

SPORTS

Oshawa Gains 2-2 Tie With Jr. "Clippers" On Late-Game Goal

Rod McDonald, Oshawa's star right-winger beat goaltender Glenn Jackson with a hard-angle shot with five minutes to go in the third period on Tuesday night to give the "Motor City" crew a 2-2 tie in a scheduled Jr. "D" game. It was a clean, hard-skating contest and the score pretty well indicated the play. Oshawa out-shot Stouffville 24-14.

For Stouffville, their performance was a sharp reversal of form from the two previous contests against Uxbridge and Alliston. Their front lines showed more spirit and drive and the defence was breaking up the visitors' passing plays before they swept in over the blue line. Barry McLean and Ken Beckett were the Stouffville marksmen. Paul Gibbens and Rod McDonald blinked the light for Oshawa. The same two teams wage a return encounter next Tuesday night in Stouffville.

Both netminders came up with key stops throughout the game. Jackson blocked McDonald in the early minutes of the first frame and Gary Hooper in the Oshawa cage stopped Wayne Pennanen "cold" in the second period. A few minutes later he nullified a scoring bid by Ken Beckett. It was the Beckett-McLean-Boyd threesome that appeared most effective for the homers. Grant Foreman also worked in with the trio and picked up an assist on Stouffville's first tally. It was a picture-play effort. Stan Feasby and Travis Sugden collected assists on Beckett's marker.

A holiday night crowd of 150 watched the game. It was the largest attendance to date this season. The usual "rough stuff" that too often mars many O.H.A. contests, was missing from the game and the boys concentrated on playing the puck rather than the man. Stouffville had a good chance to sew up the two-point victory late in the third period when Gibbens of Oshawa was thumbed for tripping. They failed to hit the target.

A break-down of the scoring summary is as follows:

S.—B. McLean - G. Foreman - A. Boyd	12:25
O.—P. Gibbens	0:30
S.—K. Beckett - S. Feasby - T. Sugden	4:26
O.—R. McDonald	15:10

Merchants Run Wild Against Shorthanded Uxbridge Hockey Club

The Stouffville "Merchants" rolled up a total of thirty-two individual scoring points on Friday night when they blanked a shorthanded Uxbridge club 13-0. Uxbridge could dress only eight men and although they attempted to hold their opponents in check, they tired badly in the final frame.

Howard Forgie and Neville O'Sullivan each fired three goals for Stouffville. Pete Lacey and "Sammy" Barlow potted a pair. Singles came from the sticks of Normie Neale, Bob McIntyre and Guy Weeks. Neale collected five assists. Weeks and Lacey each picked up three points in the assist department.

Gary Coppins and Ted Suzuki gave their best for Uxbridge and on a couple of occasions came close to breaking the ice. Ted Murphy was pelted with rubber in the Uxbridge cage. Geo. Wilkins guarded the Stouffville net. Alternate goal-guardian, Geo. Martin played up on the front line but failed to cash in on any tallies.

JR. CLIPPERS SCORING PARADE

G.	A.	Pts.
J. Raymond	8	13
K. Beckett	9	12
A. Boyd	3	6
W. Pennanen	7	6
B. McLean	4	4
G. Foreman	1	3
L. McMullen	2	1
S. Feasby	0	3
T. Sugden	0	3
L. McMullen	2	0
K. McDowell	0	2

MEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE

High Triple—
Vic Binelli 764, Les Padley 735, B. Topper 694, Pat Lillis 693, D. Chadwick 677, C. Wilton 655, A. Watson 635, R. Harris 622.

High Single—
Vic Binelli 313, R. Harris 283, B. Topper 261.

All four top teams were beaten for seven points.

Peewee Entry Defeats Three Teams To Win Cannington Tournament

Eric Hamilton Scores 6 Goals

For the second successive year, a Stouffville minor hockey entry has won the Cannington tournament. Last year, the squirts were the victors. On Saturday, the peewees swept a three-game series, beating Millbrook 2-1; Cannington, 7-4 and Keswick 2-1. Other entries were from Cambray, Uxbridge, Sunderland and Little Britain. The Stouffville club was coached and managed by Bill White and Ernie Abraham.

Eric Hamilton was the individual goal-scoring hero in the tourney. He netted six tallies, two in the first game, three in the second and one in the final. Harold Crowder guarded the Stouffville cage in every contest and turned in a fine performance. Mickey Hunt, proprietor of the west end Sunoco station will donate a half-dozen hockey sticks to the team for their commendable effort.

