Spilling the Pins . . .

at ACTON BOWLING LANES

by Ken Hulford

BEARDMORE

Mar. 17: The front-running Hippies won the first game from Lucky Strikes, got clobbered in the second, then rallied to take the last canto by 12 pins, but were shy on pins for taking totals. On the triple and single plateaus for Hippies were Jake Vanderkooy 673, Dave Shannon 635, Ray Atkinson 205 and Millie Fabian 223. For Lucky Strikes it was Howie Jank 808 (356), Jane McCrea 681 and Helen Vateman 228. After winning the first game from Hasbeens by six pins, the second place Hot Shots made a gain on the leaders by stashing away the next two games for an all-out win. Tripling and singling for the Hot Shots were Jeff Fryer 828 (326), Al Roach 732, Kor Vryenhoek 623 and Bob Cripps 211. In a like vein for Hasbeens were Bill Buchanan 677, Helen LeSueur 204-201, Helen Fowler 206, John Constantine 228. Blue Angels were a triple winner with Finishers taking the loss. Finishers best chance of making with a win came in the second canto which they lost by 27 pins. Going with the triples and singles in the Blue Angels' cause were Phil LeSueur 747, Steve Popolovic 644, Frank Maad 649, Vic Roach 225 and Lyle Cripps 213. For Finishers, Don Harris 696 and Tom Shannon 202 got the mentionables.

League standing: Hippies 106, Hot Shots 98, Blue Angels 96, Finishers 90, Hasbeens 89, Lucky Strikes 88.

CAROLINE GARDEN CENTRE

Mar. 17: Maples, with a two and totals win from Cedars, hung onto first place by the narrow margin of half a point. Cedars almost upset the Maples but missed the second canto by 15 pins. Heading up the Maples' roll were Steve Blanchard 615 (253), Fred Currie 570 (227) and Jenny Bateman 488 (179). Best in the Cedars' efforts were Orv Forte 645 (253), Bob Doyle 552 (251), Sally Bouwman 501 (191). Oaks gained on the leaders with a triple win from the Ashes. Pete Bouwman 588 (246), Willy DeJong 557 (225), Elma Timbers 551 (216) and Cliff Wedge 530 (224) headed up the Oaks' win. Ashes' best efforts came from Andy Anderson 524 (193), Bev Currie 337 (123) and Mike DeJong 354 (double) 207. Mountbattens three game win from Evergreens moved them up into contention. Grace Robertson 672 (227), Bob Martin 591 (226), Joe Vostry 586 (240) and Carl Timbers 586 (214) paced the win. Top tripling trio for Evergreens were Clarence Harings 563 (219), Howie Jank 561 (191) and Dot Milson 501 (188).

League standing: Maples 58, Oaks 57½, Mountbattens 55½, Cedars 55, Evergreens 52, Ashes 34.

BLUE SPRINGS NURSERY

Mar. 18: Roses had no trouble staying in first place with a two and totals win from the Orchids. Burna White 603 (233), Betty Hardie 589 (214) and Lula Sinclair 489 (165) paced the win. Peggy Main 667 (276), Sandi Sinclair 441 (170) and Ruth Archibald 406 (158) were top trio for Orchids. The second place Dalsies' hopes of gaining on the leaders were somewhat dashed when Lilacs took 'em for two and totals. Jane McCrea 649 (242), Mary Anderson 607 (255) and Eileen Pratt 391 (147) sparked the win. Top trio for Dalsies were Barb Ferguson 515 (233), Joan Schipper 480 (175) and Helen Bittorf 443 (156). Crocus came up with a two and totals win at Cactis' expense. Sylvia Magee 649 (273), Norma Titus 500 (175) and Joyce Adams 437 (157) headed up Crocus roll. Best for the Cacti were Verna Tatton 544 (197), Agnes McGiness 448 (170) and Chris Houston 353 (138).

League standing: Roses 94, Dalsies 88, Cacti 84, Crocus 82, Lilacs 78, Orchids 78.

