

Duck Soup

for Ardsley Curlers



January 2, 1959

ROYAL VICTORIA

The winners of the District Medal, except that Bob Edens will substitute for Bill Wood, will represent us at Montreal on January 15, 16 and 17. The rink will line up as follows:

Wells (Skip)
Kemp
Edens
Hockmeyer, L.

UTICA

The curling committee has designated the following rink as the Ardsley representative in Utica on January 22, 23, 24 and 25:

Thorndike (Skip)
Kemp
Ringland
Nash

Here's wishing both rinks a lot of luck for a good start on the 1959 bonspiel circuit.

WILDS

Because of the holidays Duck Soup could not record the details of Ardsley rinks' doings in the Wilds for the past several weekends. In order to bring the record up to date, here are those results. The standings at the present time are set forth in the December 29th issue of D.S.

Dec. 20:

- A-1 (Thayer, Koehl, Upjohn and HASTINGS) won 10-5 over A-4 (D. Stevenson, Samuel, Robinson and B. R. WOOD)
- A-3 (Peabody, Graaskamp, Sothern and SHEETS) won 10-7 over St. Andrew's-2 (Robinson)
- A-2 (R. McAfee, Warner, Eddison and STEVENS) lost 7-10 to Caledonia-1 (Henderson)

Dec. 21:

- A-2 (H. McAfee, Nolan, Kemp and WELLS) won 13-4 over Mahopac-2 (MacFarlane)
- A-3 (Bibby, Leighton, L. Hockmeyer and THORNDIKE) won 17-7 over A-4 (Marshall, Colgan, May and V. HOCKMEYER)

Dec. 27:

- A-2 (H. McAfee, K. Stevenson, Eddison and WELLS) won 14-4 over A-1 (Thayer, Marshall, Stewart and SUTPHEN)
- A-3 (Graaskamp, Ringland, Sothern and THORNDIKE) won 13-4 over St. Andrew's-4 (McCormick)
- A-4 (McCormack, Samuel, Edens and V. HOCKMEYER) won 12-6 over St. Andrew's-3 (Dudley)

Dec. 28:

- A-1 (No names are listed in the rink book for the Ardsley rink) lost 6-10 to Mahopac-1 (Halsted)
- A-2 (Sibert, Nolan, Warner and STEVENS) won 11-7 over St. Andrew's-3 (Dudley)
- A-3 (Peabody, Bibby, Graaskamp and SHEETS) won 14-4 over Mahopac-2 (Caputo)
- A-4 (D. Stevenson, Edens, Robinson and V. HOCKMEYER) lost 6-7 to Caledonia-3 (Blanchard)

BLANTON

Week by week Bob Edens' challengers drop by the rinkside. On Tuesday last, Upjohn's B-2 and Nash's B-4 rinks were mathematically eliminated, losing to May's B-1 and Kemp's B-3 rinks, respectively. Art Kemp now is the only one who can catch Bob, but he must beat May next Tuesday, the last regular night of the Blanton, while Edens loses to Lang Hockmeyer in order to produce a tie. By winning last night May moved out of the cellar, watching Chuck Stewart's B-6 rink slide in with its loss to Joe Ringland's B-5 aggregation. With one match to go for each of May and Hockmeyer, a tie for the fur lined is at least a good possibility. The scores and participants last Tuesday were:

B-1 (Thorndike, Aldridge, Bibby and EDDISON) won 9-3 over B-2 (Sibert, Nolan, Stevens and UPJOHN)

B-3 (Colgan, Warner, Sheets and KEMP) won 12-7 over B-4 (D. Stevenson, Bickford, Samuel and NASH)

B-5 (R. McAfee, Robinson, Sutphen and RINGLAND) won 11-6 over B-6 (Jones, L. Hockmeyer, Sothern and STEWART)

The standings, with but three matches left to be played, are:

B-7 (Edens)	5-1	B-5 (Ringland)	3-3
B-3 (Kemp)	4-2	B-8 (L. Hockmeyer)	2-4
B-2 (Upjohn)	4-3	B-1 (May)	2-4
B-4 (Nash)	3-3	B-6 (Stewart)	2-5

THE JUG OGDEN COMPETITION 1959

The Ardsley rinks in the Jug Ogden competition for 1959 are as follows:

	<u>A-1</u>	<u>A-2</u>	<u>A-3</u>
Co-skips }	SAMUEL	KOEHL	GRAASKAMP
	McCORMACK	BIBBY	H. McAfee
	Reed	Warner	Nolan
	Achilles	Lueck	Marshall
	Griggs	Bickford	R. McAfee
	Leighton	Lanigan	Lagercrantz
	K. Stevenson	Thayer	D. Stevenson
	Kimball	Colgan	Jones
	C. Wood	Conley	Peabody
		Aldridge	Sibert
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	Edens	L. Hockmeyer	Nash
	Kemp	Stewart	Ringland
	Sothorn	Upjohn	Robinson
	Eddison	May	Stevens
	V. Hockmeyer	Sutphen	B. Wood
	Sheets	Thorndike	Wells
	Hastings		

RULES FOR THE JUG OGDEN JUG

The Jug Ogden competition is designed primarily for junior skips and other curlers who normally play lead or #2 position on the rink. However, in order to meet the complaint voiced at the annual meeting to the effect that senior curlers have no opportunity to curl at St. Andrews on weekends after the Wilds has been completed, except in bonspiels, the curling committee has amended its policy with respect to play in the Jug Ogden. The skips are required to offer each of the senior curlers listed below the line in the foregoing rinks one opportunity to curl during the competition. Subject to this obligation, the skips are urged to afford the members listed above the line the first opportunity to curl. If they are unable to fill their rinks from the names on the upper portion of the list, they are free to take players from the lower portion.

Jug Ogden matches are to be 10 ends.

Only those who neither skip nor play #3 regularly in their club competitions are eligible to skip and play #3 in this competition. This means that players shown below the line in the above listing can only play lead or #2.

Because of the tight time schedule for these matches, the following penalties will be enforced: one stone and one end for each 15 minutes or fraction thereof that a rink is late in appearing for a match.

No penalty for substitutions.

Regular skips and #3's (those listed below the line above) when substituting must keep out of the house and refrain from advising the skip.

January 5, 1959

MEMO TO: Windeler Skips

Jan 13 thru Feb 27

On Tuesday evening, January 6, after curling, the Windeler skips will meet in the club house at St. Andrews to draw players for their rinks in the 1959 Windeler competition.

The Windeler skips consist of six hold-overs from last year's Windeler -- Hastings, V. Hockmeyer, Sheets, Thorndike, Wells and B. R. Wood -- and two from this year's Blanton -- Edens (already qualified) and one other.

The procedure for drawing players will be as follows:

1) There is attached a list of all active members of the Club except the skips named above. The names on the list have been arranged in accordance with the rating assigned by the curling committee to the players at the beginning of this season. These ratings represent the composite judgment of the five members of the curling committee and may not agree with your own judgment. The rank list is furnished so that each skip may have as much information about the relative ratings (for what they are worth) as every other skip. Since they are pre-season ratings, they do not reflect improvements which have taken place this year in the skill of some players.

