

## On The Green

In the 1971 annual report of the Provincial Lawn Bowling Association of Ontario the following excerpts from an essay written many years ago by the late H.W. Barker of the Balmy Beach club provide some fascinating reading.

Just how and when the game originated, history does not record; but that it was played in England in the thirteenth, and probably as far back as the twelfth century there is no doubt. Stone bowls were originally used, but about the seventeenth century these were replaced by wooden ones, and cones, placed in an upright position, served as "Jacks."

By 1366, in the time of Edward the Third, bowling had become so popular among all classes that it was felt necessary to issue a proclamation limiting the playing of "Bowls" to Royalty. Even the ladies of the royal household found solace in the game.

The first bowling green in Canada was laid out in 1734 at Port Royal (now Annapolis Royal) in Nova Scotia.

Rev. Silas K. Hocking, the well known preacher and author says it best "As long as I live I shall remain its debtor. I am convinced that it has added years to my life; it has enormously enriched and enlarged my circle of friends and acquaintances; it has refreshed my spirit times without number; and it has lured me again and again into the open air and

sunshine when otherwise I should have remained in the seclusion of my study. There is no snobbery in bowls; no "Gentlemen versus Players." All are on the same level, and social distinctions are rolled as flat as the green on which they play."

Winners of last weeks "JITNEY" were: Ladies high — Queenie Bush, with two wins and 22 total points; second high — E. Almas, with two wins and 20 total points.

Men high — Mike Vanni with two wins and 23 points, and in second place, Ken Vokes, with two wins and 18 total points.

"Lawn Bowl for Health and Fun" — Bring a Friend!

## Erie League Softball Standings

NORTH DIVISION				
GP	W	L	Pts	
Springvale	9	5	4	10
Jarvis	9	3	3	6
Ohsweken	9	3	6	6
Gore	6	0	6	0

SOUTH DIVISION				
GP	W	L	Pts	
Selkirk	10	9	1	18
Rainham Centre	9	7	2	14
Fisherville	9	5	4	10
Nanticoke	8	3	5	6
Hydro	10	3	7	6

GAME RESULTS of Last Week				
Fisherville 17, Ohsweken 5.				
Springvale 12, Gore 3				
Hydro 1, Selkirk 6.				
Rainham Centre 14, Jarvis 3.				
Rainham Centre 5, Hydro 1.				
Selkirk 3, Springvale 2.				
Nanticoke 8, Fisherville 3.				

FUTURE GAMES for Next Week				
Thurs., June 24: Nanticoke at Ohsweken; Springvale at Rainham Centre; Gore at Hydro.				
Sat., June 26: All Star Game at Springvale.				
Mon., June 28: Hydro at Nanticoke.				
Tues., June 29: Ohsweken at Rainham Centre; Gore at Selkirk.				
Wed., June 30: Springvale at Fisherville.				
Thurs., July 1: Ohsweken at Hydro; Rainham Centre at Gore.				

Silver Maple is often recommended as a shade tree to replace White Elm.				
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## Cayuga Speedway

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### CAYUGA SPEEDWAY

1971 CARLING \$5,000 POINT CHASE — AS OF JUNE 17, 1971

### LATER MODEL SUPER STOCKS

1. Driver Art Clark, West Seneca, N.Y., Dodge No. 7, 174 points; 2. Ken Reimer, Oakville, Ont., Chevelle No. 73, 164; 3. Don Biederman, Port Credit, Ont., Chevelle No. 43, 162.

TQ MIDGETS (CAN-AM)  
1. Stan Kuwabara, Hamilton, Ont., No. 80, 268; 2. Bruce Bolitsky, Waterloo, Ont., No. 11, 266; 3. Sean Shanahan, Etobicoke, Ont., No. 14, 244.