SPORTS CORNER MIXED

Mar. 18: With a triple win from Snipers, Gypsies took over top spot. On the triple and single plateaus for Gypsies were Earle Middleton 730, Frank McKenna 222, Marg Myette 215, and Milt Hamilton 211. Top trio in the Snipers' efforts were Bob Cathcart 682 (252), Tim Armstrong 581 (232) and Annette St. Pierre 488 (187). Pinbusters took two and totals from Yappers which knocked Yappers out of top spot and gave Pinbusters the second place rating. Making with the triples and singles for Pinbusters were Dee DeForest 817 (343), Elsie Edmondson 711, John McGilloway 608, Dave McMillan 219, JoAnne McKenna 201 and Alice Tilcox 227. Best tricounts and solos for Yappers came from Steve Blanchard 605, Joan Knight 251, Frank Bartholomew 255, and "Smitty" Pietrangeli 206-259. Bat-Finks made with a two and totals win from the Sock-It-To-Ems with Ed Wood 678, Carl Leishman 645, Heather Ellis 208, Jens Liestuen 227 and Patti-Anne Moyer 201 tripling and singling. Tops for the "Sockers" were John Dunn 671, Harry Moyes 247 and Elsie Eyrie 232.

League standing: Gypsies 62, Pinbusters 60, Yappers 59, Bat-Finks 54, Snipers 50, Sock-It-To-Ems 39.

INDUSTRIAL-COMMERCIAL

Mar. 19: Allan's Collision were on the short end of a 3-1 go with John's Texaco Service. The "Wreckers" were headed for a zero count but snared the last canto by 28 pins. Top tripling trio for the "Texans" were Terry Meades 675 (276), Wayne Mason 650 (239) and Charlie Auger 607 (220). Best for the "Wreckers" were Jeff Fryer 719 (270), Ray Toth 683 (255) and Bruce Shultis 651 (227). Beardmore Co. made with a two and totals win, Tyler's Transport taking the short end. Top trio in the Beardmore win were Bryan Dunn 729 (260), Fred Bunn 648 (235), Ernie Lawson 635 (273). For Tylers, Dave Johnson 747 (334), Vic Roach 632 (241) and Larry Drysdale 600 were tops. It came as a shock to Jon Hurst Electric when the A-B Supermarket took 'em for the works. "Andy" Andrews 733 (290), Ken Hulford 638 (247), Bill Knight 625 (243) and Earle Middleton 448 (double) paced the win. Best for the "Electricians" were Pete Homer 756 (300), Don Harris 622 (262) and Gary Price 603 (208).

League standing: Allan's Collision 70½, Jon Hurst Electric 60, John's Texaco Service 56½, Beardmore Co. 51, Tylers' Transport 44, A-B Supermarket 42.

ACTON LADIES

Mar. 19: The first place tie no longer exists between Central Cartage and Cameos. Central Cartage took sole possession when they took two and totals from the Family Store. Heading up the Cartage win were Nan Hurst 666 (237), Mary Papillon 526 (215) and Lil Herensberger 466 (176). Top trio for Family Store were Helen Holmes 567 (216), Eleanor Goy 521 (195) and Lila Atkinson 487 (190). Cameos lost their share of the top spot when Nielsen's Clothing took 'em for two and totals. Grace Robertson 656 (232), May Swackhamer 579 (235) and Ina Mellon 519 (206) paced the win. For Cameos, Kitty Allen 566 (241), Bea Anderson 501 (186) and Marion Hunter 468 (182) were best. I.G.A. won the first canto from Acton Jersey Dairy by 21 pins, then the Dairy equalized in the second by four and barrelled home in the finale by plenty to take the big share of a 5-2 go. Sparking the win were Anna Spear 561 (241), Jean Smith 552 (200), Mary Skirrow 542 (202) and Betty Cheyne 440 (202). Top trio for I.G.A. were Donna Manes 612 (210), Sue Nightingale 604 (249) and Shirley Rozenbersky 542 (221).

