LIFE SUSPENSION NEEDED

Every time I witness a stick-swinging brawl in the total arena, I am convinced that it is the worst exhibition of poor sportsmanship, to be displayed here. Although I have seen literally dozens of such incidents, Tuesday night's fracas is without doubt unequalled in the annals of local hockey.

-From my vantage point, about twenty feet from the battle scene, there was little or no excuse for Georgetown's Dave Irons, to completely "blow his top". I have seen a player take a malicious swing at an opponent with his stick but to repeat such an act three or four times in succession is going beyond all limits. Except for the intervention of Stouffville goalle, Joe Carpenter, a major injury might have resulted. Defenceman, Dave Voyce also incurred the wrath of the officials when he jabbed the butt end of his stick into linesman, Polly Minton. Although, to me, this action cannot be compared with the assault on forward Bud Lehman, it is likely that the O.H.A. will take an equally dim view of this affair, also.

Any player who loses his head and makes "a deliberate attempt to injure" an opponent, has no place in the game. Had he connected with one of his intended blows, Lehman would no doubt have been hospitalized or even worse, suffered a permanent injury. Such a man should not be permitted to carry such a lethal weapon as a hockey stick. When crossed, any rival player becomes a potential victim. The referee's report will have considerable bearing on the sentence that will be handed down in this case. I would contend that such an athlete is a menace both to sport and its competitors.

IN COMPLETE AGREEMENT

The O.H.A. plans to crack down on the use of abusive language by junior, intermediate and senior hockey players. According to local Executive Member, Mr. L. E. "Tim" O'Neill, a fine of \$25 is being considered for each offense. A fourth infraction could nip \$100 from a player's pocket-book.

I am in complete agreement with any decision along this line. Too often, players seem to forget that the attention of hundreds of fans is focused on them. When they unthinkingly eject a volley of blasphemous comments, a black mark is immediately chalked up against both themselves and the sport. Women and children should not be subjected to such abuse whether it is directed at the officials or at a single spectator. In many games, such remarks may go unnoticed, but in hockey, this is not the case. In the Stouffville Arena, for example, front row fans are located on a direct level with the players.

. If offensive players lack for personal pride and gentlemanly conduct perhaps a few touches on their wallets will quiet their verbal enthusiasms.

SHOULD CHANGE ICING BULE

I feel that there should be a change in the present icing rule. At the present time, a defending team, when shorthanded, may repeatedly shoot the puck down the ice to relieve the pressure. Often a club, even with a man advantage, may not get a single shot on their rival's net. Much of the two minutes is spent chasing the disk into a team's own end zone. It doesn't take much head-work for a defence man or forward to lift a rafter-high shot over the heads of attacking rivals.

The icing of the puck can be even more irritating when a team holds a one goal lead and minutes are ticking off on straight time. True, the puck is returned, but many valuable minutes can be wasted through this practice. I have seen this happen in many minor league contests. A smart coach will instruct his club to ice the puck whenever possible.

I would contend that a penalty should be imposed on the team that commits this offense when the game is being run off on a straight time basis. I would outlaw the loing rule entirely when a club is shorthanded. It might act as a deterrent to rule infractions.

COMMUNITY HOCKEY LG.

Ringwood 5. Ballantrae 1

(Detroit)

Detroit in First place-W.1

L 2. T 1. Pts 29. Scored a Tota

Peach's 5. Brougham 3

Claremont 5, Altona 1

Friday, Feb. 13-

Games Cancelled

Peach's 11 0

Ringwood

Ballantrae .

Altona

Schedule-

PEEWEE-

Bill Lehman

David Oldham

Larry Foote.

Peter, Turner

John Heaton

Ian Ratcliff

of 56 Goals

David Beckett

Mogens Jenson

Bruce Mehaney

David Jackson

Kirk Mortimer

Barry Zellar

C. Matwecky

Michael Moore

Boston in Second place -

(Rangers)

Rangers in third place — W

L 9, T 2, Pts. 14. Scored a tota

Jack Shields

of 34 Goals.

Teddy Todd

Donald Smith

Brent Weldon

Benny Aida

Danny Irwin

Randy Mole

Joe: Forsyth

of 46 Goals.

