

SPORTS



SUTTON ENTERS TEAM IN O.B.A. JUNIOR BASEBALL LEAGUE

The local Junior O.B.A. baseball schedule will be revamped to include Sutton in the second half. Hal Learoyd and Dick Pearson are the northern promoters for the late

entry and claim they have a pretty fair prospect. Newmarket will open the schedule with Sutton in the Lake Simcoe town this Monday.

A rabbit made a ball game a 'harr-raiser' down at McAlester, Oklahoma the other day. A rabbit ran into the infield in a State League contest. At bat was A. B. Everett. He let fly with the lumber, but missed. The scared hare darted for the stands, but the fans screamed and the rabbit ran back to the diamond as players from both teams gave chase. After a five-minute pursuit, batboy Lou Crowl wound up and let go with a strike that knocked the rabbit out.

The Girls' Softball league is drawing up a new schedule since another team has fallen by the way. Markham-Unionville giving up. Willowdale dropped out two weeks ago. This leaves only Stouffville Aurora and Newmarket in the running unless Richmond Hill can be induced to enter a team.

STOUFFVILLE JRS. SWAMP NEWMARKET BY 8-1 SCORE

Stouffville carried a shutout from Newmarket on Friday night, but for a last inning error which allowed the Yongestreeters to score their lone tally. Freddie Spilman was on the local mound and mowed down seven of the opposing batters via the strikeout route. Gibson and Dales shared the Newmarket mound chores and down six Stouffville batsmen in the same manner. Gibson was chased in the third innings, when the Stouffville lites had a field day, scoring five of their eight runs, on two doubles and three singles. Posenko who did a nice job in second base position came through with a two bagger, his second hit of the night, and Miller followed suit. Schell, Wilson and Spilman all singled.

Ken Schell's arm was in perfect form behind the plate for Stouffville and he threw two men out at second and another at third with a perfect trio of 'pegs'. Freddie Spilman had command of the entire game until the last innings, when he eased up slightly. Blight got to first on an error. Winger, the league's home run king, walked and McTavish singled, to load the bases with none out. However, the Stouffville twirler assured coach George Smith that he was okay, and proved it by striking out the next pair of Newmarket batters.

The win gave Stouffville a commanding league lead of ten points over Newmarket, the second place club. Newmarket visit the local diamond this Wednesday afternoon.

JUNIORS TAKE 4-PT. GAME FROM AURORA

Behind the three-hit pitching of Orval Rouse, Stouffville came from behind to take a 2 to 1 decision from Aurora in a Junior O.B.A. ball game here on Wednesday night. Aurora collected a run in the top half of the third innings when Sutton got on an error and Kyle hit into short right field.

Stouffville's big moment came in the third when Minton walked. Miller doubled into left field and Schell got on an infield hit. Campbell flied out and Sellers and Nicholson went down pitcher to first.

The local nine held another royal chance to fatten their lead in the 6th, after Miller doubled, and Schell and Sellers each hit to load the bases. Miller was caught off third by Aurora catcher.

In the seventh, the home fans were on the edge of their seats or their toes, depending where you happened to be, as with two out and two on, Rouse was ordered to pass Andrus to load the bases. Nigh, the next batter, hit the first ball pitched, a drive down the third base line which Keith Jewett picked out of the air well over his head. It was a million dollar catch, as at least two Aurora men would have crossed the plate had the ball gone into left field for a hit.

The win put Stouffville up in front with 10 points, Newmarket is second with four points and Aurora third with two points, as of Wednesday, June 18th.

STOUFFVILLE JUNIORS TAKE 10-3 SHELLACKING

After winning four straight games in succession, Stouffville Juniors were handed a 10-3 pasting by Aurora on Monday night over on the Yonge Street diamond. It was possibly to be expected that the boys would have a tendency to let down after their consistent winning streak, and that's just what happened.

Aurora batsmen didn't do any overly heavy slugging, but the local lads just couldn't do anything right and the barrage of errors kept Aurora players scampering around the base paths continuously. Smith went the route on the hill for Aurora, while Lorne Schell and Freddie Spilman shared the Stouffville twirling.

Catcher Stan Winger of the Newmarket Junior ball club has hit four homers to date this season, and is top man in the league in this department.

Ronnie Rowe, former Markham junior hockeyist and last winter with Boston Olympics, has been reinstated for soccer. Rowe was suspended for punching a referee last year. He's playing soccer with East End Canadians.

Goodwood Softballers are in second place in the north Ontario League. Greenbank heads the group, with the Junior Farmers, Udonia and Uxbridge following Goodwood in third, fourth and fifth positions.

