

# The Sports Corner

By DOUG McLELLAN

**PLAY-OFF PATTERN:** When the Porkies knocked the Macmen off their two year reign at the top of the Mines League totem pole, the Porkies defence was the difference between the two clubs. You may have noticed it, but when Elven Kavanagh received a tripping sentence the other night the Macmen pressed hard but didn't get one shot at Ivan McLelland in the South End cage. The reason was that Doran and Co. were playing their hearts out and blocked every McIntyre shot. It's truly a tough blue-line to crash.

**PORKIES:** If the Porkies decide to pick up a goaltender for their N.O.H.A. cup hunt after they knock off the Greenshirts (they will believe us) Ivan McLelland will probably find himself playing for the Combines. The South End kid is still of Junior age and would make the Combines fans forget Bill Harrington. In the first game of the Porkies-McIntyre series, McKay of the South Enders and Oleskiuk of the Macmen were banished from the game for a bitter Donnybrook in the second stanza, and in the second game of the series the same two players ended up on the three star selections.

**88 M.P.H.:** This isn't aimed to scare any of the local goalies but we were wondering if they had any idea how fast those pucks come flying at them. Dr. Dana Warren, professor of Physics in Chicago, recently calculated the average speed of shots made by George Homenuke of the Omaha Knights and came up with the news that the rubber disc travelled at the terrific speed of 88 miles per hour. Speaking of flying pucks, Eddie Lamarche of the Macmen stood in front of one of Bum-vealed that a bone in the ankle had been broken, a tough break for Lamarche and the Macmen.

**CHIPS:** A little bit of luck at the right time for the Combines would have shoved the Hollinger Greenshirts to the sidelines. The Juniors put on amazingly good show and nearly toppled the Greenies. Jimmy Fraser in the Juniors' net played heads-up hockey both games. Jimmy Connelly, fleet-footed winger for Carlo Cattarello's Tee Pees is setting a blistering scoring pace and at the present time has scored 22 goals, the same number that the Tee Pees have had scored against them.

**HIGH LOWDOWN**  
Donald Hindson, whose weekly column appears in this paper, underwent an operation last week, and is still confined to hospital. He is reported to be "doing well."

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## The One Dark Spot In Hockey Circles

By DOUG McLELLAN

L'affaire Harrington is going to be one dark spot in the otherwise very successful Combines year that the local fans, and Harrington himself, are not going to forget for a good many moons.

You will recall that Harrington was the brilliant young netminder who jumped the team after they lost the opener of the best-of-three series with the Greenshirts.

**Silence**  
Without a single word of explanation Harrington boarded the train for his hometown Toronto and left the Juniors high and dry with no one to fill the vacancy between the Combines posts.

The result of 'Exercise Harrington' was that the hot-headed youth has been suspended for a year, and what's more, will probably be nothing but mud in the eyes of the parent Montreal Canadiens.

The N.H.L. club has done a lot for the local junior entry this year and among the brighter points was to bless the Combines with a first class netminder, Bill Harrington.

**A Good Kid**  
Although the Combines management has had nothing but trouble with the Torontonian off the ice, they must admit that he is better than any kid who ever donned the Combines goaltender's gear, with the possible exception of Lorne Howse.

It is reported that 'jumping Bill' was very allergic to work and had the professional idea that the team should look after their problem child. Naturally Manager Gene Menard pretended to cherish the idea.

**Why?**  
It is very difficult to try and figure out what was eating the kid to make him do a trick like that. You couldn't blame him too much had he pulled the same stunt earlier in the season when the Combines were on the skids but now that they are coming down the home-stretch everything should have been rosy.

When the incident occurred last week, many observers were of the opinion that Harrington would realize his foolishness and return on the next train, but nothing doing. We were speaking on the matter with one of the Combines the other day and he voiced the opinion that even if he had returned the players wouldn't want him after he had shown so little concern for them. Who could blame them?

No, Harrington will never play again in this part of the country and it is doubtful that he will see and further action in the Canadian farm system.

**Matheson News**  
Matheson Kinsmen held a successful moccasin dance Saturday, February 18th, at the new curling rink. Music was supplied by a record player.

