



WINNER AND THE RUNNER-UPS of the Miss Halton County Baseball contest are, the winner in the centre, Linda Neelands of Burlington, on the left Chris Baynton of Waterdown, and on the right Janice Craig of Oakville. Each of the five entrants received gifts. Among other gifts, Miss Neelands won a three-day trip to Expo. (Staff Photo)

Juves blank Brampton finish in first place

Milton Juveniles jumped on Brampton pitcher Tom Bunce for three runs in the first inning and picked one more up in the fifth, to give them a 4-0 shutout over the Brampton team last Wednesday. Milton finished in first place with 13 wins, four losses and one tie.

Rich Clements pitched a three hitter, fanning six and issuing five walks. Bunce gave up four runs on eight hits, striking out two Milton batters and issuing three free passes.

Milton scored three runs in the first inning as Clement and **Trev Houston** reached base on two errors, followed by consecutive singles by **Steve Gervais**, **Mike Harrison**, **Brian Boughton** and **Loris Faggion**.

Clement, Houston and Faggion plated three runs in that inning.

Milton added one run in the fifth on a squeeze play as **Brian Boughton** laid down a perfect bunt to score **Steve Gervais** from third base and go ahead 4-0.

Trev Houston doubled and singled while singles went to **Steve Gervais**, **Mike Harrison**, **Brian Boughton**, **Loris Faggion**, **Reid Frank** and **Richard Clement**.

Milton will play in the Halton County playdown tournament in Waterdown Saturday for the league champions. They play their first game at 12 noon.

Palermo ousts Procor then Lowville 3-2

After eliminating Procor by virtue of an 8-2 decision, Palermo squeaked by Lowville in the first of the best of five Halton final series by a narrow 3-2 victory. Palermo leads the series by one game.

John Jarvis sent Palermo ahead in the second inning when he singled, stole second and third and scored on a sacrifice fly by **Ralph McFeeters**. **Les Coulson** got the equalizer for Lowville in the fourth stanza. **Don Currie** and **John Ingelhart** plated two runs for Palermo in the fifth to give them the 3-2 victory.

Jacques Paquette fired 18 strike-outs on the Lowville mound but was handed the defeat in spite of what would normally be winning ball. **Paquette** received poor support in the field.

Stu King tripled, **Doug Coverdale** singled, **Paquette** doubled twice, **Hetherington** singled and **Marshall** singled twice and doubled for the Lowville team.

McFeeters and **Jarvis** both doubled and singled for Palermo while **John Ingelhart** doubled, and singles went to **Jim Allison** and **Dave Ingelhart**. **Les Cockburn** recorded the win for Palermo.

John Ingelhart pitched winning ball Tuesday to put Procor out two games straight. He allowed two runs on four hits and two errors.

Palermo took a 1-0 lead in the fourth inning and scored

Minors decide champions Sat.

All five minor divisions of the Halton County Baseball Association will see playoff action Saturday, August 29 with champions being decided that day for each division.

The **Pee Wees** will see action here at Rotary Park, the **Bantams** place in Wallace Park in Oakville, the **Tykes** play in Brampton, the **Midgets** will be in Georgetown and the **Juveniles** will fight it out in Waterdown.



BIG FISH

Currie sparks rally

All-stars edge C-Joys in ninth inning rally

Excellent weather, beautiful girls, a star-studded collection of Halton County's finest ball players, stiff opposition and a capacity crowd at Waterdown Ball Park all added to the success of the 1967 Halton All-Star game on Sunday.

After getting off to a shaky start, the All-stars settled down and played steady ball but it wasn't until the ninth inning that they rallied for four runs to beat the Guelph C-Joys, leaders of the

Inter County league, by a 5-4 margin.

The C-Joys plated two runs on one hit in the opening stanza and scored one in the second and one more in the sixth. The All-stars were held scoreless until the eighth innings when **Dan Wigle** of Burlington scored when he singled, stole second and scored on **Larry Wilson**'s single.

Bill Currie of Milton was put into the game in the eighth

inning and started the ninth rally when he shot one over the third baseman's head and **Giroux** was unable to handle it. **Wilf Phillips** walked and **Don Lindsay** doubled, driving

the two runs in. **Cholewka** doubled and drove **Lindsay** in and scored when **Dan Arbic** singled with two out in the ninth inning, giving the All-Stars the 5-4 edge.

Don Lindsay and **Doug Cholewka** doubled, and singles went to **Don McPhail**, **Charlie McFeeters**, **Len Wickens**, **Bob Salvisburg**, **Wilf Phillips**, **Dan Wigle**, **Larry Wilson**, **Dan Arbic** and **Bill Currie**.

Barry Horton, **Dave Hohn**, **Jack Roberts** and **Doug Cholewka** shared the pitching for the All-Stars, allowing four runs on seven hits. **Guelph** allowed five runs on 11 hits.

A wholesale change in the C-Joy lineup helped make their defense passable and the All-Stars took advantage of every opportunity they could get late in the game, to come up with the win.

