

# the SPORTS spot

BY JOHN MCHABE

It looks as though the Station Hotelers and Herb's Delivery will battle it out for the town league softball title if the Dominion Hotel plays to form in tonight's game.

Ledger's I.G.A. were put out of their semi-final match by the Station last night in a 10-3 stand-off after dropping three straight for the "semi-title" I.G.A. missed Chuck Milne's pitching last night. Although Jeff Fryer handled the storekeepers mound up until the early part of the ninth he gave in to Bruce Cargill, when he began to tire.

Lorne Peavoy and Ed Smith handled the pitching chores for the Station and both are needed to come up with a winning score sheet for the Innkeepers.

Herb's Delivery fares well on the same basis with Howie Leader and Fred Archibald.

I.G.A. made too many errors during their series with the Station to come up with a win, even though the Station made theirs, they weren't as consistent.

A team effort on behalf of the Station Hotel has brought them up against an equally as good team minded squad as Herb's Delivery for the final last four of seven playoff series.

Acton meets Drumquin at 1:45 p.m.

Although Acton isn't entered in actual league as yet, they still have a lacrosse team.

Acton's team played an exhibition game against Fergus at the Community Centre Saturday and wound up on the losing side but not by much considering the fact that Fergus has been considered one of the better lacrosse teams in the area.

Mosport features the Players Grand Prix this coming Sunday, August 27, sporting the top drivers in motor racing from all over the world.

Eppie Wietze and Al Pease, a Torontonian are as yet the only two Canadians driving in the competition.

Jimmy Clarke of Scotland, Graham Hill of England and Denis Hume of New Zealand are featured drivers again in this year's Grand Prix.

Dick Tiger, the world heavyweight champion, may forfeit his crown to an interim fighter if he can't be found.

Tiger is said to be detained in his home land, Nigeria, by a civil war and was given 30 days by the W.B.A. to sign for a title fight against Roger Rouse of Anacosta, Mont., or risk losing his title.

Tiger originally defeated Josse Torres of New York to win the division championship in December of 1966 and then beat Torres again in May of this year.

Although the I.G.A. senior ladies didn't come up with the top spot in last Saturday's tourney in Oakville, Charlie Thomson and Frank Spivelegel are still proud of their girls team, as they should be.

The Burlington Ladies team walked away with the number one spot when they walloped Georgetown ladies 16-1 on Sunday.

The Acton girls will compete in another Halton tournament held in Glen Williams this Saturday.

## "Win a few, lose a few"

# I.G.A. senior ladies participate in Oak.-Drumquin tourney

Acton I.G.A. senior ladies softball team ran up against some pretty stiff competition including Hornby, Glen Williams, Dixie and Oakville during the Halton Ladies softball tournament held last Saturday and Sunday.

The first half of the tourney took place in Trafalgar Park in Oakville while the second session moved into Drumquin Park.

Acton Ladies fared rather well against their opposition with no overwhelming scores against them. The green shirted storekeepers lost out in their first round against Hornby 6-3 but came back that same day to take a victory from Glen Williams

with a 17-13 rally. Sunday's action saw them again in the winner's circle when they trounced Dixie 25-5 at Drumquin.

The ladies of green were put out on that same day by Oakville when they fell to a 7-4 defeat.

Acton's first victory over Glen Williams came rather easy when rain caused a shut-down after the sixth inning and a continuation the next day (Sunday) with the Acton team ahead by four runs. Glen Williams forfeited the game when they failed to appear to play the remaining three innings.

Janet Brown, centre fielder on the I.G.A. squad from Acton was

honored with a gift as the most valuable player during the tourney.

Bonnie MacDougall and Linda Payzant shared the pitching chores for the Acton ladies and did a very good job of it.

Bonnie came up with six hits and four runs in Acton's first victory to share scoring honors with Linda Payzant, Gail Fryer, Janet Brown and Patsy Wheeler who copped double markers in turn. Joyce Bridge, Liz Kirby and Brenda Lawson mustered out singles to make the 17-13 victory over Glen Williams stand. Acton came back on Sunday to Drumquin to put on a fine dis-

play of softball when they trounced Dixie 16-5. Bonnie MacDougall was hitting four for five to come up with three runs and Sandra Slingerland also scored three runs on a three for five hitting average.