Mrs. George O. Wolfe of Matheson has taken up residence at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Miller on Highway 101.

Miss Ellen Cook of Matheson has accepted the position of Chief Operator at the Northern Telephone Company, Matheson, replacing Miss Muriel Miles who plans to go to Toronto soon.

Mr. Pete Rivett of Anthony has gone to Golden City to live with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Desail Rivett.

The Vimy Ridge Crokinole Club held their games at the home of Les Durham last week. The prizes were won by Miss Viola Durham and George Gray.

# News From SCHUMACHER

BY MRS. D. FRASER  
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## Scout Convention

More than 150 boys from Matheson, Iroquois Falls and the Porcupine Camp attended the 8th annual Boy's Conference held Saturday at Trinity United Church, Schumacher.

Cubs and Scouts, Explorers and Troop Rangers were among the groups who attended the day long convention sponsored by the Porcupine Boys Work Board.

**Activity**  
Lorne Rogers, representative of the Porcupine group who attended the Boys' Parliament held recently at the Ontario Ladies' College in Whitby, reported on the Whitby meeting in an address. "I represented you at Boy's Parliament."

The Saturday morning worship service was conducted by Rev. W. M. Mustard, D.D. Theme addresses were given by Rev. John Davies.

Sunday morning the boys attended the 11 a.m. service at Trinity United Church in which they took part.

Many out-of-town boys attending the conference were over-night guests of Schumacher residents.

Refreshments were served by the church ladies, assisted by the C.G.I.T. girls, during the conference. The annual Luncheon was held Saturday night in the McIntyre auditorium.

**The Winners**  
Winners of the skating events were Ron Hembrauff, Max Chernsky, Harold Hammerstrom, Gshippam, Garry Moore, "Butch" Kemball, Lorne Sheridan, James Evert, Garry Jessup, Ron Gold, George Ollman, David Wolfe and Joan Devine.

Winners of the gym events conducted by Ed. Wilson, were, "Butch" Kemball, Dennis Dravers, Jimmy Burnette, George Ollman, Ed. Piche-niuk, Norman Mills, Garry Moore, Doug Stavely, Jim Cameron, Ron Garry, Dale Plante, Ken Reid, Elwood Dryman, Bruce Cosgrove, and Orville Atkins.

**Iroquois Falls**  
Boys attending from Iroquois Falls were Bradley Puvon, David Wolfe, Robert Mongeon, Elwin Rowe, Joe St. Jones, Jim Cameron, George Jessup, Joe Fontaine, John Devine, Peter Harkness, Ronnie Gold, Ross Taylor, Bruce Cosgrove, Mickey Reynolds.

**Matheson**  
From Matheson were Joey McDaniel, Ken Craig, Orland Bruce, Gordon Leavoy, Jack Waghorn, George Ollman, Dennis Draves, Irwin Delaurier, Aubrey Ford, Claude Boileau, Billy Craig, Bob Taylor, Ron Ward, Roger Leavoy, George Grien, Buddy Joseph, Reggie Joseph, Ron Hembrauff, Bill Broughton and Paul Kaltwasser.

**South Porcupine**  
From South Porcupine were Richard Somerville, Ron Mitchell, Bill Connolly, Barry Dwyer, Ron Winney, Brian Crick, Ken Rabouid, George Whyte, Elwood Dryman, Dale Plante, John Mills, Bill Beckert, Gordon Reid.

**Schumacher**  
From Schumacher were Don MacNiel, Bill Adams, Murray Radike, Reg. Hawes, Buddy Price, Gerald Stitt, Gordon Hannah, Jack Robertson, Max Chernsky, Ernest Pellerin, Fred Armitage, Bob Hawes, Ron Watt, Cameron Pellerin, Grant Shippam, Clark Douglas, Calvin Loveless, Gordon Phillips, Mike Beaton, Victor Braney, Melvin Dick, Don Cummings, Fred Shippam, Jim Burnette, Glen Shippam, Alex Yankovich, Jim Everett, Bill Sayers, Bob Watt and Jim Sperks.

