

HOUNDS BLANK WOLVES IN THE OSTROSSER LEAGUE

Start Out with a Rush in the Second Half of Bowling Series, by Taking All Four Points.

In the Ostrosser bowling league last week the Hounds got away to a fine start, taking all the points from the Wolves in the opener. Three of the Hounds bowled over the honour mark. McDougall starred with 806, his games being 261, 277 and 268. Deardon also bowled well with a tally of 650. Studor bowled high for the Wolves by knocking over 582 pins.

The Wildcats and Buffaloes bowled socially, each taking two points. The Wildcats at the end of the second game were over 200 pins ahead, but the Buffaloes got down to business and beat their opponents by over 400 pins, thus taking one game and the total score.

The Tigers defaulted to the Cubs, and the Foxes also gave four points to the Lions.

In a postponed match the Cubs took three well-earned points from the Lions. The Lions, by taking that one point win the first half of the Ostrosser League. Sauve, of the Cubs, bowled with the nice score of 712, while Reid shone for the Lions with a score of 640 pins. Only 5 men are over the 600 mark for Wednesday, three of these belonging to the Hounds. They are:— McDougall, 807; Deardon, 650; Webb, 619; Sauve, 712; Reid, 640.

The following are the scores of the games:—

	Wildcats			
Angelo	175	230	94	499
Grant	162	219	160	541
Curtiss	221	155	87	463

A. Connor	174	126	103	403
Portelance	164	191	103	458
Totals	896	921	547	2364
Buffaloes				
Daher	151	150	207	508
Shaw	174	184	221	579
Salem	149	—	215	364
DeHaitre	168	135	133	436
Skelly	200	197	—	397
H. Thomson	—	116	175	291
Totals	842	782	951	2575
2 points apiece.				
Wolves				
Studor C.	245	158	179	582
Booth W.	189	115	202	506
Dunfield H.	196	188	109	493
Tomkinson	157	178	212	547
J. Doe	138	85	109	332
Totals	925	724	811	2460
Hounds				
Webb R.	150	158	311	619
Deardon C.	248	219	183	650
Aspin J.	138	126	109	373
MacDougall	261	277	268	806
Wilson	180	85	131	396
Totals	977	865	1002	2844
Hounds win 4 points.				
Cubs				
Sauve	211	307	194	712
Biondi	186	139	211	516
Scully	184	158	216	558
Portelance	132	134	112	378
Cohen	185	182	196	563
Totals	898	900	929	2727
Lions				
D. Reid	235	211	194	640
Donaldson	185	209	203	597
Bradford	144	115	63	322
Fuke	117	160	178	455
Dickson	179	181	189	549
Totals	860	936	827	2643
Cubs win 3 points.				

Liberal Criticizes the Colonization of North

At the session of the Agriculture and Colonization Committee of the Legislature, Theodore Legault, Liberal member for Sturgeon Falls, last week criticized the colonization policy of the Ontario Government. He suggested, indeed that it wasn't colonization at all, and that the conditions under which the settlers lived were as bad as those of the miners in the Old Land. He also held that certain sections were being discriminated against in favour of others, and that the Government was more interested in industrializing the North and looking after the requirements of the tourists than seeing to the benefit of the settlers. All of which is not quite fairly put, the present Government having done more than any previous Government for the benefit of the settlers.

One-half of the settlers in the North, Mr. Legault claimed, lived on land from which there was no road egress. The Government built roads, it was true, but they were chiefly trunk roads, established with one eye on the tourist's purse. Under conditions in which they had been forced to live, many settlers, he stated, had made no pretence of tilling the land, but had simply robbed the bush and had then cleared out.

As a remedy for the conditions of which he complained, as a means of encouraging the "inexperienced" settler to "stay put" on his Northern acreage. Mr. Legault moved a resolution urging that roads be built and maintained by the Government to the settlers' homes, and where advantageous, built before the settler goes in; that the land allocation of 75 acres per settler be increased to 150 or 160 acres; that

subsidies—\$10 per acres for cutting down the bush, and \$20 per acre for clearing the property—be allowed the settler; that more money be devoted to helping the settler get cattle on time payments, and that T.B. free zones for these cattle be established.

No action was taken by the committee on the resolution, on the ground that the points raised came within the jurisdiction of the Department of Northern Development, but the recommendations involved were passed along to Hon. William Finlayson for his serious consideration.

On the point in regard to size of farms there will be very general agreement in this part of the country. This is one point in Mr. Legault's address that is quite correct and the Government should take note of it for action. Otherwise there will be a natural tendency to accept other parts of his address that are not so correctly phrased.

