



The traffic was heavy in front of the Raider net in this play during Georgetown's 2-0 victory over Fort Erie Mavericks on Friday night. MacDonald, with the help of Ray Evans and Brad

# Raiders blank Fort Erie Gordon line leads way

The Georgetown Chrysler Raiders put everything together at Alcott Arena on Friday night and shutout the Fort Erie Mavericks 2-0.

Mario MacDonald played a good game in the Georgetown net in earning the shutout. John Dick was also in good form in the Maverick net. MacDonald faced 23 shots while Dick stopped 32 of the shots fired at him.

Colin Gordon, who was playing his second game as a Raider, again showed that he is going to be one of the best players in the league.

The converted centreman scored his third goal in two games and also set up his two linemates Art Webster and Bob Fotheringham for many other scoring chances.

General manager Jack Handy said he was very pleased with the work of Webster and Fotheringham.

Butterworth, managed to keep the puck out and preserve his shutout.

"Those two guys were really throwing their weight around and with Gordon in there it gives us three solid lines," Handy said.

The two teams played it close in the first period and it went scoreless. The Raiders outshot the Mavericks 8-6 in the frame.

The script was much the same for the first half of the second period as neither team was able to put dents in the armours of the two goaltenders.

The Raiders finally opened the scoring 49 seconds into the second half of the game. Tom Daley scored the goal with Steve Blundy and defenseman Bill Currie earning assists. Fort Erie's Terry Forrester was off serving a hooking foul at the time of the goal.

Late in the period Gordon scored his marker. Assists on the play went to Blundy and

# Gems lose big home game trail Brampton by one point

A tired Georgetown Gemini club was victimized by Brampton Logan Chevys 3-1 at Alcott Arena on Saturday night.

It was an important victory for Brampton as it moved them one point up on the Gems and gave them sole possession of the sixth and final playoff spot.

Coach Ron Dixon said his club played a tough game in Oakville the night before and may have been tired against the Logan Chevys. "The desire seemed to be there, but the legs did not," Dixon said.

"We hit a couple of posts and missed a couple of breakaways and that was the difference," the coach said.

Dixon said that his goaltender, Brad Miller, played another superb game. "Brampton was better than us in every department except goaltending," the coach said. Miller was bombarded with 48 shots and it was only his play between the pipes that held Brampton to three goals. The Gems fired 27 shots at Ken Marindale in the Brampton net.

Gem sharpshooter Doug Barnes is beginning to know how Gordie Howe felt when the right winger was chasing his one-thousandth professional goal. Barnes has now missed in three attempts to record his one-hundredth goal as a Gem. Before the last three games Barnes was on a scoring tear.

Dixon said he is using Miller in the net almost every game because he has confidence in the young netminder. "We're fighting for a playoff spot and I'm going to pull all the stops to try and get one," he said.

Dixon said he was again pleased with the work of Blake Shortill, who is back in the lineup after a brief retirement.

One name which has been missing from the Gem lineup in recent games is Frank Pionteck. Dixon said he cut the winger because he did not think Pionteck was of Junior "B" calibre.

The Logan Chevys opened the scoring on Saturday with approximately six minutes gone in the first period. Paul Cook, one of the league's top scorers, from Paul Hybka and Gord Smith tallied with the Gems' Dale Mieczewicz off serving a slashing penalty.

Brampton went ahead 2-0 with 13 minutes gone in the period on John Van Bilzen's goal from Cook and Hybka.

Bob Allison put the Gems on the scoreboard with less than three minutes left in the opening frame with Chris Milne and Shortill earning assists. Brampton's Dave McLaughlin was off serving a slashing infraction when the goal was scored.

The final two periods were strictly a goaltending duel between Miller and Martindale. Both teams had many chances to score but the only one player to tally was Cook. Midway through the second period he scored his second goal from Hybka and John Van Bilzen.

The Gems and Chevys-Logans meet one more time before the season ends and that meeting could decide who packs their equipment away for the remainder of the season. It does not appear that the Gems

have too good a chance of catching Oakville, Milton or Burlington. If they are to make the playoffs they will have to beat out Brampton.

