

Best game of season

Dominion keeps win streak alive edges sister hotel in extra innings

The town league softball race was enlivened by the snappiest game of the season Sunday between the top two teams, Dominion Hotel and Station Hotel.

Phil Marso's clutch hit in the bottom of the 11th inning broke up a tense pitcher's battle, resulting in a 5-4 win for the Dominion House as well as preserving an undefeated streak which has not been dented this season for the Main St. Innkeepers.

Ivan Edmonds, on the sacks with a single, raced home with the winning run on the heels of Phil's game winning smash, prompting much rejoicing from Dominion bench and fans.

Jeff Fryer for Dominion and Lorne Peavoy of the Station crew looked up in a torrid pitching

duel over the last eight and a half innings, Jeff coming in in relief for starter Ed Phillips after he got in hot water.

The Mill St. tavern leaped into a 3-0 lead in the top of the second as Jan Riddall singled, John Dunn walked and Larry Kuchma whacked a base-clearing three bagger. Bob Smith singled to send him home.

Dominion got one back in the tall end of the inning when Harry Phillips arrived on the bags safely with a fielder's choice. Jeff Fryer was cut off at second to make the second out, but Ivan Edmonds' single scored Harry Phillips.

Station added to their lead in the seventh when John Dunn singled, Al McNabb, wangled a ticket to

first and Dunny romped in with a run.

Dominion crept to within a run of the upper Mill Innkeepers in the bottom of the seventh with a pair of runs, the first scored on a wild throw. Ivan Edmond started things rolling with a single and Phil Marso made the bases safely on the error, at short. Jim Bullough singled and later rapped 16, with the second run.

Station went down in order in the eighth but the Dominion crew chose the bottom half to even the count. Jeff Fryer batted a double to get in scoring position and Ed Phillips singled him home.

Jeff Fryer got stronger as the game progressed. He checked off the station batters in every inning

except one over the next four, finishing up with a pair of strikeouts in the eleventh.

Lorne Peavoy, who chucked solid ball throughout the game, issuing only one walk, weakened in the eleventh when lead off batter Harry Phillips walked, then gave up the winning run on two singles.

Fielding gem of the game was Bob Smith's running catch in left field in the fourth.

Starter Ed Phillips registered two strikeouts in his two and a half inning stint and Jeff Fryer finished up with five. Peavoy whiffed two.

Five errors were chalked up, three of them going to the winners who also reeled off two double plays, short to second to first. Station had one twin killing.

Roy Shultz and Ivan Edmond collected three hits apiece for Dominion, one of Roy's a three

bagger. Jim Bullough, Bruce Shultz, Jeff Fryer, Ed Phillips, Brian Dunn and Phil Marso got the remainder of the 12 hits.

Andy Williams, Jan Riddall, John Dunn, Al McNabb, Larry Kuchma and Bob Smith each got one for the losers.

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Station - Andy Williams cf, Lorne Peavoy p, Geo. Williamson c, Ed Smith 1b, Jan Riddall 3b, John Dunn 1b, Al McNabb 2b, Larry Kuchma ss, Bob Smith lf, Doug Ford if in 7th.

Dominion - Jim Bullough 3b, Roy Shultz ss, Bruce Shultz rf, Jeff Fryer cf, Ed Phillips p, Harry Phillips c, Ivan Edmond 2b, Bryan Dunn lf, Phil Marso 1b.

Umpires - Bill Dawkins, plate; Bruce Cargill, base.

Scorer - Chas. Thomson.



ROADS, YOU'VE GOT TO BE KIDDING! Distinctive style of jumping to place third in the intermediate boys' high jump at Halton County field day.

SPORTS TALC WITH ED

When Campbellville withdrew from the Halton County senior baseball league after setting a record which no other team in the province has matched - something like 12 or 13 titles - the entire baseball set-up was poorer.

There is some hope, however, that you'll see another team from the Nassagaweya village competing in senior ranks in a few years. They've got a juvenile team there which has the earmarks of a winner and could move up into the senior series with a few seasons of seasoning under their belts.

I can remember when the Campbellville teams were first starting out in the old Halton intermediate league. Players like Earl Cairns, Al Wingrove, Stan Henderson, Lloyd Early, Ken Moore, Eric Tolstaka, to name a few, could await a ball the proverbial country mile. They were a bit erratic with the glove but when they stepped up to the plate pitchers all around the league shivered.