Millbrook was Stouffville's first opponent. In registering a 2-1 victory over their rivals, Eric Hamilton collected both goals. One came at 14:50 of the first period and the other at 4:27 of the final frame. The second contest against Cannington was a real thriller. Stouffville came out on the top end of a 7-4 score. Eric Hamilton with three goals, sparked the winners' attack. Singles came from the sticks of Bruce McHaffey, Wayne Jackson, Peter Turner and Gary Sugden. Peter Turner played the entire sixty minutes in this game. In addition to notching one tally, he "shadowed" Cannington's number one forward throughout the tilt and watched his every move.

Stouffville was matched against Keswick for the tournament title. They gained a 2-1 edge. Peter Turner and Eric Hamilton were the marksmen. Last season, the squirts defeated Cannington, Coldwater and Millbrook in that order.

Seventeen peewee players made the trip to Cannington. The lineup included—Neil Smith, Harold Crowder, Peter Turner, Bruce McHaffey, Larry Norton, Gary Sugden, Sheldon Sugden, Eric Hamilton, Brian Boyd, Jody Holden, Stephen Hall, Doug Kingston, Wayne Jackson, Allan Vague, Jimmy Wilkins, Bill Nicholson and Bobby Forgie. The Stouffville nameplate will be engraved on the tournament trophy.

Ringwood Topples Markham From Comm. League Lead

Ringwood, the current defending champions of the Stouffville Community League, toppled Markham "Aces" down to a second place position on Friday night by beating their rivals 5-2. The two teams had been deadlocked on the group's top spot prior to the contest.

Ringwood spotted Markham a two goal lead, then roared back with five in a row. They tied a full squad but were without the services of two defencemen, Don Haynes and Bud Lehman.

Rightwinger, Matt Kinnari, the league's leading point-scorer, popped two pucks past Bill DeGuerre in the Markham cage. In addition he collected assists on tallies by Don Jackson and Mike McStravick. Jake Harman was the other Ringwood marksman.

Lindo Borean and Bob Atkinson put the "Aces" out front 2-0 after only six minutes of the first frame. Ringwood evened the score before the end of the period and fired three unanswered tallies in the last thirty minutes of play. Ringwood out-shot Markham 18 to 12.

The break-down of the scoring summary is as follows:

M.—L. Borean - J. Harrison 3:25	
M.—B. Atkinson - L. Jennings	6:45
R.—J. Harman - B. Fockler 9:40	
R.—M. Kinnari	10:55

Greenwood Stages 6-Goal Rally To Defeat Ballantrae

For the first fifteen minutes of the Community League contest between Ballantrae and Greenwood on Friday night, it appeared likely that Ballantrae would close the gap in their determined bid for a playoff berth. They held a 3-1 lead at half time. Greenwood roared back in the second frame, however, and fired six goals in a row to win 7-4.

Sparked by Grant Jones, the Greenwood squad set a sizzling pace in the game's final thirty minutes. The front-line speedster fired three goals. Bob Clodd potted a pair. Singles came from the sticks of Murray Jones and Bob Moffatt. Altogether, the Jones brothers collected a total of six scoring points during the contest.

Al Lang, John Little, Rae Pipher and Doug Forfar were the Ballantrae marksmen.

The loss was not the fault of Ballantrae netminder, Ken King. He, like his rival, Jerry Brett, completed some great stops, especially in the final frame when Greenwood poured in on the Ballantrae goal. On one occasion, he blocked a direct drive by Bob Clodd, then proceeded to turn aside three rebound shots in a row. He looked good also on an earlier bid by Greenwood's Jim Cherry.

Ballantrae looked just as disorganized in the last period as Greenwood did in the first frame. Greenwood's trio of Grant Jones, Jim Cherry and Dean Evans seemed to carry the team's uphill offensive. Bob Clodd and Bob Moffatt also turned in good efforts on the second line. The return of rear-guard, Murray Jones seemed to instill new drive into the Greenwood attack. Rae Pipher, who appears to improve with every game, had a good night. His tally was his fourth of the campaign. It came on a hole-in-one golf shot from a rebound off the back-boards.

George Hodgins Stars in Atom Game

George Hodgins, once a goaltender, has turned into one of the top forwards in the Stouffville Atom House League. On Tuesday night, he fired three goals to spark his Boston club to a 3-0 shutout over the Leafs. Frank Hill scored the other "Bruin" goal.

