

# Intermediates Defeat Niagara Falls in First of Round

## Keenly Contested Game is Indicated by 5 - 4 Score

### Large Crowd On Hand—"Nick" Ferri Scores Three Goals—Richardson Plays Well in Net—Team Goes to Niagara Falls On Thursday.

Entering the second round of the O.H.A. Intermediate A playdowns, the Georgetown team again has the advantage of a one-goal lead to take to the Peninsula City on Thursday night. The game here last night was in itself a battle royal, and gave the large attendance of spectators once more a chance to cheer their hockey heroes after having no hockey last season.

The Georgetown team is a combined team of players from the neighbouring district. Not a high-faluting team of city mercantiles—but our own neighbourhood boys. Wait, Richardson and Roy Ward are home-brows, Joe Schertzel, Len Self, J. Clark, J. McMeekin, are Norval boys; Bill Richardson comes from Brampton, and a former goalkeeper on local teams, while the balance of the team, Nick and Quinn Ferri, Gordon McMurchy and Munro hail from Huttonville. They wear the Georgetown red and yellow sweaters, are a scrappy, back-checking organization with plenty of tricks in the bag and speed when necessary.

After eliminating O.A.C. in the first round, the home team was stacked against Niagara Falls. The team from the Falls is also a snappy puck-passing aggregation on first sight, but were gradually worn down by the unceasing, never-say-die spirit of the Georgetown boys. Over-anxiousness often ran the visitors into penalties, on which Georgetown capitalized, and no doubt contributed in no small way to their 5-4 win.

The first frame opened with a burst of speed, as both teams raced up and down the ice on breakaways, only to scramble in front of the nets. It was in one of these scrambles that Niagara Falls managed to secure the initial counter, with Berzak being the marksman. This took place only five minutes after the opening and from then on close checking was the order of the night, with no further scoring and only one penalty to Berzak.

Niagara Falls made things look bad for a while when they scored again at the outset of the sandwich reel. Barnes netted a beauty, giving Richardson in the net no chance to save. A minute and a half later a Niagara player was penalized, and Georgetown was quick to take advantage and on efforts of Schertzel as scorer and Ward assisting, retrieve a lost goal. Ten minutes later, Fairchild was again penalized, and Ward soloed through to tie up the score, and the period ended.

The Georgetown team seemed to have gained momentum in the last half of the second period which carried them at a terrific pace all through the third period. Niagara tried under the fast moving, hard checking game. Schertzel went off for a trip, and Col-

lucci put his team ahead. This was short-lived, however, for Colucci himself received a penalty, and Nick Ferri with his baffling stickhandling, went in close to even it up again. Five seconds later he put his team in the lead, but penalties from then on till the 17-minute mark when Colucci scored again, rather slowed things up momentarily.

With a one-man advantage Nick Ferri scored his third goal of the evening, and won the game for his team as Niagara failed to rally in the last two minutes left of play.

Whether Georgetown can hold their lead and go still further into the playdowns can not be forecast from this corner. Niagara has good team, and playing on their artificial home-ice may give them a slight edge. However, knowing the local team, we can certainly count on them making a good showing, and they will be there fighting to the final bell.

Richardson in the local net played a steady game after a number of years out of the game. Schertzel seemed to be the pick of the fans, while the two Ferris played well together. Len Self played a strong defensive game, and every player was certainly in there giving his best. The Niagara goalie was outstanding, and probably kept down what might have been a larger score. Berzak and Colucci were good, and Fairchild a fast skater, but penalties killed his style.

The teams—

Georgetown—Goal, Richardson; defense, Self and Clark; centre, Munro; wings, Schertzel and Ward; subs, W. Richardson, McMeekin, N. Ferri, Q. Ferri, McMurchy.

