cats who won the middle chukker. Jake Vanderkooy 559 (245), Grant Cousins 480 (172) and Ali Louvenga 463 (176) sparked Argonauts' win. Top trio for Tiger Cats were Henry Harbers 584 (228), Harry Holstede 521 (211) and Jennie Kunken 461 (180).

League standing: Alouettes 35, Tiger Cats 31, Rough Riders 30, Argonauts 30.

Teen 'n' Under

Dec. 4: Iroquois wound up with both games from Senators. Sports won one and totals from Blackfeet and Mohawks took both games from Hurons. Making the Top Ten this trip were: Gary Price 243-119 (362), Gord Morris 171-175 (346), Ken Marsh all 152-156 (308), John Churchill 140-178 (306), Bob O'Rourke 107-196 (303), Bev Moore 157-110 (267), Larry DeForest 142-107 (249), Dianne Bonnette 134-110 (244), Tom Petitt 128-116 (244) and Bruce Swift 137-105 (242).

League standing: Iroquois 33, Mohawks 30, Sports 28, Seniors 23, Blackfeet 20, Hurons 16.

Headpin Hilites

Joyce Measles' 688 triple was the ALB Supermarket Bowl-o-rama and Elsie Swift with a 299 single won the coveted Tom Ledger's IGA Bill Stevenson's 348 single was the Hoop Tools from Sackrey Carting. Winning by rolling long strings of Coca-Cola Seven-Up and Pepsi-Cola barrels for bowling in a league where average were Gary Price, Gord DeForest, Sharon Pilgrim and Beverley Moore.

Unless he's the head that wears the crown and defending doubles champions Jeff Fryer and Bill Tom [illegible] pedestal [illegible] Bill Johnstone [illegible] Bill Stevenson [illegible] Bill Tom [illegible] Bill Tom [illegible] Bill Tom