There will be some wonder at the reply credited to Mr. A. J. Kennedy, member for Temiskaming. What Mr. Kennedy says may be true of his riding, but it certainly is not true of this section. "The trouble in the North, and it's the same sometimes in the South, is that the settlers are too spoon-fed," he said. "I have known of settlers who took lands fifteen years ago, and haven't any more than three acres cleared at the present time. Why, a couple of beaver could have done more work in the same time."

Mr. Kennedy disagreed with Mr. Legault on the matter of road outlets, stating that there wasn't a settler in his electoral district—even though the district was much younger than the Sturgeon Falls member's—that didn't have a road to get out on. Mr. Kennedy did admit, however, that there was room for improvement in the manner in which the settlers worked their property.

"CORNISH NIGHT" AT BAND CONCERT PLEASING EVENT

Programme of Special Merit Given by Cornish Talent. Event Much Appreciated by all Present.

"Cornish Night" in the series of band concerts each season by the Timmins Citizens' Band is always a pleasing event and the programme provided by the Cornish people on Sunday evening in the Goldfields theatre after the church services was no exception to the rule. Mr. W. S. Johns, who made the arrangements for the programme, had a long list of unusually good numbers by talented artists, and the evening was much enjoyed by all who like good music. Every artist on the programme was Cornish and the various numbers showed the outstanding musical talent of the Cornish people here.

The vocal numbers for the evening were especially good. The first of these was a solo by Mr. C. Roberts, whose effective presentation of "Lay My Head Beneath a Rose," set a high standard for the succeeding numbers. Mr. Roberts has a pleasing tenor voice, well-trained, and puts expression and sympathy into his singing. The duet by Mr. Roberts and Mrs. Gay, "Excelsior" was one of the features of the evening. Mrs. Gay has a rich contralto voice of especial sweetness and music-lovers found great delight in it. Miss Allen, of the Dome Mines, won the heartiest approval for her beautiful soprano voice and her gifted presentation of the solo, "For All Eternity." She was insistently encored, her singing making especial appeal. Mrs. Lawry sang "Sonny Boy" in fine voice and with effectiveness and this number was very much appreciated. Mrs. Barrett's presentation of the solo, "Valley of Laughter" was one of the special numbers of the evening and this gifted singer won very sincere encore. Her number in response to the recall, "Because" was equally pleasing and appreciated. Mr. A. Jenkin's solo was an effective number, given with good expression and in fine voice. It was very heartily applauded. Mr. Alf Snow, who is always a popular soloist in Timmins, presented "The Watchman" with striking talent and was one of the special favourites of the evening's excellent programme.

In the instrumental line, the young Cornishman, Bandsman Carl Johns, gave a cornet solo, "The Merry-Go-Round," with band accompaniment, this number being very favourably received. Even more popular was the cornet duet "Larboard Watch," by Messrs Stan and Carl Johns. This number was very effectively given and delighted lovers of music.

Probably the most enthusiastic applause of the evening was roused by the talented Highland dancing of little Miss Helen' Crews, this graceful little lady dancing her way into the favour of all present. She was very heartily encored.

The accompaniments for the evening added much to the effectiveness of the various numbers. The gifted pianists for the evening included Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Wilkins and Mrs. Carroll.

Bandmaster A. Wilford and his men presented a number of pleasing band numbers for the occasion. These included:—Hymn, "Abide With Me"; march, "Royal Trophy"; selection, "Bandsmen's Delight." The latter was among the popular numbers of the evening.

The next band concert will be on March 17th, and will be "Old-Timers' Night." All the artists on the programme will be those who have lived at least twelve years in the camp. For the occasion a number of old hands-men are kindly coming to give their services for the evening. It is expected that at least one number will be presented by a band composed entirely of old-timers, some of the old-timers coming from South Porcupine and the Dome to assist in this feature. There will be an old-time brass quartette that will make a big hit, and also vocal and instrumental numbers by individual old-timers that will show that there is something in the idea that the old-timers were good times and the old-timers good fellows.

The Kirkland Lake Northern News last week says:—"Kiwanees, the wives and lady friends of the members of the Kiwanis Club, of Timmins, plan to establish a swimming pool at the river. Timbering, gravelling, and other means of making pool modern and safe, along with the erection of two bathing houses one for boys and the other for girls are in the scheme. The idea might take root and bear fruit in other places with advantage to the youth of the community."

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