



ACTON Y'S MEN'S peewee pucksters and their faithful supporters posed for the Free Press camera when they arrived back at the community centre Monday morning following their successful trip to Sault Ste. Marie, where they won two games in the Bon Soo tournament, before losing their first

game of the season to the Silver Stick champion Soo, Ont. peewees in the semi-finals. The boys were fine ambassadors to the North for Acton and Halton Hills, report their coaches. While in the Soo Acton fans visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry White, formerly of Acton and Jerry's father Arlie who was visiting there.

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Peewees go down with class against Silver Stick champs

Acton Y's Men's peewees finally lost in their 30th game of the season Sunday morning, but it took the Silver Stick Triple "A" division and defending NOHA champion Sault Ste. Marie peewee Greyhounds to administer the defeat.

Playing in the annual Bon Soo peewee tournament in Sault Ste. Marie against teams from much larger centres than Acton, Y's Men made it to the semi-finals with a thrilling 3-2 overtime victory against Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan and a 3-1 win

Youth bowling

By Rick Roebur

BOYS' BANTAMS: In our first bowling shift the Cats chased the Dogs up a tree by creaming them in both games. Mickey Phillips led her team to victory with her 307 double. Regardless of their loss, Peter Turkosz of the Dogs bowled 65 pins over his average to win pop for his team. The first place Wholes are still as strong as ever. Today they demolished the Rabbits in both games and increased their lead in the league standings. The Snails got off to a quick start by winning the first game and totals from the Octopus. In our second shift the second place Crabs, bombarded the Sea Horses in both games. Eddy Bianchard's 262 double helped his team's total considerably. The Penguins made their move by winning both games from the first place Kangaroos. They are now only three points from first place in the league standings. The Donkeys started off great by winning the first game from the Teddy Bears. But the Teddy Bears didn't give up. Instead they bowled their best and won their second game and totals.

League Standings: First Shift, 1. Whales 40, 2. Octopus 26, 3. Cats 30, 4. Snails 30, 5. Dogs 27, 6. Rabbits 21.

Second Shift, 1. Crabs 37, 2. Kangaroos 37, 3. Penguins 34, 4. Donkeys 28, 5. Teddy Bears 28, 6. Sea Horses 24.

Top Ten: Mickey Phillips 307 (189), Peter Turkosz 333 (206), Peter Hurdle 327 (188), Kim Barber 327 (182), Dale Anderson 317 (181), Gary Bousfield 305 (155), Kevin Bousfield 304 (156), Lydia Knight 289 (150), George Warner 283 (149), Eddy Bianchard 282 (148).

Other bowlers winning pop for this week were Tyra McKinnon with 66 pins over her average,

OMHA bantam

New Hamburg bantams eliminated Acton Firefighters from the OMHA Bantam "B" playoffs, winning 6-2 here Saturday afternoon and 2-0 in New Hamburg Sunday night. The teams had split the first two games of the best of five series.

The burgers wrapped it up Sunday in a goaltenders' duel that saw New Hamburg's Tom Boehler and Mark Williamson of Acton play very well in the nets.

New Hamburg took a 3-1 first period lead in Saturday's third game, gave up a single goal in the second then blasted home three more goals without an Acton answer in the third.

Jamie Haunn had three goals for New Hamburg, Franz Schwende two and Dennis Roth one. Dave Schroeder earned three assists.

Joe Gardin scored for Acton in the first period and Scott Withers bulged the twine in the second. Assists went to Rick Van Fleet, Scott Withers, Fred Allen and Marvin McNabb.

The Acton group flew to the Soo at noon Friday and returned early Monday morning. When the team arrived back at the arena team captain George Brown took the floor and expressed thanks to Mike Kinal and Kerwin McPhail who looked after the team's bus transportation to and from the airport.

