



Curling Cues

with LARRY MCGREGOR

Milton's yearly in-club elimination for the Channel Eleven Bonsel took place last weekend, and after two days of some hot and heavy curling, a winner was declared. Bob Armstrong and his rink of vice Brian Smith, second Fred Bell, and lead Jim Sifton overcame some stiff competition and emerged victorious.

By virtue of their two wins on Saturday, Armstrong's rink came out of the "A" side and on Sunday met the eventual "B" side winner, Ron Rowley. Rowley's rink of Ken Armstrong, Steve Brancier, and Loris Faggion made it close by beating Armstrong in Sunday's first game of the double knock-out event, but couldn't sustain the momentum and bowed out in the second match.

The Armstrong rink now enters the area play-downs this coming Saturday and Sunday, right here in Milton. Facing teams from Guelph, Oakville, Orangeville, and Orillia, the local entry will have its hands full. Should they prevail, we'll be watching them on the tube come January. Good luck gang!

The ladies' Consuls in-club playoffs are also going on this week, with two teams left to battle it out. Killer Kathy McKellar's rink is one win away from victory, while Battlin' Babs Wingrove and her crew are fighting to stave off elimination. We'll have the results for you next week.

Another week of prognostication is upon us, and this time around, the speculative spotlight falls on Men's Competitive, "B" and "C" Divisions. All year long the guys in these groups scramble to earn a spot with the big boys in "A". Here's the rundown of the ones who have the best chance to make it.

From "B", Bert Stewart's group of Jeff Nurse, Larry Platt, and the new-look Murray Elliott appear to be prime prospects. All four are competent shooters, and this fact alone should ensure their promotion; but they also have an additional bonus: The aforementioned Mr. Elliott feels he will be a lot warmer on the ice this year, and he says his curling percentage increases with his body temperature.

Rinks skipped by Paul Johnson and Mike Comba seem to have the talent to move, as does Dennis Rowley's, but not everyone can go in an upward direction. Have we mentioned Dave Del Papa's name yet?

Jim Plumtree is still trying to overcome his personal heartbreak at losing the trio with whom he curled last year. It may take him 'til March to get used to being able to call his own game!

Curling in the "C" Division is like spending a Sunday afternoon in Acton—all you want to do is get out of there! It looks like Clare Brown's rink of Bill Treahy, Dennis Clarke, and Bruce Cameron has the best chance of escaping this time around. And unless they invent any more new ways of losing, Craig Kerr's crowd should join them.

Most of us are hoping that Steve Leachman's rink of rookies will make the move to "B". The smile on vice J.J. Johnson's face after a win is such a treat, it should be seen by all!

Revenge sweet say Opti players

Jason Newby led the Milton Optimist peewees to an 8-2 win over Oakville Saturday night at Memorial Arena, handling three goals and one assist.

The teams battled back and forth through the first two periods and Milton held a 3-2 lead at the end of the second.

Milton came on strong in the final period with five goals to increase their lead.

Coach Bob Davidson attributed the third period goal burst to the team's training and conditioning.

"The kids work hard at their training," he said. Dave Dillon, Scott

Hilson, Robbie Wilson and Travis Cole each contributed one goal.

Sunday at Memorial Arena, Optimists met Orangeville, a team which clobbered Milton 7-1 in a game a few weeks ago.

In what was termed a grudge match by coach Davidson, Milton got their revenge—winning 7-3.

Milton centres Geoff Pollen and Scott Hilson kept on top of Orangeville's Wayne Holmes, their best player, allowing him only one goal.

Milton brought the score to a 1-1 tie by the end of the first period with a goal from Travis Cole.

Orangeville came back at the top of the second scoring two goals, but Milton would not be outdone. By the end of the period, Milton was leading 4-3 with goals by Scott Hilson, Wayne Rivers and Geoff Pollen.

Orangeville scored no more that game.

In a style similar to that of Saturday night, Milton poured on the steam in the third, marking up three goals. Geoff Pollen brought his total goals to three for the night, picking up two in the final period. Scott Hilson scored the last goal of the game.

