

# SPORTS

NEWS  
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VIEWS

The Stouffville Arena Company has erected a new sign at the corner of Main Street and Park Road South, directing the public to the location of the arena. With so many outside clubs using the facilities here, someone was always making enquiries as where the arena was.

Stouffville Clippers have another road game coming up this Thursday at Collingwood. The Shipbuilders made it very close in their first game at Stouffville, and the game Thursday is expected to attract a good number of local followers.

It was unfortunate that the doubleheader Senior games had to be cancelled here Friday night, one game being played in Markham and one in Stouffville. However, Midland refused to play at the late hour as Markham had arranged, and our neighbours were able to accommodate with a game at the regular hour in their home rink.

That Eclipse-Markham game scheduled for Monday night had to be called off because of lack of ice. The opening OMHA Midget game here with Richmond Hill and Stouffville was also postponed because of weather conditions.

Remember that beginning this week skating nights at the arena will be Wednesday and Friday, with Saturday night being hockey night.

The famous lightweight, Benny Leonard and Johnny Dundee, met eight times. All of the eight bouts were no-decision affairs.

Toronto Meteors have done it again. They tied Orillia Bulldogs on Friday night, to make it four straight tie games for the Toronto Club. Stouffville, Markham, Midland, and now Orillia have all come out on even terms with the Meteors. Markham and Stouffville are still tied for first place in the group standing with nine points each, Meteors are in second spot, Collingwood third, Midland fourth, Orillia and Eclipse bringing up the rear. However, the Millionaires have one game in hand over the Clippers, and Eclipse AC have only played two games so far.

Lloyd Johnston of the Kitchener Record, up-to-date western Ontario daily has this to say about the conditions he maintains exist between the OHA executive and rural centres. "In lean years, the OHA. catered a great deal more to rural communities than in seasons just past. The Gold Dust twins, George Dudley and George Panter, probably have good reason for change of heart, but since W. A. (Bill) Hewitt languishes in the background it's not hard to realize why the W.O.A.A. is rapidly making inroads on OHA. territory. Not so many years ago, if the management of a hockey team from a community numbering under 3,000 people had a beef, the OHA., through Mr. Hewitt, usually granted a fair hearing. In recent years, the country cousins get the familiar brush-off, so it's small wonder Tory Gregg's organization boasts over 200 entries this season. A prime example of the ridiculous relations existing between the OHA. and small-town teams is evident in the 1949-50 groupings.

## Lions Lend a Hand With Minor Hockey

Stouffville Lions Club is having a share in supporting the local minor league hockey teams for the young lads of the town and immediate district. The boys are entered in Midget and Juvenile OMHA. and will play doubleheaders in the local arena on Monday nights. Half the cost of using the arena for this purpose is being supplied by the Lions Club for the season, or so long as the local clubs are in the running. An admission of 25c and 15c is being charged for the two games, and the balance of the arena costs it is hoped, will be obtained in this way. Saturday afternoon skating for the children is already being provided by the Stouffville Athletic Club which foots the bill at the arena for this purpose.

**GARTER SNAKE IN DECEMBER**  
This is the time of year, when a lot of people see snakes—but they're not usually black and green and for the most part they never come singly. However, one gentleman in the Lindsay district has seen a real snake and as a result the snake population dropped by one on December 22, 1949.  
Mr. Howard Deeger reports that he killed a 33-inch grass snake on his Oakwood farm at noon Thursday. He says he could hardly believe his eyes and credits the unseasonably warm weather which was prevailing at the time with the snake's late appearance.

## Saturday Night Hockey Begins This Week

Something new for Stouffville will be Saturday night hockey games, commencing this week, Jan. 7th. The opposition on this occasion will be Toronto Meteors who are picked by some as the team to beat in this OHA Big Seven Senior group. Stouffville Clippers are riding the crest of a four-game winning streak, and will be out to make it five in a row this Saturday.

Public skating will be moved back from Saturday to Friday, which is quite a popular evening, particularly with the young people. There is also public skating on Wednesday nights.

## OMHA Schedules Get Underway

The local OMHA Midget group got underway this week in Stouffville with the local lads meeting Richmond Hill here in the opener. The group is comprised of Richmond Hill, Stouffville, Newmarket and Aurora, with the schedule stretching from Jan. 2nd until Feb. 1st.

The Juvenile group including Stouffville, Aurora and Newmarket gets underway at Newmarket on Jan. 10th. These three clubs are Juvenile 'B' and 'C', Newmarket holding the 'B' category through population.

An OMHA Juvenile 'D' group comprising Unionville, Beaverton, and Keswick will also commence Jan. 10th.

All Minor League games at Stouffville and Newmarket will be doubleheaders, as will the games at Keswick and Beaverton.

