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Hamilton, Ford and Sturgeon spur weekend victories

## Raider victory confidence dumps Barrie Flyers

By CHRIS AAGAARD  
Herald Staff Writer

Blustery weather conditions early Saturday morning around Georgetown may have originated from a rather unlikely source, namely the Chrysler Raiders treasury.

Indeed, the Raiders executive breathed a hefty sigh of relief following the club's 8-4 victory Friday night over the Barrie Flyers at the Gordon Alcott Arena. Barely 24 hours early, Raiders general manager Dave Kentner, oozing the kind of confidence that's seen him eat crow before, boasted that if the Raiders lost the game, he would let the fans witness the unfortunate spectacle into the arena free of charge the next time the two teams clash (Dec. 19).

Thanks largely to the efforts of the formidable Raider front line of Bill Hamilton, Gary Ford and Peter Sturgeon, the Flyers were humbled, 8-4, unable to swing a two-game sweep from the Georgetown club which lost to Barrie last Wednesday night 8-7 in overtime.

Friday night's first period of play contained about as fine a game of hockey fans can expect to see in any league. The play moved end to end, but it was in the first few minutes that the Raiders began the careful picking apart of the Flyer defence that eventually led to the visitors' defeat.

opening face off, beginning a four point game for him. Sturgeon and Hamilton assisted on the play. Shortly afterward, Ray Tonelli dumped one behind Flyer netminder Dunc Brownell. Hamilton picked up his first goal of a two-goal game towards the end of the period snapping up a pass from Ford and Sturgeon. Sturgeon wrapped up the period with just over three minutes left scoring on a play set up by teammates Ford and Hamilton.

While it looked as if Raider goalie Dragafevich was heading for a shutout, Flyers' Kevin Guest grabbed the puck as it dribbled from the second period opening face off and ruined Dragafevich's bid with a solid drive from the right wing corner of the blueline.

Ford responded for the Raiders around the midway mark in the period again calling on linemate Sturgeon for help. Sturgeon added another a minute later as Ford and Ron Twiss assisted. Vytas Urbas narrowed the Raiders' lead to 6-2 to begin his hat trick of the evening, scoring on a power play set up by Steve McAleese and Bob Baird. By this time the Flyers were showing some definite signs of frustration and for a lengthy four-minute stretch in the second period, fans were treated to some rather exciting play around the Barrie net as the Raiders contained the visitors.

Raiders ahead 7-2 at the 10 minute mark of the third period as Kellr Todd and Tonelli teamed up for assists. Hamilton scored the Raiders' final period goal less than a minute later, getting support from Sturgeon and Ford.

The Flyers' third period flurry came too late to even make the remainder of the game much more interesting. Urbas picked up both the club's remaining goals, the last one coming with 10 seconds left in the game. McAleese, Gary Manschoit and Dave Boyce assisted on the plays.

Brownell faced 48 shots during the game compared to Dragafevich's 21.

### BARRIE FLYERS

Wednesday's game in Barrie was what one might call a real goalie's nightmare—for both sides.

Suffering from a painful groin injury, Raiders' Brad Miller was not sharp between the pipes and the hometown team dumped four pucks behind him before the end of the first period. After the Flyers' fifth goal which came a little over three minutes into the second period, Raider coach Gerry Inglis pulled Miller in favor of Dragafevich.

Meanwhile things weren't going so smoothly for Flyers' Brownell. Although his team was busy scoring at the other end of the ice, the Raiders were getting those goals back

