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900 Watch Milton Square Series with Orillia Here, Victors in Overtime 5-4

The Milton Pontiacs squared their best of seven Senior B quarter finals at two games each when they came from behind to down the Orillia Pontiacs 5-4 in a tense overtime battle at the Milton arena Friday night. Milton, who built up a two goal lead at the end of the second period, saw their lead vanish as the visitors rapped in three goals in a free wheeling third session. Al Shewchuck, veteran Orillia rearguard, gave the visitors a

4-3 lead at the 11 minute mark but the locals surged right back and Art Melanson tallied the tying goal with less than five minutes of play remaining to force the overtime session.

Foosy Scattalon, who played a bruising game on defense for the winners, shot the winning goal at 2:59 of the overtime period. Townsley got an assist on the play. Milton hung on grimly despite a last ditch stand by the losers who yanked goalie Bob Shropshire with a minute and 10 seconds to play. Red Gilbert came up with some remarkable saves in the extra session, stopping two breakaways point blank.

Johnny Botter, Cracker Evans, Sonny Townsley, Art Melanson and Scattalon's winner looked after the Milton scoring. Aikens, Brankston, Sinclair and Shewchuck shared the loser's goals.

Orillia shot into a quick lead in the first period when former Barrie Flyer star, Rusty Aikens, took a pass from Payne and beat Gilbert cleanly from close in. Three minutes later the much improved Johnny Botter continued his scoring pace when he blasted one by Shropshire at 8:20.

The middle session was mostly Milton's as they checked the visitors into the ice. Townsley broke the 1-1 tie on a smart passing play with Melanson and McNeil at 16:04. Cracker Evans ran the count to 3-1 converting Moreland's pass from behind the net into a pretty goal.

Orillia found their scoring eyes in the final period and struck for three quick goals in the space of seven minutes, to set the stage for a thrilling finish to a well played game.

Ice Chips: The refereeing was none too sharp... over 900 fans were in the stands... Big Red Sanderson, Orillia defenseman, got the gate in the second period, his game misconduct carries an automatic \$10 fine... the winners picked up five of the nine penalties... Blackie Clements, Kenny McNeil and Johnny Botter were the pick of the Milton forwards... Scattalon and Hughes were strong on the blue line... Rusty Aikens, Shewchuck and Brankston carried most of the attack for the losers... Kenny "Tiger" McNeil took on all comers... he tangled briefly with Sanderson in the middle session... Red Gilbert came up with

his best game of the series... at the other end of the ring, Shropshire had a busy night... aggressive Joe McCann carried the puck on several dangerous rushes... the two teams clash in the sixth game at the Milton Arena Saturday night. Game time 8:30 p.m. Reserved seats are now on sale at the arena coffee shop.

SUMMARY

First Period
O: Aikens, Payne 5:46
M: Botter, Haddleton 8:20
Pens.: McCrone.

Second Period
M: Townsley, Melanson, McNeil 16:04
O: Evans, Moreland 19:47
Pens.: Botter, McNeil, Sanderson (game misconduct).

Third Period
O: Brankston, Robertson 4:10
O: Sinclair 6:49
O: Shewchuck, McDonald 11:00
M: Melanson, Townsley 15:36
Pens.: Townsley, Evans, Robertson.

Overtime
M: Scattalon, Townsley 2:59
Pens.: Evans, Shewchuck.

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HALTON MANOR

Handicraft Class Plans Social Decide to Continue Activities

On Tuesday, March 13, a group of teachers and students, 12 in number, came from Lorne Park College to hold their regular monthly meeting with the residents of the Manor.

Rev. H. McNutt, field representative of the College, was chairman for the evening and Allan Kay led in the singing of the hymns. A quartet of four young men, Mr. McNutt, Allan Kay, Raymond Goheen and Weldon Johnston sang two fine selections, Wonderful Story of Love, and 'When I Get Home'. They were accompanied by Joan Elliot at the piano.

Bible Quiz

E. Kay gave the prayer and Ruth Hicks conducted an interesting Bible quiz. Lois Hicks sang a lovely solo, the musical version of the 23rd Psalm.

Fred Buchanan, who is studying for the ministry at the College impressed everyone with his earnestness and sincerity when giving an address on "Our Future Home - Heaven."

The church service in the chapel on Sunday afternoon, March 18, was conducted by Rev. D. A. Powell, of Grace Anglican church, Milton with Mrs. Ray Waters at the piano. Those in attendance were deeply inspired by Mr. Powell's sermon on a theme appropriate to Lent.

Hobby Classes Meet

The sixth meeting and the seventh meeting of the Halton Manor hobby class were held on the afternoons of Wednesday, March 14 and Wednesday, March 21 respectively, with 18 ladies in attendance at each meeting.

The sixth meeting found the ladies making marked progress on their several handicraft projects.

The seventh meeting saw business matters conducted and still further progress made in the handicraft projects. At this meeting an expression of sympathy was passed for Clara Sutton who had recently been bereaved of a sister-in-law and to Muriel Thompson who had undergone an operation in a Guelph hospital.

It was decided that a special dol-

lection be taken for a plant for each of these two women and Hilda Marcy was appointed to look after these purchases.