### OMHA. JUVENILE

- January 10 Stouffville at Newmarket
- January 13 Newmarket at Aurora
- January 16 Newmarket at Stouffville
- January 20 Stouffville at Aurora
- January 24 Aurora at Newmarket
- January 30 Aurora at Stouffville

### OMHA. MIDGET

- January 2 Richmond Hill at Stouffville
- January 7 Richmond Hill at Newmarket
- January 10 Stouffville at Newmarket
- January 13 Newmarket at Aurora
- January 16 Stouffville at Richmond Hill
- January 20 Newmarket at Stouffville
- January 24 Newmarket at Richmond Hill
- January 27 Aurora at Newmarket
- January 30 Aurora at Richmond Hill
- February 1 Aurora at Stouffville
- February 3 Richmond Hill at Aurora

### OMHA. JUVENILE 'D'

- January 10 Unionville at Beaverton
- January 11 Keswick at Unionville
- January 13 Beaverton at Keswick
- January 17 Keswick at Beaverton
- January 18 Beaverton at Unionville
- January 20 Unionville at Keswick
- January 24 Unionville at Beaverton
- January 25 Keswick at Unionville
- January 27 Beaverton at Keswick
- January 31 Keswick at Beaverton
- February 1 Beaverton at Unionville
- February 3 Unionville at Keswick

### KILLS YOUNG BRUSH WOLF IN ELDON

Measuring five feet, two inches from the tip of her brush to her nose, a year-old female brush wolf was shot by Ewart MacInnes, of Lorneville, on his own farm a few days ago. MacInnes took the pelt into Lindsay to present it at the county building in order to claim the \$25 bounty. In addition he will receive another bounty from Eldon Township, where the marauder was killed.  
The wolf was taken on Mr. MacInnes' own farm, just at daybreak last Friday. He has had no trouble with wolves this year, he says, although last year, he saw a sheep killed by one of the animals less than 25 yards away.

There are 25 common sizes of tins in use in Canada for proceed foods, according to the American Can Company.

## Clippers Swamp Swansea Sentinels 14-6

(Jim Thomas)  
The Senior Clippers continued their goal-blazing form on Monday, and completely overwhelmed the supposedly powerful Swansea Sentinels 14-6.

Gallagher for the Sentinels scored in 20 seconds of the first period, but that was the last time the light flicked on local goalie Mulholland until midway through the last stanza.

The Clippers for their part swamped the visitors with five goals in the first period, six in the second, and another three in the final period.

Bill Bradbury and Gord Lewis led the scoring parade, each getting three counters, the former's all coming in the second period. Lewis also counted three assists. Les Clark and Don Couch each notched two, with Sayliss, Rose, Gault and Drummond one each.

Gallagher was best for Swansea with three of his club's half dozen counters.

## Markham Trims Midland 6-1

(Jim Thomas)  
Putting up their familiar third period rally Markham Millionaires scored a 6-1 victory over Midland Flyers on Friday night. Three goals by Brennan near the end of the game paced the winners' attack. G. Scott, B. Forgie and J. Rumney each scored once. Armstrong picked up the visitors' lone tally midway through the first period.

## Clippers Show Great Scoring Power in Win Over Eclipse A.C.

Winning their fourth straight victory, Stouffville Clippers displayed a much-improved club, and great scoring power in their OHA. Senior trouncing of Eclipse AC 7-3 on Friday night.

About eight hundred fans took in the show and were very pleased with what they saw.

Scoring honors were well distributed throughout the local team, only Geo. Sayliss accounting for more than one tally. Other marksmen were Couch, Hochberg, Lewis, Baker and Gault. Don Gault also chalked up three assists.

Bill Mulholland, Clipper goalie, turned in a good night, although he was not tested to the same extent as Hutz in the Eclipse twine. Incidentally it was Mulholland's fourth win since joining the Clippers. Hutz was by far the busiest man on the ice, as he ward off streams of rubber from Stouffville sticks.

Despite Stouffville's territorial advantage the Eclipse crew held to a 3-3 tie until midway through the final period when Hochberg clicked on a screened shot which Hutz had no chance to save. This tie-breaker took a lot of zip out of the visitors, and the Clippers rolled in three more before the end of the period.

Big Gord Ecclestone, former Marlboro star, was a tower of strength on the Eclipse defence, and made a solo rush the entire length of the ice in the first period to score unassisted.