**Timmins**  
From Timmins were Ken Reid, Dal-lan Wilson, Bob Butler, Lorne Sheridan, Ken Fowler, Guy Baekler, Stan Belford, Wayne Hill, Garry Smith, Glen MacLeod, Lin Coon, Bill Jones-cue, Geoffrey Morris, Bruce Barber, Reverdy Lutz, Harvey Baechler, Don Jonescu, George Morris, Don Armitage, Monte Cripps, Bob Miller, Mervyn Jones, Rosy Crossman, Bobby Aitkins, Brian Bender, Ray Derby, Steve Johnsescu, Norman Mills.

**Leaders**  
Leaders attending were Rev. Gilmore Smith, Rev. W. M. Mustard, Rev. John Davies, Rev. R. J. Scott, Rev. C. Plaskett, Rev. H. Hongisto, George Golden, George Reid, Bob Fulton, Wendell Reid, Lorne Rogers, Lawrence Morley, Jim Rogers and G. Morris.

**BADMINTON STARS**  
Bob Laidlaw and Jean Scott emerged as the individual stars of the Porcupine Badminton Club tournament held at the McIntyre gym to decide the club championships.

Laidlaw was a triple winner, taking the men's singles crown, teaming with George Richardson to win the men's doubles and pairing with Doreen Routliff to win the mixed doubles.

Jean Scott was a double winner, taking the ladies singles and teaming with Hilda Ross to capture the ladies doubles. She also reached the finals in the mixed doubles but went down to defeat that event.

**Ladies' Singles:**  
Semi-Finals: Jean Scott defeated Barbara May, Ora Kulju defeated

**Men's Singles:**  
Semi-Finals: Gerald Banning defeated R. D. Paquette; Bob Laidlaw defeated Doug Brown.

**Ladies' Doubles:**  
Semi-Finals: Jean Scott-Hilda Ross defeated Doreen Currie-Flo McKerraw; D. Routliffe-N. Routliffe defeated Doris Fenner-Marg Book.

**Final:** Scott-Ross defeated D. Routliffe-N. Routliffe.

**Men's Doubles:**  
Doug Brown-Gerry Banning defeated Ernest Isaac-Joe Stitt; Bob Laidlaw-George Richardson defeated Lew Currie-Len McKerraw.

**Final:** Laidlaw-Richardson defeated Brown-Banning.

**Mixed Doubles:**  
Semi-Finals: Bob Laidlaw-Doreen Routliffe defeated Doug Brown-Flo McKerraw.

Jack Scott-Jean Scott defeated Gerry Banning-Ora Kulju.

**Final:** Laidlaw-Routliffe defeated Scott-Scott.

**Consolation Events**  
Ladies' singles: Hilda Ross defeated Doris Fenner.

Men's singles: Lew Currie defeated Jack Scott.

Ladies' doubles: Barbara May-Marion McKee defeated Doris Fenner-Marg Book.

Men's doubles: R. J. Paquette-R. D. Paquette defeated Jack Magder-Leo Cousineau.

Mixed doubles: P. Bamford, V. Brazeau defeated Lep' McKerraw-Gail Lariviere.

**Parties**  
Mrs. F. Belec entertained a number of friends, recently, after the evening skating session. Mrs. Belec served lunch, assisted by her son, Jackie. Mrs. Clutchee poured tea. A social hour followed. Those attending were: Mrs. J. Sandwith, Mrs. Harry Dobson, Mrs. W. Clarke, Mrs. R. P. Keen, Mrs. F. Zolob, Mrs. S. Keen, Mrs. S. Urquhart, Mrs. Clutchee, Dorothy Belec, Jackie Belec and Mrs. F. Belec.

Mrs. A. Dunlop entertained a number of her friends to a hard time party recently. Games were played.

**Personals**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. Fulin from Sudbury were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Flora.

Mrs. Elizabeth Watson who has been residing at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. S. MacMillan, McIntyre Property, has left to visit relatives in Kirkland Lake. Mrs. Watson was accompanied as far as Swastika by Mrs. J. MacCrae.

**Mission Band**  
The Mission Band held their regular weekly meeting in the Church Hall with the attendance of 20 children. In the absence of Mrs. Fraser, Mrs. J. Kent conducted the worship service, with several of the children assisting.