League standing: Central Cartage 91, Nielsen's Clothing 90, Cameos 88, I.G.A. 87, Acton Jersey Dairy 85, Family Store 84.

MAJOR LEAGUE

Mar. 20: Sports Corner came up with a two and totals win when they met up with Hinton's Store. It looked as if the Sports would make it a three game win but Hinton's nailed down the last chukker by 31 pins. Bruce Shultis 761 (275), Al Norrie 746 (278) and Jeff Fryer 739 (320) were top trio for Sports Corner. For Hinton's it was Bill Shannon 750, "Doc" Post 686 (256) and "Frenchy" Conway 642 (251). 'Twas a sad night for the Acton Lanes, they dropped the bundle to the Acton Meadows. The Lanes got clobbered in the first, lost the second by three pins and bowed out in the finale by 14. Pacing the Meadows win were, Ron Shannon 736 (252), Mac Herrington 712 (293) and Jim Timleck 712 (250). Best in the Lanes efforts were Earle Middleton 726 (278), Dennis Crooks 667 (300) and Ken Hulford 627 (233). Dominion Hotel made with a two and totals' win from Scenic Pools with Pete Homer 828 (315), Doug Pickard 716 (290) and Roy Murphy 612 (263) pacing the win. Scenics' top trio were Pete Walker 642 (270), Wilo Near 636 (252) and Larry Poste 624 (229).

League standing: Sports Corner 90, Acton Meadows 76, Hinton's Store 71½, Acton Lanes 59, Scenic Pools 24½, Dominion Hotel 15.

ACTON FRIENDS

Mar. 20: Oaks are still barrelling along in front place. Taking no chances they won all games from the Willows who lost a tough middle game by 12 pins. Jim Milne 635 (218), Jackie Papillon 613 (243) and Pat Patterson 569 (220) headed up Oaks' roll. Best for the Willows were John Chapman 536 (259), June Hunter 505 (205) and Shirley Brakla 481 (214). The second place Maples couldn't gain on the Oaks but kept up to the pace with a triple win from the Elms. Hank Earle 629 (225), Charlie Mylne 622 (218) and Pat Kentner 613 (217) headed up the Maples' win. Going with the most for the Elms were "Digger" Diggens 552 (217), Ron White 538 (193) and Marie White 401 (151). It was one and one between Pines and Cedars after the second game then Pines edged out a close win in the third by 9 pins and snared totals for a 5-2 decision. Pacing the Pines roll were Don Archibald 635 (232), Allan Schmidt 571 (197) and Jo-Anne Duval 544 (189). Top trio for Cedars were Donna Milne 607 (212), Charlie Thomson 553 (230) and Bob Snyder 425 (156).

League standing: Oaks 81, Maples 103, Pines 86, Cedars 81, Elms 80, Willows 79.

ACTON MIXED

Mar. 21: Flukes hung onto their one point lead when they took the Lucky Thirteens for two and totals. Pacing the Fluke' win with triples and singles were "Frenchy" COnway 618, Don Marro 610, Bente' Larsen 207 and Nancy Jensen 257. Top trio for the Thirteens were Doug Pickard 592 (241), Erna Wellwood 537 (229) and Ron Sheppard 467 (174). The second place V.I.P.'s were in a fair way to take over top spot but after winning the first two chukkers from Hopeless Ones, bogged down and lost out in the finale. Topping the V.I.P.'s trundling were Artie White 596 (242), Wilo Near 546 (237), Lea Blaser 542 (186) and Shorty Lowin 537 (226). Best efforts for Hopeless Ones came from Mel Sheppard 595 (272), Earl West 537 (198) and Ed Blaser 512 (183). Bobcats made with a two game win from Boozers but the Boozers made with a big win in the middle canto and grabbed the singleton for totals. Top trio for Bobcats were Bob Price 646 (257), Ed Browne 577 (220) and Ted Muehlbacher 539 (213). On the triple and single plateau for Boozers were Gary Dobbie 651, Hec Daigle 636, Al Norrie 632, Verna Arbic 217, and Joan Porty 211.