The list also shows information with respect to the availability of each player. Where the word "available" appears beside a member's name, it means that as of today that member expects to be at home throughout the competition. It does not mean that he may not on any given Tuesday or Thursday later on find himself not available because of business or other engagements.

2) In the first round of choices, the skips will draw in the following order:

1. Edens
2. ~~Other skip to be named~~ *Kemp*
3. Wood
4. Hockmeyer
5. Sheets
6. Thorndike
7. Hastings
8. Wells -- last year's winner

3) In the second round of choices the order will be reversed, i.e. Wells will have first choice, Hastings, second, etc.

4) In the third round, the original order of selection will be followed, in the fourth round it will be reversed and in the fifth round, the original order will apply.

If this method of choosing Windeler rinks is successful this year, it is proposed next year to have the first-round draw made by the skips in the inverse order of their finish in this year's Windeler. Only the first six skips will qualify for next year. The two skips from next year's Blanton will, of course, have the first two choices next year.

R. C. Wells

RATING AND AVAILABILITY LIST - WINDELER CURLERS

Sutphen: 3 Away for two weeks between January 25 and February 14, otherwise available (Carry 3 out of 7 matches)

Stevens: Available

May: Available

Eddison: In Wisconsin one week in January and one or two weeks in February

Sothorn: Available

Upjohn: Available

Robinson: Available

Ringland: Available

Stewart: Available

Kemp: Possible trips to Florida and Belgium

Hockmeyer, L: Available up to February 20

Nash: Expects to miss one or two curling nights due to business travel

Nolan: Available

Warner: Away until February 17

Reed: Have not been able to reach but Reed generally travels or is otherwise unavailable a large part of the time

Marshall: Will be in Chicago and unavailable one week out of every four

Samuel: Available

Koehl: Available until February 20

Lueck: Available except next week

Achilles: Available

Graaskamp: Available until February 17

Griggs: Available

McAfee, R: Unavailable due to trial in Wilmington, Delaware

Bickford: Available

Leighton: Available

McAfee, H: Available

Lagercrantz: Available

Take RCS off of Cuthbertson Rink (Jan 30 Engagement)
who have applied for Schenckstad 1.15.80 Lincolnton

Rating and Availability List - Windeler Curlers -2-

~~McGormack:~~ Generally available but expects to make one or more one-day trips out of town

~~Longman:~~ Will be at home but expects his availability to be erratic and unpredictable due to evening business engagements

~~Stevenson, K:~~ Available

~~Thayer:~~ Probably will miss one week

~~Stevenson, D:~~ Expects to miss two weeks out of the Windeler period

~~Bibby:~~ Available

~~Jones:~~ Available

~~Colgan:~~ Available

~~Kimbrell:~~ Available

~~Readdy:~~ Has been ill and have been unable to reach him, but he will probably be available.

~~Conley:~~ Probably available; may have to travel some

~~Wood, C:~~ Unable to reach but in the past he has been away a good deal

~~Sibert:~~ Available

~~Aldridge:~~ Expects to travel a good deal, particularly in January.

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Windolton Rules 1951

#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6
Thurndike	Edens	Kemp	BR Wood	Shook	Arillo
Grass	Kimball	Colgan	Kroehl	Ingis	Ede's
Jones	Jenck	Jenney	Lager	Leight	Marshall
Nolan	Mcormick	H M E	May	Nash	R. Mc
K Stea	Thayer	Stevens	Reed	Rob	Reogland
Surphes	upjohn	Dace	C wood	Warner	Seibert

#7	#8
? Sheets	Hart
* Killy	achill
* buckford	aldrich
? Resbody	Conley
* Sothern	L Hock
* Stewart	Samuel

Penalty 1 // End matches
 " 2 for substitutes
 for any Wind skip Sub
 Subs play 1 or land 2

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EDENS TAKES GOLD BLANTON

Although he was beaten last evening, Bob Edens' B-7 rink won the Blanton Gold Medal. Congratulations Bob on a fine curling job and a well deserved medal. Art Kemp's B-3 rink also lost--on a beautiful final stone double promote by Bill May (who thereupon smiled fleetingly)--and fell into a three-way tie for second place. The other two rinks in that second place tie are Upjohn's B-2 and Ringland's B-5. The latter won the third match played last evening in convincing style. As a result of last night's activities, Charlie Stewart is all alone sitting in front of the furnace. Here are those results:

B-1 (B. R. Wood, Lueck, Eddison and MAY) won 11-9 over
B-3 (Graaskamp, Lagercrantz, Sheets and KEMP)

B-5 (Lanigan, Robinson, Sutphen and RINGLAND) won 11-7
over B-4 (McCormack, Samuel, Hastings and NASH)

B-8 (Griggs, Conley, Wells and L. HOCKMEYER) won 13-11
over B-7 (Jones, H. McAfee, Thorndike and EDENS)

The final Blanton standings (subject to palyoffs to be
announced by the Curling Committee):

B-7 (Edens)	5-2	B-4 (Nash)	3-4
B-3 (Kemp)	4-3	B-8 (L. Hockmeyer)	3-4
B-2 (Upjohn)	4-3	B-1 (May)	3-4
B-5 (Ringland)	4-3	B-6 (Stewart)	2-5

WILDS

For the second year in a row the Wilds wound up in a tie which involves an Ardsley rink. Caledonia-1 (Don Kuyk and Jack Henderson) and Tiger Stevens' and Dick Wells' Ardsley-2 rinks had identical records of 9-3, each winning their last two matches over last weekend. The up-to-then leading

Ardsley-3 rink, which finished third, found that blood is a great deal thinner than frozen water. On Saturday Ash Thorndike was all tied 6-6 with Ad Hastings' Ardsley-1 and lying. Ad's last stone drew beautifully to win by the smallest of margins. On Sunday Ardsley-2 (which, with Tiger Stevens at the helm, had beaten Caledonia-3 on Saturday) took over Ardsley-3, Dick Wells skipping against Ralph Sheets. The Ardsley scores and participants of last weekend were:

Saturday, Jan. 3

- A-4 (McCormack, Edens, Robinson and V. HOCKMEYER) won 15-2 over S-4 (MacCormick)
- A-2 (Kimball, R. McAfee, Kemp and STEVENS) won 11-6 over C-3 (Clarke)
- A-1 (Jones, Nash, Upjohn and HASTINGS) won 7-6 over A-3 (L. Hockmeyer, Sothern, Sheets and THORNDIKE)

Sunday, Jan. 4

- A-1 (Aldridge, Stewart, Sutphen and HASTINGS) lost 7-8 to S-1 (Arndt)
- A-2 (H. McAfee, Nolan, Eddison and WELLS) won 14-6 over A-3 (L. Hockmeyer, Leighton, Thorndike and SHEETS)
- A-4 (Griggs, Samuel, Edens and ROBINSON) lost 6-10 to C-2 (Blackburn)

The final (but unofficial) standings, also subject to a playoff:

A-2	9-3	A-4	5-7
C-1	9-3	M-2	5-7
A-3	8-4	S-3	5-7
S-4	7-5	S-2	4-8
S-1	7-5	C-3	4-8
A-1	6-6	C-2	3-9
M-1	6-6		

AT&T STOCK SPLIT

Please change Dick Wells' business 'phone number on your copy of the membership list to

MU 7-8100

WINDLER AND JUG OGDEN RINKS

We hope to enclose with this issue of Duck Soup the make-up of the Windler and Ogden rinks. If they are not enclosed, you will receive them in a day or two.