Sportscoreboard

INT. B. STANDINGS					O.H.A. INT. B. STATISTICS					
Includes Sunday games					Scoring leaders					
	P	W	L	T Pts	GP	G	A	Pts	MIP	
Rockton	7	7	0	0 14	Dave Robertson,	5	2	8	10	0
Paris	9	6	3	0 12	Dunnville	4	6	3	9	13
Smithville	9	4	5	0 8	Kenn Mann, Rockton	4	4	4	8	0
Dunnville	8	2	6	0 4	Jamie Howe, Rockton	4	5	2	7	18
Milton	7	1	6	0 2	Reg Lahey, Rockton	4	4	3	7	2
					John Howatt, Smithville	3	2	5	7	8
					Barry Martinelli, Rockton	3	2	5	7	19
					Tom Yurcich, Dunnville	4	1	6	7	8
					Steve Barr, Smithville	4	2	4	6	2
					Tom Kelly, Smithville	4	2	4	6	7
					Don Cole, Smithville	4	1	5	6	0
					Dan Bowden, Paris	4	1	5	6	0

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Monday—Paris 15, Smithville 6
 Thursday—Smith 9, Dunnville 7
 —Rockton 5, Milton 3
 Friday—Milton 7, Dunnville 4
 Sunday—Smithville 7, Milton 4

Wyckoff returns but in Dundas net

There was a familiar face in the arena Monday night when the Milton Banvil Minor Bantams met Dundas. Wayne Wyckoff was in goal for the visitors, but he knew his opponents well. He had recently moved to Dundas from Milton, and had played with most of the Banvil players (and shared Ontario championships with them) for the past two years.

The spectre of a former teammate in the opposition goal didn't deter the bantams from putting up a good effort, however. The game was a 3-3 tie and Tim Pollen scored all three Milton tallies.

Chris Austin and Glen Houston helped on one; Tracy Harding on another; the third was unassisted.

In Streetsville Saturday, Milton blanked them 3-0. The reason Streetsville didn't score was, they didn't fire one shot on the net. Goalies Shawn Carnegie and Rob Connors had an easy time in the Milton net, thanks to a stalwart Milton defence that just didn't let any Streetsville attackers near the goal.

Marshall Cram, Perri Hood and Ron Lassaline shared the scoring. Paul Rowan assisted on two, Lassaline and Harding and Cram one each.

It was the first game all year that Tim Pollen failed to score or set up a goal.

Banvil next plays Brampton here Monday, followed by a Tuesday trip to Burlington.

CCNA: Small office, big role . . .

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was reversed, and while Jim suggests he can't take any credit for the reversal, his effort probably helped.

Recently he helped make it possible for Elections Canada to place half a million dollars worth of advertising to reach voters prior to the last federal election. Again, it may not have resulted from his own efforts, but he had approached the chief electoral officer about the subject, even before the election was called.

"I've been lucky on a lot of things like that," he grinned.

The association also runs a Verified Circulation Program to help publishers not using audited or sworn statements of circulation. (National advertising is usually based on a newspaper's circulation figures and rates, so the circulation figures must be reliable).

Community Markets Canada, a 288-page book, is another major role for CCNA. It gives a breakdown on the market areas served by the weeklies from coast to coast, with accurate demographics and market information that is invaluable to media buyers.

The market info helps Jim and CCNA convince Metro-based advertising buyers that the community newspapers play a role in their own community. "It is the local media, a local product, and its acceptance in that community is rarely exceeded by any other medium," he points out.

CCNA is particularly concerned with the credibility of advertising, and works with the Canadian Advertising Advisory Board and the Advertising Standards Council to ensure its members' advertising remains believable.

The association represents a pretty fair percentage of the legitimate—therefore eligible—newspapers across Canada. There are probably 1,000 weeklies now, but many of them are shoppers containing 100 per cent advertising and no news content. There is a 120-member association of French language papers in Quebec, which does not belong to CCNA. Jim estimates there are probably 800 legitimate community newspapers in Canada today, and CCNA speaks out for 546 of them. Membership in a provincial association is one requirement for membership in the national group.

The job has given Jim Dills a lot of satisfaction in the past 16 months. "I still retain a proximity to the industry where I spent all my working life. I find that really satisfying."

In addition, he gets a kick out of what he and CCNA can achieve for the industry, as a whole. The tremendous co-operation he receives from the provincial associations is also highly satisfying, for he finds he can't deal with 546 member papers on a one-to-one basis.

