

CURLING CHATTER

by Bob MacArthur
from the



North Halton GOLF and COUNTRY CLUB

Well, at least the weather has turned more reasonable and the thermometer has been hovering well below the freezing mark.

Was out to the club Sunday afternoon about three and there was only one curler on the ice practicing. The membership here are not making use of the facilities the way they did last year. Maybe business will pick up after Christmas, who knows.

By the time this is read, there will only be one more game for each of the draws to play in the Saxe Trophy schedule. The playoffs will start next week and should end up about Friday night.

Congratulations to the Milton Curling Club. This past season they built a \$120,000 rink. They sold enough shares in about two weeks to get the project under way. They started curling in the new edifice last week and the first bonspiel will be held this Saturday. A team from the surrounding rinks will also be there to kick off the bonspiel season in the county town. The teams going to this bonspiel will all be there at the invitation of the Milton club.

Visited the new club in Guelph last week and they have a very nice layout. It is operated by the Guelph Golf club which is in the northern portion of the city. They built the curling rink onto the end of the existing clubhouse. A member told me the total curling layout would set the club back about \$120,000.

Had a query last week for a club pin from a collector in Hartney, Manitoba. He collects curling pins as a hobby. Has quite a collection now and is adding to it all the time. Yes, a North Halton pin will be in his collection, as one is already in the mail.

The new name badges arrived Saturday and are available at the counter. Please have your money ready, as these have to be paid for immediately.

Getting hungry for the taste of turkey? Well you will have

Juveniles Drop Two Games To Guelph Hockey Team

Guelph Juveniles gave Georgetown Juveniles a tough time last week beating them twice in as many meetings. Guelph posted a 2-0 shutout over Georgetown in the Royal City Monday night, Nov. 30, and in the return game Thursday managed a 4-3 victory over the locals.

There was no scoring in the first period of Monday's game, but Guelph snapped the deadlock within the first minute of the second period, Evans scoring on McNoughton. It stayed 1-0 until with two and a half minutes left in the game Scapinello scored the second goal from Hanlon. Chosen as most valuable players were Scapinello of Guelph and Richard (Beaver) Brisley of Georgetown. Kent Robinson and Calvin Austin got the nod as most valuable players in the Thursday encounter.

Allegedly Used Jr. Ringer Suspend Tri-County Manager

The manager of Milton's entry in Tri-County Juvenile action was suspended last week for using an ineligible player under an assumed name in a Tri-County game played in Brampton the previous Sunday afternoon. The suspension, levied by Gary McLeod, the O.M.H.A. secretary, will be in effect until the O.M.H.A. executive hands down an official ruling.

Allegedly manager Joe Wilson used Junior hockey star Jim Keane in the Sunday afternoon game although Mr. Wilson knew that Keane was ineligible to play, because he had signed a Junior player card. Keane reportedly signed the name of an absent player and played in the game until he was injured.

Milton Minor Hockey Association president Bob Kanerva reported, "we'll abide by whatever decision is given. Joe has done a fine job for minor hockey in town and has always worked hard and conscientiously." Mr. Kanerva pointed out the M.M.H.A. had first brought the incident to the attention of Tri-County secretary John McLean, who then contacted the O.M.H.A. On learning of the incident, the O.M.H.A. secretary said that the manager would be suspended until an official decision can be reached. Tri-County secretary John McLean reports, "I'll be forwarding all the details to the O.M.H.A. secretary."

Jim Keane, the player involved, admits playing under the assumed name and reports "It was as much my fault as it was Joe's."

So far, Keane, who was injured in the game, has not been suspended by anybody. It is understood, however, that since he is a Junior player he can not be suspended by the

GHS Cagers Advance To Fast Company This Year

Georgetown High School cagers are sharpening their accuracy in preparation for their first season against the check-first-of-talent teams of the CWOSSA District 10 League.

In Brampton's week ago Wednesday the GHS Senior basketball squad trimmed Brampton 28-17 in a low scoring test, while the local juniors fell 28-48 before Brampton's counterparts.