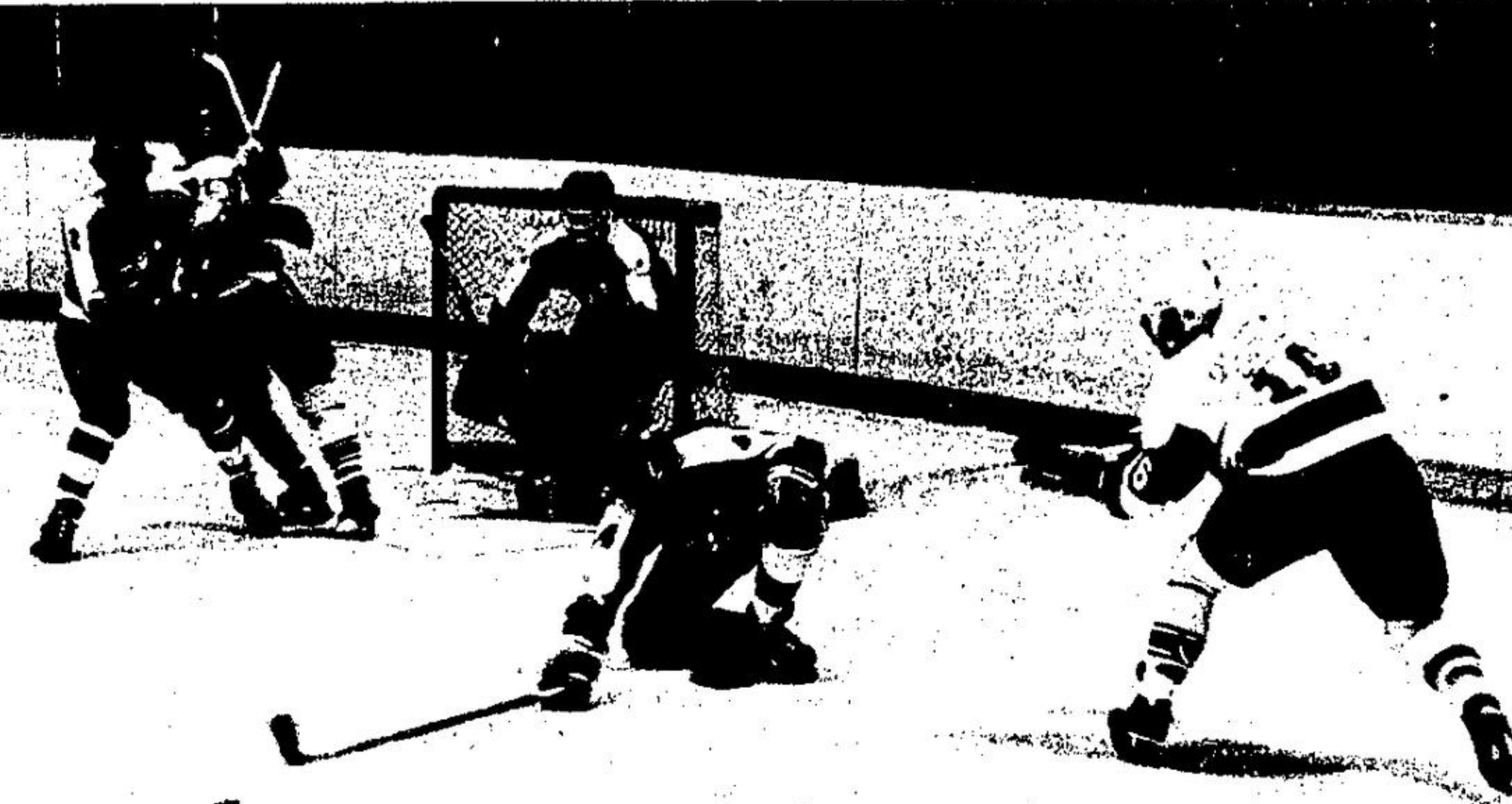
expediously. Hamilton stuffed four goals behind Brownell before the final buzzer sounded and assisted on a third period power play goal by Ford. The Raiders came out of the first period with a respectable 4-3 deficit, thanks to two goals by Hamilton and another by Raiders' captain Juri Kudrasovs.

Ford and Sturgeon also played strong games, Ford enjoying a goal and two assists and Sturgeon coming out of the contest with three assists.

Flyers' Bob Coulson picked up his second and third goals of the game during the second period to help the hometown maintain its lead. However, the Raiders continued to play aggressively and Ford and John Cook trimmed the Flyer lead to one point thanks to assists from Sturgeon, Hamilton, Kudrasovs and Ben Pederson. The period ended with the Flyers ahead 6-5.

While the Flyers' Urbas once again pulled his team into the lead after Ford (from Hamilton and Sturgeon) managed to tie things up, Hamilton proved to be the spoiler in the dying moments of the game, scoring on a pass set up by Rick Kessel and Steve Lyon and forcing the game into an overtime period.

With the Raiders' Pederson crouched in the penalty box, Phil Regan scored on the power play to end the game and spur the rivalry in Alcott Arena Friday night.