MINI-STOX  
1. Larry Anthony, Fisherville, Ont., No. 24, 230; 2. Billy Schlitt, Kitchener, Ont., No. 27, 228; 3. Wayne Pierce, Mt. Hope, Ont., No. 2, 188.

by Merrill Stearns

CAYUGA, Ont. — Ken Reimer of Oakville, Ontario pushed his '65 Chevelle from the rear of the 23 car field of Late Model super stocks to snatch the lead from early leader Kenny Cassel of Buffalo, N.Y. and went on to score his second feature victory of the season here this past Friday night at Cayuga Speedway in Ontario, Canada. Cassel held on to the runnerup position in the 25 lap test, followed closely by Earl Ross of Ailsa Craig, Ontario in third. Fourth spot was taken by Art Clark of West Seneca, N.Y. by a swift piece of "heads-up" driving, and fifth position was garnered by Howie "Scooter" Scannell of Milton, Ontario.

"Wee Willie" Watson of Toronto was the leader of the first eight laps on the hi-banks of the super-fast 5/8 mile oval. But Kenny Cassel's 396 Chevy Nova was too much for the 427 powered '69 Chevelle as he powered by Watson on the ninth circuit. For the next nine laps, two caution periods caused by spinouts of Wayne Ready and Billy Michael slowed the action and kept the field bunched tightly on the leader.

On lap 20, after the third restart, Ross, running in

second, tried for the lead and momentarily tangled with Cassel, the leader. Pouncing on the opportunity with the quickness of a cat, Reimer charged into lead and was never headed to the checker.

On the last turn of the last lap, Ray Gullison, in the first five for the entire feature, looped his Chevelle while in fourth spot, directly in front of Scannell and Clark. In a "you wouldn't believe it move," Clark slid under Gullison, by Scannell to take the checker in fourth, with Scannell fifth.

In the 20 lap CAN-AM TQ midjet companion feature, super-smooth Bruce Bolitsky, defending champion from Waterloo, Ontario outcharged his open cockpit competition to score his second feature triumph of the season here on the 1/8 mile inner oval. Larry Glaser of Kenmore, N.Y. was a close second, followed by Denny Yakem,

## Sports Camera

(CP) — Canada is making a return to international hockey competition — on the college level.

Canada's team, an all-star selection from colleges all across the country — will participate in next year's World Student Games in Lake Placid, N.Y.

In the past, the national championship college team has represented Canada in the Student Games but Varsity Blues, winners five of the last six seasons, were unable to participate in the 1970 Games.

This was because of the ban imposed by Hockey Canada and the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association on teams from this country competing internationally, following a dispute over the inclusion of professionals on Canada's entry at the world championships.

However, the ban was lifted this spring for club teams.

Clare Drake of the University of Alberta in Edmonton will be coach of Canada's student team and Tom Watt, coach of the University of Toronto Blues, will be manager.

Ballots will be mailed to each Canadian college coach who in turn will nominate players from his own and opposing teams. This will produce a roster of 50 to 60 players.

A selection committee then will narrow the roster

Jim Young and Libatore.

Billy Held of Fisherville captured his first lap feature win of the season in the hilarious, hair-raising Mini-Stox go. Larry Anthony, Billy Schlitt and Harry Cooper followed that order.

In the Late Model stock qualifying events, Biederman of Port Credit captured the first 10 lapper, followed by Ross and Brian Setherland of Windsor, Ontario. Average speed was 97 m.p.h. In the second Gullison beat out Reimer and Clark at a 96.98 m.p.h. average. The consolation was capped by Don Goodall.

The TQ midjet qualifying and the rapid trophy race was won by Kenmore Larry Glaser.

The victory lane winner in the mighty Mini-Stox was held in the open by Anthony in the second, and Chuck Beel was the victor.

to a maximum of 10 players, who will attend training camp in Toronto Dec. 16 to 24.

The team going to Lake Placid for the Games, Feb. 25 to March 4, will be chosen at the Toronto camp.

The national student team concept was proposed by the Hockey Canada Association of Canada and the national college team this year in Sudbury, Ont.

Watt presented a letter recently to the Canadian Intercollegiate Athletic Union in Ottawa and was given the green light.

"Varsity represented Canada in the 1968 Games in Innsbruck, Austria," Watt said. "The rest of the countries were represented by national student teams."

So it looks as if Canada might be back in business on the international level.

And the hope is that the nationally-selected team will speak as well for Canadian hockey as the Varsity Blues have done in the past.

But can a national team — even with top-notch players — do as well as a single team which has had season of play together?

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