League standing: Flukes 115, V.I.P.'s 114, Boozers 104, Bobcats 84, Lucky Thirteens 81, Hopeless Ones 69.

BIG FOUR

Mar. 21: Dulkes Construction after losing the first game to Rich's Service Centre by 20 pins, rallied and won the next two and totals to keep their first place spot. Top trio in triples for Dulkes were Kor Vryenhoek 614 (207), Joe Hofstede 611 (235), Dolf Van Arragon 558 (196). John Vletstra's 200 solo came in handy. FOr Rich's, Harry Hofstede 681 (289), Renee Vookamp 625 (234) and Jules Fryters 541 (194) were tops. It was a gain for Acton Electric when they won all games from Van Soelen Painting. "Big Jake" Vandekooy 682 (252), Charlie Doorndos 563 (261), Emmy Fryters 525 (194) were top trio with Henry Kroes coming up with a 227 single for good measure. For Van Soelent, Oscar Feenstra 546 (204), Shirley Kliene Diters 501 (196) and Jane Van Soelen 436 (164) were top trio.

League standing: Dulkes Construction 116, Acton Electric 112, Van Soelen Painting 91, Rich's Service Centre 87.

HEADPIN HILITES

Goes to prove that you are never to old to bowl. Lady Charlotte Walker bowls one afternoon a week in Toronto. Her age? An even 100 years. Saturday's Globe and Mail carried a picture of this grand old lady in action. Sports Corner Mixed League announces their banquet will be at the Band Hall May 3. House winners in the O'Keefe Bowler of the Month for February were Class 1, Bev Harings 543 (Acton Ladies); Class 2, Barb Smith 663 (Acton Friends); Class 3, Renee Vookamp 675 (Big Four); Class 1, Ron Cripps 496 (Beardmore); Class 2, Larry Drysdale 636 (Acton Mixed); Class 3, Ray Atkinson 724 (Beardmore); Class 4, Wayne Mason 840 (Industrial-Commercial); Class 5, George Herrington 953 (Acton Major). No Acton bowlers clicked this trip for Zone honors- the dates are out for Bob Totzke's annual 5-Pin Tournament at his Towne Bowl in Kitchener. It goes from May 2 to June 1. Bob has upped his prize money this year and also added a new event, a mixed triple (two men and one gal). As usual, post entries are acceptable. That winds it up once again my friendlies, so adios and good-night Canterbury Village.

. . . STRIKES

At Youth Bowling Council

by Jackie Palmer

Mar. 22: Prizes, prizes, prizes of all shapes, colors and sizes finally arrived to the V.B.C. salesmen and salesladies for selling the "world's finest chocolate" bars. The prizes were fabulous and the faces of our V.B.C.ers were lit up.

Speaking of glowing faces, Dale Anderson shares his name, not with a person, but a trotting horse called Dale Anderson. Bantam Dale sure got teased and one of the questions posed to him was whether he was too tired to bowl after a hard workout down at the track.

There is always a first time for everyone, (so they say) and Bantam Linda Knight, age seven, had her first time winning a carton of Seven-Up, after a well bowled game of 104. Congratulations, Linda!

Blair McCallum also a winner of a carton of pop after rolling a game of 226, 119 pins over his average. Nice bowling, Blair.

"Happy Birthday" to Bantam Gloria Browne celebrating that wonderful day on the 24th. Also to Bill Gentles, his glorious day is the 29.

The Carrots were searching endlessly for the third spot in the standings to ensure a play-off position when they sunk the Tomatoes, winning both games in the Bantam division. The Beets, although assured of top spot in the standings as of date, are not taking any chances of losing it for the play-off roll. So they won both their games leaving the Turnips in fifth spot. The Spuds and the Onions battled out their two games and managed to win one game each but the Spuds had the "oomph" and took totals.

