

## Thatcher bests Met vet Holtby

Junior righthander John Thatcher outduelled veteran Georgetown Met ace John Holtby in a thrilling 3-1 intercounty fastball league victory by Rockwood Seniors Thursday night.

Mike Martin struck the game winning blow, a double scoring Harry "Red" Phillips in the bottom of the ninth. Phillips was running for Chick Milne, who led off the inning with a base hit.



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**Hits homer**  
Ray Inglis, the league's all-star third baseman homered to put Mets in front 1-0 in the first inning.

Rockwood tied the score in the 6th on a single by Mike Kelly, Dan Arbie's sacrifice and another single by Norm Beattie.

Thatcher gave up only six hits and struck out five. In a losing cause, Holtby tossed a five hitter and fanned eight.

The villagers' leading hitter Norm Beattie had two of the five

Rockwood hits. Beattie's average is close to the .500 mark.

## Watson, Bear gun for rematch

Chief Little Bear and Phil "Whipper Junior" Watson are gunning for a return match with the malicious Masked Assassins, following their main event tag team at the community centre Monday night in which Little Bear and Watson were disqualified.

The Assassins won the first fall of the two out of three fall bout, but Watson stole a page from his famous father's book by applying the sleeper to one of the villains to even up the match.

Encouraged by the partisan crowd of over 800, the popular pair ended the match by ramming the heads of the Assassins together outside the ring, a move which drew a lot of applause, except from the

referee who awarded the match to the villains.

Joey Russell outlasted Frenchy Lamonte in the comical midget match, refereed by "Little" Hank, a miniature cowboy from Calgary.

Happy Farmer Humphrey, all 220 pounds of him landed on Lord Fauntleroy in the "big splash", which ended the other semi-final bout.

In a female hair-raiser, Mexican beauty Carmen Monge wrestled to a draw with Sandy Burchnell, after a lot of gouging and hair-pulling.

Preliminary bouts went to the Fabulous Singh over Hell's Angel No. 2, and Mario Ferraro over Leonard Maddox.

## Bolton sidelines Rams in three straight games

Acton Rams' attempt to successfully defend their O.L.A. Junior "C" championship has ended.

Rams absorbed a 23-11 whelacking at the hands of Bolton Wanderers Sunday night and lost their best of five group quarter-final in straight games.

Bolton won the series opener 21-11 last Wednesday night and

squeaked through 13-12 in a sloppy game at the community centre Saturday night.

Bruce hurt

One of the team's top scorers, Bruce Cooksley was sidelined with a broken nose, when he stopped a shot in the first game and Rams were shorthanded for the final two games. Only 10 players plus goalie Mike Kreiner

were available for the game here Saturday.

Hat tricks by Terry Sanderson and Frank Ptashnik and a four goal effort by Ron Boudrous carried Bolton to victory in the first game.

Mike Marcoux (5), George McPhail and Mike Cooper (2) and Bruce Cooksley and Del Watson

one piece were the Rams goal-getters.

**Sloppy game**  
Rams failed to take advantage of one of the Bolton club's worst performances of the season in the Saturday game. Inaccurate shooting and nonchalant defensive play prevented the locals from tying the series up.

Jim Duke paced the Bolton offensive with a hat trick. Al Mills, Bill Sklmer and Terry Sanderson had two goals each.

Mike Marcoux netted three goals, Craig Weldon, Dave Manes and Mike Cooper two each and Grant Haines, George McPhail and Harry Barena one each for Acton.

Bolton fired 12 shots past sub-goalie John Povey in the first period of Sunday's game. After that it was no contest.

Fourteen different players shared in Wanderers' scoring. Frank Ptashnik led the way with five goals.

Mike Marcoux scored four times for Acton. Single goals went to Craig Weldon, Grant Haines, Chris Sargent, Dave Manes, Del Watson, George McPhail and Mike Cooper.

Marcoux was the top goal getter on either team in the series. He scored 12 times.

Bolton goes on to meet Hexdale in the group's semi-finals.



A heads-up play!

RAM GOALIE Mike Kreiner appears to have lost his head, after stopping a shot in Saturday night's game against Bolton here. Actually Mike wasn't injured on the play. Rams lost the game 13-12. (Photo by D. Gibbons)



Tigress on loose at arena

MEXICAN TIGRESS Carmen Monge uses the ropes for extra leverage on the throat of opponent Sandy Burchnell early in their match at the community centre Monday night. (Photo by D. Gibbons)

## Pete's win on Glen errors

Three Glen Williams errors paved the way for four of the five Pete's Barber Shop runs, as the Acton Intercounty fastball entry upset the Glen 5-3 here Thursday night.

Winning pitcher Ed Phillips allowed the visitors only six hits and single runs in the first, fifth and eighth innings. He struck out six batters and walked only one.

**Take lead**  
Base hits by Eric Lacey, Jan Riddall and Fred Buchanan, along with a Glen Williams error gave barbers the lead in the first inning.

Dave Husson tripled and scored on a sacrifice fly for the final Acton run in the eighth.

Barbers collected a total of eight safeties off Glen hurler Bill McGowan. McGowan fanned seven Acton batters.

Eric Lacey and Fred Buchanan lined out a pair of singles apiece for Pete's. Dave Husson tripled, and Jan Riddall, Phil Marzo and Ed Dunn all singled.

Jim Frank and Bill McGowan were both two for four for the Glen.

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Acton 201 010 10x 5 8 1

## Novices down Barons

A five goal effort by Todd McIntyre sparked Acton Rotary novices to an 8-3 White Oaks minor lacrosse win over Oakville

Red Barons in Oakville Thursday night.

Derrick Neeley scored the other three Acton goals and assisted on all but one of McIntyre's markers.

Mike Marshall and Lance Alton each earned three assists for the Rotarians. McIntyre collected one.

Lytle, Luzar and Duncan were the Oakville goal getters.

Rotarians meet Streetsville in the opening round of the OMLA Novice "D" tournament at Victoria Park arena in Bramalea, Saturday morning at 8.

## Midgets fade

Orangeville midgets were forced to score four unanswered third period goals to gain a 7-5 Central minor lacrosse league victory over Acton Rotarians at the community centre Thursday night.

Perry McLaren of Orangeville and Ron Turkoz of Acton, a pair of number "9's" traded first period goals and Rotarians grabbed a 5-3 lead, when they outscored the visitors 4-2 in the second period.

Rick "Woody" Newman triggered three of the second period Acton goals. Mike Luty netted the other. Steve Bremner and Shane Sanderson replied for Orangeville.

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