Eric Hamilton

D. Whittington

Mike Roxborough

Arthur Maxwell

Robert Daniels

Wallace Pugh

Charles Yake

performance,

Laurie Buckland

Pat Smith

Billy Harper

Larry Plaskett

Ricky Thompson

Robert Kennedy

Brougham 6

Claremont . 5

OHA Int. "B" Group Standing

Bradford Stouffville Beeton Collingwood Alliston Orangeville

LIONS BANTAM STATISTICS

Roger Forsyth 3 21 Ronald Castle Francis Haylow Arlan Galbraith 13 Blair Wagg Paul Stover Eric Nellson Robert Mole Jim Mehaffey Tom Roberts Paul Grose Pittsburg Leads with 8 wins. ties. 4 losses, with 18 points.

Total goals scored - 66. Billy Payne

Total goals scored - 49.

Gary Brown Jim Miller Brian Madill Tom Benson Ted Redshaw Jim Redshaw D. DeLa Matter Maloolm Ratcliff Donald Drake Buffalo second with 6 wins. ties. 4 losees, with 16 points. Richard Yakeley

MAPLE LEAFS

Ross Brown Barry McLean Tim Kennedy Larry Taylor Eric Mortimer David James Darcy Foreyth Ted Winterfield Roy Perrauk Rickey Paisley . . Wayne Crowder Maple Leafs third with 5 wins, 3 ties, 67 losees, for 13 points.

Total goals scored - 57. CANADIENS Bill Corner. Frank Taylor Kelth Foreman Kenny Aida Allan Meabry Jim Harper David Winn Harold Yake Bob Budd Keith Betz Bruce Browning Bobby Lamb Leonard Elacklock Canadiens : fourth with 4 wins

Total goals scored — 53.

1 tie. 9 losses, for 9 points,

One day last week Mrs.: Walter Girls - Club to Toronto Friday night. The Bantams will play at Raw what at first appeared to be afternoon for the matines show- 7 p.m. and the Midgets will the Bantam coach. Keith Suth- tions. During the meeting a direction of Mrs. Dowdell and Mr. Isaac Catherwood is holfa skunk up a tree, but on closer ing of the Ice Follies at Maple | square off at eight o'clock. | erland handles the Midgets. | letter was read dealing with the Mrs. Speers. inspection, proved to be a Leaf Gardens. At the same time pilated woodpecker. These big Nancy. Walter and a group of competition this season for the Stouffville Lions Club. The a collection is to be taken for family had dinner with Mr. fellows are fairly rare around friends, celebrated Nancy's birth- cither, local club. Both teams return game will be played in this at the next meeting. Any- Grant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. day early with a trip to the same Masse, parts,

32 Goals Mrs. Russ Jarvie and Mrs.

Chicago in fourth-W 4. L

T 2. Pts. 10. Scored a total of

Georgefown Players Suspended Clippers Win 6-2

Forward Dave Irons and defenceman Dave Voyce, both of Georgetown, were ejected from a scheduled O.H.A. Intermediate "B" game in the Stouffville Arena on Tuesday night following a vicious attack on a player and an official. Both penalties carry automatic suspensions. Irons was also tagged with a five minute major. The Clippers upset the leagueleaders by a score of 6-2.

Strikes Lehman Leftwinger Bud Lehman of Stouffville, was the victim of Irons' stick-swinging attack. The incident occurred in the second period with the Clippers holding a 3-1 lead. Lehman and Irons collided on the backboards after the latter failed in a close-in scoring bid. Irons flailed Lehman about the head and shoulders with his stick.

Carpenter to Rescue In previous years, Lehman would have retaliated, but on this occasion he declined to return the attack. Clipper netminder, Joe Carpenter, an eye-witness on the scene, vaulted from his cage to Lehman's defence. He toppled Irons to the ice and pummeled him about the head and face with both fists. Players from both benches charged onto the ice but didn't become involved. The two combatants were finally separated by referee Bob Naden and linesman Polly Minton.