Reputations built up after years of service in the league fell to the upstarts from the village who excelled after a few seasons on the field as well as at the plate.

They used to say the Campbellville players practiced every winter by throwing turmps at each other in the barn but most fans knew it was just urban jealousy showing.

There aren't many of the original Campbellville teams still playing ball but southpaw Jack Roberts is signed with the Burlington Cardinals and I've heard he can still zip the ball past batters.

The old ball teams in the Halton loop could fill many a column and maybe we'll do it one week.

CHPS... John Goy Jr. is playing with the Fergus Sr. lacrosse team and George McPhail is playing with Fergus Bantams. . . . Needed urgently - cars to take the girls' softball club to Lowville tonight (Wednesday) providing the weather is good. . . .

Hornby flattens Acton gals Mon.

Hornby gals ran up an unfatiguing 15-2 win over Acton in Halton Ladies' Softball League Monday night.

The first two Acton batters got on base with tickets and Lix Campbell belted a bases-clearing three-bagger to score both. That was the only time Acton made the score sheet.

Hornby, meanwhile, plated singles in the first and second inning, scored five in the fourth, three in both the fifth and sixth and wound up with two.

Patsy Wheeler's double in the sixth was the only extra base clout the Acton belles could smash from Hornby pitcher Linda Wilson.



IT'S NOT THAT HIGH when you're mostly legs. Unfortunately this fellow eventually had to concede defeat to Paul Kacor of Brookville school who won the event with a jump of 4' 5". (Staff Photo)

Soccer scores

by Charlie Thomson

Acton Pee Wee, 12 - 13 years group, were host to the Georgetown Soccer Club last Wednesday night at the high school. Georgetown took complete control of the first half scoring all six goals.

In the second half, the Acton children turned the tables on Georgetown and took command with Terry Holmes, scoring on a pass from team mate Adrian Vanopstal who showed how practice makes perfect.

Then Chris Tennant scored on a dandy play engineered by Steve Brunelle.

With more practice Acton can have an excellent team. Best of luck next time.

The Acton team was coached by Ross Budgere.

Final score - Georgetown 6, Acton 2.

Celtic set the pace for the Novice group Thursday night, June 20 at the high school by defeating the Rutlanders 4-0.

The unlucky Rutlanders have gained only one point in four starts. They fought tooth and nail to get on the score sheet but Celtic's forward line was a little too powerful for them.

Jim Allonby scored the first goal from a pass given to him by Jeff Shields, Scott Malcolm, another good hockey player as well as soccer, passed to Jeff Shields who made no mistake counting the second goal for Celtic.

Peter Luty, another coming good player, booted one more for the orange sweated team.

This boy Jeff Shields can really outrun most of the boys on the Rutlanders team and by good running scored the final goal. Final: Celtic 4, Rutlanders 0.

Atoms group - Thursday, June 20, at high school saw Hotspurs beat the Rangers, 4-0.

The Hotspurs team played good sound soccer with Nathan Fields scoring twice and Jimmie Gentles scoring two. These two boys are scoring plenty of goals for their team.

Rangers didn't play quite up to par in this game. They can do better.

Rangers goalkeeper Ron Turkosz played an excellent game making many good saves.



A FLYING FINISH for Anne Marie Luty of M. Z. Bennett school won her a third prize ribbon in the intermediate running broad jump. Louise Coulson of Martin Street school in Milton got first in the event. (Staff Photo)



TEAM WORK DID IT for Barbara McNabb, Mary Frances Marcoux, Judy Rody and Brenda McNabb to win the senior girls' relay for Robert Little School in the Halton County field day.

Micro Plastics picnic Saturday

Micro Plastics picnic was held at Rockwood Saturday and the children thoroughly enjoyed themselves, despite the chilly weather.

Big Al of Kitchener TV was a surprise guest.

Wrong number

Complaint of an obscene phone call was made by a Guelph phone operator to Acton OPP. The call was made at 12.15 p.m. June 23, and a lead is under investigation.

