

# SPORTS

## Mt. Zion Wins Comm. League Championship

Mount Zion are the new champions in the Claremont Community Softball League. They defeated Peach's 13-12 on Monday night to take the series three games to one. Claremont were the champs last season.

**Early Lead**  
Mt. Zion jumped into an early lead in the opening innings and although Peach's staged a rally in the middle stages they could not even the score. The winners counted a pair of runs in the first and third innings and four in the second to hold an 8-1 advantage. They added three in the sixth and two in each of the seventh and eighth innings. Peach's fielding was rather erratic as they committed no less than 6 errors in three innings. The frigid temperatures made it difficult for both the pitchers and fielders to turn in top performances and bobbles by both clubs were rather frequent.

**Three Pitchers**  
Coach Jack Warriner brought his entire three-man pitching staff into the game. Ross Beck started on the mound and worked four innings. He allowed 4 hits, walked 1 and struck out none. Don Wheeler relieved in the fifth and lasted three innings. He was clipped for 7 hits, walked 1 and struck out 1. Bert Beckett entered the game in the eighth and finished the contest. He allowed 2 hits, walked 1 and registered no strike outs. Ron Jones pitched the entire nine innings for Mt. Zion. He gave up 14 hits, walked 7 and struck out 6 batters.

**Home Runs**  
There were four clean-cut home runs in the final game, three from the bats of Mt. Zion players and one hit by Peach's. Ron Jones clubbed out a round-tripper in the seventh with nobody on base. Kay Evans smashed a four-bagger into the deep

outfield with the bases empty in the same inning and Murray Jones gave the ball a ride for a circuit hit with one on in the sixth. Earl Brooks, Peach's short stop, slammed a three run homer in his team's half of the sixth inning.

**Best Batters**  
Pitcher Ron Jones was Mt. Zion's top batsman, clubbing a triple, a single and a home run in five appearances at the plate. Murray Jones and Kay Evans each connected for a single, a double and a home run. Other safeties came from the bats of Grant Carson, a triple, Doug Bryant, a double, Grant Jones and Allan Carson, each with three hits. Brooks clubbed a single, a double and a home run while Beckett hit two singles and a triple. Carl Timbers and Gord Pilkey each pounded out a double and a single. Other safeties came from the bats of Les Jarvis, a triple, Harry Lewis, a triple, Dennis Pilkey and Eric Pilkey, singles.

**No Trophy**  
In spite of the well-earned victory, there was no formal presentation of the coveted trophy, that Mt. Zion had worked for the past four months to claim. Aside from the usual three cheers and friendly handshakes, the victory appeared to be little more than routine win for a well-coached squad. Mt. Zion have been in the group for four seasons and it is their first championship. The whereabouts of the silverware seemed to be a mystery to both the players and their supporters. (Perhaps the presentation will be made when the season opens again next May). Mt. Zion, this year were double winners, having completed the regular schedule in the top position and then marching on to the group honours.

## Mount Zion, Claremont Community League Champions



Mount Zion are the new softball champions in the Claremont Community League. They captured the honours by defeating Peach's in the group finals, three games to one. The winners are pictured above. Left to right—Front Row: Ron Jones, Grant Jones, Stan McMullen, Wes Evans, Doug Bryant. Rear Row—Lorne Jones (Coach), John Hill, Kay Evans, Allan Carson, Bruce O'Brien and Ralph Jones (Mgr.). Lorne Disney is absent.

—Jim Thomas.

### LOCAL MAN ATTENDS HISTORICAL SERIES GAME IN NEW YORK

Mr. Ted Topping, local businessman, was one of 64,000 fans at Yankee Stadium on Monday afternoon who witnessed a game that will go down in the record books as the most spectacular pitching feat ever accomplished in World Series competition. He stood, with that huge throng of open-mouthed spectators and watched lanky Don Larsen hurl a perfect, no-hit, no-run ball game.

Mr. and Mrs. Topping decided to make the 500 mile jaunt to New York on Saturday. Accompanied by well-known hockey referee Jim Crombie and a number of other sports enthusiasts, the party took in Sunday's tilt and then stayed over for Monday's contest. As you all know now, it turned out to be possibly the game of the century.

Mr. Topping was one of many who occupied standing room

### Brooklin Trio To Barrie Juniors

Three members of last season's Brooklin Juniors entered the training camp of the Barrie Flyers on Monday for a one-week tryout with the Jr. "A" squad. Bill Cornish, Bob Carnegie and Neil Pascoe, three players who paced Brooklin to the Ontario championship last winter, will attempt to make the jump into "A" competition. Barrie is the farm club of the Boston Bruins.