Double tallies came from Gail Fryer, Janet Bridge, Patsy Wheeler, Brenda Lawson and Eileen Smith with Linda Payzant and Janet Brown on single notches.

Acton last out to Oakville later that afternoon 7-4 and were put out of the tourney, losing the chance to go up against the remaining teams; Georgetown, Milton, Burlington and Palerme.

Burlington took top honors for the tournament when they downed Georgetown 16-1 late Sunday afternoon.

Refreshments, including a chicken barbecue were enjoyed by all the teams participating Sunday night.

Acton's senior team will again see tournament action this weekend when a lineup of teams meet in Glen Williams. Acton's opener will be at 1:45 p.m. for anyone wanting to be there to see girl's softball at its best. Acton's lineup includes: Bonnie MacDougall p., Lynda Payzant ss., Gail Fryer lf., Joyce Bridge c., Janet Brown cf., Jill Hurst 2b, Liz Kirby 3b, Brenda Lawson lf., Patsy Wheeler rf., Eileen Smith rf., Sandra Slingerland c.



Saints fell victims to the Devils Angels in last Wednesday night's novice hardball action, when they were defeated 9-6. Saints collected their 6 markers in the second inning of play from R. Van Fleet, B. Taylor, B. Jordan, R. Turkosz, J. Lambert and K. Jordan.

Bernie Taylor pitched a six hitter for the Saints.

Devils Angels winning rally came from Steve Papillon, Ken Swan, J. Townsley, Jim McIntyre, J. Krapek, K. Kentner, D. Allan, and Billy McGilloway with a pair of pointers.

Billy McGilloway pitched a six hitter for the Devils Angels.

Thursday night's results saw the Saints turn around and beat the Centennials out 17-12 in a close decision. Hanson pitched for the Saints and Terry Holmes pitched for the Centennials.

J. Pink and K. Jordan shared in six Saints runs while B. Taylor, R. Turkosz, J. Lambert, Robin Insoce and C. Jordan collected pairs of points apiece. R. Van Fleet chalked up a single marker.

Centennial score card came from Chris Tennant, Bob Viasik, Pete Pavell, who shared equally in six runs. John McCutcheon, Scott Oakley, Steve Brunelle, Bob Pauw, Ed Ensing and Terry Holmes collected singles.

Novice playoff action started Sunday afternoon when the Devils Angels dropped the Bad Boys 13-8 in the semi-final opener.

Barry Payne pitched a nine hitter for the Bad Boys and Billy McGilloway let the Bad Boys away with two hits during the game.

The winning rally for the Angels came from Tim McIntyre with three markers while D. Allen, J. Krapek, B. McGilloway and B. Robinson shared in eight runs. K. Kentner and J. Townsley picked up single markers.

Centennials met the Saints Monday night for their semi-final



# Station Hotel drops I.G.A. in three straight games

Station Hotelers dropped I.G.A. for the third straight time last night in the best three out of five semi-final playoff games in the town softball league.

I.G.A. fell to a decisive 10-3 victory for the Station as the Innkeepers pulled the clincher on this semi-final series.

The Hotelers held the edge over I.G.A. throughout the game, collecting 14 hits off the storekeepers pitcher Jeff Fryer.

I.G.A. copped six hits from Ed Smith on the Station's mound. Jim Bullough rallied up on Williamson's home run.

Barrie Elliott picked up a pair of pointers during the second and

ing the sixth inning when he grabbed three flys off the Station bats out of the air.

Jan Riddal and George Williamson put the icing on the cake for the Station when they came up with home runs in the eighth. This was Williamson's third run for the night and Riddal's second.

John Dunn scored on a three bagger in the fourth inning and returned again to home plate on a single brought in on Williamson's home run.

Barrie Elliott picked up a pair of pointers during the second and

third while Allan McNabb scored in the second on a two-bagger.

I.G.A.'s tally came from Bruce Shultis on a double in the third, Roy Shultis on a walk in the fourth and Jim Bullough on a single in the seventh inning.

Ed Phillips umpired at the plate while Scotty McCristall and Harold Townsley checked the infield.

STATION HOTEL:

R	022	200	13	10
H	232	300	13	14

I.G.A.:

R	001	100	10	3
H	111	100	20	6

# Innkeepers drop I.G.A. in Thurs. 4-1 victory

Station Hotelers dropped the I.G.A. squad for the second time in the semi-final playoffs in the town league softball last Thursday night.