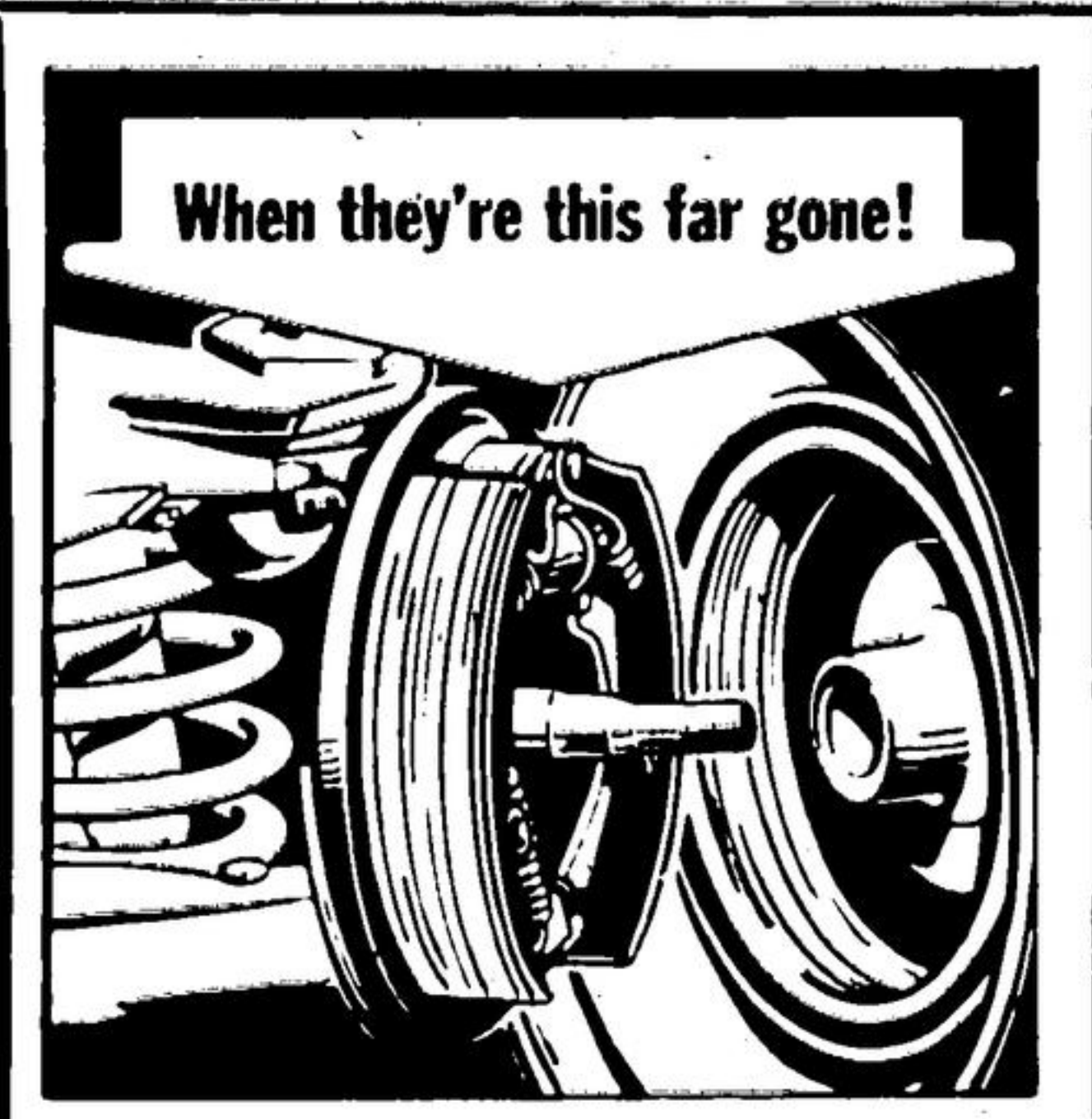
Still few ducats for 'Open'

There are still a few tickets available for the Acton Open golf tournament which takes place this Saturday at the Georgetown Golf and Country Club. Caterers must know by Friday night how many duffers will attend so they can set up for the banquet at the legion hall here afterwards.

Duffers are expecting to tie on the feed bag at 5.30 p.m.

Too-off time for the event starts at 7.30 a.m. and some early times are still available. Golfers are urged to be on time - at least 10 minutes before they are due to tee-off - or they'll go back down to the bottom of the list.

Tickets for the Open - a highlight of the season - are only available at Sports Corner.



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