The game was stopped in the sixth inning while umpire-in-chief **Mike Timmis** presented the Most Valuable Player award to **Campbellville** pitcher

Jack Roberts. The paid attendance was over 550. The stands were filled and fans lined either foul line in their lawn chairs, while

some just squatted on the grass.

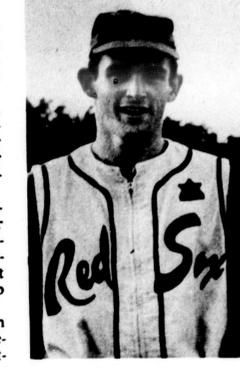
Prior to the game, the five girls vying for the Miss Halton County Baseball title paraded into the park in convertibles behind the 'Burlington Boys' and Girls' Band. Of the girls from Milton, Campbellville, Oakville, Burlington and Waterdown, **Linda Neelands** of Burlington was named Miss Halton County Baseball of 1967 and along with the honor, she wins a three day trip to Expo along with many other gifts. The winners were chosen Friday at the All-Star dance and judges were **Star Hood** and **Brent Casselman**, both NHL officials.

Mary Dennis entered the contest representing Campbellville and **Lois Cairns** represented Milton.

Janice Craig, **Miss Oakville** Baseball, was second runner-up and **Chris Bayton**, **Miss Waterdown** Baseball, was first runner-up.



JACK ROBERTS, M.V.P.



CURRIE SPARKS RALLY

Youthful Sox down Preston but lose to Dundas Monday

Veteran Red Sox hurler **Ruth Riddell** beat Preston Pirates in a smattering of the fifth Midgets, Juveniles and Intermediates backing him up, but lost to the powerful Dundas team here Monday night.

It was Milton's last game of the season here against Dundas Monday night. **Butch Riddell** worked the full six innings, allowing eight runs on 11 hits, while **Litzen** held Milton to two runs on five hits from the Dundas mound.

Dundas hit **Riddell** hard in the first inning, scoring four runs off five hits, and picked two in the third, one in the fourth and one in the fifth. Milton scored both their runs in the third when **Ron Mercier** walked, **Craig Brush** singled and **Ron Shannon** tripled, scoring two runs.

Larry Wilson tripled and singled for Dundas. **Wilson's** third inning triple was a long ball into left field over the small fence. **Arnold** the catcher singled twice for Dundas.

Craig Brush and **John Penson** both came through with singles for Milton, while **Shannon** tripled, **Phillips** and **Bill Currie** doubled, **McCutcheon** singled, got on through a fielder's choice and an error in three times at bat.

When veterans like **Butch Riddell** and youngsters like **Craig Brush**, **Youngsters** like **Don Hearn** come through coupled with regular **Bill Currie's** four for four batting performance and a generally strong infield, the Milton Red Sox look like worthwhile competition for any team in the Halton County Intermediate League.

Milton limited Preston to three runs on eight hits while they managed to plate five runs on nine hits for a 5-3 decision over Preston. Thursday night Preston was **Riddell's** third of four for Milton this year.

Milton drew first blood scoring a single run in the opening stanza but fell behind by a 3-1 margin when Preston touched **Riddell** for five hits in the second inning.

Currie plated the first run when he singled and scored on **Riddell's** double. **Preston** took a 3-1 lead on singles by **Lee** and **Bester**, a walk to **Spike Coughlin**, singles to **George Chandler** and **Leight** and a double to **Ortweing**.

Eddie McLeod and **Ron Shannon** plated a run each in the third to tie the score. **McLeod** and **Shannon** singled and scored on **Riddell's** double.

Currie scored the winner in the fifth inning after he sing-

led, stole second, advanced to third on a pass ball and scored on a sacrifice fly by **Riddell**. **Craig Brush** plated the fifth run in the sixth inning when he went to second on **Faggion's** sacrifice fly and scored on **Hearn's** single.

Bill Currie was big man at bat with four singles in as many trips to the plate. **Riddell** singled, doubled and batted the winning run in on a sacrifice fly. **Craig Brush** singled twice and other singles went to **Eddy McLeod**, **Ron Shannon** and **Don Hearn**.

Loris Faggion, up from the midget team, played outstanding defensive ball at shortstop for the Milton team.



Minors to play at Martin St.

Milton Public School Board approved modifications of the Martin Street baseball diamonds on Monday evening. The modifications will allow the Parks Board to go ahead with the skinning of the diamonds along the baselines and rolling the infield so minor ball will be able to play on the diamonds rather than at Rotary Park.

It has been suggested that the Parks Board build a temporary third diamond in Rotary Park to alleviate the heavy scheduling on the lighted diamond. Earlier the Industrial League had revealed their intentions to play playoff games in Palermo in order to play double-headers.

The decision on the part of the School Board to allow the modifications of the diamonds, with the stipulation that no damage is done to the grounds and the grounds remain neat, provides the solution to a crisis that has plagued the Parks Board, Recreation Committee and various ball organizations since the installation of the lights at Rotary Park last spring.