Plan Social Evening

Plans were made for a social evening on Wednesday, March 22 to which the men residents of the Manor would be invited. The Women's Auxiliary of St. John's United church, Oakville, has offered to take charge of the entertainment and refreshments. At this meeting, a film depicting the beauty spots of Hawaii, taken by Miss White on her vacation there will be shown. There will also be an exhibit of the handicraft completed by the class since its first meeting on February 8.

Will Continue Meetings

A vote was taken as to whether the class would continue its meetings throughout the month of April and it was unanimously decided that such meetings should take place.

Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Clarke, the Matron, and Mary Shaw. The meeting adjourned at four o'clock.

Ashgrove W.I. Entertains

It was a matter of great disappointment to your reporter that she was absent from the Manor through illness when the ladies of the Ashgrove Women's Institute put on a very enjoyable meeting at the Manor for the women resident. Glowing reports of the outstanding program and the delicious refreshments, however, are positive evidence that this meeting was an extremely enjoyable affair, and that the women residents appreciated it very much indeed.

Palm Sunday Service

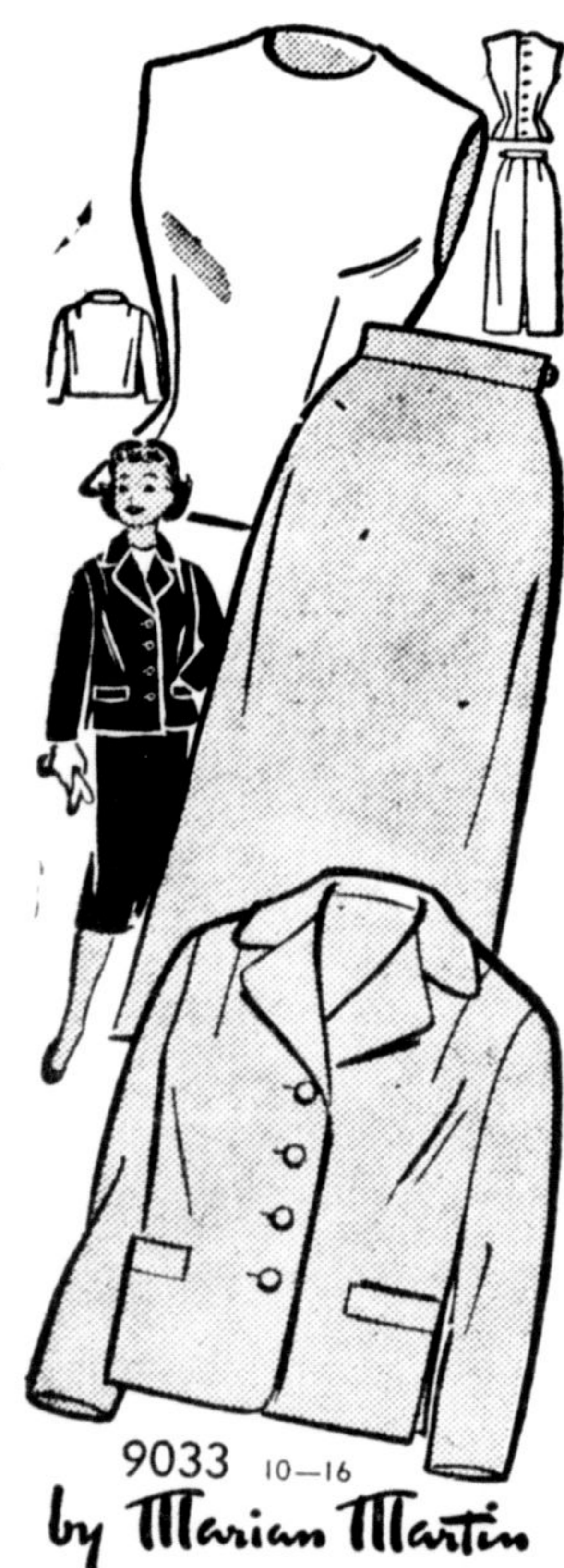
Palm Sunday, March 25, was observed in very appropriate fashion at the Manor when Rev. J. L. Blair of St. Paul's United Church, Milton, came to the chapel to conduct the service.

He was accompanied by two accomplished musicians, Mrs. K. Foster and Donald Wilson. Donald, who has won several awards in music competitions played a beautiful selection, Romance, by the composer Svendsen on his flute. Mrs. Foster accompanied Donald at the piano in very capable fashion and played also for the singing of hymns.

Attitudes Toward Christ

Mr. Blair read as his Scripture lesson the 21st chapter of St. Matthew's Gospel. In his fine sermon on the theme of Palm Sunday and the Holy Week it ushers in, Mr. Blair spoke about the attitudes of three different classes of people toward Christ.

The first class consists of people who care nothing for Christ at all, the second class regards him as an historical figure comparable to Julius Caesar, Alfred the Great or other historical but completely mortal figures while the third class consists of people who regard him as the King He really was, the Risen Lord and the saviour of mankind. It is to this third class of people that Palm Sunday, Holy Week, Good Friday and Easter Sunday mean so much, culminating as they do in the glorious Resurrection of our Lord.



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