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Jane Toporowski Big winner

tor first

tion last week.

12 batters.

Auto Body.

one in the third.

wasn't enough.

took the loss.

By DAVE BARBOUR

by Wilf Diceman carried Town

Auto to a 2-0 victory over

Barrow's Insurance in Richmond

Hill Men's Fastball League ac-

The win put the Auto boys back

into a first-place tie with the

same team. Diceman struck out

Town's two runs came in the

second inning as John Uprichard

tripled in Diceman and Steve

Black. Luke Lefevre took the

Barrow's regained a share of

The Hill attack was led by Val Steffan who hit a two-run homer in the first inning and Billy

Hunter who hit a bases-empty

Rob Forget socked a two-run double in the fifth giving the Hillers a four-run cushion but it

Barrow's pitcher Billy Hamilton sparked a comeback in the sixth inning with a two-run triple. Roger Ball also knocked in

a pair of runners. Luke Lefevre

was the winner in relief. Steffan,

with relief from Jim Clement,

EXPLODED

Town Auto exploded for eight

Larry Black led Town with a

two-run double and Rod Chap-

man accounted for four runs on a

hit-and-error play. Rob Forget

doubled in a pair of runs for Hill

Auto and Kenny Faulkner

Richmond Hill Auto salvaged

some of the week with a 7-2 win

over Linear Sound and Video.

Ken Faulkner was the big gun

with a two-run double. Jim

Clement got the win, Craig

by bouncing Kinnear Leasing 7-2

with a seventh inning rally. Al

McWilliams sparked the rally by

baning in Cliff Hartnett. Four

more runs followed for Linear.

DEBUT

the rubber in the league, was

very impressive in claiming his

first win. He gave up just three

hits. Dave Webster took the loss.

Jack Blyth Real Estate and

Pizza Press split back-to-back

games with Blyth winning the

first one 12-2, Pizza the second, 8-

Home runs by Al Shaw and

Rick Collins, a double by Bob

Bartlett plus seven walks, did it

for the lakers in the first game.

The second game saw Pizza

Press build up a three-run lead

and then hang on to win. Winning

pitcher Terry Legge helped his

own cause with a three-run

homer. Vince McLean had two

rbi's and scored a run himself.

and Glen Wright knocked in a

Doug Farrell had two triples

Wilkinson, making his debut on

Linear remained in contention

big runs in one inning to crush

Richmond Hill Auto 10-4.

doubled in another.

Shuttleworth the loss.

first place with a 7-6 come-frombehind win over Richmond Hill

A two-hit pitching performance

Toporowski is tops at meet

By BOB THOMPSON

It was a busy weekend for local track and field athletes with the Colgate Women's Games being held last Saturday and Sunday at Etobicoke Stadium, and the fifth Annual Brampton Flower Festival Track Meet also on Sunday at Chinguacousy Park, Brampton.

Being singled out for special of the Meet' award for her three

consideration on both days was first-place finishes in high jump, 19-year-old Jane Toporowski who appeared on the television report of the Saturday Colgate Games plus press coverage in one of Toronto's major Sunday newspapers.

The following day at Brampton the tall blonde discus thrower was awarded the 'Female Athlete

in the javelin event.

August to commence her fourthyear athletic scholarship at Drake University in Iowa, conceded that the two days were fess it tired me out."

busy and exciting. newspaper photos on Saturday," Jane told the Liberal, "I collected six medals, and placed formances turned in by all the meet.

had a 45-minute interview with a all entries into the finals of their jumpers." shor-put, and discus and a fourth Toronto paper reporter that was respective events. enough, I thought, for one Toporowski, who leaves in weekend . . . but winning the the day-long competition was 15- sister Dianne Bordignon all