Swings at Fan At the height of the fisticuffs, defenceman Dave Voyce of Georgetown took exception to remarks from partisan Stouffville fans and attempted to retaliate with his stick. He later jostled with Clipper rearguard Ronnie Guy at centre ice and a new fight flared. During the melee, Voyce Jabbed the butt end of his hockey stick into linesman Polly Minton. He was immediately ejected from the game. He had to be forcibly led from the ice by his own team mates, as he tried vainly to renew the attack. Both Voyce and Irons will appear before a meeting of the O.H.A. Board. Mr. L. E. "Tim" O'Neill, a member of the Executive, was in attendance at the game and witnessed the entire schmozzle. Goalie Carpenter and rearguard, Guy each received five minute majors. At Their Best

It was Stouffville's best home performance of the entire season. They outplayed the league-leaders from the opening faceoff and were full value for their win. It was a complete reversal of form from the Bradford-Clipper contest of Saturday night. Grant Edwards and John Ross each potted a pair of goals. Singles came from the sticks of Kevin O'Connor and Geo. Stark. Jim Cunningham and Dave Irons were the Georgetown marksmen. It was Stouffville's initial victory over the "Raiders" this season.

Blackwell Good Defenceman Moe Blackwell was one of the stars of the game. He turned in a torrid offensive effort and handed out a number of jolting checks to free-wheeling Georgetown forwards. Geo. Carey continued his fine performance, although held off the score sheet. Geo. Stark's solo rush was a picture

Although the group playoffs are just around the corner, Stouffville's definite opposition in the first round has not been settled. They will meet either Bradford or Georgetown. Milton are currently in the fourth and last playoff position, two points behind Stouffville. The Clippers clash with Milton on Friday night.

Grant Jones Makes 4 Point Gain in Scoring Race

Grant Jones, front-line speed ster with Claremont's 1st string line, made the biggest individ- Clippers Absorb 15-6 ual gain in the Community League scoring race on Friday night. The winger fired two goals and picked up a pair of assists. His point-scoring splurge moved him from the number 16 He trails team-mate, Lloyd Pas-

a 5-1 win over Altona. Five other players enjoyed 3 the first playoff round. point gains in Friday's contests. The Clippers couldn't get un-Gord Lewis of Peach's fired two tracked all night. Phil Nicholas goals and picked up one assist and John Ross were two goal and Lloyd Pascoe of Claremont marksmen. Kevin O'Connor and netted one goal and assisted on Bud Lehman fired singles. Don a pair. Ross Madill of Ringwood Booth, Jim Patton and Wally and Lorne Disney of Brougham Stauthers each potted a pair each counted two goals and for the winners. Norm Dowdell, assisted on one. Don Harmon of

Ringwood collected 3 assists. leads the pack in total points. sion. He has blinked the light 14 times and picked up 12 assists for 26 points. Ringwood's Ross Madill climbed up into a tie with Lewis in actual goals. Jim Harrison of Peach's has 13. Grant Carson and Lorne Disney of Brougham and Lloyd Pascoe of Claremont have beaten rival netminders 11 times.

Jake Harmon of Ringwood is currently setting a torrid pace. One of the league's late starters. he has been steadily gaining on opposition forwards since joining Clare Fockler's squad .. The individual statistics are as fol-

Lewis Peach's M. Lewis, Peach's R. Madill, Ringwood 14 5 19 D. Harmon, Ringwood 7 12 19 L. Disney, Brougham 11' 8 19 G. Carson, Brougham 11 8.19 Harrison, Peach's 13 Suzuki, Ringwood 11 7 18 G. Carter, Brougham 10 8 18 Pascoe, Clarem't ___ 11 . 6.17 F. Hendy, Ball'trae Jones, Claremont R. Pipher, Altona H. Simpson, Ball'trae H. Forgie, Altona D. Thomas, Peach's Reesor, Peach's... C. Timbers, Peach's P., Baluk, Brougham .. 6 B. Fockler, Ringwood 6 B. Anthony: Peach's 7 4 11 H. Lewis, Peach's D. Forfar, Ballantrae Atkinson, Ball'trae 6 5 11 B. Cherry, Claremont 4 6 10 M. Grove, Peach's H. Malcolm, Brougham 5. 3 C. Fockler, Ringwood A. Wilkins, Altona

Pickering Here

Stouffville will play host to London. two Pickering minor clubs in the first round of the OMHA! Mary Connor took the Senior playous here on Thursday object. It's a myth.

exhibition tilts. Hal Gibson is afternoon.