Dixon said his team is playing good defensive hockey, but is having trouble putting the puck in the net. Before Dixon took over as coach the problem was that they could not stop the other teams from scoring. In Paul Robinson's last three

games as coach his team scored 19 goals, but came away with only one point.

The Gems definitely have good scorers in Barnes, Milne, Paul Ancinelli and Tim Turner.

If Miller can keep minding the net the way he has in recent games it should not be long before the Gem sharpshooters find their scoring eyes again.

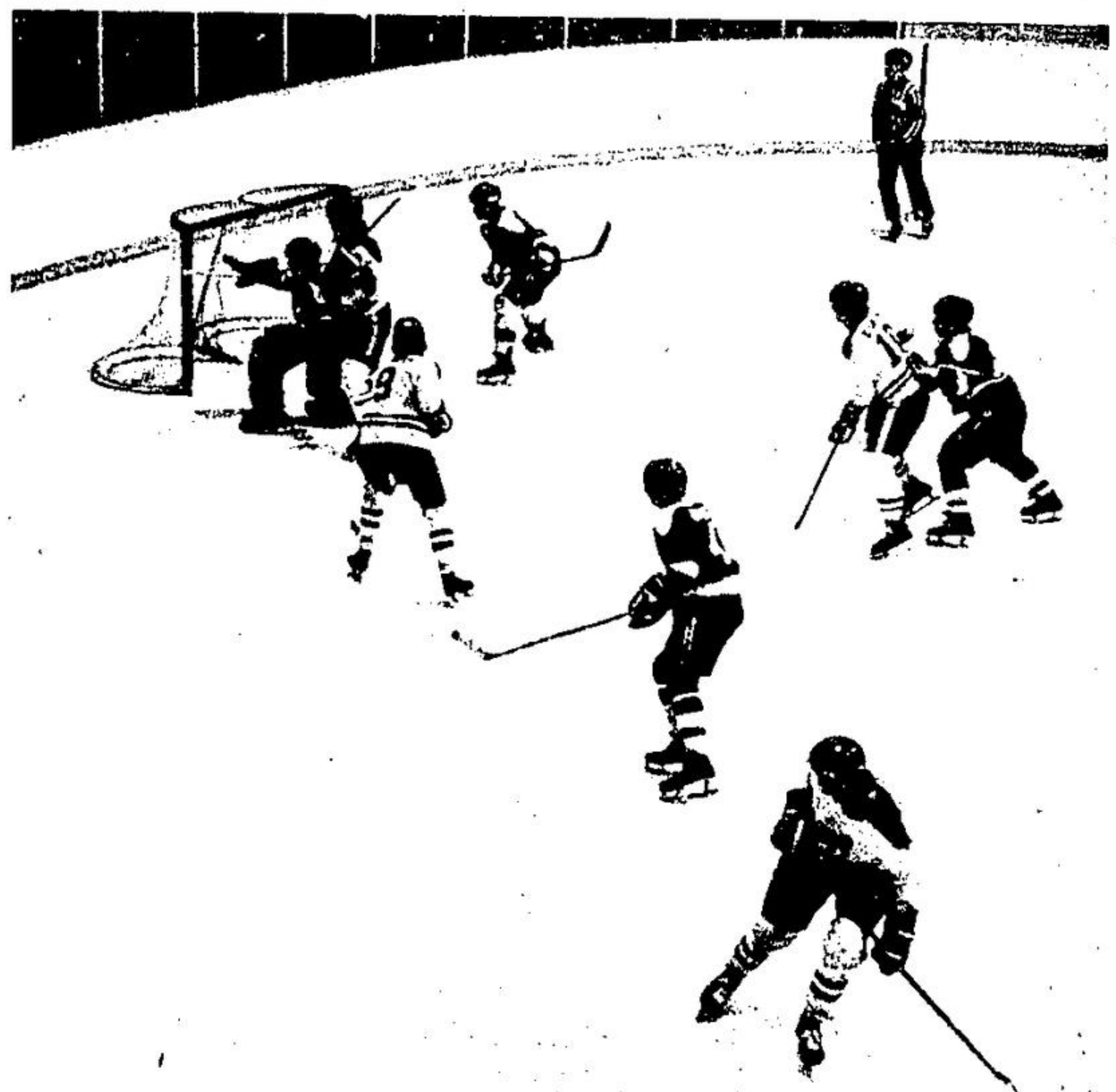
One move which seems to be paying dividends for Dixon is the one which saw young forward Marty Power moved back to the defense. The big youngster is a good skater and he is using his size to stop enemy players.