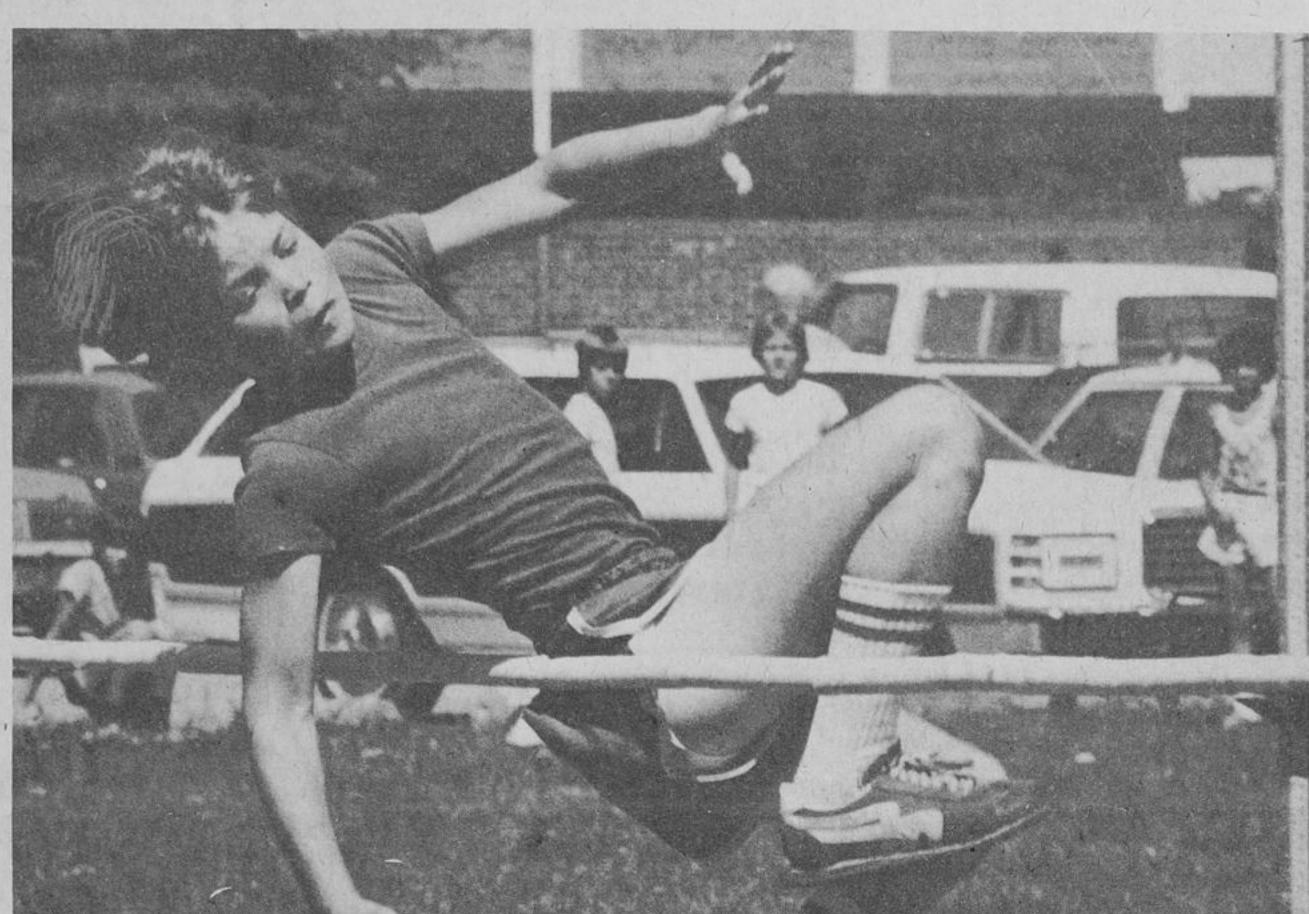
"After the TV coverage and local track athletes that com- lunch" said Lori, "and I'm sure the larger number of age events

award on Sunday at Brampton year-old Lori Bordignon in the easily qualified for further brought another round of photos midget girl high jump with a leap competition on the Sunday but and congratulations . . . I con- of 1.44 metres.