The team members Chris Swetman, Derrick Neely, George Brown, Rick Widmont, David McGiloway, Bert Post, Wade Vickery, Shane Withers, Todd McIntyre, Charlie Kinal, Scott Malcolm, Bruce McPhail, Steve Van der Eyken, Bob Allsop and Randy Van Fleet.

Barry Inscow is coach, Gus Holmes assistant coach and Don Van Fleet manager.

Sabre - Penetang set even after two games

The Acton-Penetang Junior "C" group semi-final series is even at a game apiece heading into Friday night's third game here at the community centre.

Sabres fired five unanswered third period goals to win the series opener 10-4 here Monday night, but laid an egg in Penetang in the second game last night (Tuesday) allowing the hometown Hurons to square things with a 5-1 win.

"We just weren't in last night's game at all," commented Sabre coach Dave

McKnight, whose charges have not won on Penetang ice, since before Christmas, although they've beaten the same club four out of five here in Acton.

Penetang had a 2-0 lead before the clock reached the two minute mark last night. Roger Dusome and Bob Moreau, who did not play here Monday scored the goals. Brian "Duke" Duquette made it 3-0 for the Hurons before the period ended.

Sabres got one back on Doug Patten's fifth goal of the series at the .17 second mark of the second period, but it was to be their last success of the night against Penetang goalie Wayne Dupuis. Brian Beaumont assisted on the shot which came from outside the Huron blue line.

Second period goals by Doug McMann, who Penetang picked up from the Junior "B" Midland Flyers and Jeff Columbus completed the scoring.

Patten, a rugged winger from Huttonville and Gary Turkosz were the sparkplugs of the impressive first game Acton win. Patten fired four goals and worked hard all night along with third line wingers Bert Osborne and John Sheppard.

Turkoz engineered the third period rally with two neat solo efforts that produced goals in the first six minutes. Acton led only 5-4 going into the third. Brian Beaumont also had two goals for Acton, while Charlie McTae and Mark McCauley tallied singles. McCauley scored with a pin point backhand after pulling a smart deke on Dupuis.

Hire bus for fans

Sabre officials are making plans to hire a second bus to transport fans to the fourth game of the Central Ontario Junior "C" group semi-finals in Penetang Sunday night.