Setback at Bradford

Bradford's Fraser Dunn made his sizzling shot pay off on Sat urday night as the "marshmen" position to 12th in the group. chalked up a one-sided 15-6 victory over the Clippers. The and Ballantrae's Frank Bradford sharpshooter bagged Hendy by a single point. With four of his team's fifteen tallies. the exception of the first goal, The win assured Bradford of a Jones was in on every scoring second place finish in the reguplay as Claremont chalked up lar schedule. They will meet either Stouffville or Milton in

Ortie Thoms, Geo. Davis, Gary Vasey and Dave Harvey each Centre star Gord Lewis still blinked the light on one occa-

Beeton will be the visitors here on Friday evening at 6.45 In the last home encounter with the powerful Beeton squad Stouffville blanked their rivals by a score of 5-0. On the following Friday evening, Feb. 20th

King City will be the visitors No overtime will be played in case of a tie. In the event of first place deadlock, a sudden death game will be staged to decide the winner. Neutral ice at Bradford will be used on

N. York Midgets in

Round-robin Playoff:

Beeton Here Friday

Stouffville's North York Mid-

et team have advanced into

the second round of hockey play-

offs. After knocking Sutton out

in two straight contests, they

will now take on King City and

Beeton in a home and home

played at King City ocmfwyp

round robin series. Stouffville

played at King City on Wednes-

day night.

either Feb. 23 or 24. The playoff schedule is as fol Feb. 11— Stouffville at King City King City at Beeton

Feb. 13-Beeton at Stouffville Feb. 18-Beeton at King City Feb. 19-Stouffville at Beeton

Feb. 20-King City at Stouffville

Midgets Thump Sutton 13-3 Win Playoff Round 24-6

Stouffville's North York Mid-1 three assists. Lynn McMullen Lennox' squad rapped a total of with team mate Foreman with 13 tallies into the Sutton cage a four goal effort. He picked up to humble the Lake. Simcoe one assist. Bill Hoover netted a game tilt by a basketball score the sticks of Rick Wedseltoft

formulate any three-way pass- ton marksmen. tally in the final frame.

man was in his glory. The hard King City in a round-robin playworking puck-chaser fired a to- off final. tal of four goals and picked up !-

Cedarena this Friday evening.

ents in the evening.

group of the church.

Ralph, Neill and her husband of adults.

get entry had a goal - scoring was equally sharp in the scorfield day on Friday night. Bill ing department. He kept pacc crew 13-3. They took the two pair. Single tallies came from Larry McMullen and Keith Mc-As the contest progressed, the Dowell. Rick Wedseltoft set up forwards, became almost too two other goals. Don McLeod goal-hungry and neglected to and Brian Miller were the Sut-

ing plays. Sutton counted a pair | There were seven penalties in in the second period and a lone the game, six to Stouffville and one to Sutton. The winners now Front-line star, Grant Fore- move on to engage Beeton and

Biggest news in months for We hope everyone has their day School skating party at There will be a barber on duty dorsed for a similar offense. the week. Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Carson on Tuesday afternoons from 3.45 and Clarence McKillop of Wa- of Mo Jenson and Blair Wagg County Hospital. The bylaw was and Ondine of Toronto were Sun- till as late in the evening as saga Beach was awarded a proved enough to give the Wings given 3 readings and passed. day supper guests with her par- business warrants. Anyone who minimum fine of \$4, when the the two point victory. John Heaents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman has waited in barber shop line- Magistrate considered his ex- ton picked up an assist on Jen-Bunker, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Jones ups will appreciate the conventionsive journey to the court, son's tally. of Buttonville called on her par- ience of this set-up. The man for exceeding a speed limit.

tona' United Missionary Church No. 7 Highway. at 8 p.m. The program is being Day of Prayer service to be held days imprisonment. arranged by the Young Peoples on Friday, evening in the Box Grove United Church at 7.30. Mr. Robert McGaryey has been This service is inter-denomina- Mrs. Marg. Walter, 785w1. The visiting for the past couple of tional and junior and senior