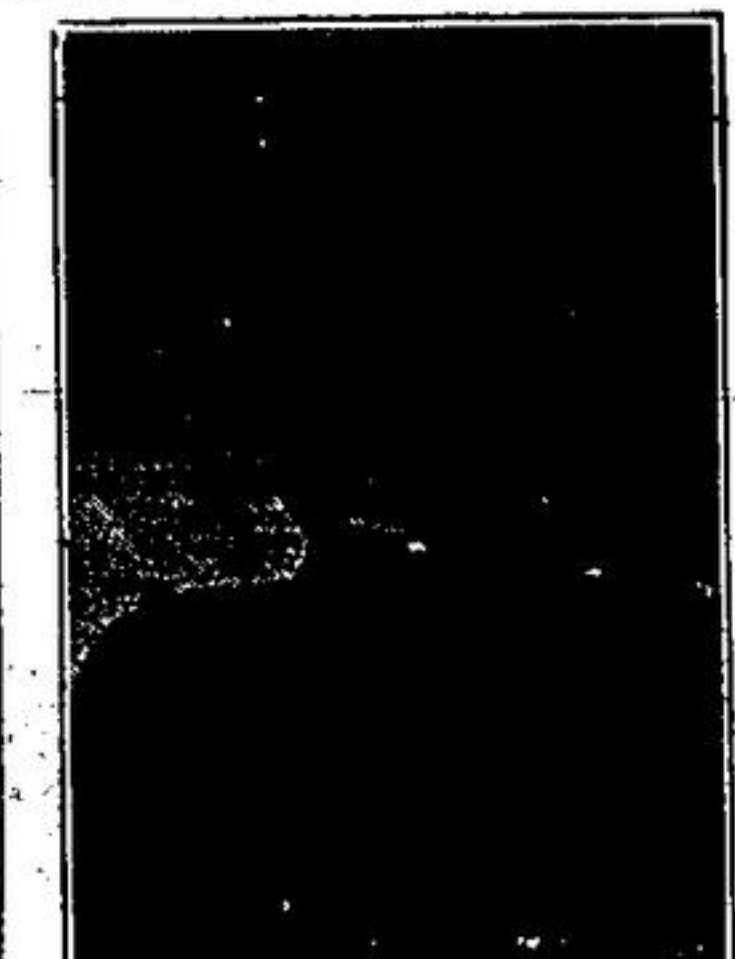
Niagara Falls—Goal, Bissell; defense, Gillard and Maccar; centre, Berzak; wings, Rocco, Fairchild; subs, Lamb, Barnes, Colucci, Pidgeon, Denelka.

Referee—Johnny Jones, Guelph.

**SUMMARY**  
First Period  
Niagara Falls—Berzak 5:00  
Penalty—Berzak

Second Period  
Niagara Falls—Barnes 3:06  
Georgetown—Schertzel (Ward) 4:55  
Georgetown—Ward 13:40  
Penalties—Fairchild 2.

Third Period  
Niagara Falls—Colucci 7:50  
Georgetown—N. Ferri 10:45  
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Niagara Falls—Colucci 17:20  
Georgetown—Ferri (Richardson) 18:30  
Penalties—Schertzel, Clark, 2, Denelka, Colucci, Fairchild, 2, McMurchy.



AT THE FRONT

When listeners hear the voice of Matthew Hulton, Marcel Oulmet, or any of the other CBC correspondents reporting from the battle area, it's because the Unit's engineers have plenty of pluck and steady nerves, for without the engineers the front-line broadcast would not be possible. Here is Lloyd Moore, member of the CBC engineering staff in Montreal now on duty overseas.

### ONTARIO MINOR HOCKEY

#### PLAY-OFF TOMORROW

Don't forget we have O.H.A. A teams in the playdowns tomorrow night our juvenile's go into a series with Fergus, and this promises to be a grand series. Don't miss it. We are our coming home to see the best team win.

### Guelph O.A.C. Eliminated In Intermediate Hockey

#### TWO GOAL MARGIN ON ROUND SEND GEORGETOWN COMBINES FURTHER INTO PLAYDOWNS.

Well over three hundred spectators witnessed a keenly contested Intermediate A play-off game here last Thursday night, when the Georgetown team eked out a 6-5 win on the game, and a two goal margin on the round. The local team, while going into the contest with a one-goal advantage on home ice, were hard pressed at times and extended almost to the limit to stave off the oncoming students of Guelph O.A.C. The win, however sent the homesters into another play-off with the Niagara Falls team.

The first period opened with a burst of speed and each team trying to get the edge on the other. There was no let up and the play ranged from end to end in fine style. At the 14 minute mark, however, Nick Ferri slid one into the opposing net on a pass from his brother Quinn, to give Georgetown a goal lead at the end of the period. There were no penalties.

O.A.C. took the initiative in the middle stanza and at the three-minute mark Eccles notched the evenner. Five minutes later Schertzel counted again for the home team, only to have Eccles again tie it up. Before the end of the period Ward soloed to put the team one goal ahead. Guelph had three penalties to Georgetown's one.

At the outset of the final period Carnochan tied up the count, only to have Schertzel, Munro and Ferri score three in a row. Rallying again the O.A.C. netted two by Eccles and

Jackson, but the game was too far spent to be a threat as a winner. Georgetown had two penalties.

