

Smith earns Pan-Am berth

Georgetown's Doug Smith avenged his disappointment in the provinclal high school track championships this. Spring by rising to new heights on the Canadian track circuit.

Smith posted a personal best (for electronic time) in the 800 metres in Winnipeg last Saturday and Sunday at the Canad-

DOUG SMITH ... sweet revenge

Ian Junior track and field championships. His first place finish enabled him to gain a berth on the Canadian team which will be entered in the Pan-Am Gomes in August.

For Smith it was a run which spelled revenge at the finish because he hit the tape ahead of four OFSAA (high school championships) runners who had beat him earlier in the season, depriving him of the Ontario crown.

In the 15,000 metre run, Smith placed fourth. Smith competed against 40 runners in the 800 metres and clocked a time of 1.51:7.

The Georgetown runner will now be part of a Canadian track and field team heading to Venezuela for the Pan-Am Games. The Games are held for athletes from North and South America under the age of 19 years. Smith says he is looking

forward to the chance to race against some top competition from the Uni-ted States. The Canadian team mects July 22 where they will spend a week in Houston, Texas, training until July 27 when they

leave for Venezuela. In the Winnipeg 309 metre race, Smith says the first lap was not quick, but the pace picked up considerably after, that. He led for the first 500 metres, was passed

with 300 metres to go, but then kicked in for the win with 150 metres left in the

Smith has already sign-ed on with the University of Missouri on a track scholarship and he will start training with their team in late August.

The Scarborough Optimist track club sponsored Smith in travelling to Winnipeg for the Junior Canadian Games.

North Halton club begins clean-up

North Halton Golf and Country Club golfers were back on the course this week even though serious flood damage from last Monday's storm

prevented some holes from being played.

Manager of North Halton, Mrs. Marion Faulkner, said golfers are able to play the first six holes, plus the 16th, 17th and 18th holes. The remainder of

the course still requires some repairs. Both ponds on the property require work. The dams were not damaged, but the earth surrounding them just gave out, Mrs. Faulkner said. One of the

pumping stations also has to be repaired.

The eighth fairway received damage from stumps, stones and silt and will also require some work, Mrs. Faulkner said. Estimates of damage to the course range between \$70-80,000 she said.

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Glen amass 12-1-0 record for first place standing

The Glen Williams Merchants of the Intercounty fastball loop, have won their last four games, leading their league with a 12-1-0 record.

Last Tuesday's home game at the Glen saw the locals edge past Rock-wood 6-5 in a hard-fought battle. Terry Haines pitched the first four innings, but because of a sore arm was relieved by Jeff Haines in the last five

Jeff did not allow a hit in a game that Rockwood led for eight innings. The Glen team hung on and scored two runs in the ninth inning for the win, Rob Hatcher was the offensive player of thegame with two doubles and one drag bunt for a 3 for 5 count.

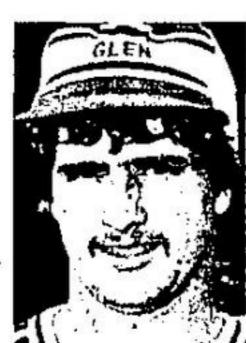
Glen 3 Cambridge t Against Cambridge Sunday, Jeff and Terry Haines split the pitching duties, both having a good

game, by giving up one hit each and having six strikeouts each. The Glen team played a

strong game, having

three regular players missing from the line up. The offensive players of the game were Dean Hancock with two hits, Glen McClure had two hits and was oh base four times. Gien has added depth to the Merchants with his hitting and defensive

The defensive player of



the Glen Merchants and possibly the league, midseason would be Jack Bergman in centre field, with his great speed, range and sure hands.

The Glen Merchants top hitter at mid-season is Mike Reynolds with 19 hits in 10 games for a batting average of .514. Terry and Jeff Haines have to be the two best

pitchers at mid-season in the Intercounty league with only one loss in 13



Paul Blackmore mans first base for the Georgetown Junior Eagles in Halton County baseball action Monday night. In their game against the Royals the Eagles were down early 3-0 but came

back to challenge their opponents in the latter innings. The score of the game was not known at press-time.