DOUGLAS

Ardsley-2 is scheduled to meet Albany at 11:30 A.M. on Friday in its first match, while Ardsley-1 runs into a St. Andrew's rink at 8 P.M. on Thursday. Let's have a good representation to cheer the boys on.

Hoping for a Douglas win,

Bill Nolan

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January 16, 1959

WILLIAMSON WINNERS

Ardsley was assured the Williamson Medal, the third event of last weekend's St. Andrew's bonspiel, when the semi-final brackets were completed on Sunday morning. The Ardsley-1 rink of Ringland, May, Sutphen and Hastings (Have you seen the last mentioned's "profile" in the Jan. 10 issue of the New Yorker at page 5?) arrived at that point by beating St. Andrew's-1 (Pitt Carl) 12-4, losing to Mahopac-2 (Ty Halsted) 5-9, then winning over Brae Burn (Kittredge) and Caledonia-2 (Ace Slaybaugh) 12-4 and 14-4, respectively. The Ardsley-2 rink of Samuel, Eddison, Tiger Stevens and Thorndike wound up in the finals by the following route: won 11-7 over Albany (Bren Rand), lost 5-13 to St. Andrew's-2 (Linc Seibert), won 12-5 over T.C.C.-2 (Cutler) with Guy Robinson replacing Barton Eddison at number 2, and won 11-6 over Albany again.

Both Ardsley rinks curled Saturday night and Sunday morning, so, as might be expected, the curling in Sunday's finals was a little ragged. The Ardsley-1 rink built up an early lead and was never threatened thereafter. Congratulations, Ad et al.

The Douglas competition was won for the third year in a row by Ross Tarlton's Hamilton Thistles and the Griffith was won by Don Kuyk's Caledonia-1 rink.

CURLING COMMITTEE COMMENTS

On your schedule of ice and events there is shown a match in the Jug Ogden on Sunday, February 22, between A-2 and S-3. The A-2 should read "A-3". Please correct your copy of the schedule.

In the list of Windler rinks you will find Dunc Sutphen listed on both Ash Thorndike's and Ralph Sheets' rinks. After having watched him on Sunday we can see why he is so

popular. But the Curling Committee has decided to take away this signal distinction and announces that by typographical error his name was listed on Sheets' rink instead of the name of Chuck Stewart. Please make that correction. Dick Wells explains the error by reporting that he has been very busy posing for pictures for the papers. (I'll hear about that remark!)

BELATED BLANTON

The first match of the Silver Blanton playoff between B-2 (Upjohn) and B-3 (Kemp) is scheduled for 2:45 p.m. on Sunday next with the winner to meet B-5 (Ringland) for the medal at a later date.

WONDERFUL WINDLER

The Windler competition opened last Tuesday night with Thorndike's W-1, Wood's W-4 and Wells' W-6 winning. The scores:

W-1 (K. Stevenson, Graaskamp, Nolan and THORNDIKE) won 14-11 over W-2 (McCormack, Kimball, Thayer and UPJOHN)

W-4 (Lagercrantz, Koehl, May and B. WOOD) won 10-5 over W-3 (Colgan, H. McAfee, Stevens and KEMP)

W-6 (Sibert, Marshall, Ringland and WELLS) won 15-5 over W-5 (Griggs, Nash, Robinson and V. HOCKMEYER)

Note to Windler skips: Al Shaw says that he will be glad to substitute in the event that a rink would otherwise be compelled to go on the ice with only three men. In all fairness to active members, Al should not be called on unless the skip finds it impossible to secure an active member as a substitute. Al's telephone number is LY 1-7879.

Last night W-7 (Leighton, Reed, Bickford and SOTHERN), despite giving up two penalty stones, won 10-7 over W-8 (Sibert, Samuel, Achilles and HASTINGS).

Good Curling,

Bill Nolan

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January 23, 1959

SILVER BLANTON PLAYOFF

On Sunday afternoon Charlie Upjohn's B-2 rink eliminated Art Kemp's B-3 from the Silver Blanton competition. B-2 now plays Joe Ringland's B-5 rink for the medal; the date to be announced later by the Curling Committee. The score:

B-2 (Nolan, Koehl, Tiger Stevens and UPJOHN) won 10-6 over B-3 (May, B. Wood, Colgan and KEMP)

JUG OGDEN

The junior interclub competition opened over the weekend and Ardsley was completely successful, Ardsley rinks losing only when they played one another, a very difficult result to avoid. A-3, with Graaskamp and H. J. McAfee at the helm, won both its matches, while A-1 (Samuel and McCormack) and A-2 (Koehl and Bibby) each split in two matches. The highlight of the weekend, curlingwise that is, was when A-3, trailing Caledonia-1 by four going into the final end, got a big five and won. The last stone for the victory was a perfect draw by Skip Grassy. The highlight other than curling was--you guessed it--Lanigan. He arrived very late and absolutely reeking of gasoline; sen sen was not strong enough in his case. If you would be more generous with Frances, John, she might put some gas in the car!

The participants and scores:

Saturday, Jan. 17

A-1 (Sothorn, Kimball, Leighton and SAMUEL) won 14-6 over A-2 (Colgan, Lanigan, Bickford and KOEHL)

A-3 (Lagercrantz, Nolan, Marshall and GRAASKAMP) won 10-9 over Caledonia-1 (Brunner)

Sunday, Jan. 18

A-2 (Sibert, Conley, Lueck and BIBBY) won 13-9 over Caledonia-1 (Terry)

A-3 (Sibert, Peabody, R. McAfee and H. McAFEE) won 9-3 over A-1 (Hastings, Griggs, Reed and McCORMACK)

The standings at the end of the first weekend:

A-3	2-0	M-1	1-1
M-2	2-0	S-2	1-1
A-1	1-1	S-3	1-1
A-2	1-1	C-1	0-2
C-2	1-1	S-1	0-2

MONTREAL MOANINGS

Wells, Kemp, Edens and Lang Hockmeyer returned from the Royal Victoria without medals but with the knowledge that they had given a good account of themselves as representatives of our district. They won one match and lost two, but the two which were lost were nip-and-tuck affairs until a big late end by the opposition sewed up each of them. The first match was with Keith Robb's Aubrey, P.Q., rink, and the boys lost by 13-9. In their first match in the second competition, the Royal Caledonian Trophy, they won handily from Ormston, P.Q., skipped by Giles Brunet by the score of 12-5. They were then eliminated 12-9 from further curling activity by John McCavour's City View (Ottawa) rink, which was destined to be the runner-up in the Caledonian.