Sabres tie Fergus 8-8

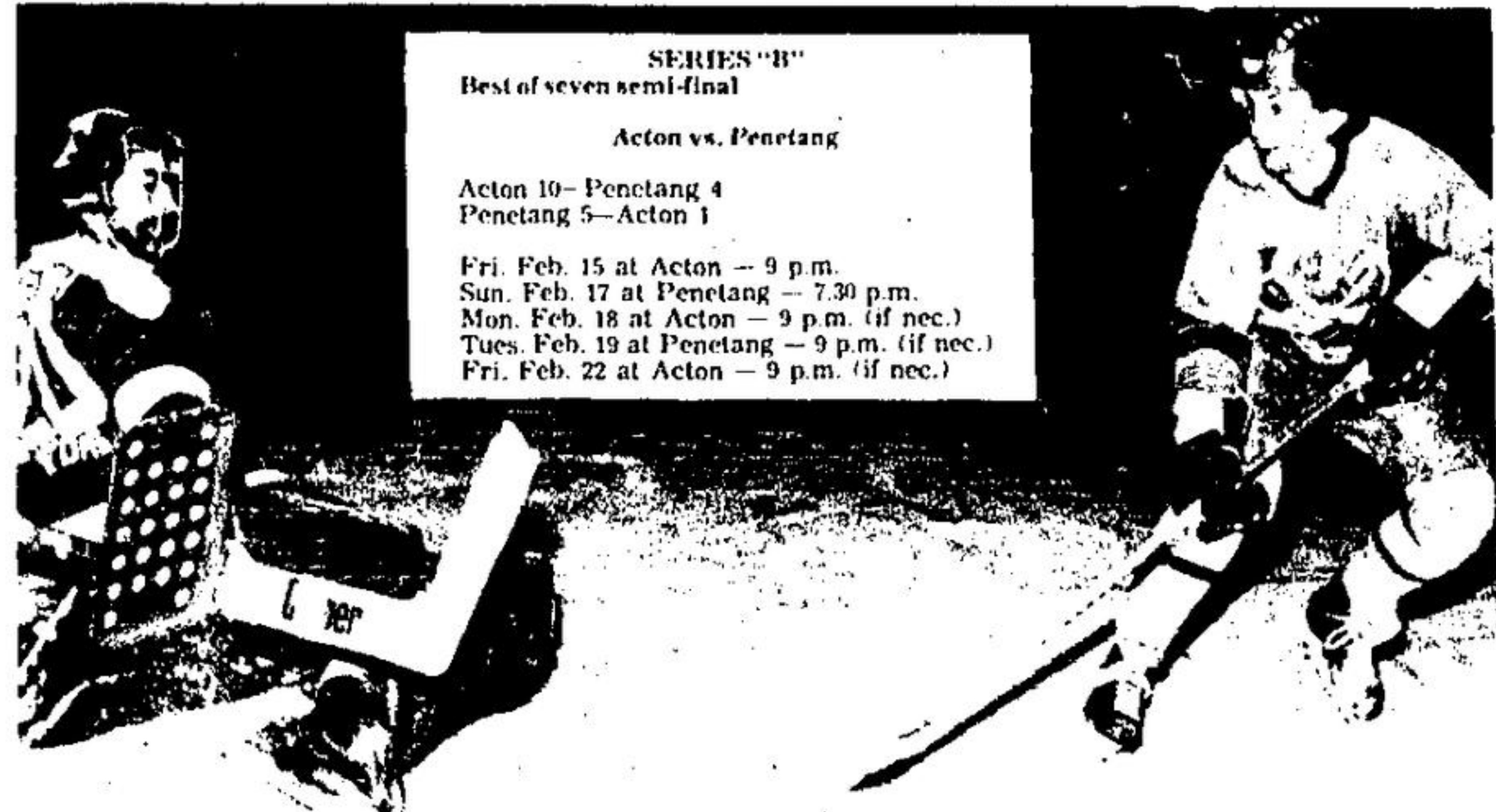
Sabres tied Fergus 8-8 in the final game of the regular season in Fergus Sunday afternoon.

Mark McCauley and Charlie McCrae had two goals each for Acton.

Plans call for the bus to leave the community centre at 4 Sunday afternoon and return immediately after the game in Penetang. Game time in Penetang Sunday night is 7:30.

Return trip bus tickets will sell for \$3. Reserved seats only will be sold. If all 44 seats are not reserved by Saturday, the bus will be cancelled.

Sabre fans interested in making the trip by bus should contact Ed McGiloway at 853-2919 or Bill Campbell at 853-1014.



PRETTIEST OF the 10 Sabre goals in Monday night's playoff opener here was scored by Mark McCauley, an import centre from Bramalea.

McCauley broke in alone on Dupuis, drew him out of the net slowly and backhanded a shot over his shoulder.

"Turk" guns Bradford

A four goal effort from winger Gary Turkosz and stellar goaltending from Rick Tomkinson turned the trick as Acton Sabres downed the league-leading Bradford Vaseys in Acton Friday night.

One of the largest crowds of the season, turned out for what was really a "nothing" game. The Sabres clinched third place a week earlier and Bradford sewed up first

weeks ago but fans appeared for the second last league game to see if the Acton club could repeat their earlier win over the Vaseys.

Turkoz bagged his fourth, which proved to be the winner with less than three minutes left to play. He intercepted a pass and bore right down on Muzelaar in the Vasey nets, firing the puck past him. His momentum carried him into the nets.

It was Bradford's third loss, two of them in six games with Acton. In both losses to Acton Gary Turkosz was in the Sabre line up. He missed the four losses.

Fans looked on the Friday match as a possible preview of the league finals.

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