Grove W.A. was held at the and there are parties planned ---To most of us money is no home of Mrs. Coakwell last one at the school Friday after-Thursday evening with the pro- noon, and for the Tiny Tot Club ject being, bags of all descrip- on Thursday morning under the It will be the first scheduled Both clubs are sponsored by March of Dimes Campaign and Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Grant and have competed in a number of the Whitby arena on Saturday one wishing to contribute should C. Grant at Woodbridge to cele- the part of the car that sticks p.m. Interment in Stouffville

To Beat Brougham 5-3

Peach's Hard Pressed

ville benefit game on Thurs- old Hodgson of the Clippers coach of the Dunnies, potted

scheduled Community League Jack Redshaw and Bob Lehman Gord and Murray Lewis, no one marker. Linemate Lloyd Pascoe one assist. Linemate Murray the ice. The reliable twosome of sisted on one. Carl Timbers and combined to spoil goalie Earl

Brougham held a definite a pass from Grant Jones. edge in the play but fared poorly around the net. Lorne Disney Glenn Carter counted one.

lines but are short of rearguard and three to Claremont. strength. Coach Les Wilson expects Goodwood's Gord Todd will bolster their ranks for the Local Skater forth-coming playoffs. Peach's played without the services of Canadian Champion left-winger Jim Harrison defenceman Harry Lewis.

More Than 100 Traffic Cases At Vandorf

Vandorf Traffic Court on Tues- partner, Guy Revel, is 16: He day, when over one hundred resides in Newmarket. Both cases were brought before the skaters make Unionville their rival forward Jim Miller, by Magistrate. Once again the home figure skating club. Deb- firing a three goal hat trick for speeding and truck overloading bie has been a member of the Pittsburg. The Hornets trimmed charges were most apparent Stouffville Club for the past the Canadiens 8-3. Robert Mole and together constituted 99% two seasons.

gest fine when he was charged and applause from the huge nadiens, Frank Taylor, scored 2 with speeding at 75 m.p.h. in throng of spectators. a 50 mile zone. He was ordered to pay a fine of \$35 and costs. Charged with driving through a stop light at 30 m.p.h., Dennis Heeps was fined \$30 and costs for this, his second similar of-

at the Youth Centre clubhouse Bernard Fockler was fined \$19; Single goals from the sticks \$60,000, the funds to go to York

with the scissors is Mr. Silvio | . Joseph Passino and Charles | Barry Hiltz came to the res-This is your invitation to at- from the establishment in the Kay were charged for excessive cue of the Black Hawks on Montend a musical evening in Al- Wignall & Shepherd block on loads. The former was fined \$25 day evening to score his team's and costs and the latter, \$27 and only tallies. His pair of goals this Thursday evening (tonight) Remember - Women's World costs, with an alternative of 5 carned Chicago a 2-1 win over

next meeting is to be at the weeks, with his daughter Mrs. girls will have a part as well as home of Mrs, Grant, when aprons will be the project item.

The February meeting of Box | Saturday is Valentine's Day,

get in touch with the president, brate Bobby's birthday.

Jones Paces Claremont | Madill, Suzuki To 5-1 Win Over Altona

Three players who clicked day night are pictured here, each fired single tallies. Ex- a pair, More than 1,300 fans

for goals in the Whitby-Stouff- Geo. Carey (left), and Har- Leaf. Sid Smith, playing witnessed the exhibition game.

Jones went on a goal-scoring spree on Friday night to lead his team to a 5-1 victory over Altona in a Community League contest. The forward fired two goals and picked up two as Madill, Jake Harmon and Ted sists for one of his season's best efforts. The victory moved trol on Friday night as they Claremont into sole possession whipped four of their five take of fourth place in the group. lies past Bill Yake in the Ballan-They lead Ballantrae by a single | trae cage.