TELEPHONE ADDITION

On your membership list please add Stu Peabody's business telephone number, which is MU 6-4545.

WINDLER

After the second round W-4 (B. Wood) and W-7 (Sheets) have drawn into a thin lead as they continue undefeated. On Tuesday night those two rinks as well as W-8 (Hastings) won

and on Thursday night W-3 (Kemp) was on top. The scores:

W-7 (Bibby, Bickford, Stewart and SOTHERN) won 14-9 over
W-5 (Leighton, Nash, Robinson and V. HOCKMEYER)

W-8 (Peabody, Achilles, L. Hockmeyer and HASTINGS) won
13-12 over W-6 (Sibert, Ringland, Eddison and WELLS)

W-4 (Lagercrantz, Koehl, Reed and B. WOOD) won 12-9 over
W-2 (Kimball, McCormack, Lueck and EDENS)

W-3 (Sibert, Lanigan, Colgan and STEVENS) won 12-7 over
W-1 (Bibby, Jones, Nolan and SUTPHEN)

The standings:

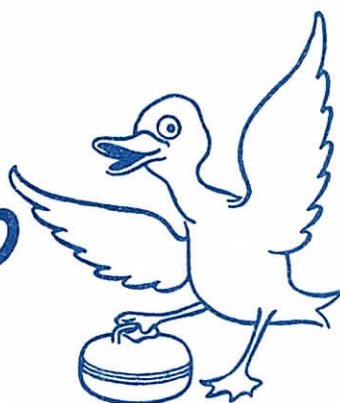
W-4	2-0	W-6	1-1
W-7	2-0	W-8	1-1
W-1	1-1	W-2	0-2
W-3	1-1	W-5	0-2

Good Curling,

Bill Nolan

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JUG AND THOU

Each of the three Ardsley rinks broke even in its two matches over the second weekend of the Jug Ogden competition. At the approximate half-way mark the A-3 rink is in second place, trailing undefeated Mahopac-2 by one game. The Ardsley combatants and combats:

Saturday, Jan. 24

- A-1 (Kimball, Griggs, Leighton and SAMUEL) won 13-8 over St. Andrew's-3 (Cooper)
- A-2 (Conley, Colgan, Bickford and BIBBY) lost 6-7 to Mahopac-2 (Quinn)
- A-3 (D. Stevenson, Nolan, Marshall and H. McAFEE) lost 3-14 to St. Andrew's-2 (Miller)

Sunday, Jan. 25

- A-1 (V. Hockmeyer, Kimball, Achilles and McCORMACK) lost 7-16 to Caledonia-1 (Marshall)
- A-2 (Thayer, L. Hockmeyer, Lueck and KOEHL) won 11 come 7 over Mahopac-1 (Keller)
- A-3 (B. Wood, Sibert, Nolan and GRAASKAMP) won 13-6 over Caledonia-6 (Russell)

The standings with each rink having played four matches and having five to go:

M-2	4-0	S-2	2-2
A-3	3-1	S-3	2-2
A-1	2-2	C-1	2-2
A-2	2-2	M-1	1-3
C-2	2-2	S-1	0-4

Because of the Cuthbertson Bonspiel (see infra) there will be no Jug Ogden matches until the weekend of February 7 and 8.

SOUTH AMERICAN BONSPIEL

Your secretary et ux are taking off Friday, February 6, on a three week trip through South America, returning to Irvington on Sunday afternoon, March 1. During my absence, Ed Sibert has generously offered to help assemble the information to be included in Duck Soup, and he and my secretary, Frank Veit, will continue the publication of our little weekly. It would be a great help if reports of out-of-town bonspiels, etc., were made promptly and in some detail to ye ed; Ed.

UNDONE IN UTICA

Charlie Nash, Joe Ringland, Art Kemp and Ash Thorndike had the distinction of being eliminated from the Mitchell Medal in their second match by the Utica-3 rink (skipped by George Johnston with Roy Read at 3) which went on to win that competition, beating TCC (Henry Cushing) in Sunday's final 12-11. Ardsley won its first match from a Canadian Army rink from Kinston, Ontario (Carpenter) 10-8 and lost its fourth and last match to the same rink 7-13. In between, they lost to Utica-3, as noted, 7-15, and to Prescott, Ontario (Bain), in an extra end 10-11.

Utica-5 (Charboneau) won the Allen Medal, beating Ty Halsted in the finals. Schenectady-1 (MacDonald) and Hawkesbury, Ontario (Parisian), won the Country Club Cup and the Dewar Medal, respectively.

WINDLER

When Ash Thorndike (W-1) pulled out his match with Bill Wood (W-4) by getting three in the 11th to tie and going on to win in the extra end long after the St. Andrew's bar had been closed, he threw the Windler into a five-way tie. Shades of last year when six rinks finished all tied! Ralph Sheets (W-7), who like Bill Wood had been undefeated until last night, met trouble at the hand of Dick Wells (W-6). The third match saw Ad Hastings (W-8) pile on the stones against Art Kemp's W-3 rink.

The standings at the end of this week's matches:

W-4	2-1	W-8	2-1
W-7	2-1	W-3	1-2
W-1	2-1	W-2	0-2
W-6	2-1	W-5	0-2

Tuesday night's results:

W-1 (Graaskamp, Nolan, Sutphen and THORNDIKE) won 11-10 in 12 ends over W-4 (Koehl, Reed, May and B. WOOD)

W-6 (Marshall, Ringland, Eddison and WELLS) won 13-9 over W-7 (Bibby, Bickford, Stewart and SHEETS)

W-8 (Lueck, Aldridge, L. Hockmeyer and HASTINGS) won 15-9 over W-3 (D. Stevenson, H. McAfee, Stevens and KEMP)

CUTHBERTSON

Ardsley will have three rinks in the Cuthbertson Bonspiel which commences Thursday, January 29; those rinks now being set up as follows:

<u>A-1</u>	<u>A-2</u>	<u>A-3</u>
V. Hockmeyer, Skip	Thorndike, Skip	B. Wood, Skip
Sothorn	May	Wells
Reed	Edens	Upjohn
Nolan	Stewart	Nash

The schedule, apparently subject to some change, indicates that Ardsley-1 plans its first match at 4 p.m. Thursday, with the other two rinks scheduled for 8 p.m. that evening. At the time we go to press, we have not been able to learn the identity of the opposition.