Charlie Grandy, defenceman with the Brooklinites, has moved over to Hamilton for a tryout with the Mountain Club. Aurora has four former stars at the St. Catharines camp, namely Ross Patrick, Doug McInnes, Wayne Spence and Barry Cook. Newmarket's Grant Morton is also with the Teepees, a member of the Chicago Black Hawk chain. Patrick is believed to have a good chance for promotion and Morton may also make the squad although he has just one year of Junior hockey left.

### Mt. Zion Trims Peach's 10-4

Although both pitchers gave up only seven hits, Mt. Zion took advantage of walks to rack up a 10-4 victory over Peach in the third game played on Friday evening of last week. Both Don Wheeler of Peach's and Ron Jones of Mt. Zion went the nine inning distance on the mound for their respective clubs. Wheeler was clipped for 7 hits, walked 5 and struck out 4. R. Jones allowed 7 hits, walked 5 and fanned 7 opposition batters.

The winners sewed up the contest in the fifth inning when five runs crossed the plate. A pair of walks to Stan McMullen and Wes Evans, a single by Doug Bryant and two-base blows from the bats of Jack Hill and Kay Evans put the game in the bag for Mt. Zion.

Peach's best inning was in the sixth when they counted two runs. An error on Keith Baxter's infield pop-up, triple by Eric Pilkey and a single by Gord Pilkey pushed a pair of runs across the plate.

Kay Evans once again paced the Mt. Zion plate attack with a home run and a double in three official trips. Jack Hill clouted a triple and a double. Stan McMullen and Ron Jones each pounded doubles. Doug Bryant hit a single. Peach's clean-up batter, Harry Lewis tagged hurler Ron Jones for a single and a double. Gord Pilkey hit a pair of singles. Other safeties came from the bats of Eric Pilkey, a triple, and Earl Brooks, a single.

### LEMONVILLE

Walter Greer was rushed to Newmarket Hospital last Thursday evening and underwent an emergency appendectomy. We are glad to report he returned home Tuesday evening and hope he continues to improve.

The teacher and pupils of Lemonville school entertained their mothers at a Red Cross and Thanksgiving entertainment Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Archer, Lynn and Mrs. A. Yake motored to Parry Sound, spending the Thanksgiving holiday weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Weir and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ern. Hisey and family, Vineland, spent the holiday weekend with Mr. and Mrs. H. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Preston enjoyed Thanksgiving Dinner on Sunday with their daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morton, Toronto.

The Hastings family spent Thanksgiving Day with their daughter at Schomberg.



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positions for the early stages of the game, but desiring to get a closer look, he strolled nonchalantly down the aisle close to the fence. Fortunately for him, he arrived at this coveted spot at precisely the same time to slam his home run, which proved to be the contest's winning tally.

Mr. Topping used his movie camera to good advantage and filmed the Yankee slugger as he uncorked his 450 foot drive. Mr. Topping described vividly the tenseness which seemed to grip the entire stadium as the fans realized that Larsen was well on his way to making baseball history. As the game progressed, one fan, who apparently remembered that he had forgotten to pull the cord out of the electric iron, left his ring-side seat. Mr. Topping, seeing the vacancy, quickly ushered himself to the seat where he stayed until the end of the game.

He said he had a perfect view of the infield unhindered by a screen of other annoying obstacles. Mr. Topping noted that the ushers were very obliging and even assisted him in getting a good position where he might obtain close-up camera coverage.

In attendance at the game, in a nearby seat was Mrs. Mickey Mantle and Teresa Brewer. At the end of the contest as the players filed out from their dressing rooms to waiting cars, Ted was fortunate enough to stand within arms-reach of Mrs. Mantle and Teresa Brewer as they waited near their Cadillac. He and Mr. Crombie obtained the autographs of Jerry Coleman and noted sports announcer, Mel Allen. It was a day of days for the local resident, one that he will never forget for the rest of his life.

### LOCAL

Mr. John Summerfeldt and Bruce Fockler of Ringwood and Ken McFarlane of Stouffville visited in Buffalo on the holiday weekend.

## Thornhill Beat Sluggers 7-4, Extend Series To The Final Game

A fifth and final game will be played to decide the Markham Township softball championship. On Tuesday night Thornhill squared the series by beating Buttonville 7-4 here under the lights in nine bone-chilling innings. With temperatures hovering in the mid-thirties, Bill Bowen and Jack Rummy worked on the mound for their respective teams. The Yonge Street speedballer was clipped for only 8 hits. He walked 1 and struck out 8. Jack Rummy gave up 16 safeties, walked 1 and fanned 2 Thornhill batters.

The winners jumped into an early lead and although the Sluggers showed signs of a rally in the late stages, they couldn't pull back on even terms. Bill Bowen was in top form for the Thornhill squad and claimed a number of Buttonville batters with his blazing fast ball. They led 4-1 after two innings and added one in the fifth and a pair in the eighth. Buttonville counted single tallies in the second and ninth innings and two in the sixth.