The Innkeepers came up with a 4-1 victory over the store clerks netting their runs in the fourth inning on three hits.

A tight game persisted through the nine innings with Eddy Smith and Lorne Peavoy sharing the Station mound and Jeff Fryer on the I.G.A. mound. Peavoy took over for Smith late in the ninth.

Fryer tallied up seven Station strikeouts and six hits while Smith counted four strikeouts and two hits from the I.G.A.

Station's runs came from John Dunn, Ed Smith, Barrie Elliott, and Bob Sheppard all in the fourth.

George Maltby collected a hit from Ed Smith in the second but it was Jeff Fryer's single in the seventh that made the marker for the I.G.A.

Lineups:

STATION: A. Williams, J. Riddal, G. Williamson, J. Dunn, L. Peavoy, E. Smith, B. Elliott, A. McNabb, B. Sheppard, P. Homer, D. Ford.  
I.G.A.: D. Price, J. Fryer, B. Shultis, P. Marzo, G. Maltby, K. Shultis, D. Manes, T. Masales, B. Cargill, F. Nightingale.

## ROCKWOOD

# Two senior ball teams reach top spot in league

By Mrs. F. Taylor

Congratulations are certainly due to the two Rockwood senior ball teams. Each have completed their first round of O.R.S.A. and came out on top.

The Inter-County Seniors are entered in the O.R.S.A. Intermediate A division and the others in O.R.S.A. Junior A.

The seniors had their first round against Pickering. They took the first game in Rockwood 5-0, dropped the second to Pickering 6-1, and came back home to give their fans the happy experience of seeing them win 5-3. Rockwood pitcher John Salmon in the last game had eighteen strikeouts and allowed only five hits.

The Junior Seniors met Low-

ville in their first round and took the first game, dropped the second by a narrow 3-2 score and went back to Lowville for an 11-5 win. The Rockwood boys pride themselves in their versatility, and it really pays off.

Ken Maltby, the regular pitcher, after hurling a tremendous second game, had an off night and was replaced by Charlie Milne in the third inning. The Lowville boys got the feel of the ball and although Rockwood took a 3-0 lead in the first inning, Lowville tied the score in the first half of the third.

Then Norm Beattie took over the pitcher mound and remained until halfway through the fifth.

After Murray Taylor's homer in the last of the third inning, Rockwood never looked back and



There was a three-way tie for first place this week at Maple Rock Shooting Range. Vying for top honors was Brad Mainprize, Ed Hawes and John Shadbolt, all with 24. Brad also had a pair of 21's as did Ed.

Other top scores were Gord Clow with 23, John Cordes 22 and 21, Brian Hammon 21 and 20, Art Hawes 21, Wayne Lindstrom 20 and 17 and Keith Mainprize 19.

Some readers may have heard about the giant Canada Geese which were thought to be extinct. However, reports were occasionally received by wildlife officials of an odd one being downed by hunters. Five years ago, some biologists re-discovered a flock of these giant geese in Minnesota. Since then, several other flocks have been located.

One of the nesting grounds of when Murray Taylor took over the pitching duties in the fifth, they held Lowville to their five previous runs.

Several times there were yells from the Lowville bench as to how many pitchers Rockwood had but the only answer they got from the Rockwood bench was "How many more do you want?"

The game ended with a 11-5 win for Rockwood who had 21 hits, with 10 for Lowville.

pickup leftover from last week add to end of leftover . . .

Ontario Department of Lands and Forests Officials report the possibility of planting some of the Giant Canada Geese in Ontario is under study. It is hoped if the plan is put into effect that duck and geese hunters will refrain from shooting them until they have established a large population that can withstand hunting pressure.

## Must raise \$3500 for minor hockey

Minor hockey season is rolling around again!

This year the operating cash will be in the neighbourhood of \$3500. Officials are planning in the near future another Turkey Shoot and sale of used comic books by the boys themselves. Please watch for further hockey news.

Ontario grade 13 students had their letters of acceptance from the University of Guelph well before other universities this year.

There was the usual large crowd at the park on the weekend. Many come from out-of-town to admire the facilities here.

Wife to Husband: "One of the trout you were fishing for last weekend called and left her number."

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