Schertzel put the necessary punch behind the Georgetown team, and Nick Ferri also drew a big hand from the crowd: Eccles was outstanding for O.A.C., scoring three of their five goals. Harper and Jackson also played well. Pinkney received a nasty cut on the back of his head when hit with a stick in the second period, but returned for the third—and N. Ferri required a couple of stitches in a cut eye.

O.A.C.—Goal, Neil; defense, Carnochan, Kenney; centre, Pinkney; wings, Jackson, Eccles; subs, Marshall, Bias, Harper, Nicols, Brown.

Georgetown—Goal, Bill Richardson; defense, Schertzel, Clark; centre, N. Ferri; wings, Q. Ferri, Munro, McMeekin, W. Richardson, Ward, McMurchy, Self.

Referee—Ernie Wortley, Toronto.

#### SUMMARY

First Period  
Georgetown—N. Ferri (Q Ferri) 14:50

Second Period  
Guelph O.A.C.—Eccles 2:27  
Georgetown—Schertzel 12:46  
Guelph O.A.C.—Eccles 14:40  
Georgetown—Ward 18:01  
Penalties—McMurchy, Eccles, Bias, Harper.

Third Period  
Guelph O.A.C.—Carnochan 3:03  
Georgetown—Schertzel 9:40  
Georgetown—Munro 14:45  
Georgetown—Ferri 18:21  
Guelph O.A.C.—Eccles 19:24  
Guelph O.A.C.—Jackson 19:49

**DEATH NOTICE**  
BURNSIDE—In Georgetown, on Friday, February 26th, 1944, Charles Burnside, beloved husband of Georgina Blondin, in his 71st year.

**BIRTH NOTICE**  
DAVIDSON—At Peel Memorial Hospital, on Tuesday, Feb. 22nd, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davidson, a daughter, Doreen Isabelle. A sister for Wendy.

HUNTER—On February 26th, 1944, at Peel Memorial Hospital, Brampton, to Marion (nee Dick) Georgetown, wife of LAO John Hunter, (overseas) a daughter, Catherine Margaret.

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ALEX McRAY

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15

at 1:30 o'clock, the following:

HORSES—Black Horse, rising 8 years; Bay Horse, 14 years.

CATTLE—Grey Cow, 7 years, due time of sale; Red Cow, 6 years, due time of sale; Roan Cow, 6 years, due in April; Grey Cow, rising 4 years, bred in February; Grey Cow, 6 years, bred in February; Red Cow, 6 years, bred in January; Red Cow, rising 4 years, due in March; Roan Heifer, rising 3 years, due in May; 3 Steers, rising 2 years; 1 Heifer, rising 2 years; 5 Calves, about 1 year; 2 Fall Calves

POULTRY—29 Laying Pullets, Rocks 24 Yearling Hens, laying well.

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HAY, ORRAIN, ETC.—About ten or twelve tons of Hay; 200 Bushels of Oats; 125 Bushels of Mixed Grain; About 100 Bushels of Turnips; Set of Double Harness; Set of Single Harness.

### FURNITURE—A small quantity of Furniture, including: Mattress and Springs; Half Dozen Kitchen Chairs; Hanging Lamp; 2 Table Lamps; Milk Pails. Also other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms: Cash.

No reserve as the farm has been sold in case of bad weather the roads will be kept open from Highway to farm.

A. W. Benton, Clerk.

FRANK PETCH, Auctioneer

### AUCTION SALE

Pigs and Dairy Cattle

The undersigned has received instructions from

CLIFFORD GRACE

to sell by Public Auction at Lot 28, 7th Line, Esqueping, one quarter mile north of No. 7 Highway on

Friday, March 3rd, 1944

at 1:30 p.m. the following:

CATTLE—Ayrshire Cow, 6 years, due time of sale; Holstein Cow, 4 years, due time of sale; Holstein and Oternsy Cow, 7 years, due March 9th; Holstein and Ayrshire Cow, 5 years, due May 6th; Holstein and Guernsey Cow, 7 years, due May 6th; Holstein Heifer, bred in Nov.; Holstein Heifer bred in Nov.; Ayrshire Heifer, bred in Nov.; Roan Heifer, 8 months.

These are extra good grade cattle in good condition.

PIGS—Tamworth Sow and 10 pigs, 6 weeks old; Yorkshire Sow and 8 pigs, 6 weeks; Tamworth Sows, bred Jan. 6 Tamworth Sow, bred Jan. 10; Yorkshire Boar 21 months; 10 pigs about 180 lbs.; 11 pigs about 175 lbs.; 25 shoats.

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