Good Curling,

Bill Nolan

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February 6, 1959

CUTHBERTSON CUFFINGS

To sum up Ardsley's participation in the Cuthbertson--our rinks were good but not good enough. Ardsley-1 (Vic Hockmeyer, Harold Sothern, Bob Reed and Bill Nolan), the defending Ardsley Medal winners, beat Norfolk (H. Robertson) 12-6 in the first round, took New York Caledonian-2 (Jack Henderson) 10-5 in the second and then lost 14-10 to St. Andrew's-2 (Gouldthorpe). That last match had its moment of bad luck for Ardsley when Harold Sothern pulled his back out in the sixth end and had to be helped from the ice. Ralph Sheets came in at 1, with Bob Reed and Bill Nolan moving up to 3 and 2, respectively. Ralph curled sensationally, putting 8 of 8 in the house, but Ardsley, despite tying the match 10 to 10 in the ninth end with a big 5, couldn't pull out a victory.

Ardsley-2's performance will be talked about for years. Ash Thorndike, Bill May, Bob Edens and Chuck Stewart started out with a real squeaker, 9 to 8 over Ham Guthrie's Montreal Thistle. Ash picked up a few new grey hairs in that, but nothing compared to those acquired during his next match against Jock MacFarlane's Mahopac-2. At the end of five ends Ardsley-2 was behind 12-0; at the end of seven ends by 13-3. Then they got a three end, a six end and a two end in that order to win 14-13. Jock announced he was trading his "1, 2 and 3 to Cincinnati". What they said about their skip cannot be published in a family newspaper.

In the same half of the draw with Ardsley-2 was Ardsley-3 (Bill Wood, Dick Wells, Charlie Upjohn and Charlie Nash). They took St. Andrew's-1 (Marshall Anderson) 12-7 and then won an extra end thriller with Nashua (Harry Coronis) 7-6.

Late Saturday afternoon Ardsley-2 and -3 engaged in fratricide with Ash Thorndike winning the spot in the finals by the score of 12-4.

In Sunday's finals Ardsley got off to a five rock opener, but Ted Thompson's St. George (Montreal) rink (with Gebbie, Martin and Raab) gave the large crowd a fine exhibition of curling, winning the Ardsley Medal by 14 to 7. The second flight winner (Mahopac Medal) was St. Andrew's-1 (Anderson, Haight, Campbell and Hill) which knocked over Lenoxville; Ont. (Atta); 16-7. New York Caledonian-1, piloted by Don Kuyk with Thomas, Sturgis and Bronner, beat Harry Coronis' Nashua rink 11 to 7 to win the third event, the New York Caledonian Medal.

The Ardsley rinks had one real distinction, they never played in any but the first competition. There were four Canadian rinks present, Montreal Caledonian in addition to those mentioned, and seven other "out-of-town" rinks (two from Schenectady). Wait until next year, Vic!

THE DYKES

The Ardsley representatives at the Dykes to be held in Brookline this weekend are:

Edens (Skip)
Sheets
L. Hockmeyer
Colgan

Come on boys, let's win a medal!

SCHENECTADY BONSPIEL

We will not be represented in Schenectady this weekend. This is most regrettable as it is the championship of the Grand National. The rink that was put together fell apart, and last minute substitutes could not be found.

WILDS WINDUP

The playoff between Ardsley-2 (Wells and Stevens) and Caledonian-1 (Kuyk and Henderson) for the Wilds Medal has been tentatively scheduled by St. Andrew's for 10 a.m. on Saturday, February 14 (Valentine Stewart's birthday). Ardsley must reverse the result of the regular match of December 20 when Henderson beat the Tiger 10-7.

WINDLER

W-1 (Thorndike), W-4 (B. Wood), W-6 (Wells) and W-7 (Sheets) all won this week and continue in a four-way tie for the lead. The spectacular feature of this week's play was a seven end rung up by Prexy Wood which tied up his match. The contestants:

W-1 (Jones, Nolan, Sutphen and THORNDIKE) won 12-8 over W-5 (Griggs, Leighton, Robinson and V. HOCKMEYER)

W-6 (Sibert, Ringland, Eddison and WELLS) won 13-11 in 12 ends over W-2 (Thayer, Lueck, Upjohn and EDENS)

W-7 (Peabody, Bibby, Stewart and SHEETS) won 12-6 over W-3 (Lagercrantz, Bickford, H. McAfee and COLGAN)

W-4 (Koehl, Reed, May and B. WOOD) won 15-12 over W-8 (Conley, Samuel, Achilles and L. HOCKMEYER)

The standings with three series of matches to go:

W-4	3-1	W-8	2-2
W-7	3-1	W-3	1-3
W-1	3-1	W-2	0-3
W-6	3-1	W-5	0-3

HOCKMEYER-STEVENS CURVE

The famous Stevens curve on the back road to St. Andrew's has been renamed! Last Tuesday night Vic drew beautifully through a port of a red stone (station wagon) and a blue (sedan) on fast ice with an in-turn. Fortunately, no damage as the sweepers got him by the left guard with inches to spare.

STATE CHAMPIONSHIP

The following will make up the rink to represent Ardsley in the New York State play-down commencing Saturday, Feb. 14: Hastings, Sheets, Thorndike and B. Wood.

Good Curling,

Bill Nolan

Duck Soup

for Ardsley Curlers



February 13, 1959

BILL WOOD ELECTED SECOND VICE
PRESIDENT OF GRAND NATIONAL

At the Annual Meeting of the Grand National Curling Club of America held at Schenectady last Friday, Bill Wood was elected Second Vice President of the Grand National.

DYKES TROPHY

In the Dykes Trophy competition held at the Country Club last weekend, the Ardsley Curling Club was represented by a rink consisting of Colgan, L. Hockmeyer, Sheets and EDENS. We lost our first match to a Winchester rink skipped by Hood. A close second match was lost in the last end 10-12 to a Schenectady rink composed of four doctors.

JUG OGDEN

Saturday, Feb. 7

A-2 (Upjohn, Thayer, Bickford and KOEHL) won 8-7 over Caledonia-2 (Sturgis)

A-3 (Wells, Jones, Peabody and GRAASKAMP) lost 2-22 to Mahopac-2 (Quinn)

A-1 (V. Hockmeyer, Reed, Griggs and SAMUEL) lost 2-13 to St. Andrew's-2 (Keenan)

Sunday, Feb. 8

A-2 (Conley, Thorndike, Bickford and BIBBY) won 18-3 over A-3 (D. Stevenson, Ringland, Marshall and GRAASKAMP)

A-1 (Kemp, Hastings, Achilles and McCORMACK) won 7-6 over
Caledonia-2 (Rohrs)

The standings to date:

M-2	6-0	S-2	3-3
A-2	4-2	S-3	3-3
C-1	4-2	C-2	2-4
A-3	3-3	M-1	1-5
A-1	3-3	S-1	1-5

WINDLER

Sunday, Feb. 8

W-2 (McCormack, Thayer, Lueck and EDENS) won 13-7 over
W-5 (Griggs, Nash, Robinson and V. HOCKMEYER)