The Ten Top "Strikers" were as follows: Ronnie Turkosz 246-133 (379), Blair McCallum 226-148 (374), Danny Thomson 167-151 (318), Lynne Dawe 104-162 (266), Melanie Hardie 140-116 (262), Gord McConnell 125-125 (250), Ronnie Moore 112-136 (248), Eddy Couture 110-132 (242), Valerie Bateman 97-136 (233), Kathleen Dills 143-85 (228).

Congratulations to our winners of cartons of Reinharts, Seven-Up and Coca-Cola, Blair McCallum, Ronnie Turkosz, Melanie Hardie and Lynda Knight.

The Silver Savages in the Junior and Senior Division don't seem to like their position in the standing which is unfortunately last, so they are certainly trying to do something about it by winning all three games, defeating the top team in the league the Sock-It-To-Us.

The Competitors, as their name suggests, are aiming for top place and in doing so won two games and totals, battling the Turks.

The Zombies and the Beasts tied for third spot after last week, played each other this week with no change. The Zombies, although swamped by a large margin after the first game, came back strong winning the next two games. So the Beasts won the first game and totals as well:

The Top Ten Strikers were as follows: Gary Price 635 (301), Steve Van Fleet 580 (208), Jackie Palmer 579 (213), Larry DeForest 544 (193), George Adams 521 (220), Wade Knight 515 (188), Bruce Swift 505 (187), Gord Morris 497 (184), Joe Marshall 494 (183), Debbie Storey 485 (183).

LEAGUE STANDINGS

Y.B.C. Bantams: Beets 56, Spuds 44, Carrots 42½, Tomatoes 40, Turnips 26½, Onions 25.

Y.B.C. Junior and Senior: Sock-It-To-Us 63, Competitors 60, Zombies 52, Beasts 52, Turks 41½, Silver Savages 35.

Complete Fairy Lake dredging early in 1969 C.V.C.A. told

The dredging project at Fairy Lake in Acton, a pilot project for the province, will be completed early in 1969, Credit Valley Conservation Authority was told at the annual meeting recently.

Dredging has already removed approximately 275,000 cubic yards of silt from the lake bottom since the project began in 1967. If the plan is economically feasible, many more small reservoirs may be dredged for water storage purposes.

Resources manager S. B. White outlined progress on the other projects the Authority has underway for the meeting:

First phase of a channel improvement project to provide flood protection to the village of Glen Williams was completed in 1968 by the Authority. The work included the relocation of 1,000 feet of river channel to eliminate a sharp bend in the river which was the cause of serious ice jamming and flooding in past springs.

Construction work on the Orangeville dams and reservoir was substantially completed by the end of 1968. There is some minor clean-up work to be finished after frost leaves the ground this spring. When full, the reservoir will cover 460 acres and hold 164 million gallons of water. An overall plan will be made of the area after water height and amount to be released has been established.

An erosion-control project was completed this year in the village of Melville in Caledon Township. Rock-filled gabion baskets will protect the river bank and the cost was shared by the Township and the adjoining land owners along with the Credit Valley Conservation Authority.

Preliminary engineering was completed for the stabilization of the high bank of the river in the Erindale Woodlands area of Mississauga. Tender documents and working drawings are now completed, work should progress in the near future. The Town of Mississauga is the major benefitting municipality.

Reforestation projects of the Authority were responsible for the planting of almost 225,000 trees on Valley lands in 1968. These were planted on public and private lands with the co-operation of the Department of Lands and Forests.

In the spring 5,000 speckled trout six to nine inches long were placed in the ponds at Terra Cotta Conservation Area and 3,500 in the Credit River at the Belfountain Conservation Area.

In 1968, the Credit Valley Conservation Authority contributed to the Peel and Halton County land judging competitions for 125 members of the 4-H and Junior Farmers Clubs in co-operation with the Department of Agriculture and Food.

The Resources Manager of the Authority inspected and reported on 22 proposed subdivision sites in the watershed in connection with possible flooding or erosion problems.

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