"It's a small office, with a big responsibility," he modestly sums up.

The board of directors establishes the direction and policies for CCNA—Jim Dills' role is to carry them out.

And his years of background in community journalism and community volunteer projects has prepared him well for the role.

Obituary Robert Brownridge

Robert Andrew Brownridge, eldest son of Foster Brownridge and Elizabeth Bush, passed away on Monday, October 27, 1980, at Joseph Brant Memorial Hospital.

He is survived by his beloved wife, Ruth Evelyn McCann; brothers Jim and George of Milton, William C. of Lakefield; and sisters Margaret (Mrs. George Lyons) of Oakville, and Mary (Mrs. Cameron Marshall) of Milton. He was predeceased by sister Gladys (Mrs. Robert Crozier).

Mr. Brownridge was a successful farmer and a mail carrier on Rural Routes 4 and 1 for many years.

He was an elder of Omagh Presbyterian Church and church treasurer for 29 years.

He was a member of Hornby Loyal Orange Lodge 165 and the Royal

Black Preceptory No. 895, Hornby.

His six nephews, Bill Brownridge, Bryan Marshall, George Lyons, Roy Brownridge, Bruce McCann and Clarence McCann acted as pallbearers.

His funeral was attended by a large number of relatives, neighbors and friends, showing the great esteem in which he was held.

Interment took place in Omagh Presbyterian Cemetery in the family plot.

Brethren of the L.O.L. and R.B.P. joined in last respects and in memory to worship Brother Brownridge of Omagh. Brother Bob was highly esteemed in and out of the Orange Order.

Friends who remained to witness the funeral parlor service were deeply impressed with the solemn beautiful ritual, and the piping of D. Pearce who rendered "Amazing Grace" and a "Lament".

Rev. William Milligan, Grand Master of Ontario West L.O.L. presented a short eulogy, quoting 1st Corinthians, Chapter one, verse seven, "I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith"—a most appropriate verse to a generous friend and Brother who has moved on to the larger life in God.

Drumquin

By Mrs. Cecil Patterson

Regular weekly eucharist party held at Hornby Centre on Nov. 15 was attended by eight tables of players. Prizewinners were Mrs. Clara Price, Mrs. D. Dowling, Mrs. Olive Tasker, Mac Alexander, Keith Webb, V. Sinclair. The special draws donated by Flash Taxi were won by Nellie Lane and J. C. Cunningham.

Pro-Am returns

The first Pro-Am since 1970 will highlight the return to Oakville's Glen Abbey Golf Club of the 1981 Canadian Open Golf Championship for the Peter Jackson Trophy, tournament chairman William Farlinger announced.

Mr. Farlinger said the Pro-Am, scheduled for Wednesday July 29, will have 48 teams consisting of one PGA Tour professional and four amateurs. A spot in the Pro-Am will cost \$1,400, per player, and is conditional on the prior purchase of a 1981 Executive Ticket Package.

"A Pro-Am is one of the most popular features of the PGA Tour events each year," Mr. Farlinger said. "Since 1970, the Royal Canadian Golf Association has annually had requests from golfers who wanted to have the opportunity to play with the finest professionals in the world. This year, we are happy to be able to offer a Pro-Am as an added dimension of Canadian Open Week, and I am happy to announce that Jean Robitaille of Toronto, a long-time governor of the RCGA, will be the 1981 Pro-Am Chairman."

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF MILTON

The Mayor and Members of Milton Council cordially invite the Citizens of Milton to attend the Inaugural and Swearing-In Ceremony for the new Council to be held at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, December 1st, 1980 in the Council Chambers, Town Hall, 251 Main Street, East, Milton, Ontario.

R. Main,
Clerk Co-ordinator.

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Minor hockey round-up

ATOM

Haltom Credit Union 5
 Speed Queen 2

The highlight of the game was the outstanding goaltending, especially by Jamie Pearson of Speed Queen.

Goal scorers for Credit Union were Andrew Kirkwood (3) and John Picard (2).

Goal scorers for Speed Queen were Steve Brown and Mark Wilson.

In goal for Credit Union was Brent Currie.

Miltowne R.E. 3
 Lions Club 1

Two unassisted goals in the last five minutes of the third period by Miltowne cinched the win.