While manager Bruce Winterstein and Coach Mrs. Bob Bone of the Stouffville girls softball team may not walk off with any silver cups this season, they sure have an up and coming young ball club which will be registered nearer the top next season if they remain together. Helen Snowball, youthful outfielder won't turn 12 until July. Erla Holden is just fourteen. Joan Haines, 11, and "Weiner" Miller 15; Sheila Tait is also a 14-year-old. The remainder of the lineup have only a couple of extra years each with the exception of Gertie Slack.

TO DESTROY DOG AFTER ATTACKS

"We can't have dogs running around loose, and biting people, especially after their owners have been previously warned," Magistrate F. S. Ebbs declared in Whitty Police Court as he ordered the dog of Mr. and Mrs. Kalene Shumovitch, Pickering Township, to be destroyed.

Victor Rudyk, age seven, called as a witness, stated that he was bitten, by the Shumovitch dog on May 27th, while he was riding his bicycle along the road in front of their house. Police Constable Fred White, who investigated the complaint, said that he had made three trips to the Shumovitch home, warning them to keep their dog tied up.

Melville Braymen testified that he had been bitten by the same dog on March 4. Chief Irvin of Pickering added that he had warned the accused on at least two occasions last fall that they must keep their dog tied.

In passing sentence, Magistrate Ebbs stated that in view of the previous warnings that the repeated complaints, he had no other alternative but to order the dog destroyed.

While controls have been relaxed on meals in restaurants, reports are reaching here that prices generally have not gone up to any marked extent, if at all in many localities in Canada.

Township Liability For Cattle Killed Now Limited

A recent amendment to the Ontario Statutes, places the limit of \$250 as a maximum amount of damage that may be claimed for any one head of cattle killed by dogs or dogs unknown to the owner under the "Live Stock Protection Act."

Heretofore any sum could be demanded, and last year in the Township of Markham a city farmer with a valuable herd of cattle claimed \$500 from the township council, alleging one of his young animals was killed by dogs or as a result of being chased by dogs.

The township appealed the case but to no avail. However while the township council did not gain anything momentarily, the result of their vigorous protest headed by Warden Charlie Hooper, the present legislation is on the records. Owners of such valuable animals must in future take steps to protect them.

WEDDINGS

FEASBY—RISEBROUGH

Sandford United Church was the scene of a pretty wedding on Saturday, June 14th, when Marion Irene, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Risebrough of Sandford, became the bride of William Lloyd Feasby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Feasby, also of Sandford. Rev. A. F. Bamford officiated.

The bride who was given in marriage by her father, wore a floor length gown of white embroidered muslin de-soi with long pointed sleeves and fitted bodice. She wore a fingertip veil and halo of white embroidered net and carried a shower bouquet of Briarcliff Roses, white sweet peas and adiantum. Her only ornament was a double strand of pearls, the gift of the groom.

Miss Doris Risebrough sister of the bride was bridesmaid, wearing pale blue sheer, fashioned after the bride's gown and had matching headress.

Amid showers of confetti the happy couple left on a motor trip to Toronto, St. Catharines, Niagara, Buffalo, Muirkirk and other points. The bride wore a frock of romance blue, with navy topcoat and white accessories and wore a corsage of Briarcliff Roses and pink carnations.

LONG—KNIGHT

Westmoreland United Church was the scene of a pretty wedding on June 21st, when Vida Anna Knight, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Knight, Stouffville, became the bride of Mr. John Mervin Long, son of Mrs. Minnie Long and the late Mr. Long of Stayner, Ont. Rev. L. I. Hunter conducted the service and Miss Eleanor Lemon sang during the signing of the register.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white embossed sheer, made on long lines with full skirt and sweetheart neckline. Her fingertip veil was held in place by a coronet of orange blossoms and she carried a cascade of Sweetheart roses. Miss Isabel Collard, maid of honor, was gowned in turquoise nylon taffeta and Miss Jeannette McIntyre, bridesmaid, wore metal pink nylon taffeta. Both carried Talisman roses. Mr. Arthur Knight was groomsmen and the ushers were Mr. William Tilly and Mr. Edgar Latham.

Receiving at the Hearststone, the bride's mother wore grey sheer with corsage of Premium roses and

the groom's mother was in black with corsage of Premium roses. For the wedding trip to the States and Northern Ontario, the bride chose a turquoise blue suit with black accessories.

While some information concerning the Canadian Navy is not available in the public interest, yet an official spokesman for the Government has revealed that the total strength of the Royal Canadian Navy to-day stands at 7,386, of which 1,202 are officers and 1,845 are chief and petty officers, with 3,590 being on the complements of ships.

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