Toporowski was one of seven didn't warm up until well after Brampton Festival because of peted at the Brampton affair who that accounted for the low per- available in the Flower City

The previous day, at Another gold medal winner at Etobicoke, Toporowski, Lori, and the three girls opted out of the "It was cold all morning and Colgate Games in favor of the

Charles Howitt school wins big



last Wednesday at Langstaff Secondary School. The Grade 5 Pearlstein)

centimeters in the Area 3 elementary track and field meet held jump and it earned him second place. (Liberal photo by Steve

Jay Kerr, 11, makes a valiant effort to clear one meter 10 pupil from Joseph A. Gibson Public School (Maple) made the

Dynes' hurlers shine

Jewellers have suddenly come up with the surprise one-two pitching punch in the Beaches Major Fastball League this

Beaches' clubs.

Surprise, at least, to the other

remendous pitching effort albeit a losing one last Thursday night against John Oliver.

McBratney had a no-hitter going for him in a 0-0 game going into the ninth inning when the bubble burst

First it was young Blair With one out, John Oliver's youthful Jewellers couldn't dent

through the infield for the first hit of the night off McBratney Poulton advanced to second on a passed ball and then scored on vereran Brian Lancelot's sharp single to centre.

The final score was 1-0 as the

Wilson Niblett finding wins come mighty tough

Wilson Niblett fastball team nine. managed to scratch out three wins and a couple of ties in eight games last week in OFL action but, again, it wasn't easy.

The Niblett team commenced its latest gruelling run of games Jim Cook was the winning defeating Grimsby Peach pitcher, Bill Jackson took the Kings twice Tuesday night by 6-5 and 3-1.

> Their first game win was a continuation of a game previously called on account of curfew at the end of the fifth inning with the score tied 5-5.

The regulation second game saw Wilson Niblett's Paul Wannamaker pitch his second one-hitter of the season as he pair of runs in a losing cause. tamed the Grimsby visitors

The struggling Richmond Hill walking none and striking out

Wannamaker's no-hit attempt was squelched in the ninth inning when Grimsby's Greg MacAnally singled but was rubbed out on a double play.

Next it was a 3-3 tie in the first game of a doubleheader in Kitchener the following night. The second game turned out to be a disaster as the Niblett team lost

Mike McLeod tossed the first game tie walking one and striking out four. Ron Schnobb's two-run triple in the third inning was the key blow here.

Sunstrum took the loss in the second-game debacle which saw Preszcator, an outfielder,

Niblett won 2-1. Sunday night in St. Catharines saw Richmond Hill losing an 8-7 game which saw five home runs

barrelled over the fence. All of Richmond Hill's runs were accounted for by home runs with Preszcator swatting a three-

Notes: The Wilson Niblett p.m. squad heads for Kemptville the holiday weekend and the All Ontario Senior Men's fastball final. They open Friday night against Cardinal . . . their losses and 5 ties.

The Richmond Hill Dynes McBratney coming up with a Bruce Poulton ground a single home plate despite threatening on several occasions.

CLOSE

Their biggest lump-in-thethroat moment came in the last of the ninth when Ben Bourget singled with one out. He advanced to second as Chris

DeGeer grounded out Then it was McBratney lifting a short fly to left field which almost dropped in. It was caught as Bourget crossed the plate. End of game. Tough for McBratney.

MORELAND WINS different ending the next night as it was Glenn Moreland's turn to do the heroics as he spun a fourhitter at the league-leading Sox The Richmond Hill team team at Kew Beach and beat

This game saw Harold DeGeer get the winning run in the top of the eighth inning on a four-base the loser despite giving up only blast. The Jewellers added some three hits. His downfall came in insurance ice cream in the ninth three including a triple and a

> Steve Madden started it off with a single, Shane McKenzie walked. Pitcher Moreland then doubled both runners home, second base. Moreland later scored on a sacrifice fly.