Tuesday, Feb. 10

W-5 (Marshall, Griggs, Robinson and V. HOCKMEYER) won 11-9
over W-3 (D. Stevenson, H. McAfee, Stevens and KEMP)

W-8 (Sibert, Samuel and HASTINGS) won 13-9 over
W-2 (K. Stevenson, Ringland and EDENS)

W-7 (Thorndike, Peabody, Bickford and SHEETS) won 12-10
over W-4 (Lagercrantz, Koehl, May and B. WOOD)

Thursday, Feb. 12

W-6 (Sibert, Marshall, Ringland and WELLS) won 11-10 over
W-1 (Sheets, K. Stevenson, Graaskamp and THORNDIKE)

The standings:

W-7	4-1	W-8	3-2
W-6	4-1	W-3	1-4
W-1	3-2	W-2	1-4
W-4	3-2	W-5	1-4

ARDSLEY MEDAL COMPETITION

The squads for the Ardsley Medal will be as follows:

Skip

- | | |
|-----------------|--|
| 1. Robinson | Ringland, Samuel, McCormack |
| 2. Edens | Upjohn, Lueck, Thayer, Kimball |
| 3. Kemp | Stevens, H. McAfee, Colgan, Lanigan |
| 4. B. Wood | May, Lagercrantz, C. Wood, D. Stevenson |
| 5. V. Hockmeyer | Warner, Nash, Leighton, Griggs |
| 6. Wells | Marshall, R. McAfee, Sibert, Bibby |
| 7. Sheets | Sothorn, Stewart, Peabody, Bickford |
| 8. Hastings | L. Hockmeyer, Achilles, Conley, Aldridge |
| 9. Thorndike | Reed, K. Stevenson, Jones |

The members whose names are not included on the above squads are persons known to be planning to be away or unavailable on February 23.

Please advise your skip promptly whether you will be able to play. Any skip who finds that he has a spare player should advise the chairman of the curling committee immediately. It is likely that there will be deficiencies on one or more of the other rinks.

The rinks will play in the order listed, that is Nos. 1, 2 and 3 on Ice 1, 2 and 3, respectively, at 9:45 a.m., Nos. 4, 5 and 6 on Ice 1, 2 and 3, respectively, at 12:15 p.m. and Nos. 7, 8 and 9 on Ice 1, 2 and 3, respectively, at 2:45 p.m.

WINCHESTER BONSPIEL RINK

The Ardsley rink for the Winchester Bonspiel will be:

Wells, Skip
 Thorndike
 B. R. Wood
 Lueck

SILVER BLANTON PLAYOFF

The playoff for the Blanton Silver Medal between Charlie Upjohn's B-2 rink and Joe Ringland's B-5 rink will be held on Wednesday, February 18, on Ice 2.

Good Curling,

Ed Sibert

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February 24, 1959

WINCHESTER BONSPIEL (Feb. 19-22)

Ardsley turned in a commendable performance at Winchester by bringing back the Mystic Trophy which is limited to losers of the first round of the Winchester C.C. Bowl. We were represented by a rink consisting of Leighton, Wood, Thorndike and WELLS. After losing our first match 4-21 to Winchester-3 (Hood), we won four matches in a row. Ardsley defeated a Norfolk rink 14-2, an Albany rink 9-5, a Redeau (Ottawa) rink 12-9, and a Yarmouth N.S. rink in the finals 17-1. The Winchester C.C. Bowl was won by a Montreal West rink which beat Fredericton No. 2 in the finals. The Winchester Shield was won by Gaston Aymnion's rink representing the Jacques Cartier Club of Quebec. A total of 13 American and 11 Canadian rinks were entered in this competition.

ARDSLEY MEDAL COMPETITION (Feb. 23)

Although Ardsley won 4 matches, lost 4 and tied 1, we lost the competition to St. Andrew's 81-90 on a total stones basis. The Ardsley rinks and individual scores are summarized below:

1. McCormack, Samuel, Ringland and ROBINSON lost 7-9
2. Colgan, H. McAfee, Stevens and KEMP lost 6-9
3. Kimball, Thayer, Upjohn and EDENS won 12-7
4. Sibert, Marshall, R. McAfee and WELLS won 11-9
5. Lagercrantz, D. Stevenson, Kemp and WOOD won 12-8
6. Leighton, Nash, Warner and V. HOCKMEYER lost 5-15
7. Bibby, Bickford, Stewart and SHEETS lost 3-16
8. Lueck, Conley, * , and HASTINGS won 15-7
9. Jones, K. Stevenson, Reed, and THORNDIKE tied 10-10

* Ask Ad Hastings!

BLANTON SILVER MEDAL PLAYOFF

On Wednesday, Feb. 18, B-2 (D. Stevenson, Sibert, Stevens and UPJOHN) defeated B-5 (Bibby, Lueck, Robinson and

RINGLAND) in a playoff for second place in the Blanton competition.

WILDS PLAYOFF

On Sat., Feb. 14, Ardsley-2 co-skipped by Dick Wells and Cuyler Stevens won the first place playoff in the Wilds competition from a Caledonia rink skipped by Kuyk. The winning line-up included Kemp, Stevens, Eddison and WELLS.

WINDLER

Tuesday, Feb. 17

W-6 (Kemp, Sibert, Ringland and WELLS) won 12-6 over
W-4 (Lagercrantz, Reed, May and WOOD)

W-1 (H. McAfee, Lueck, K. Stevenson and THORNDIKE won 17-5
over W-7 (Colgan, Peabody, Bickford and STEWART)

W-8 (Aldridge, Conley, Nash and HASTINGS) won 14-6 over
W-5 (Leighton, Nash, Robinson and V. HOCKMEYER)

Thursday, Feb. 19

W-2 (Hastings, L. Hockmeyer and EDENS) won 15-3 over
W-3 (Samuel, May, Lanigan and STEVENS)

The standings to date:

W-6	5-1	W-4	3-3
W-7	4-2	W-2	2-4
W-1	4-2	W-3	1-5
W-8	4-2	W-5	1-5

JUG OGDEN

The Jug Ogden competition was completed last weekend. Mahopac-2 and Caledonia-1 took the first two places. Ardsley-2 and Ardsley-3 were in a four-way tie for third. The results of the previous two weekends and the final standings are summarized below:

Saturday, Feb. 14

A-3 (Peabody, Robinson, R. McAfee and H. McAFEE) won 14-5 over Mahopac-1 (Stock)

Sunday, Feb. 15

A-2 (Wood, Aldridge, Lueck and KOEHL) lost 7-10 to S-1 (Green).

A-1 (lost by default to M-2 (Quinn)).