The Gems play two big games this week as they host the red-hot Milton Flyers at Memorial Arena on Wednesday night and then travel to

Acton to take on their cross-town rivals the Sabres on Friday night. The Acton game is a must one for the Gems if they are to make a playoff spot.

After the Sabre game the Gems will have eight games left on their schedule, with only the away game against Brampton not being against a club which has better than a .500 record.

## HERALD sports



This is a bird's eye view of the action during the Georgetown Gemini-Brampton Logan Chevys game on Saturday

at Alcott Arena. The Gems lost the big game 3-1 and now trail Brampton, who are in sixth spot, by one point.

### Raider regulars to face Yugoslavs

Jack Handy, general manager of the Georgetown Chrysler Raiders has announced that his club will not add any players for the match against the Yugoslavian national team on February 15.

Handy told The Herald that he and Raider coach Junior Tibbetts talked it over and decided to go with the lineup which has carried them to the top of the O.H.A. Intermediate "A" standings.

"The only way we will add any players from the lineups of the other clubs in the league would be if we run into injury problems," Handy said.

"We're going with our club win or lose," the general manager said. "From the talk I've heard in the dressing room the last two weeks I would say our players are going to go out there and give 150 per cent."

"We have three strong lines and six solid defencemen and we expect it to be a good, close game," Handy said.

The general manager added that another reason the team decided not to add any players is because it is getting close to playoff time.

### More wrestling

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Lakeport, Jeff McKelvey, J.F. Koss, Mario Granitto, Thorold.

165 pounds - Steve Needham, Smiths Falls; Pasi Halko, Newtonbrook; Paul McCulligh, Fergus; and Kevin Keck, Strathroy.

177.5 pounds - Gary Robinson, Fergus; Rob Moes, Lakeport; Chris Stagg, Newtonbrook and Mike Richards, Perdue.

192 pounds - Bill Koisopoulos, Churchill, J. Scott, Fergus, Tom Stepielos, Churchill and Frank Kerdle, Newtonbrook.

Heavyweight - Bill Leeder, Erinville; Manfred Voss, Grey Highlands; Brian Hammond, Newtonbrook; Kent Cherry, Grey Highlands.

The week before the Rebels competed in the Grey Highlands meet at Fiesherston. Including Georgetown, five of the top 10 schools in the province from last year competed in the meet.

Georgetown showed that they are again going to be a power in the province by taking a convincing victory in Fiesherston. They scored 70 points, which was 27 more than second-place Strathroy.

The provincial champion from last year, Winston Churchill of Toronto, tied for third place with Roland Michener and Fergus finished in fourth

spot.

Here is how the top Rebel wrestlers fared individually in the meet.

86 pounds - Mike Taylor finished third.

92.5 pounds - Grant Marshall won the division, the first time he has even taken a first, and Ron Martin finished sixth.

99 pounds - Jerry Paul took third and Mark Debueck was sixth.

106.5 pounds - Frank Miedzinski took first and Bill Davis was third.

114.5 pounds - Dean Scallen finished fourth.

121 pounds - Pete Fournier was second, and among his victims was last year's Canadian Junior Champion Greg O'Connor of Winston Churchill. Fournier did not lose any matches, but finished second on number of pins.

129 pounds - Dave Paterson took fourth place in the toughest category. It included George Gutowski, the Canadian Junior Champ and Claude Danusi, the 130 pound 1977 O.F.S.A.A. champ.

136.5 pounds - Kevin Brown took fourth spot.

143 pounds - John Wright was second. The winner of the division Brian Pendergast totally dominated the class as he did not have one point scored against him the whole day.

### Streetsville nips Novice Campers

Georgetown North Halton Sports Camp Novice Reps took it on the chin for the second week in a row by going down to defeat 3-2 at the hands of Streetsville.