Goal scorers for Miltowne R.E. were Jim Fleming (2) and Stephen Boves.

Lions Club goal was by Rick Early.

In goal for Miltowne R.E. was Scott Mitchell.

Milton Upholstry 10
 Mowbray Fuels 1

The highlight of the game was the goaltending of Greg Rate of Mowbray, holding the powerful Upholstry team to 10 goals.

Goal scorers for Upholstry were Andrew Champagne (5), Mark Easley (3), Clinton Munroe and Nick Thompson.

Goal scorer for Mowbray was Greg Doerr.

In goal for Upholstry was Mike McBride.

Mitchell R.E. 5
 Pro Hardware 3

The highlight of the game was the ability of Mitchell, starting

each period quickly. All their goals were scored in the first shift of each period.

Goal scorers for Mitchell were Scott Melece (3) and Kevin Elkins (2).

Goal scorers for Pro Hardware were Jan Spagnuolo (2) and Brad Beaton.

In goal for Mitchell R.E. was Aaron Turner.

I.W.A. 6
 Blue Cab 5

The highlight of the game was I.W.A. coming from a 4-3 deficit to score three straight goals and take a commanding lead in the third period.

Goal scorers for I.W.A. were Mike Brooke (2) plus two assists, Wayne Morley (2), Eric Christensen and Mark Edwards.

Goal scorers for Blue Cab were Warren House (2), Frank Lendway, Steven Preddy, Russel Shaw, Pat Penman recorded three assists.

In goal for I.W.A. was Mike Antonucci.

Scorers for Brush were Brent Pearson (2) and Joey Connelly.

BELL BROS. 2
 O.P.P. 0

Craig McKinlay scored both Bell goals.

In goal for Bell Bros. was Blair Leonard.

BAILEY FUELS 5
 FAYS ELECTRIC 0

Goalscorers were Tim Blackadar (2), Mike Budworth, Al Champagne and Kirk Purenpoint.

In goal for Bailey's shutout were Dean Motta and Robert Winder.

LOCAL 4972
 MCCUAIG INSURANCE 1

Goal scorers for Local were Darrin Howitt and Mark Brewer.

McCuag scorer was Glen Collings.

In goal for Local was Darryl Farr.

BANTAM

Guardian Drugs 4
 Applepickers 3

The highlight of the game was good goaltending by Doug Stewart for Guardian, and forechecking by the forwards. Defense were steady, but not up to par.

Goal scorers for Guardian were Warren Stockwell, Shayne Kassan and Darren Cole assisted by Warren Stockwell. The fourth goal was scored by Bill Foley assisted by Bill Brush.

In goal for Guardian Drugs was Doug Stewart.

Guardian Drugs are still undefeated with two wins and two ties—tops in league.

PEEWEE

REBEKAH 2
 KINSMEN 1

Goal scorers for Rebekah were Carmen Mule and Bob Williams.

Andrew Wilson tallied for Kinsmen.

In goal for Rebekah was Jeff Fennell.

KNIGHTS MEN'S WEAR 5
 BRUSH ELECTRIC 3

Goal scorers for Knights were Terry Smid (4) and Paul Moreau (1).

Sell off X-C ski equipment

Ski buffs shopping for cross-country ski equipment will have an opportunity to take advantage of some bargains, courtesy of the Halton Region Conservation Authority.

Approximately 75 sets of equipment will go on sale to Authority employees, members and the general public during the coming registration weekends at Glen Eden.

The Authority is attempting to recoup part of an \$11,000 investment in a cross country ski program cancelled earlier this year.

The program was axed in February when it was decided the Authority could no longer afford to spend \$37,975 annually to provide cross country skiing at Rattlesnake Point.

Initial approval has been given however, for the operation of a cross country ski rental concession at Kelso this winter.

An estimated 75 sets of equipment would be available at the rental concession.

According to Bill

Warwick, director of conservation services with the Authority, only half the 150 sets of ski stock could likely be sold.

"The problem appears to be that the Authority has high quality skis which it is attempting to sell in a market glutted with cheaper equipment," he stated in a report to the Authority.

Contact with numerous retailers in the area yielded only one firm offer he said, and that company is prepared to give only 50 per cent of the equipment's inventory value.

Following discussion the Authority's executive committee agreed to sell half of its stock at 1978 purchase price.

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