Saturday, Feb. 21

A-1 (Edens, K. Stevenson, Reed and SAMUELS) won 11-5 over Mahopac-1 (Stock)

A-3 (Jones, Nash, R. McAfee and H. McAFEE) won 10-4 over St. Andrew's-1 (Green)

A-2 (Stewart, Warner, Colgan and BIBBY) won 13-5 over St. Andrew's-3 (Cooper)

Sunday, Feb. 22

A-3 (Sibert, Lagercrantz, Marshall and H. McAFEE) lost 5-10 to St. Andrew's-3 (Cooper)

A-1 (Griggs, Kimball, Reed and McCORMACK) lost 3-12 to St. Andrew's-1 (Green)

A-2 (Aldridge, Thayer, Bickford and BIBBY) lost 6-14 to St. Andrew's-2 (Miller)

Final standings:

M-2	8-1	S-3	5-4
C-1	6-3	A-1	4-5
A-2	5-4	S-1	3-6
A-3	5-4	C-2	3-6
S-2	5-4	M-1	1-8

Good Curling,

Ed Sibert

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February 27, 1959

WINDLER

On Thursday, February 26, three Windler matches were played, resulting in a three-way tie for first place between W-1, W-6 and W-7. The scores were:

W-1 (Leighton, Nash, K. Stevenson and THORNDIKE) won 10-8 over W-8 (Brand, Wood, Kimball and SAMUEL)

W-3 (D. Stevenson, Colgan, H. McAfee and KEMP) won 11-9 over W-6 (Sibert, Marshall, Ringland and WELLS)

W-7 (Griggs, Bibby, Bickford and SHEETS) won 13-9 over W-2 (McCormack, Thayer, Upjohn and EDENS)

The current standings:

W-6	5-2	W-4	3-3
W-7	5-2	W-2	2-5
W-1	5-2	W-3	2-5
W-8	4-3	W-5	1-5

W-4 plays W-5 tonight, and the schedule for the play-off will be announced shortly.

Good Curling,

Ed Sibert

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March 5, 1959

WANING WINDLER

On Friday night last Bill Wood's W-4 (Sheets, Lagercrantz, Reed and B. WOOD) nipped Vic Hockmeyer's W-5 (Griggs, Robinson, Warner and V. HOCKMEYER) by 14-13 and thereby awarded Vic the coveted fur lined.

In a playoff for next to last spot, with the losing skip subject to being dropped from skipping in next year's Windler competition, Art Kemp's W-3 (Colgan, H. McAfee, T. Tiger Stevens and KEMP) walloped Bob Edens' W-2 (Samuel, Kimball, Upjohn and EDENS) in 10 ends, 14 to 5.

The first round of the playoff for first place in the Windler also took place Tuesday night with Ash Thorndike's W-1 (Jones, K. Stevenson, Nolan and THORNDIKE) piling up a 17-4 margin over W-7 (B. Wood, Bickford, Stewart and SHEETS). Next Tuesday night W-1 meets Dick Well's W-6. If W-1 wins, Ash Thorndike is the champ. If W-1 loses (and perish the thought), W-6 and W-7 meet Thursday night. In the event of a tie after the round robin has been completed, the highest net plus in stones will determine the winner.

GORDON INTERNATIONAL

The Curling Committee has designated Thorndike, Sheets, Reed and Peabody as our representatives in Montreal on Saturday, March 14.

N. Y. STATE CHAMPIONSHIP

I am advised that Linc Seibert's St. Andrew's rink was successful in winning the State championship and will represent New York at the U.S. Men's Championship in Green Bay at the end of this month. Congratulations, Linc, and all of Ardsley's best wishes will go with you.

BRENNER'S BREWINGS

Bill Wood announces the appointment of the following committee to nominate next year's slate of officers: Harold Sothern, skip, Ad Hastings, T. Tiger Stevens and Thorndike. Make them sweep, Harold, and save your back!

CLOSING DINNER

The closing dinner has been scheduled for Tuesday, March 31, at the Ardsley Country Club. More information will be forthcoming in next week's issue of Duck Soup but please reserve the date so that we will have a better turnout than we did for the opening dinner in November.

BROOKLINE

Rog Lueck, Chuck Stewart, T. Tiger and Ad Hastings, skip, had a lot of curling, winning 2 and losing 3 at the Stockton. They lost their first two matches to Nashua (Sanborn) and N. Y. Caledonian (Bill Terry skipping and playing 2; with Ernie Slaybaugh throwing the 4 position rocks); won their next two matches from Brae Burn (Beatty) and Mahopac (Ty Halsted) and then lost to St. Andrew's (Len Read skipping at 3, with Marshall Anderson playing the final rocks).

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Your Secretary had a wonderful trip and found it pleasant, if disconcerting, to be on the ice within 24 hours of his arrival home; for on the seven prior days we had been swimming, a far cry from curling. I want to thank Ed Sibert for having been such a nice guy to step in and put Duck Soup together in my absence. It was a difficult task for a fellow in his first year of curling, and I think (and others have told me the same) he did a fine job. Many thanks, Ed.

Good Curling,

Bill Nolan

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March 16, 1959

CLOSING DINNER

This is a reminder that the Closing Dinner is to be held at the Ardsley Country Club on Tuesday evening, March 31, with cocktails being served at 6:30; dinner to be served around 8. Enclosed is a card addressed to Hugh Leighton, who is making the arrangements for a grand repast. Please indicate whether you will attend by noting your intentions on the card and dropping it in the mail at once. Please do not forget to sign the card. It will help Hugh a great deal if he can get an early reply from most of the membership.

WINDLER WIND-UP

On Tuesday night Dick Wells' W-6 beat Ash Thorndike's W-1 by a 12-6 score. It was a close match but a big 6 in the eighth end broke up the exchange of one ends and Dick went on to win. The participants were Sibert, Ringland, Eddison and WELLS v. Jones, K. Stevenson, Nolan and THORNDIKE.

The final match of the round robin was held on Sunday afternoon. Ralph Sheets' W-7 had little chance to win the medal for itself since by winning it would throw all three teams into a won one-lost one status, the ultimate winner to be decided on total stones. However, Ash Thorndike had picked up so many stones in his first match against Ralph that Ralph needed to beat Dick by 21 stones to win the Championship. Nevertheless, Colgan, Bickford, Stewart and SHEETS took R. McAfee, Ringland, Eddison and WELLS by an 8 to 6 margin in a tremendously interesting match which was not decided until the last stone came to rest, and thereby made Ash Thorndike's W-1 the championship rink. All hail to Thorndike, Graaskamp, Jones, Nolan, K. Stevenson and Sutphen.

See you the last day of March,

Bill Nolan

RINKS

1959 WINDELER COMPETITION

W-1	W-2	W-3	W-4
SKIP: THORNDIKE Graaskamp Jones Nolan K. Stevenson Sutphen	EDENS Kimball Lueck McCormack Thayer Upjohn	KEMP Colgan Lanigan H. McAfee Stevens D. Stevenson	B. WOOD Koehl Lagercrantz May Reed C. Wood
W-5	W-6	W-7	W-8
SKIP: V. HOCKMEYER Griggs Nash Leighton Robinson Warner	WELLS Eddison Marshall R. McAfee Ringland Sibert	SHEETS ✓ Bibby ✓ Co 7-3315 Bickford? Peabody ✓ Sothern ✓ Sutton STEWART	HASTINGS Achilles Aldridge Conley L. Hockmeyer Samuel

RULES OF PLAY

1) The skips are expected to provide equal opportunities to play for all of the members of their rinks.