General manager Dave Kenner said his club played a strong game, but just did not have the puck bouncing its way.

Craig Chantler opened the scoring for Georgetown in the first period as he tallied on another one of his picture play. An assist on the play went to Jamie Spiller.

In the second half of the second period Streetsville came to life and scored two goals to go into the lead. Michael Crane was the marksman in both instances.



Brian Pendergast, co-captain of the GDIIS wrestling team, takes a break between bouts.

### Bantams defeat Caledon

Georgetown Montego (4 town) bantams travelled to Inglewood to take on the highly-touted Caledon OMHA bantam allstars and try to qualify for their upcoming January 28-29 Bantam tournament. Caledon, fresh from a 8-0 victory over Burlington, gave the 4 towners the impression they were wasting their time even facing on their skates.

Coach Bill Richmond's game plan was methodical hard checking and that combined with some excellent goaltending by Mark Dodge gave the 4-towners a come from behind victory 4-3. Georgetown opened the scoring when Brad Nicolucci's persistence paid off, jamming the puck in at the goal mouth, unassisted. Caledon tied 30 seconds later, Rick Madgett scoring his first of three goals.

Montego went one up in the second frame. Brad Tyndall from Nicolucci.

Madgett then put Caledon in the lead by popping two goals to end the period. A goal by Todd Cronkright from Bob Grashy and Kevin Stewart brought 4-town even again, and less than a minute later, Kevin Stewart on the faceoff deep in the Caledon zone stepped around the opposition centre to sink one in the upper right hand corner for the win.

By virtue of their win, the 4-towners qualified for entry into the 16 team OMHA Tournament, double knockout, starting January 25th.

# Way-Jay and Norval both win Sandhill trounces Motors 12-1

Sandhill took its second consecutive convincing victory in a row by dominating the hapless Harley Motors in Industrial League action. Way-Jay stayed on top by defeating Norval by a single. Midway through the second period he scored his second goal from Hybka and John Van Bilzen.

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Keith Aubrey tallied twice each and Glen Shoebridge picked up a single. Glen Shoebridge was the only Motors shooter to find the net.

Syme and Brian Beaumont picked up singles. Dave Kelly and Chris Tenant did Mover's scoring.

### Stratford out

Stratford, the defending champions of the Georgetown Midget Tournament which got under way yesterday, have cancelled out of the tourney.

A spokesman for the tournament said Stratford had to cancel because some of its team members had exam commitments.

Organizers for the tournament did not take long to find a capable replacement for the defending champs. Peterborough, a strong AAA team, will play in place of Stratford.

One other change had to be made in the schedule. The Milton team was scheduled to play tonight, but it already had another regular game commitment. Therefore Milton opened the tournament last night against Whiby and Brampton will play Markham tonight at 6:30 p.m.

TEAM STANDINGS

GP	W	L	TPTS		
Way-Jay	12	9	0	3	21
Norval	12	8	1	3	19
Guelpch-Clair Texaco	12	6	4	2	14
Sandhill	12	6	5	1	13
DeHoer's Movers	12	2	9	1	5
Harley Motors	12	0	12	0	0

LEADING SCORERS

T	GP	G	A	TP	
Greg Bodnar	WJ	12	13	15	28
Dwayne Hay	WJ	11	7	18	25
Keith Aubrey	SH	12	16	8	24
Grant Bodaar	WJ	12	10	14	24
Brian Beaumont	Nor	12	10	14	24
Dave Holmes	Nor	11	10	12	22
Doug Anderson	Nor	10	14	7	21
Warren Craig	SH	12	13	6	19
Max Horzak	WJ	10	9	10	19
Roger Chapman	G-C	11	10	9	19

FUTURE GAMES  
 9:00 DeHoer's Movers vs Way-Jay  
 10:30 Harley Motors vs Norval  
 12:00 Guelpch-Clair vs Sandhill

1978 TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

TUESDAY, JANUARY 17

6:30 pm Brampton vs Whiby  
 8:00 pm Kitchener vs Ancaster  
 9:30 pm Lindsay vs Peterborough

