

W. N. LEAD IN BOWLING NOW

Move Ahead as Result of Default Victory

In the Ten Pin Bowling League 99 Taxi defaulted three games to Watts and Nickerson and, as a result, the latter take over the league leadership. Imperial Oil won two games from Savoy. B.A. Oil overwhelmed General Motors three straight by 515 pins. Ed Garner and Tommy McMeekin had high three with 535 each. Garner was high single with 201.

WATTS AND NICKERSON—

A. Dewar	139	135	149
E. Pierce	149	143	159
R. Vuckovich	124	122	117
R. Andersen	157	191	186
E. Garner	162	172	201
Totals	731	763	812

99 TAXI—

Default.			
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IMPERIAL OIL—

J. Kershaw	145	135	156
G. Howe	177	169	182
J. Currie	146	191	162
D. Arney	115	147	132
N. Gunderson	157	149	181
Handicap	36	36	36
Totals	776	827	899

SAVOY—

R. Sparks	145	164	192
W. Smith	151	160	157
J. Ciccone	156	127	
J. Lindsay	124	183	
S. Bury	195	153	168
A. Simundsen	156	151	
Handicap	29	29	29
Totals	814	791	881

B. A. OIL—

B. Wick	167	157	136
N. Kinslor	182	170	188
B. Windie	146	139	161
J. Comadina	163	172	162
T. McMeekin	191	197	147
Handicaps	39	39	39
Totals	888	874	838

GENERAL MOTORS

B. Vuckovich	161	124	111
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SHORT SPORT

New York Rangers traded defenceman Walter (Babe) Pratt to Toronto Maple Leafs for Hank Gendup and Dudley (Red) Garner four years ago. Sparkplug of several Leaf teams in the following years, Pratt won the Hart trophy as the N.H.L.'s most valuable player in 1944. He was sold by Toronto to Boston Bruins at the start of his season.

Toronto Argonauts squeezed out a 4-3 victory over Sarnia Imperials, O.R.F.U. champions at Toronto 13 years ago for the Dominion rugby title. Argos had previously whipped Winnipeg, Western Canada winners, 13-0 in the semi-final.

BEAVERS SLEPT ON PLANE TRIP

THE PAS—Describing a plane trip to South America with beaver for the Argentine, Thomas Lamb, northern Manitoba rancher, said he kept the beaver in large Pan American Airways' refrigerators at stopping-off places. Some of the animals got out of their cages and chewed a hole through a foot-thick oak door.

"Crossing Brazil and Venezuela it was terribly hot and at 12,000 feet the beaver all went to sleep because we did not have oxygen masks to fit them."

The best beaver country he had seen was near the Chilean border, but the Argentine government would not "let me liberate the beavers there," and asked him not to negotiate a sale with Chile.

In addition to 30 beaver and possibly the baby cariboo, Mr. Lamb plans to take 100 muskrat south of the equator next year.

KAYHI AWAITING LOCAL INVASION

Local Students Journeying to Alaska for Annual Hoop Tussle

Leaving on Wednesday night's boat for Ketchikan, the Bo-Me-Hi Rainmakers are once again invading the Alaskan metropolis to compete in the annual basketball tussle with the northern neighbors. This yearly migration of the local High School has yet to see a series victory for the Green and Gold, last year's series being a tie. This year the students feel confident that they will be able to better their last year's showing when each town won two games. The games will be broadcast over the Ketchikan radio station on Thursday and Friday nights.

Those making the trip will be Alex Bill (coach), Boyo Gurvieh (manager), Jim Forman (centre), "Cap" Skog (centre), Don Hartwig (forward), Reg Lavigne (forward), Jim Flaten (forward), Whitey Internella (forward), Mel Thompson (guard), Eddie Ciccone (guard), Bill Davidson (guard).

DEVONPORT, Eng. — Nearly 600 workers at the admiralty dockyards here are turning scrap metal into silver-plated tea service, sugar bowls and other household equipment.

NEW ZEALAND FIGHTS EROSION

WELLINGTON, N.Z. — War on a huge scale is to be waged in New Zealand against soil erosion which already has caused drastic losses to farm lands.

The measures planned include the planting of 1,000,000 acres of trees on New Zealand farms and the consolidation of vast areas of Crown and unfarmed lands into national parks where scientific steps to check erosion will be taken.

In the highlands of the South Island nearly 3,000,000 acres of grazing land have lost 25 to 50 per cent of the topsoil through erosion and over a further 2,200,000 acres more than 50 per cent already has been lost. These figures do not include severe losses of soil on cropped downlands and plains by wind erosion.

Highly productive sheep and cattle country on the east coast of the North Island also is severely eroded. The country con-

sists chiefly of small but steep hills which did not erode in their natural state, but when the forest growth was cleared and replaced by grass the country did not hold.

Hundreds of slips and landslides appeared and the topsoil was washed down into the rivers and out to sea. On the west coast of the North Island also large areas of high-rainfall dairy country have been virtually abandoned because of extreme erosion.

A major project in the soil conservation program will be recuperation treatment of 8,000,000 acres of high country in the South Island.

This will be achieved by tree planting, fire control, spelling, seeding, fencing and subsequent control of grazing to within reasonable limits. A similar conservation program will be undertaken over several million acres

STONE'S AND GROTTO LEAD

Last Night's Results in Five Pin Bowling

Results in Men's Five Pin Bowling League were as follows:

Fish Dock 3, Co-op 0.
Grotto 3, Peoples 0.
Malkins 2, Moose 1.
North Star 2, Post Office 1.
Stones 2, Burns 1.
Gyro 2, Morgan's 1.
High single, N. Kinslor (Burns) 318.
High three, M. Irving (Stones) 732.

The league standings:

Stones	W	L	Pts.
Stones	5	1	5
J. Davis	124	199	116
T. Arney	131	142	122
D. Cameron	165	111	112
C. Wilson	117	121	148
Handicap	30	30	30
Totals	668	687	639

Grotto 5 1 5

Burns	4	2	4
Fish Dock	4	2	4
Morgan's	3	3	3
Post Office	3	3	3
Malkins	3	3	3
North Star	3	3	3
Peoples Store	2	4	2
Gyro	2	4	2
Co-op	1	5	1
Moose	1	5	1

At last he had screwed up his courage to kiss her, and they both liked it. So he did it again—and again.

After about an hour of it he whispered fondly: "Every time I kiss you I feel a better man, darling." "Oh, well," she said coyly. "You don't have to reach perfection in one night."

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