

Midland Mauls Raiders to Recapture Int. 'A' Series Lead

Midland Flyers scored five goals in the third period to make it an even dozen on the night as they thumped Georgetown Raiders 12-6 in the third game of their best of seven OHA Intermediate A playoff. It put them back in command of the series, two games to one.

Midland's fired up attack made it a real baptism in rubber for Raiders' new netminder J. Bellman who replaced Barry McCordie between the pipes.

Midland outscored Raiders in every period, 3-1 in the first, 4-3 in the second and 5-2 in the third. They were led by Robillard who accounted for four goals and two assists.

Micks counted three for the winners, and the rest came from Kennedy, Ley, Edgar, Burtch and Dorion.

Jack Gudgeon scored half of Georgetown's total. Doucette, Paul Robinson and Ron Lane were the other marksmen.

Blake Inglis, who assisted on the first two Raider goals, missed most of the third period with a knee injury.

In contrast to the hard-hitting second game here on Friday, Sunday's meeting produced just nine minor penalties, seven of them to Flyers.

Friday's clash here saw Raiders hold Midland to two goals while scoring three to deadlock the series. As far as the scoring went it was all

over before the end of the second period. But the rough stuff got rougher as the game wore on and the third period was heavily laced with it.

MAIN EVENT

It came to a head half-way through the final session when Georgetown's Phil Lavell and Midland's Gord Kennedy staged the main event at the north end of rink. They dropped their gloves and sticks and exchanged jabs before Lavell scored with an overhead right that put Kennedy on his back. He was up at the count of two, but the linesmen enforced the mandatory eight count. The combatants cooled out in the mean time.

Kennedy left the ice with a swelling over his left eye the size of a Grade A Large. His sentence was two minutes for tripping, five for fighting and a 10 minute misconduct.

Midland struck first in the scoring however, taking a 1-0 lead early in the first period. Raiders erased it a minute later. Midland's second goal was also a come-from-behind effort washing out Georgetown's lead recaptured three minutes earlier.

Ron Lane notted the winner with an assist from Snider with a little over a minute to go in the middle period.

Jack Davidson and Don Norton were Raiders' other scorers. Bath and Kennedy scored for Midland.

The 32 penalties were split 17 for Raiders and 15 for Flyers.



Ron Lane's goal with time running out in the second period gave Georgetown Raiders their 3-2 Friday win over Midland Flyers.

Executive, Coaching Shortage Hampers Summer Ball Plans

Things don't look good for Georgetown all-star teams and the Georgetown Intermediate Giants for the upcoming season. Both groups are running into problems in getting the necessary executive and coaching personnel.

At the Halton County Baseball meeting last week, the Giants prolonged the agony until April 13 when they must declare entry or fold.

The Tykes, PeeWees, Bantams, Midgets and Juveniles are in the same boat. April 13 is the deadline set by Halton County for entry in the 1970 season.

HANDFUL

Georgetown Allstar Baseball Association which runs Halton County entries had only a handful of persons interested in working executive or coaching positions for the upcoming season and it would appear that should conditions remain some clubs will have to be folded, even though there are plenty of players for these teams, due to the lack of help.

On the other hand it was certainly a pleasant surprise to see a good 14 man executive meeting at minor baseballs meeting, and it would appear from their first meeting they should

again be expanding from the past season. This group runs the house league baseball in Georgetown and they too could use extra help. Interested parties might contact Sid Gray at 877-3553 for minor house league and Bill Richmond for all-stars at 877-4378.

Registration for minor baseball will be held in conjunction with the umpires' clinic starting at 10 until noon on April 11 and 18.

The Halton County Baseball Association in attempting to improve the calibre of coaching and umpiring in their group are holding both coaching and umpiring clinics this year. These clinics are open to any one interested. Any player, manager or coach or executive in house league, or all-star interested in the finer points of baseball are urged to attend the special coaches clinic at the Trafalgar Municipal hall on Saturday, May 2.

This course is put on by the Department of Education in conjunction with the Ontario Baseball Association as well as Halton County.

Of special interest to local umpires and baseball enthusiasts is the umpires clinic sponsored by the Halton County along with the Ontario Baseball Association to be held in Georgetown on April 11 and 18th in

the arena Rose Room. All existing umpires must attend to obtain O.B.A. umpire's cards and any new prospective umpires are urged to attend for a better outlook on rules of the game. Attendance is necessary to obtain a Halton County umpire's card.