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 18

6:30 pm Milton vs Markham  
 8:00 pm Georgetown vs Stoney Creek  
 9:30 pm Port Colborne vs Owen Sound

THURSDAY, JANUARY 19

7:00 pm Hamilton vs Guelpch  
 8:30 pm Bowmanville vs Collingwood

Key games in the opening draw will feature Lindsay versus the Peterborough on Tuesday the 17 at 9:30 pm; Fort Colborne versus a strong Owen Sound entry, at 9:30 pm on the 18th; and Hamilton Huskies versus Guelpch Optimists on the 19th, at 7:00 pm - top AAA teams Georgetown Sunny Acres Farms play their opening game at 8:00 pm against Stoney Creek. Depending on the result, they will play again either at 10:00 am or 11:30 am on Saturday.

O.H.A. CENTRAL JUNIOR "B" STANDINGS

W	L	T	P	
Streetsville	26	3	3	55
Dixie	23	6	3	49
Burlington	17	12	3	37
Milton	14	13	6	34
Oakville	15	17	2	34
Brampton	11	21	2	24
Georgetown	9	18	5	23
Acton	3	28	2	8

O.H.A. JUNIOR "B" SCORING LEADERS

Records are beginning to fall in the league. The goal scoring record was broken last week and the assists and points records should be broken before the season ends.

All three major records were held before this season began by Lance Netherly who played with the Burlington Mohawks in 1974-75. His records were 51 goals, 69 assists and 120 points.

G	A	P	
Jim Baker, S	42	57	96
Mike Prestidge, S	20	52	78
George Chandler, S	52	25	77
Rod Gooding, M	29	47	76
Frank Carnevale, O	19	45	64
Steve Cruikshank, D	31	32	63

# Sabres drop two decisions penalties cost them one game

The Acton Sabres took two big losses last week, losing away on Friday 8-1 to the Burlington Cougars and then at home 6-3 to Oakville Blades.

The Sabres are also having trouble finding the net. There only good offensive showing in the last four games came against Dixie Beelives when they scored six goals. Unfortunately for Acton, the Beelives potted 12 goals in that game.

Coach Bruce Chapman said that his team has had nothing but bad luck lately. After one big loss he said that his team just could not buy a goal.

Chapman said his team is very young and are bound to make mistakes. Only two of the players on the roster will go over age this year. However, one of those players is superstar Dave Chapman.

Although Chapman is in the top 10 in scorers, he is not having the type of year that he did last year.

One of the problems Chapman has had is that opposition teams are able to key on him because the Sabres just do not have other big shooters in the lineup. Scott Malcolm and Wade Vickery have been producing, but undoubtedly opponents will let these two young players run free to keep a closer eye on Chapman.

It must also be frustrating for the Sabre shooters to know that they have to score seven or more goals before they can be in a game.

Goaltenders Ray Dunbar and Robin Insocho have set the goaltending chores in the last four wpeouts.

In the loss to Burlington the only Sabre to tally was Pete Wicklum. Chapman and Warren Barnes earned assists. Bob Doleman, Hal Montford and Kevin Charbonneau scored two apiece for the Cougars with Wayne MacLeod and Mike Carr adding singles. At home, the Sabres were in

the game until the final period when they fell apart. They went into the final period ahead 3-2 on goals by Chapman, Rob Milligan, from Malcolm, and Mark Schinkel. Brian Marvel and Frank Cornevale had replied for the Blades.

However, the Blades scored four unanswered goals in the final frame to take the victory. The scorers were Willie McFarlane, Cornevale and two by Mike Richmond.

It has been a long season for coach Chapman, but possibly next year he will begin to reap the benefits of letting his young players learn under game conditions.

**Pee Wees take three points**

The Georgetown Standard Product Major Pee Wees got two strong games for goaltender Derek Murphy and took a 2-0 victory of Dundas and then tied Milton 3-3.

Goalkeepers against Dundas were Bobby Boucher, from Eric Clark and Howie Uram and Jay Barwell, from Sandy Watson.

Against first-place Milton, captain Clark tallied twice and Andrew Braun added a single. Howie Uram and Blake Harrison recorded assists.