

SPORT TOPICS By Frank Mohun MA 3-7234

BADMINTON TOURNAMENT Oshawa's Ken Smith has been in the winner's circle many times but up until last weekend he had never been able to capture the Central Ontario triple crown...

HATS OFF TO B.C.C. For several years we had competed in the C.O.B.A. tournaments, but since becoming a reporter we contented ourselves with sitting in the lounge, just watching the play...

JUVENILES MEET COLLINGWOOD NEXT Bowmanville Juveniles will meet Collingwood in the next round of the O.M.H.A. playoffs. They play in Collingwood either tonight or next Thursday, and here Saturday night at 8 o'clock in a two-game total goals series...

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Town League Hockey Ken's Force Deciding Game

With elimination starting in the face, Ken's Men's Wear rallied in the last half of the game to score a 13-6 win over Hooper's Jewellers last Thursday night at the Memorial Arena. The win evened the best of three set at one win apiece with one game tied. The deciding contest will go tonight at 7:00 o'clock.

Thrilling Final Period Gives Juveniles a 5-5 Tie In Exhibition with St. Mikes

Bill Osborne launched a rocket Saturday night at 17:50 of the third, enabling Bowmanville Juveniles to gain a breath-taking 5-5 tie here with St. Michael's Juveniles. Russell gave the visitors the lead early in the final period, when he tipped the puck behind Wright, after Speyer had shot. This goal stirred Bowmanville to their siege of St. Mike's citadel, where Casey Soden was forced to make some fantastic saves. Despite the continuous assault on Soden by the locals, it appeared that Bowmanville's undefeated streak was about to become non-existent.

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Men's Major Bowling

Bob Williams finally came out of an all season slump to win high single with 359. Bob added two more scores of 228, 220 for a grand total of 807 to win the high triple money. Jack Lander was second with a 353 single game which usually would take the top prize. Jack finished his night with 729. Ralph Kelly had 729. Glen Hodgson 726, Jack Gay 720, Jim Castle 719, Morley Etcher 709 and Don Bagnell 701.

Table with columns: Name, Games, Ave. Lists names like Bill Oke, Dr. H. Rundle, Ernie Perfect, etc.

Ladies' Major Bowling

Bernice Buday's bowlers handed Nora Norris' team a 3-0 setback to increase their first place margin to two points. The loss pushed the Norris team, who have been shut out twice in a row, deeper into the cellar. Dot Brooks' outfit broke back into the win column a 2-1 decision over Onie Etcher's crew. Kay Beauprie's squad dropped a 2-1 game to Lola Wright's club, to remain the only team without a win. Em Stringer's team, downed Donna Preston's bowlers 2-1 to stay within two points of the leaders. Joyce Lyle's team edged Hilda Rickard.

Team Standings W L Pts Lists names like Bernice Buday, Dot Brooks, Lola Wright, etc.

Teenage Bowling

Don Oke's outfit opened up a two point lead over their nearest rivals in the Teenage Bowling League, Saturday afternoon, defeating John Phillip's team 7-0. Larry Thompson paced his crew to a 7-0 shutout win over John Rundle's club to move into the runner-up position by a single point over Jim McKnight's bowlers who won over Tom Mason's team 5-2.

Girls' Team Standings M. Moore, H. Vanstone, V. Brown, L. Brooking, C. Osmond, B. Oke

COBourg BOPS BANTAMS TWICE

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Town League Hockey Star of the Week

GARY "HANK" LANE With elimination facing his team, Gary "Hank" Lane couldn't have picked a better time to turn in his best effort of the season, as Ken's defeated Hooper's in last Thursday's Town League playoff.

"Hank", a top performer with the Legionnaires, played a sound game on defence and scored twice, while assisting on two more. Perhaps the turning point in the game came in the second period, when Lane went through the entire Jewellers club to tie the score. After that, Ken's were never headed. That's why "Hank" Lane won the Surplus Sales' Star of the Week Award.

Shirley Coombs rolled a big 282 game to take high single honours, followed by Helen Vanstone 217, Linda Brooking 212, Brenda Oke 211, Mary Munday 207, Sharon McMurray 204, and Sharon Burgess and Audrey Spicer both with 201 scores.

Linda Brooking had a 568 triple while Audrey Spicer totalled 541.

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Marilyn Moore's team defeated Virginia Brown's bowlers 5-2 to take over the girls' league leadership, as Helen Vanstone's club were handed a 5-2 upset by Linda Brooking's outfit, to slip back to second. Connie Osmond's team on the other two. Ball picked up a pair of assists.

Bill Steven

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