The following is a letter to the editor expressing the feelings of the Parks Board concerning the decision.

Dear Sir:

I believe we can join with the Milton Recreation Committee and the various baseball and softball groups in thanking the Public School Board for solving the recent crises in providing diamonds to play on.

As you may know, the School Board have provided the two diamonds at the Martin St. School and have agreed to permit the modifications requested by the Minor Ball Association.

Yours truly,
G. Collinson,
Chairman, Milton Parks Board

Intermediate playoffs begin this Saturday

Campbellville play their last league game in Campbellville tomorrow evening (Thursday) at 6:45 p.m. with the second place Hamilton team supplying the opposition. This is a rain-out game.

Halton County playoffs are all sudden death games. This Saturday afternoon the first and fourth place teams meet and the winners play in Dundas at 5:00 p.m. on Sunday to decide the championship.

As Campbellville are virtually assured of first place they will be playing the fourth place finisher at 2:30 p.m. in Campbellville on Saturday afternoon, August 19. If they win they play in Dundas on Sunday.

Many softball tournaments are scheduled for the coming weekends.

—Firefighters are still looking for floats for their August 26 'Centennial Salute' parade. —Look out your old fashioned costume — our old-fashioned days returns to Milton on August 28 to September 4.

HALTON LADIES' FASTBALL
As of August 15

Georgetown	15	12	2	24
Oakville	16	10	6	20
Acton	15	10	6	18
Omaha	16	9	7	18
Milton	12	8	4	14
Glen Williams	14	7	7	14
Hornby	14	6	8	12
Drumquin	13	3	10	2
Palermo	15	3	14	6

—Local exhibitors have been busy preparing cattle and displays for the Canadian National Exhibition, which opens Friday in Toronto.

16 teams play at Hornby

Port Credit wins tournament Hal Kemp fans twenty batters

After four rounds of hard-fought softball action, Frank's IGA from Port Credit had earned themselves the championship of the 16 team tournament and the \$90 prize money that goes to the winner. The tournament was held at Hornby ball park Saturday with the first games getting under way at 10 a.m. and the championship game played under the lights.

The Port Credit team came by their first victory in a manner which could not have been any closer. They won the game by one runner. According to the base rules the number of base runners is the criterion used in choosing a winner in case of a tie after seven innings. After seven innings Port Credit had the edge in base runners 9-8.

Port Credit eliminated Acton in the second round by virtue of an 8-2 win, and Cedar Grove in the third round with a 7-2 decision. Port Credit met Omagh in the finals and handed them a 5-2 defeat. Hal Kemp was the hero of the game with 20 strike-outs. Kemp pitched all the way for the Port Credit team.

Cedar Grove bounced Hornby in the first round 3-1. Pea-

voy pitched Halton Inn to victory over Procor 11-6. **Clint Jones** relieved **Don Kay** in an attempt to keep Procor in the game. Acton upset the favored Zephyr team from Newmarket with a 5-2 decision. **Rockwood** edged **Ford** from Oakville 3-2. **Omagh** shut out **Brampton** 3-0 while **Palermo** downed **Hillsburg** 8-3 and **Lowville** scrambled to a 3-1 win over **Glen Williams**.

In the second round Cedar Grove bounced Halton Inn 7-4. **Port Credit** ousted **Acton**, **Omagh** eliminated **Rockwood** 5-3 and **Lowville** beat **Palermo** 7-2 in a heated contest. **Palermo** had imports **Doir** a pitcher, and **Richardson** a catcher from Ancaster. **Paquette** pitched two games and relieved **Phil Buck** in the sixth inning of the third game for Lowville.

Omagh beat **Lowville** 6-2 in the third round and **Port Credit** handed **Cedar Grove** a 7-2 defeat, leading **Omagh** and **Port Credit** to tangle for the championship.

Dale Pagg from Newmarket pitched for the Omagh team all three games while **Hal Kemp** pitched for Port Credit and gave them the championship.

Lowville ousts Embro in O.R.S.A. playdowns

Lowville won the first round of the Ontario Rural Softball Association by defeating **Embro** 17-2 at **Embro** and 4-1 at **Lowville** on Sunday.

On Sunday **Lowville** had five hits. **Jacques Paquette** tripled and **Jacques Paquette** doubled. **Stu King**, **Doug Coverdale** and **Stu Dolbel** each had a single.

Jacques Paquette pitched the win for Lowville with 21 strike-outs, allowing seven hits.

out 18 and allowing seven hits. For **Lowville**, **Gord Marshall** singled, doubled, and tripled. **Stu King** hit a triple and **Jacques Paquette** doubled twice. **Doug Coverdale** and **Danny Hetherington** each had a single.

Hornby Midgets enter finals

Hornby Midgets eliminated **Greenwood** in the first round of the Ontario Rural C Midget playdowns. **Hornby** won two games straight by scores of 20-10 and 19-6 and will meet **Inverkip** in the finals.

The **Hornby** club is yet to be defeated in their own league this year.

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