The District 10 League schedule starts Jan. 8. Grouped in it are, John V. Ross, St. Jerome's Guelph Collegiate, Bishop Macdonnell, and Georgetown.

Up until this season Georgetown had been in a three-team hitch with Acton and Milton but lopsided scores brought about Georgetown's being elevated to a more competitive league.

Despite their exhibition loss Junior coach Gerry Thompson was optimistic about the chances of his crew. It's a combination of second year players and new faces. The senior squad under coach Lyn McLaren is almost intact from last season with one Junior grad, Lyn Mackenzie, added.

Referees Go to School Georgetown Tuesday

The Georgetown Referees Association will be host to some 50 hockey officials next week at the Ontario Minor Hockey Association's annual Referees' Clinic. It was held in Streetsville last year.

Blank Acton, PeeWees Are Tied For First

Georgetown PeeWees defeated Acton PeeWees 6-0 to stay in position for a run at first place this week when they play Oakville. Both Oakville and Georgetown are still undefeated.

Georgetown scored two goals in each period in rolling over the Actonites.

At the ten minute mark Foster scored from Kurzak and half way through the first period it was the same pair but this time Kurzak notching the goal from Foster. After just 28 seconds of the second period Kurzak tallied his second from Lillis. Vinlay from Heppes made it 4-0 Georgetown moments later.

Muddy scored from Lane at 12:35 to make it 5-0, and Foster registered his second of the night from Kurzak and Jerry Neil at 13:40 to round it out.

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Standing - Satellites 60, Free Loaders 58, Astronauts 51, Beatles 50, Hornets 48, Rippers 39, Rockets 38, Dusters 18, Men Weekly Triples - Lorne Cross 771, Nick Birwin 708, Ladies Weekly Triples - Edie Shoebridge 743, Betty Garvin 694, Men Weekly Singles - Nick Brown 364, Syd Hulme 290, Ladies Weekly Singles - Betty Garvin 270, Adele McCartney 270, Men Season Triples - Sharky Groule 817, Singles - Nick Brown 364, Ladies Season Triples - Edie Shoebridge 743, Singles - Carol Flashburn 311, Averages - Danny Moss 220, John Hulme 208, Jim Timlock 206, Eva Murdoch 208, Ellen Bastard 190, Marie Hulme 176, Ethel Webster 178.

MARRIED COUPLES

Standing - Lucky Strikes 5, Argue Nuts 5, Moon Shiners 5, Munsters 5, Strugglers 5, Tigers 2, Surprises 2, Flying Dutchmen 2, President's Six 2, Korner's 2, Men Weekly Triples 738, Singles - E. Ryder 288, Ladies Weekly Triples - Mary Eastdale 784, Singles - Mary Eastdale 370, Men Season Triples - W. Steinke 818, Singles - G. Nurse 401, Ladies Season Triples - M. Eastdale 784, Singles - S. Ovendon 370, Averages - A. Bailey 228, G. Nurse 223, T. Kirby 215, M. Spire 211, S. Eazard 020, M. Ditchburn 108.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON Dec. 2, 1964

Standing - Come Backs 60, Corn Balls 54, Lucky Strikes 51, The Keglers 46, Flintstones 43, Pantry Raiders 38, Coffee Breakers 36, The Rockets 27, Ladies Weekly Triples - Marg Spire 650, With Hdp - Jack Gougeon 711, Singles - Mae Tot 277, With Hdp - Mae Tot 298, Season Triples - Ev Saunders 708, Singles - Ev Saunders 408, Averages - Ev Saunders 203, Marge Spire 202, Edith Ditchfield 107.

STANDARD PRODUCTS

Standing - Little Ones 65, Screwballs 54, Strikers 50, Jacks Up Downs 45, Bed Bugs 30, Sneakers 20, Men Weekly Triples - B. Little 635, Single - B. Little 228, Average - B. Little 212, Ladies Weekly Triples - Jean Murphy 582, Single - Jean Murphy 104, Men Seasonal Triples - Brad Little 807, Single - Brad Little 329, Average - Brad Little 223, Ladies Seasonal Triples - Terry Chepeka 694, Single - Trudy Paul 290, Average - Flo Carwell 184.