- | First Period                           |       |
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| 1. Stouffville, Couch, Gault           | 3:10  |
| 2. Eclipse, Walker, Jarvis             | 5:00  |
| 3. Stouffville, Sayliss, Clark         | 6:11  |
| 4. Stouffville, Sayliss, Gault         | 7:50  |
| 5. Eclipse, Ecclestone                 | 19:00 |
| pen.—Clark, Hopper, Jarvis, Ecclestone |       |
| Second Period                          |       |
| 6. Eclipse, Walker, Hill               | 4:05  |
| pen.—Hochberg, Jarvis                  |       |
| Third Period                           |       |
| 7. Stouffville, Hochberg               | 13:10 |
| 8. Stouffville, Lewis, Gault           | 15:00 |
| 9. Stouff., Baker, Bradbury            | 18:50 |
| 10. Stouffville, Gault, Lewis          | 19:05 |
| pen.—Ecclestone, Gault                 |       |

### AURORA CITIZEN DEAD, HOWARD B. LONGFIELD

Stricken suddenly with a severe stroke and coronary thrombosis on Dec. 22, Howard B. Longfield, Aurora, died Saturday morning, Dec. 24.

An employee of Collis Leather company, Mr. Longfield was well known in Aurora district where he was born. Before starting to work in Aurora, Mr. Longfield was employed for a short time at the Office Specialty Mfg. Co. Ltd., in Newmarket, and before that farmed in the district. He was in his 53rd year.

Mr. Longfield is survived by his second wife, Myrtle J. Sherman, whom he married in Dec. 1947. His first wife, Nellie Viola Cook, predeceased him. Other survivors are three sons, Milton, Newmarket, Bruce, Sharon and Carl, at home; and four daughters, Mrs. F. Daly (Marjory), Newmarket, Mrs. E. Ellis (Barbara), Aurora, and Grace and Linda at home. Also surviving are two stepdaughters, Mrs. Doug. Nesbitt, Toronto, and Gloria Sherman at home, and six grandchildren.

Interment was made in Greenbank Cemetery, service being conducted by Rev. A. R. Park, Baptist Minister.

### WANT TO MAKE YOURSELF TWENTY-FIVE?

Every follower of hockey in Canada will be a scout for Waterloo's 1950-51 entry in the Junior "A" O.H.A. circuit if they take advantage of the offer made by Manager Jim McCormick. The sharp, hustling McCormick will pay \$25 to any person who recommends a player who is good enough to make an All-Star team which will be picked after a school is held at the Waterloo Arena sometime in April.

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### ALMIRA

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Grove of Markham visited one evening recently with Mr. and Mrs. John Timbers.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Conner and family had New Year's dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simpson of Ballantrae.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stickley and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Jarvis and Carol had dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cober.

Mr. and Mrs. Menno Grove of Markham, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Loveless and family of Agincourt spent New Year's day with Mr. and Mrs. John Timbers.

Mr. and Mrs. Telfer Wegg and Gertie, Mr. and Mrs. John Wegg and Teddy of Cashel and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Jarvis and Carol of Peaches had New Year's dinner Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stickley.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Wideman and family had dinner Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Conner.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Heise and family of Gormley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nigh.

There were ninety and nine who stayed away. We would like to welcome at least seventy-five of them this month, Jan. 9th, in the Stouffville Baptist Church.

### LAUDER LOW AS 50th ANNIVERSARY NEARS

Sir Harry Lauder, 79-year-old singing comedian, is clinging to life in his Lanarkshire home in Scotland, on the 50th anniversary of his introduction to the London stage. He was stricken Aug. 23 with cerebral thrombosis. The last few months his condition has remained unchanged.

## STOUFFVILLE ARENA

### - Programme -

For The Coming Week

Thursday, Jan. 5 -

4.30 p.m. — Juvenile Practice.  
7.00 p.m. T.H.L., 5 hockey games.

Friday, Jan. 6 -

4.00 p.m. — Midget Practice.  
8.00 p.m. — Public Skating.

Saturday, Jan. 7 -

1.30 p.m. — Free Skating, children under 12.  
8.30 p.m. — O.H.A. Senior Hockey, Clippers vs. Meteors.

Monday, Jan. 9 -

8.30 p.m. — O.H.A. Senior Hockey, Clippers vs. Eclipse A.C.

Tuesday, Jan. 10 -

4.30 p.m. — Free Skating, beginners under 8 yrs.  
7.00 p.m. T.H.L., 5 hockey games.

Wednesday, Jan. 11 -

2.00 p.m. — Bush Hockey.  
8.00 p.m. — Public Skating.

### CAMERON GIRL RETURNING FROM AFRICAN MISSION

Christmas was something special for Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Milloy of Cameron, when their daughter, Miss Edith Milloy was on hand for the family celebrations.

Edith, who has been with the Sudan Interior Mission, returned home from Nigeria. She sailed from the sea port of Lagos, Nigeria, on December 15, arriving in New

York in time to reach Cameron for Christmas. It is learned that she has been severely ill several times during her stay in Nigeria, and that she will spend a year's furlough in this country before returning.

Widely known throughout the Lindsay district, she spoke on missions at many meetings in this area before her departure for Africa in January, 1946.

## Special Evangelistic Meeting

in RINGWOOD CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sunday, January 8th to January 15th (Both Sundays Inclusive)

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Children's Meetings at 4.00 p.m., Monday to Friday

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