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Women's Curling Results of Draws

The final of three draws held by the North Halton Curling Club Women's section concluded last week with the winners of six different curling time slots determined.

Monday afternoon: First — Betty Hull; Jean Shaw; Ina Sinclair; Lena Burns. Second — Jean Mackenzie; Jean Brander; Norma Wilson; Rene McComb.

Tuesday afternoon: Doris Barragar Trophy — First: Joan Ewan; Doris Zilio; Maureen Burkoyn; Marianne Leggett. Second: Phyl Monkton; Jean McCormick; Arden Mainprize; Eileen Manley.

Wednesday afternoon: First — Anne Bingham; Joy Noble; Mary Rand; 2nd, Glad Dillon; Doris Binkley; Mary Blehn; Marcia Hadden.

Thursday morning — First: Shirley Crichton; Florence Smith; Lena Burns; Doreen Geofreda. Second: Doris Zilio; June Magnuson; Jean Servos; Marianne Leggett.

Thursday afternoon: Lucille Silver Trophy — First: Arlene Talbot; Marilyn Barber; Vi Bradley; Cherie Piprell. Second: Bette Broomhead; Carolyn Hayward; Doris Cox; Lyn Wantess.

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IN THE MAIL BAG

Doesn't Share Views On Killer Crow Either

24 Edith Street.

Dear Editor: Would you please publish this letter to Sylvia Tyhurst of R R 2, Georgetown. I answer to her letter of exception about an article in Outdoors recently regarding the crow.

I would like to inform you that the article in the Herald of March 28th that you took exception to was not my views on the crow. They were the views of an organization that was more or less backing Ducks Unlimited that has done so much to restore duck breeding grounds on the western prairies.

"Let's Gang up on Killer Crow" was the heading of an article that was sent to me some time ago. I will admit I should have made it more clear.

Actually it was supposed to be in contrast to my article on the crow and seagulls that was published in the Outdoors column on March 12, 1970.

The heading was "Crows, Seagulls Both Have Place in Nature."

I will also admit that after reading the article over again it would have been much better left out of my Outdoors column. It did sound sort of blood-thirsty.

I am still quite elated that more people everyday are becoming conscious of the environment we humans and all other living creatures are going to try and survive in. We who have spent so many years in the Outdoors knew it was coming a long time ago.

As for my share of ducks, I never did rate the crow as a competitor. When I went duck hunting I was always rewarded with enough to eat and some to give away.

I did, I will admit, lose some crappies, and as you say a good trained retriever helps a lot. I bought my black Lab retriever 10 years ago. It took me almost 2 years to train her. And I might add I haven't lost a duck since.

I purchased my retriever from Mr. Al Vince of Meaford. Mr. Vince was a Department of Lands and Forests officer. I am sorry to say that he suffered a heart attack at the Sportsman's Show a few years ago and died a few days later. My retriever's full name is Black Beas of Meaford.

As for bringing me up to the times by quoting what the biologists have to say, I would like to inform you that I am quite well informed on their views and findings. I have read many of their books and have spoken to some of them personally.

Much of my knowledge about the outdoors was obtained the hard way.

own way part biologists, naturalists and conservationists.

Paul Errington was so right when he says "It is unfortunate that man the specialist in evil, sees in predation among wild animals so much evil that is not there."

It is also quite right that there is no proof that any species of bird is less numerous because of the crow. "I have often noticed that myself."

The same can be said about some animals. You can rest assured, that I will not encourage the blasting from the sky, of any bird, or the blasting from the earth of any animal. Today they need our help not our bullets.

There is an old saying "Forewarned is Forearmed." If I receive any more news of that nature I will make it quite clear as to the source of it.

In regards to duck hunting, I wasn't hunting last fall and I doubt if I will be this coming fall.

My reason is how will we know if it is a healthy one. The same goes for the fish we catch, and the moose and deer that are shot.

Much as I like waterfowl, wild game, and fish it sure is enough to make one hang up his guns and fishing tackle and take up golf.

I hope the above letter will give you a better idea of the type of person that is writing the Outdoors column for the Georgetown Herald.

I sincerely hope you enjoy my Outdoors column's in later issues of our local paper The Georgetown Herald.