Redman was Thornhill's top batsman, clouting a single, a double and a triple in four trips to the plate. MacDonald had three single, Huggins, a single and a triple, Halman, a double and a single and Herb Rose, a pair of singles. George Rummy was Buttonville's most potent batsman, whacking out three singles. Bud Barber clouted the only round tripper of the game and Polly Minton pounded out a double. Clare Fockler, Bert Baker and Jack Rummy collected the other safe hits.

### BROOKLIN OUSTED IN FINALS 4-1

Brooklin's Junior "C" team was ousted by Virgil on Saturday afternoon 4-1 in the third and final game for the Ontario Championship. Virgil took the opener 5-1 but the homesters bounced back to square the series on their own diamond with a 3-2 win.

Nell Pascoe worked on the mound for the locals. Virgil counted runs in the early innings and although Brooklin threatened at various stages in the game, they couldn't pull the contest out of the fire. In the final inning with two runners on base, short stop Grant Jones came close to keeping his club in the series with a line drive over third base. The Virgil third sacker leaped in the air and pulled it down to end the attempted last-ditch rally.

**FLIRT:** A woman who is always seen in the best of triangles.

### NEW SR. "A" GROUP OPENS OCTOBER 19

The Eastern Ontario Senior "A" Hockey League takes to the ice this week preparatory to the 52-game seasonal grind, which gets under way October 19.

Coach Bep Guidolin sends his Belleville McFarlands into practice action Monday. Kingston, Whitby, Cornwall and Pembroke also start training next week.

Jim Shirley of the St. John Beavers will guard the nets for Belleville. They have signed L. Hinchberger and Lloyd Crawford of the Valdor Northern Quebec League team, who, with Kent Douglas, will look after the defense duties.

Kingston "Elsies" have signed former Brookville star Don Thompson, Gerry Moore and Frank Cerelli of the British Hockey League, as well as several former Junior "A" players. Their goalie hopes received a jolt when the Kitchener Dutchmen signed Bob Senior, a Kingston boy.

The Pembroke Lumber Kings have 14 of last year's Northern Hockey League team in harness. Lorne Anderson, former Sudbury Wolves goalie, will guard the nets in place of Cliff Hicks, who has signed with Indianapolis.

Newcomers to the Whitby team this season will be Ted O'Connor (Windsor Bulldogs), Charlie Burns (Toronto Marlboro's), Gordie Myles (North Bay Trappers), George Samolenko (Kingston Goodyears), Jack Armstrong (Windsor Bulldogs), Ken Green (Owen Sound Mercury's), John Tolton (University of Toronto Blues), Bob Dawson (Pembroke Lumber Kings), Bob Cooper (Chatham Maroons), Bob Paul (Providence and New Westminster) and Jack Thaler and Wally Samanski formerly with Whitby.

Other members of last season's team who will be on hand are Ross Hare, Jack Donley, Bob Atterley, Harry Sinden, Bus Gagnon, Tommy O'Connor, Frank Bonello, Sandy Air, Fred Eicher, Ted Degray, Eddie Redmond, Alf Treen and Don McBeth.

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**CELEBRITY:** A nonentity who has been on television twice.

**CARS ARE MY LINE**  
by Neil Patrick

**FOLLOWING, PASSING AND BRIGHT LIGHTS**

In the past we've talked a bit about safety, speed laws and the testing of cars. But, as the old saying goes, the most important part of a car is the nut behind the wheel. Bad driving, I've always felt, comes more from not knowing the rules than from outright cussedness.

For driving on the open highway the three things that worry us most, I think, are how closely should you follow? How much room should you allow to pass? How can you defend yourself from bright lights?

When the driving is good, the weather clear and the highway fairly straight, the best rule is to allow one car length between you and the fellow up ahead, for every 10 miles an hour of speed. At 50 miles an hour, therefore, you should be at least five car lengths behind.

At 60 miles an hour it takes at least 10 seconds to pass another car and you should have at least 400 feet of clear, straight road ahead. Keep in mind that for safe passing you need the length of two football fields, a long, long way. (I'd sooner be driving it than running it).

The rule on headlight glare is better known: keep your eyes on the road and helps to keep the light out of your eyes.

And, of course, every nut in the car — except the one behind the wheel — should be thoroughly tight. A sound, reliable car is not only a big step towards safety in itself, it gives you, as the owner, a peace of mind that brings happier, safer driving. That's why the cars on our used car lot are tested, tightened and tried, before they're ever shown to you.

Next week's column has a sure fire cure for dogs that chase cars. See you then.

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plans a real battle. It is expected that Brooklin will again be the big stumbling block in the path of the Jets' march to the group honors although they may lose some of their better stars to Junior "A" company.

**SOCCKER FINAL**  
The final game of the local soccer group will be played in Stouffville under the lights on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. Newmarket and Aurora will battle for the league trophy.

# DOMINION

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