Canadiens 4, Chicago 0

There were two shutouts in the Atom House League on Tuesday. In the second half of the doubleheader, the Canadiens blanked Chicago 4-0. Arthur Williams counted two tallies. John Meakes fired one goal and assisted on another. Frank Roberts blinked the light for the Canadiens' fourth marker.

LEMONVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. J. Gibbins, Mr. and Mrs. Reg Gibbins, Pat and Peter were Christmas Day visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gibbins, Toronto.

Mrs. Dumbleton suffered a nasty fall recently and was confined to hospital for a time. She has now been released and is convalescing at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Wells and family spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wells and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Atkinson of Stouffville.

Dr. and Mrs. Crouch entertained the McCrea's on Christmas Eve. On Christmas Day they visited with their son, Dr. and Mrs. M. Crouch and family in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Denton and family of Belleville spent a few days this week at the Crouch home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hood entertained members of their family at their home on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Preston were in Toronto on Christmas Day at the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Morton.

There was a good attendance at the Sunday School concert. The program was under the direction of Mrs. H. Hirsch.

The Bible Study Group met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Kinsella for the pre-Christmas meeting. Mr. Ed. McCrea was presented with a gift in appreciation of his untiring work. Miss McCrea was also presented with a lovely scarf. Lunch was served by the hostess.

Alliston Netminder Draws Assist in One-Sided Game

The Stouffville Junior "Clippers" suffered their 2nd straight loss at Alliston on Friday night when they bowed to the homers by a 6-1 score. Even the Alliston netminder figured in the scoring, one of the few occasions that such a thing has occurred in O.H.A. ranks. Goalkeeper, Clark Brooks set up team-mate, Russ Ritchie for Alliston's initial tally at 1:50 of the first frame. They led 3-0 at the end of the first period and added three more in the third. Ken Beckett potted Stouffville's lone goal. It came at 5:30 of the last period and was an unassisted effort. Bob Robertson, Bob Irwin, Paul Bisbee, Jerry Hand and David Evans were the other marksmen for Alliston.

The Stouffville club failed to get untracked throughout the first and second periods. They started to roll in the final frame but could only click for one tally. Stouffville held an edge in the penalty parade as their players made eleven trips to the cooler to six for Alliston. Glenn Jackson in the Stouffville cage handled a total of 40 shots. Brooks, between the Alliston pipes, blocked 22.

Stick-of-the-Week Awards

Four new hockey sticks will go out this week to the all-star selections in the Stouffville Minor Hockey Leagues. The awards are made weekly to the four top performers in Atom, Squirt, Peewee and Bantam ranks.

The winners are—Art Williams (Atom); Andy Valteau (Squirt); Bobby Garnet (Peewee) and Leonard Blacklock (Bantam).

The sticks, presented by Bob Hassard, Les Clarke, Eric Lehman and Dr. Ron Smith, may be picked up at Birkett's Insurance Office, Main St. W.

Additional Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Giles and family enjoyed Christmas in Toronto with Mr. Giles' mother.

Mrs. Roy Hobson of Keswick is spending the winter with her sister, Miss Nora Stapleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Law and children of Toronto and Hilda Baker spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Madill.

family and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Peacock and family spent Christmas Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Brownberger.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Daniels and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Pipher and Diane, spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pipher.

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Librarian Note—
We would like also to draw to your attention that the Library subscribers to "The Commentator" a Canadian magazine with such well known contributors as Marcus Long, James M. Minifie, Donald Gordon, Mavor Moore and many others.

Mrs. Cecil Hamm of Bloomington was the winner of the Christmas Draw at the Stouffville Bargain Barn. The prize was a trilight lamp.

"Exercise Tryout" Successful E.M.O. Project

"Exercise Tryout" lived up to its name and gave a touch of realism to York County's preparations for readiness in case of a Nuclear Attack when it was held in Newmarket recently. Some twenty persons took part under the direction of Major W.F.A. Preston, County Emergency Measures Organization Co-ordinator.

The exercise was based on the supposition that enemy aircraft had crossed the National Border and that an alert had been ordered by the Prime Minister. It dealt with the precautionary moves which would be adopted in case of attack, including the simulated movement of rescue companies preparations for manning Welfare and Health Centres and placing of responsible County Officials where they could do most

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