(Herald photo)

Raider Peter Sturgeon among Jr. B Geminis coaching hopefuls

The new general manager of the Georgetown Junior B Geminis, Bob Webster, says Georgetown Chrysler Raider star Peter Sturgeon 'Is" being considered to fill the Gemini coaching spotfor the 1982-3 season. In an interview Mon-

day, Webster admitted that he's never talked to Sturgeon personally, but would "consider him as a coach." Sturgeon was perhaps the best two-way player

in the Intermediate A loop last year, gaining All-Star status at left wing while assisting Raider Gerry Inglis with coaching duties.

"Im looking for a guy with practical experience



PETER STURGEON ... All-Star Ralder "being considered."

who understands young people," GM Bob Webster says. The new general manager also says he is looking for someone who can show the Gemini players rather than just

(Herald photo)

He would prefer to hire a young coach below the age of 40 years and he doesn't believe that Junlor B experience as a coach is a prerequisit.

Webster said he and his three-man committee to select a coach (consisting of Bob Tost, Dean Taylor and Bob McCandless Sr.) will take at least three weeks to make up their minds on a suitable candidate.

Meanwhile, in the Georgetown Chrysler Raider's search for a coach. Sturgeon might also be on their minds as a candidate. Vice-President of bockey operations, Don Fendley, would only say that one candidate is away on holldays and he is expecting to reply to the club's inquiries to become a coach that person was not Sturgeon, Fendly says.

Club president Bob .. Hooper says there is a

possibility that someone from the Rulders player roster could become coach, but added, "there are no real hard and fast plans, There are no names in the hat."

Bob Davey leads GIFL

AVERAGE B. Davey, Armstrong Collision Allan Densmore, Armstrong Collision Dick Spear, Hollywood Tavern Brjan Robson, Peel Steel Jim Walker, Varian Gary Agnew, Varian Robert Mossop, Varian Arnold Lefebyre, Varian Larry Peterson, Hollywood Tavern Brian James, Steel Builders

Eagles celebrate 7-3 win against Chippawa squad

In weekend action, the Georgetown junior rep, hardball team, the Eagles, won their second game on the diamond by soundly trouncing Chippawa 7-3.

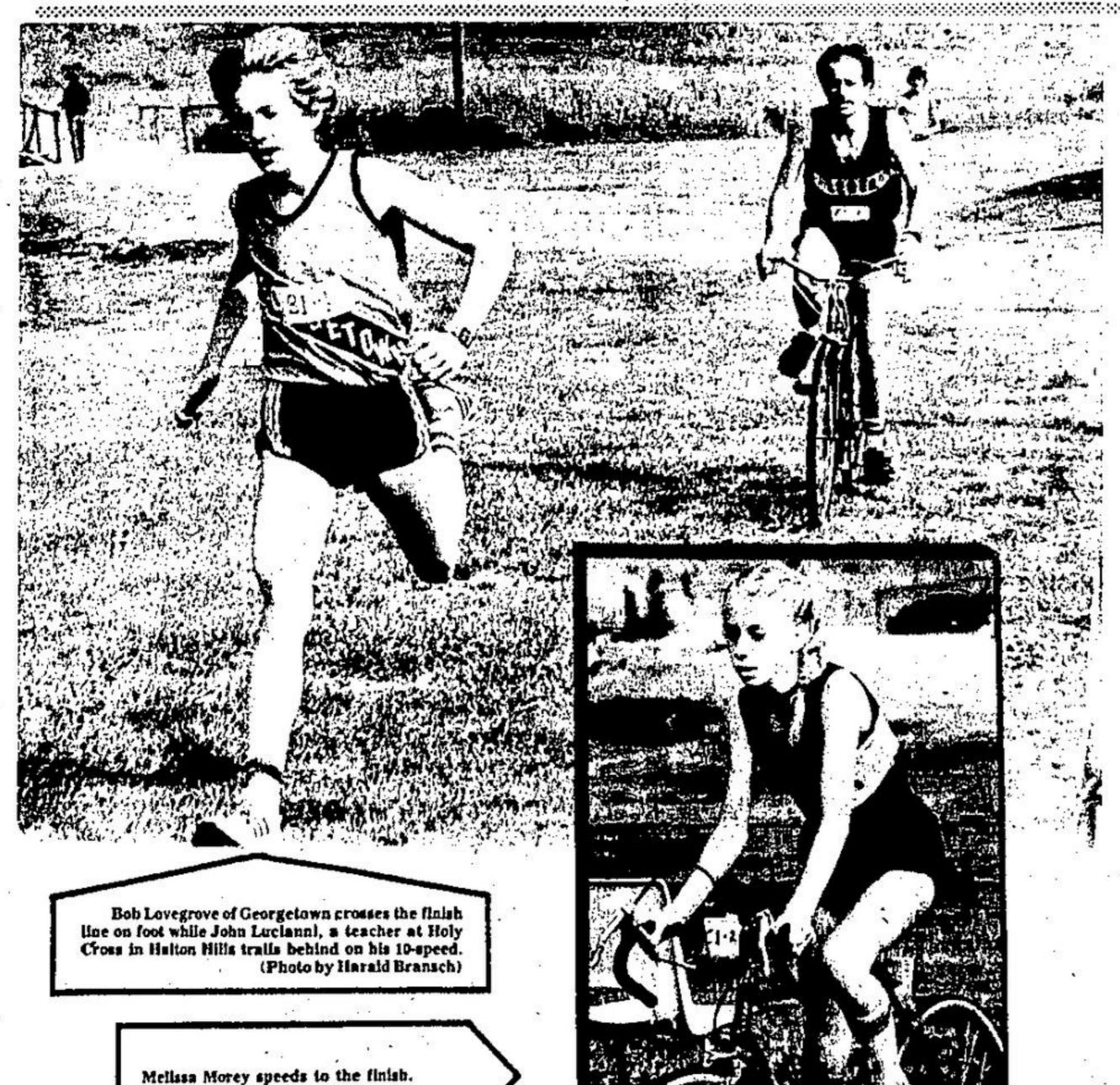
According to coach Kevin Burke, the team lead from the beginning and encountered no problems against Chippawa, especially in the batting depart-