Mrs. Kent read several stories to the children. Games were played. The meeting closed with prayer. Those attending were: Carol Bilenki, Barry Kent, Connie Buderick, Diana Buderick, Beverly Hawes, Shirley Chicoine, Judy Beaton, Judy Fleming, Diana Price, Pam Hayward, Bobby Fisher, Barry McMillan, Wayne McMillan, Diana McMillan, Elaine Buderick, Henretta Foulton, Shirley Dick, Lin'a Little, Linda Whittle, Sandra Jan Reid and the leader, Mrs. J. Kent.

**Prizes being won by Mrs. A. Robson, Mrs. R. P. Keen, Mrs. W. Robson, Mrs. K. Buchanan, Mrs. C. Bint; and for the best costume, Mrs. J. Montigny, Mrs. Dunlop served lunch, and a jolly time was had by all. Those attending were: Mrs. K. Buchman, Mrs. H. Wallace, Mrs. B. Wallace, Mrs. Cliff Jucksch, Mrs. R. P. Keen, Mrs. A. Robson, Mrs. C. Bint, Mrs. W. Robson, Mrs. W. Robson, Mrs. J. Montigny and the hostess, Mrs. A. Dunlop.**

**Seven Selected From 35 For Timmins Drama Entry**  
The Little Theatre will present "The Patchwork Quilt" starring Mrs. Mae McNeil as Mrs. Willis, for Timmins' entry into the drama festival next month.

The Patchwork Quilt is a one-act play by Rachel Field. It is now being directed by Mrs. Mary Drew, with the following cast, which were chosen from 35 applicants.

Mrs. Willis — Mrs. McNeil  
Anne — Angela Burke  
Joe — Cecil Linder  
William — Anson Raymond  
Molly — Irwina Wilson  
Betty — Colette Polquin  
Emily — Rosetta LeBras.

**THE YMCA IS NOT PAYING ITS WAY**  
The YMCA operated at a deficit of \$386 during the year 1949. Public subscriptions totalled \$4748, the Y's Men's Club contributed \$3500, which total \$8248.

The YMCA expenses \$3864, leaving a deficit of \$386.

"The YMCA," says Gower Markle, "has money in the bank, and still has."

The executive is as follows: President, P. T. Molesley; vice-president, H. C. Freeman; 2nd vice-president, W. Stanley; 3rd vice-president, C. S. Stevens; secretary, T. E. Hawkins; Directors: R. R. Beattie, Rev. R. J. Scott, A. F. McDowell, A. A. Rose, F. A. Robinson, D. Wemyss, H. Kuzk, S. Brillinger, E. Menard, H. Thompson, B. Shelton, E. Menard and Dr. E. A. Dobson.

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Mr. Hans Gerschwiler, has returned to town after being a guest skater at the Hamilton Figure Skating Club, Hamilton.

Miss Millie Verbie has returned to her home after being a guest skater at the Kapuskasing Figure Skating Club.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Feldman are visiting friends in Toronto and Montreal. Mr. Feldman is also attending the Lumber Convention in Toronto.

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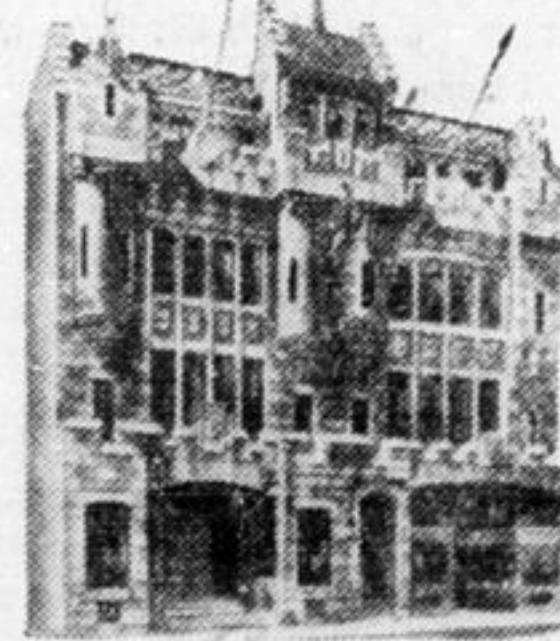
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