Still smarting from an 8-7 defeat in Barrie last Wednesday night, the Georgetown Raiders throttled the Barrie Flyers 8-4 two evenings later. Fans were treated to some especially fine hockey, with good, solid fore-checking and razor-sharp passing from the hometown club. In the photo above, Flyer netminder Dunc Brownell keeps a close eye on a pass unleashed by Raiders' Al Wood. Meanwhile, Barrie's Larry Trotter and Georgetown's Gary Ford (who

helped spur the Raiders to their victory with Bill Hamilton and Peter Sturgeon) mix it up in front of the crease. Following a game in Collingwood Friday night, the Raiders return to Alcott Arena Saturday for a contest against the Port Elgin Sunoco's.

(Herald photo)

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## Gems clash with Warriors, Dynes

The Georgetown Gems and the Brampton Warriors wrestled to a 5-5 tie Saturday night in Brampton.

John Hendrich got the Warriors off to an early first period start, scoring on a power play while Bill Taylor was sitting

out a penalty. Warriors' Morris Tambosso moved the hometown club ahead 2-0 early in the second period, picking up a pass from Tom Harstad.

Georgetown remained undaunted and came back with a sharp power play goal from

Bob Dean, set up by Taylor and Mark Hamilton. The Warriors picked up three more goals before Mike McMenemy slugged in an additional power play point behind Warrior goalie Jeff Smith. Two minutes later, Murray Levy fed

Bob Davey another, narrowing the Warriors' lead 4-3. But before the period buzzer sounded Brampton's Jack Chase beat Mike Steer for the club's fifth goal.

Holding the Brampton club scoreless in the third period,

the Gems tied the game on goals from Brad McMeekin (a powerplay effort assisted by Guy Cormier) and Hamilton, picking up his second point of the game. Rob Vail assisted on the tying goal.

Monday night, the Gems were handed an 11-2 defeat. Gem goals were scored by Murray Levy and Mark Hamilton. Details from the Gems' game against Thornhill at Alcott Arena Tuesday night were unavailable at press time.

## Mustang rookie Duffy survives competition

By JOHN MCKENNA  
Herald Special

There's no easy way to make a team that seems destined for the Canadian football College Bowl. Yet linebacker John Duffy of Georgetown has made the team despite the stiff competition offered by the University of Western Ontario Mustangs.

Duffy got his first taste of competition at the outset of training camp when over 120 players showed up to play. The number, everyone knew, would have to be reduced by a third before the lineup would be set.

"The competition at positions was and still is just incredible. The quality of it is also a lot higher than I ever saw in high school," he said. He soon realized that the focus of his energies were concentrated on making the team, rather than attaining a starting position. The Mustangs had only two positions, that were not filled by a third or fourth year veteran, and neither opening was at linebacker.



JOHN DUFFY

"I had to prepare myself to the fact that I wouldn't be starting. But it's always in the back of my mind that next year both outside linebackers will have graduated," Duffy said.

At university, football is not the only change he has had to accommodate; there's also his school work.

"It's incredible what they expect you to do. Just to be able to keep up with the team and my studies is a task in itself. Forget anything else," he said.

Duffy said that he needs good marks this year in order to get into Western's prestigious Business program.

"I came to Western for mainly scholastic reasons, football was more of an afterthought," he said.

Duffy finds that his education is not only confined to the books, but that he is learning more football than ever before.

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### Georgetown Development Minor Atoms action

## Goals all around as Orangeville defeated

Hosting Orangeville last Tuesday evening the Minor Atoms defeated the visiting team with an impressive 13-3 win.

Scoring for the locals were Wade Serjeantson, Andy

Pearce (2), Wes McCauley (2), Trevor Snow (2) with hat tricks going to Joel Burton and Mark Lorito.

Assists earned by Roddy Pasma (2), Trevor Snow (2), Andy Pearce, Mark Minnich,

Joel Burton, Wes McCauley, Mark Lorito (2), Kevin Usher, Steve Aichin, Wade Serjeantson and Mike McElroy.

The coaching staff consisting of Ed Serjeantson, Kevin Hughes, and Jack Barnes felt

the defensive moves of David Hodgson and Mike McElroy contributed to the win.

Coaches, players and parents are preparing for a challenging tournament on the weekend of Nov. 20-22 in Depew, N.Y., comprised of

seven triple A teams - U.S.A. and Canadian, with our own Georgetown A.A. squad rising to the occasion.

The Georgetown Development Minor Atoms continue to play superb hockey as they travelled to Ching to win 3-1

Nov. 5.

Mike Barnes opened the scoring for Georgetown on a pass from Wes McCauley.

At the 6:46 mark in the second period Sean Gardner put the Minor Atoms ahead 2-1 on assist by Andy Pearce.