Gerry Milne and Paul Blackmore had three hits each in the game, while Mario Galvao had two hits. Also having outstanding games for the Eagles were Gord Allen, Kevin Hughes and Larry Deighton, said

Burke singled out Kevin Hughes for his play at second base, calling him, "one of the top infielders in the league." Hughes is not afraid to get his body in front of the base and has been taking his share of bumps and bruises, the coach said.

Andrew Braun went the distance on the mound for the Engles, putting in a strong performance.

The team played again Monday night against Burlington with Chris Fabbri the starting pitcher for the locals. As of press-time, results were not known of the Burlington game.



Biathlon trekking

By HARALD BRANSCH Herald Special

The Second Annual Acton Biathlon: Not a large or prestigious event, but getting larger and maintaining a grueling character.

As witnessed last Sunday morning in and around the streets of Acton, about 25 (twoperson) teams ran and cycled a total of ten kilometres.

Not as easy as sounds.

The format of the race was a start at the Acton arena where one member of a team begins on a bicycle and the other begins on foot. Both travel the same route and after a distance of 21/2 kilometres the rider (expected to be ahead) leaves the bike at an exchange point and begins the next 21/2 kilomeires as a runner.

BEGINS RIDING Conversely the runner arrives at the exchange point and begins a riding portion. At the next exchange point, another 25% kilometre farther, the cycle repeats itself until the end of the race, again at the Acton arena.

The course has a total of three exchanges. The placing of the final team member determines the team's placing.

The winner for this year's biathlon was the team of Dale MacGregor and Jon Lancaster, winning the male 17-25 division and placing first overall. Second place overall belongs to the mixed team of George Gldmon

and Doreen Vranick, both from Acton. One of the hazards of the race was the possibility of crashing the bicycle. Bob Lovegrove was one of the most severely injured people in the race, as he sustained scratches on his back, shoulder, legs, arms and hands when he

"wiped out" after hitting

an obstacle. His team

with Eric Hopkins placed

third overall. With little preparation or planning, Lancaster and MacGregor said they ran the event for fun. They commented that the cycling seemed hardest but there was also the difficulty of trying to run after biking.

The common feeling was that of uncoordination from having your "rythm thrown off" after getting off the bike. Organizer and initiator

of the biathlon, Ed Leatherland said he was very happy with the increased response, with more than three times the number of teams entered as last year. Both he and Jim Rivett considered the day a success.

Other comments on the race, which was sponsored by the Y's Men's Club, are having nearly half of the field female, opposed to last year's all male

Race grows in size, but still a grueling encounter

that everyope that started

the race went on to the

It was also good to see

The organizers only hope the event grown with age for the Third Annual Acton Biathlon.



Jon Lancaster (left) and his partner Dale McGregor were the overall champions of Acton's second annual Blathlon held Sunday. Full sesuits in Friday's Weekend Extra.

(Photo by Harald Branach)