2) Windeler matches are 11 ends.

3) Substitutes must lead, or if two substitutes are required, must play lead and #2. The penalty for substitutes is two stones for any of the Windeler skips and one stone for all others.

4) There will be a penalty of one stone for any rink fielding only three curlers.

5) If a rink must play with three curlers, the lead is to play three stones and the second is to play three stones.

6) Skips are requested to enforce the etiquette which requires that the #3 of the scoring rink post the score for the end on the scoreboard at completion of each end. This practice is now almost universally followed in curling circles. When an end is played toward the scoreboard, the #3 should post the score immediately after the completion of the end. When an end is played away from the scoreboard, the #3 should post the score following the completion of his lead's first shot in the next end. In the Blanton some confusion resulted on occasions when both skip and #3 attempted to post scores for the same end. No. 2's on the winning rinks are responsible for posting scores and line-ups in the scorebook.

1/15
 W-7
 Leighton (sub)
 Reed (sub)
 Bickford
 Sothern
 (win 10-7 over W-8)
 (Hastings)

1/27 2+5
 3rd
 Bickford
 Bibby ✓
 Stewart
 Sothern
 12-8
 (V. Hockmeyer)

3rd-3
 7-5 3 (Kemp)
 Peabody
 Bibby
 Stewart
 sheets

Feb-10
 vs BR Wood
 Peabody
 Bickford?
 sheets

Bibby NO
 Sothern NO
 Stewart NO
 #1 & #2 not scheduled

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March 31, 1959

HAIL TO THE VICTORS VALIANT

Here recorded for posterity are our triumphs of the 1958-59 curling season.

A. Intra-Club

Windler Medal

THORNDIKE, Graaskamp, Jones, Nolan, K. Stevenson
and Sutphen

Blanton Gold Medal

EDENS, Achilles, Jones, H. McAfee, Reed and Thorndike

Blanton Silver Medal

UPJOHN, Koehl, Nolan, Sibert, Stevens and D. Stevenson

B. Westchester Inter-Club

Wilds Medal

WELLS, STEVENS, Eddison, Kemp, Kimball, Leuck, H. McAfee,
R. McAfee, Nolan, Sibert, K. Stevenson and Warner

C. District Championship

WELLS, B. Wood, Kemp and L. Hockmeyer

D. Bonspiel Medals

Williamson Medal (St. Andrew's)

HASTINGS, Sutphen, May and Ringland

Mystic Trophy (Winchester)

WELLS, Thorndike, B. Wood and Leighton

NEW OFFICERS

The following were duly elected to office for the following year:

Dick Wells	President
Ralph Sheets	Vice President
Dace Stevenson	Secretary
L. W. Graaskamp	Treasurer.

This is the last issue of Duck Soup until next fall. Your retiring Secretary hopes that each one of you has a very fine summer.

Bill Nolan

RESULTS OF THE CURLING SEASON 1958-1959

BLANTON GOLD MEDAL WINNERS

EDENS, SKIP
ACHILLES
JONES
H. MC AFEE
REED
THORNDIKE

BLANTON SILVER MEDAL WINNERS

WON PLAYOFF AGAINST KEMP & RINGLAND.
UPJOHN, SKIP
KOEHL
NOLAN
SIBERT
STEVENS
D. STEVENSON

BLANTON FINAL STANDING

	<u>WON</u>	<u>LOST</u>
EDENS	5	2
UPJOHN*	4	3
KEMP	4	3
RINGLAND	4	3
NASH	3	4
L. HOCKMEYER	3	4
MAY	3	4
STEWART	2	5

*WON PLAYOFF FOR SILVER MEDAL.

WINDELER MEDAL WINNERS

WINDELER RESULTED IN A THREE WAY TIE BETWEEN SHEETS, THORNDIKE AND WELLS. AFTER ROUND ROBIN PLAYOFF, RINKS WERE STILL TIED ON WON AND LOST BASIS, BUT THORNDIKE WAS THE WINNER ON THE BASIS OF PLUS STONES, AS FOLLOWS:

THORNDIKE	PLUS 7
WELLS	PLUS 4
SHEETS	MINUS 11

WINNING RINK
THORNDIKE, SKIP
GRAASKAMP
JONES
NOLAN
K. STEVENSON
SUTPHEN

WINDELER FINAL STANDING

	<u>WON</u>	<u>LOST</u>
THORNDIKE*	5	2
WELLS**	5	2
SHEETS	5	2
HASTINGS	4	3
WOOD	4	3
KEMP***	2	5
EDENS	2	5
V. HOCKMEYER	1	6

*WON PLAYOFF. ** SECOND IN PLAYOFF. ***WON PLAYOFF FOR SIXTH PLACE.

VIC HOCKMEYER THEREBY EARNS THE FUR LINED. WINNERS
OF THIS COVETED HONOR ARE:

VIC HOCKMEYER, SKIP
GRIGGS
LEIGHTON
NASH
ROBINSON
WARNER

OTHER COMPETITIONS

DISTRICT MEDAL WON BY ARDSLEY #2: WELLS, WOOD, KEMP & L. HOCKMEYER

WILDS MEDAL WON BY ARDSLEY #2: WELLS, STEVENS, EDDISON, KEMP, NOLAN,
WARNER, LEUCK, R. MC AFEE, H. MC AFEE, K. STEVENSON,
KIMBALL & SIBERT

DOUGLAS BONSPIEL WILLIAMSON MEDAL (2nd CONSOLATION) WON BY ARDSLEY #1:
HASTINGS, SUTPHEN, MAY AND RINGLAND.

WINCHESTER BONSPIEL MYSTIC TROPHY (1st CONSOLATION) WON BY ARDSLEY: WELLS,
THORNDIKE, WOOD AND LEIGHTON

SOUR NOTE DEPARTMENT WE WERE REPRESENTED IN ALL GRAND NATIONAL EVENTS
EXCEPT ONE, SCHENECTADY. THIS IS THE GRAND NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP, THE
ONE EVENT ABOVE ALL WHICH WE SHOULD ATTEND AND TO WHICH WE ARE ENTITLED
TO SEND TWO RINKS. NEEDLESS TO SAY, OUR FAILURE TO SHOW LEFT A VERY BAD
IMPRESSION AT SCHENECTADY. THIS CLUB HAS CONSISTENTLY SENT TWO GOOD
RINKS TO THE CUTHBERTSON.

A TOTAL OF 21 MEMBERS PLAYED IN OUT-OF-TOWN EVENTS. ASH THORNDIKE GETS
THE PARTICULAR THANKS OF THE CURLING COMMITTEE. HE CARRIED OUR COLORS
INTO BATTLE ON FOREIGN ICE NO LESS THAN FOUR TIMES.

R. C. WELLS