Moreland was in control of the game most of the way after having a somewht shaky first Owen Sound was the visitor inning when he allowed The Sox two hits. The only other threat against him came in the sixth when Sox pitcher Steve Crummey doubled but was left holding second base bag.

> Moreland struck out 10 batters over the nine-inning game. Dynes

WHIFFS 10

got eight hits off Crummey. The Jewellers, who now stand at three wins and six losses, meet Midas Muffler tomorrow night (Thursday) in a doubleheader at the Town Park beginning at 7:30

The holiday weekend finds the Dynes team in Grimsby for the annual All Ontario Junior softball

They should be a threat to any

3 West Division track and field junior championships last relay team. Wednesday for the fourth consecutive year.

Charles Howitt Public School of

They finished with a total of 144 points to Joseph A. Gibson's 74 followed by Kleinburg with 36, Howitt relay team. Pine Grove 22, Woodbridge 21, and Sixteenth Avenue 3.

"We just seem to have the jump on the other schools, commented Phil Horsman, who was in charge of the meet and was also one of the Howitt coaches along with Joan Cowe and Mariane Gosling. The meet was held at Langstaff Secondary School.

Top individual competitor of the day was Howitt's Diane Gibson 35, Pine Grove 17. Balogh who swept the field in the intermediate girl's division with Kleinburg 11.

It was business as usual for 15 out of 15 possible points.

She was first in the high jump. Richmond Hill in the annual Area triple jump, 200 metre run and was also on the winning Howitt

Another impressive performer The Howitt athletes won the was Clayton Crawford, also of team championship in a breeze Howitt, who achieved 13 points winning the standing jump, shot put, long jump, 200 metre run. and was also on the winning

> Other winners in the various divisions were: Junior Boys, Doug Schomberg, Joseph A. Gibson, 9 points; Junior Girls, Allison Young, Howitt, 13 points

> Intermediate Boys, Jay Kerr, Gibson, 11 points; Senior Girls, Magda Pappas, 12 points.

Division winners and points: Junior, Howitt 37, Gibson 18. Woodbridge 14, Pine Grove 4, Sixteenth Avenue 3.

Intermediate: Howitt 45, Senior: Howitt 62, Gibson 23,

Tournament

Hill squirts in tough loss

The Richmond Hill Dairy Richmond Hill lost to their Queen Squirts almost made it two tournaments in a row as they were narrowly edged in the "A" Finals of the North York tour-

nament last Saturday. The Hillers opened the day with a 11-1 beating of Beamsville in a

only three infield singles, while

striking out four. Dave Repath, Cesidio Negri, and Mike Leonard all had two hits in this game.

LINDSAY??? The second game provided the Dairy Queen boys with lots of running exercise as they destroyed Lindsay 29-3 in only

four and a half innings. Chepelsky again picked up the win in this game as he went four and one third innings giving up

six hits and struck out three. Robbie Bell retired two batters. The hitting went like this:

Negri, five hits with a home run. Scott Low four hits and a triple, Rob MacMillan and Dave Repath with three hits, Repath getting a home run, while Jim Hughes, It was a similar story but with a Paul McWatt, and Leonard each had two hits.

BIG WIN

The third game saw Richmond Hill grab a 3-0 first inning lead and go on to defeat a good Bay Ridges club 9-0.