Yours truly

Mr. George C. Hoare

Set May 24 Opening for Terra Cotta Area

Area residents will have to wait almost two months before they can use the Terra Cotta conservation area.

Credit Valley Conservation Authority chairman Roy McMillan said that the authority does not intend to open the area for the summer until May 24, despite the fact that nearby conservation areas under the jurisdiction of the Metro authority will re-open about April 21.

"The official re-opening of Terra Cotta will be May 24 weekend," McMillan said. "We expect that is the time most people will want to start going there."

Albion Hills and Heart Lake conservation areas, under the Metro authority, will re-open about one month before Terra Cotta. Both were open to the public during the winter, but were closed for about four weeks on March 21 because of danger from swollen rivers and soft snow conditions.

Plan Swimming Pool Open September Too

Good news for Georgetown's water babies. The Community Swimming Pool season will be extended into September and may even be opened earlier than usual depending on a decision of the Georgetown Recreation Committee.

Since the pool opened it has been used only two months out of each year, June and July.

At its March 23 meeting, GRC decided to go ahead with some renovations at the pool, and the completion of these will influence the decision on the opening date.

Other Business: At the same meeting the GRC:

- Renewed the lease of Maple Nursery School to use Cedarvale facilities again for the 1970-71 term.
- Rented the Memorial Arena to the Rotary Club for an auction June 8.
- Agreed to send copies of the minutes of the March community conference on recreation to all organizations who registered at the first such conference in October. These are on request.
- Accepted the application of the Georgetown YWCA-YMCA to rent one of the four food concession booths which will be set up for a rodeo at the fairgrounds in June. The other three booths are still to be rented.

One Goal Keeps Juveniles From Winnipeg Crown

Georgetown Juveniles won two of their three games at the Fort Garry "Tournament of the Century" in Winnipeg during the holiday week.

The locals, nudged from the OMAA playdowns by Orillia, romped 11-1 over Riverton in their first tourney test, and then beat Verdun 5-2 before East Elmwood edged them 6-5.

Against Riverton Marty Fowler scored six, Benny Heppes two, and Waters, Guest and Gerry Neil one each. In the game with Verdun, Paulsen scored two, and Heppes, Presswood and Lewis one each. Guest, with a pair, Heppes, McNally and Waters scored for Georgetown in their loss.

Georgetown Juveniles lost top scorer Marty Fowler during the tournament. He suffered a severe shoulder injury and was flown home after emergency treatment.

Team members Bob, Bill and Gerry Neil, Steve Waters, Hugh Williams, Bruce Lewis, Marty Fowler, John McNally, Benny Heppes, George Paulsen, David Ward, Dave Guest, Dwayne Hay and Gary Louth were accompanied by coach Junior Beaumont, manager Red Asseltine, Ken Asseltine, Art Stamp and Bert Tuck on the train trip.

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CONSTANTINE RINK WINS CORNELIUS

In a thrilling finish, a rink skipped by Norm Constantine won the John Cornelius Trophy at North Halton Curling Club, Saturday night. The rink which included Constantine, Jean Brander, Wayne Taylor and Arden Mainprize, tied the final game with Ken Howat's four-goal team in the final end and then won the extra end.

Saturday was the final day of the spiel, a mixed club event which started on March 30 and went the whole week with 128 men and women taking part.

Other winners in the first event were the Morris Goodsketting rink and Wally Sinclair's rink. Second event rinks were skipped by Ken Jackson, Joe Louth and Bob Hadden.

Heather Court Family Host at Victory Party

The home had been open house to the Marlies and their parents during tournament week.

GRATEFUL

Team trainer J. McGowan, his wife Geraldine, Mrs. Bishop's cousin, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Slaz, Mr. and Mrs. Vancorn, Mrs. D. Harris and their sons expressed their thanks to all who helped make the tourney the success it was. The boys said they were especially grateful to the ladies auxiliaries and the Legion members, and to J. Harkins of Moore Park for transporting players to and from the arena.

PLAYERS

Team members Bob, Bill and Gerry Neil, Steve Waters, Hugh Williams, Bruce Lewis, Marty Fowler, John McNally, Benny Heppes, George Paulsen, David Ward, Dave Guest, Dwayne Hay and Gary Louth were accompanied by coach Junior Beaumont, manager Red Asseltine, Ken Asseltine, Art Stamp and Bert Tuck on the train trip.

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