Gary Taylor teamed up with a pair. Jack Mehaffey fired a Peach's chalked up an un Bob Benson to notch the first earned 5-3 victory over Broug- Claremont tally. Grant Jones ham in a disorganized scrim- took over the spotlight and mage on Friday night in a promptly fired two in a row. contest. Aside from forwards picked up assists on his first looked especially brilliant for was credited with an assist on the league-leaders. Gord Lewis his second goal. Jack Redshaw fired two goals and picked up made it 3-0 before Altona broke Don McCurdy also set up a pair Lewis notched one tally and as Rae Pipher and Howard Forgie Jim Thomas were the other lone Pilkey's shutout attempt. Lloyd Pascoe completed the scoring on

-A fistic encounter between Al tona's Alex Wilkins and Clarepumped home a pair of goals. mont's Jack Redshaw featured the eight-man penalty parade. place position. Brougham continues to be Both received five minute maplagued by a manpower short- jors. There were eight penalties age. They have two good front in the contest, five to Altona

Debbie Wilkes and Guy Revel, winners of the Canadian League competition. The trio Junior Pairs Championship. were followed with great enthusiasm by Stouffville skaters | the Leafs 5-3. Jim Miller was on Saturday evening at the the top marksman with a three North American Championships goal hat trick. Bill Payne conducted in the Varsity Arena. A capacity crowd of over 5,000 attended. Debbie, only 12 years old and

4 ft. 11 inches in height, was A busy day was spent at the the smallest-competitor. Her

Farthing Blanks

Billy Farthing, genial Red Other speeding offenses real- | Wing netminder, was in fine ized heavy fines. Edward Kar- form on Monday night. The Deley was fined \$20 and costs, for troit puck-stopper turned in a exceeding a 30 mile 'limit by 20 | flawless performance as he held m.p.h.; Cecil Spencer of Hamil- the Bruins off the score sheet. ton was given a fine of \$24 For his efforts, he has been seskates sharpened up for the Sun- male members of all, families ! and costs and had his license en- lected as the All Star player of

Hawks 2, Rangers 1 the Rangers. Robert Kennedy by-law and not with a resolunotched the line marker for the tion of Woodbridge Council. 2

T. & Y. Road Commission are planning a new headquarters building at Pleasantville on the

Mr. Elwood Foskitt is relief officer in Uxbridge Twp. while

But how do you keep snow off out of the carport?

daying in Florida.

Claremont winger, Grant Spark Ringwood

Ringwood's big line of Ross Suzuki were in complete con-Madill and Suzuki each potted

single. Defenceman Jim Coultice collected the lone Ballantrae tally. Ray Atkinson picked un

Although he falled to blink the light, Ringwood's Jake Harmon was credited with three assists. The points boosted his tobal up with the league leaders. of goals. Ballantrae, previously one of the hottest clubs in the group, missed the services of their two ace performers, Frank Hendy and Doug Forfar. Each team iced 12 players. Ballar trae's loss, coupled with Clare mont's win, dropped the 8th concession squad back into the fifth

Jim Miller Fires Hat Trick For Buffalo

The threesome of Jim Miller,

Billy Payne and Gary Brown Monday night in Lions Bantam chalked up a total of nine scoring points as Buffalo downed counted one goal and picked up two assists and Gary Brown fired one tally and assisted on one. Barry McLean, potted a pair for the Leafs. Eric Mortimer notched one.

Pittsburg 8, Canadiens 3 Roger Forsyth kept pace with potted a pair. Francis Haylow, Debbie and Guy performed Geo. Smith and Eric Neilson Ernest Tite received the lar- well and drew high admiration each potted singles. For the Cagoals and picked up one assist. Bill Corner collected one and assisted on one of Taylor's talies. Jim Harper and Keith Foreman each picked up one as-

Dissention Over Debt of Hospital

A by-law was presented to York County Council by Reeve Pollock for the County to issue debentures to the amount of

Reeve Armstrong arose and stated that he had a resolution from his Council stating they would not agree to share in the mill rate necessary to carry or pay off the amount.

-Warden Hodgson claimed that Council was dealing with the

FISHER - Floyd R., at Sunnybrook Hospital on Tuesday, Feb. 10, 1959, Floyd R. Fisher, son, of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher of Ringwood, dear brother of Gertrude (Mrs. A. Summerfeldt) and uncle of John. Resting at the chapel of L. E. O'Neill, Stouffville, for service on Friday, Feb. 13 at 2

Cemetery. Kindly omit flowers.