Robbie Bell threw excellent ball as he allowed five hits while fanning four and walking two. Scott Low led the hitting with

homer run. Repath had three hits while Negri had two. Bell smacked a grandslam

Leonard played a good game at DEFEAT

Home runs told the story in the "A" Championship finals, as

nemesis, Glenfield, by a close 4-3 Low put the Hillers in front with a tremendous three-run

homer. Glenfield scored one run, and

then a two-run shot in the sixth mercy rule shortened five inning inning knotted the count at 3-3. With two out in the bottom of Robby Chepelsky went the the seventh inning, a bad bounce distance on the mound allowing home run to centrefield gave Glenfield the victory

Bell surrendered eight hits while striking out ten in this

Richmond Hill had nine hits with Low and Repath getting two

LEAGUE

League competition saw the Hill boys remain atop the Squirt division of the Etobicoke Softball Association, as they downed Bramalea 4-0, defeated Alderwood 12-4, and then tied Bramalea 7-7. The first game was a real

pitcher's duel as Robbie Bell allowed Bramalea only two hits and recorded 10 strikeouts. Richmond Hill had only six

hits, with Low getting three of The Alderwood contest saw the Hillers pounding out 14 hits with

Low getting two home runs including a grandslam, while Negri also blasted a home run. Hughes and Bell both tripled, while Repath had four hits.

Bell fired a six-hitter to gain the victory The second game against

Bramalea was one in which neither team appeared to want to win as Richmond Hill errors and Bramalea walks made for a less than classic contest.

Bell allowed only five hits and fanned 10. Repath led the way with three

hits while MacMillan had two and Negri belted a double and triple.

Ladies lose first striking out six batters

The Richmond Hill Intermediate Ladies softball team saw its eight-game winning streak end last Wednesday night at the Town Park.

The ladies lost to a strong Malton team by a 4-1 score. Malton pitcher Kelly Barnes had a good game striking out eight while allowing only three hits.

Richmond Hill pitcher Darlene Nelson produced her usual good effort

and only allowing four hits. She also scored the only Richmond Hill run. Richmond Hill also committed six errors. Not

one of their best games. Hopefully, they'll bounce back tonight (Wednesday) at 8:30 p.m. at the Town Park.

Final note: This week is the last chance to purchase a 50-50 draw ticket to raise money for the team. The draw will be held July 4 at the Town Park.

Cadillac loses tourney

The Richmond Hill Cadillac Baif Juvenile girls were gracious CB's against Don Victoria who The 'A' championships saw hostesses in more ways than one they hadn't defeated this season. Richmond Hill and North Benon the weekend.

CB's defeated a strong Aurora Hill solve the issue by scoring team 5-3 in the first game at the seven runs thanks to Howorth, Town Park.

game against a fine Aurora team. Clarke. Nancy Schneider, MacInnis, and

The second game pitted the plate helped the cause. Two quick runs in the first inning dale go at it with the latter They hosted a tournament and by Kathy Ceballo and Darlene scoring two quick runs in the first lost it by a narrow 3-1 score to Harrison put Richmond Hill into Bendale in the 'A' championship an early lead which saw them

come out the winners by 10-3. Enroute the Richmond Hill The fifth inning saw Richmond Ceballo, MacInnis, Harrison, Donna Roberts pitched a strong Schneider, Trumbull, Seeley, and

Seeley accounted for the five Clarke, Deb Howorth, and course for the PWSA playdowns Darlene Harrison behind the August 4.

inning on two hits.

They were the only two hits Debbie Howorth was to give up for the remainder of the game. Bendale pitcher Susan Pearel only gave up three hits.

The Richmond Hill team is playing progressively better each Fine defensive play by Steph game and are on a collision

finishing up the game for the Niblett team. Kitchener stroked 18 hits.

regrouped enough to go down to a 1-0 loss in Owen Sound in the first game of yet another doubleheader. Wannamaker was the fourth inning as two singles with three more runs and a sacrifice resulted in the

The Wilson squad managed a 5-5 tie in the second game with Wannamaker striking out six and walking two. McLellan's two-run double was a key blow in this one. Jeff Wood also contributed a two-run double.

Saturday for a single game and Wannamaker was the man-ofthe-hour again as he came up with a three-hitter as Wilson

run blow in the sixth.

saw-offs. league record is now 8 wins, 15 team. Especially with Moreland and Bratney in top form.