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Sports

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Burlington, High Park, Winners, Ladies Bonspiel

The first bonspiel of the season was conducted by the Ladies' Section at North Halton on Wednesday, November 25th. It was an open bonspiel with visiting teams from the surrounding rinks taking part. Winners of the first draw was a rink skipped by Mrs. Nancy Smith from Burlington. Second prize winners were from that northern neighbor, Orangeville. The rink was

skipped by a former Esqueping girl, Mrs. Marion Emalie Third prize was taken by her sister's rink, Mrs. Irene Curry of the local club.

The high team in the second draw was that of Mrs. R. S. Duffield curling out of the High Park rink. Second prize went to a Humber-Highland rink skipped by Mrs. Stella Moore. Third prize was taken by the Ferguson rink skipped by Mrs. Mary Aitcherson.

Sweetman Foursome Wins Mackenzie Troph Cup

The team of Mrs. M. Sweetman, Florida McNally, Marj Powers and Ruth McDevitt piled up 23 1/2 points to win the Mackenzie Trophy last Saturday. This is an annual bonspiel for the local ladies that is held at the local curling club. The winners participated in the early draw of two ten end games.

Other winners in the early draw were: Bette Reeve, Madeline Collier, Liz Phairley and Marion Berny who took second prize with 21 points. The one game winner with high points was the team of Nan Wheeler, Inez Crichton, Anna Ewen and Toots Burns.

In the late draw the top team with 22 1/2 points was the team of Irene Curry, Glad Robinson, Mabel Sanderson, Joy Haines. Second high was the team of Joan Chappell, Shirley Crichton, Myrtle McCauley and Marion Hogges. The one game high winner was the team of Mike Mackenzie, Jinny Mackenzie, Madeline Howat and Linda Powers. To be the bonspiel five of the high school girl curlers, filled out the teams and got some experience in the art of bonspiel.

Midgets Deliver One-Two Punch To Orangeville

Local Midgets scored thirteen goals while being scored on just three times in a two game series with Orangeville recently. The Ontario Midget A Minor champs took the first game 0-2 here and the second 4-1 in Orangeville.

In the Thursday home encounter Paul Robinson, Dave McMenemy and Larry Bradley opened a 3-0 lead in the first period. Henry King, Bradley and Barry Cook hiked it by another three in the second and, Georgetown got third period markers from Doug Hill, Bill Dwyer and Paul Robinson.

Novices Off Target But Blank Actonites

Georgetown Novice All-Stars added another notch on their unbeaten record as they beat Acton Novices 2-0 here on Tuesday night. Until this one Acton had suffered only two defeats.

Georgetown owned a big margin of the play but wild shooting held them from increasing the difference.

G. Inglis scored at 13:20 of the first period unassisted with both teams a man short.

Georgetown's second goal was rifled home at 1:55 of the second period by Hancock from Inglis and Asseltine. From that point until the final buzzer the local Novices moved in on the Acton net at will but seldom got away a dangerous shot.

Peacock had little work to do in gaining the shutout, but when tested by Acton snipers made some fine stops.

There was a total of three penalties in the game, two to Georgetown and one to Acton. The most valuable player selections were: Bill Fricker of Acton and Gene Inglis of Georgetown.

Four New Members 3rd Georgetown Cubs

On Tuesday, November 29, four New Chums of the 3rd Georgetown Cub Pack took their Cub Law and Promise, thus becoming members of the Pack, and of the World Wide Brotherhood of Scouts.

Steven Brown, Harry Servos, Clive Gray and John Henderson were invested by Akala, and received their neckerchiefs, hats and badges from assistant leaders. The ceremony was witnessed by the parents of the boys taking part.

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