Continuing their winning streak the Georgetown Development Minor Atoms defeated Brampton 10-3 Saturday afternoon.

Leading the way for the Minor Atoms was Andy Pearce, picking up his first hat trick of the season, while Mark Lorito potted two goals, with singles going to Roddy Pasma, Steve Aichin, Wes McCauley, Wade Serjeantson and Mike Barnes.

Assisting on the above goals were Mike Barnes (2), Andy Pearce (2), Trevor Snow, Wes McCauley, Mike McElroy, Roddy Pasma, Mark Minnich, Joel Burton, Mike Melville and Sean Gardner.

Outstanding goaltending was shared by Shannon Finn and Chris Cambouris.

## Twin victories for Sunny Acre squad

Georgetown Sunny Acre Major Midgets were in action twice last week, emerging the victors in both games. On Thursday they won 6-3 in

Oakville and then triumphed 6-3 over Dundas in Georgetown on Sunday.

In the Oakville game Sunny

Acre goals went to Scott Murray, Paul Burroughs (2),

Kevin Gillespie and Greg Robertson (2). Picking up the

assists were Mark Snow, Tom Forbes (2), George Osborne (2), Jay Barwell, Paul

Burroughs, Greg Robertson and Glen Baker.

Although the Dundas game ended with a 6-3 score as well,

it was a game that could have gone to either team. At the end

of the first period Sunny Acres were down 1-0. With only three minutes gone in the second

period, Dundas scored again to take a 2-0 lead. Greg Robert-

son put Georgetown on the scoreboard at 9:50 with assists going to Blake Harrison and George Osborne. Dundas again took a two goal lead when they scored at the 4:21 mark. Twenty seconds later Sunny Acres roared back with an unassisted goal by Howie Oram. Before the second period ended Georgetown had tied the score with George

Osborne's goal, assisted by Kevin Gillespie and Greg Robertson.

The third period saw Sunny Acres notching three unanswered goals to give Georgetown the win. Paul Burroughs, Greg Robertson and Howie Oram found the net, with assists going to Greg Robertson, Tom Forbes and Blake Harrison.

### GFFL'S BEST HONORED



The Georgetown Flag Football League held its annual awards dinner Saturday night at Holy Cross Church, honoring top contributors from the league's nine teams. Award winners are (left to right) Tim Tolton (Smoke Shop), picking up this year's trophy for making the biggest overall contribution to the GFFL organization, Bill Fournier (Glen), the league's best

defensive player, Rod Wodhams (Fobert's), most valuable player of the playoffs, Brent Ferguson (Royal Plaza), rookie of the year, (back row) Werner Mikollets (Smoke Shop), 1981 scoring leader, and Bob Inglis (Smoke Shop), most valuable player of the year.

(Photo by Steve Frost)

## Pistol-packing skip at 'ol west' bonspiel

Saturday was Western Day for the lady curlers at North Halton. Cowboy hats, neckerchiefs, western boots and even a pistol packing skip were the order of the day.

The Glad Robinson Trophy was won by Peg Darmody and her team of Cathy Pereg, Mary Wands and Enid Mir. Peg's team won first place in the 9 a.m. draw. Second place went to Norma Wilson with Mary Ellen Bridge, Mary Anne Pickering and Betty Webb. The high game score was won by Alice Frazer and her team of Jane Burrows, Gert McGee and Donna Sproule.

In the 11 a.m. draw, the winning team was skipped by Prairie Bessie with Joanne Ukos, Gladys Strachan and Dot Hicks. Second place went to Bette Broomhead with Donna Blight, Beth Rednew and Pat McLeod. High game in the second draw was won by Agnes Park with Eva Bradley, Brenda McMurray and Edith McPhail.

Germaine Bagot, one of the brand new curlers who came out to the bonspiel, won the prize for the most guns collected. The paper guns were to shoot yourself with when you were unfortunate enough to log a rock.

Winners of the table prizes were Beth Redner, Agnes Park and Mary Anne Marling.

Many thanks to our bonspiel convenor, Greta Lamb and all the members of her committee for a terrific day.

Rumor has it that one of the men's teams went out bonspelling this weekend. Stay tuned, if I find out what happened, so will you.

Coming up in the next few weeks will be the Men's Open Spiel Nov. 21 and the Grey Cup Invitational Spiel Nov. 28.

Good curling and see you on the ice.



By Pat McLeod