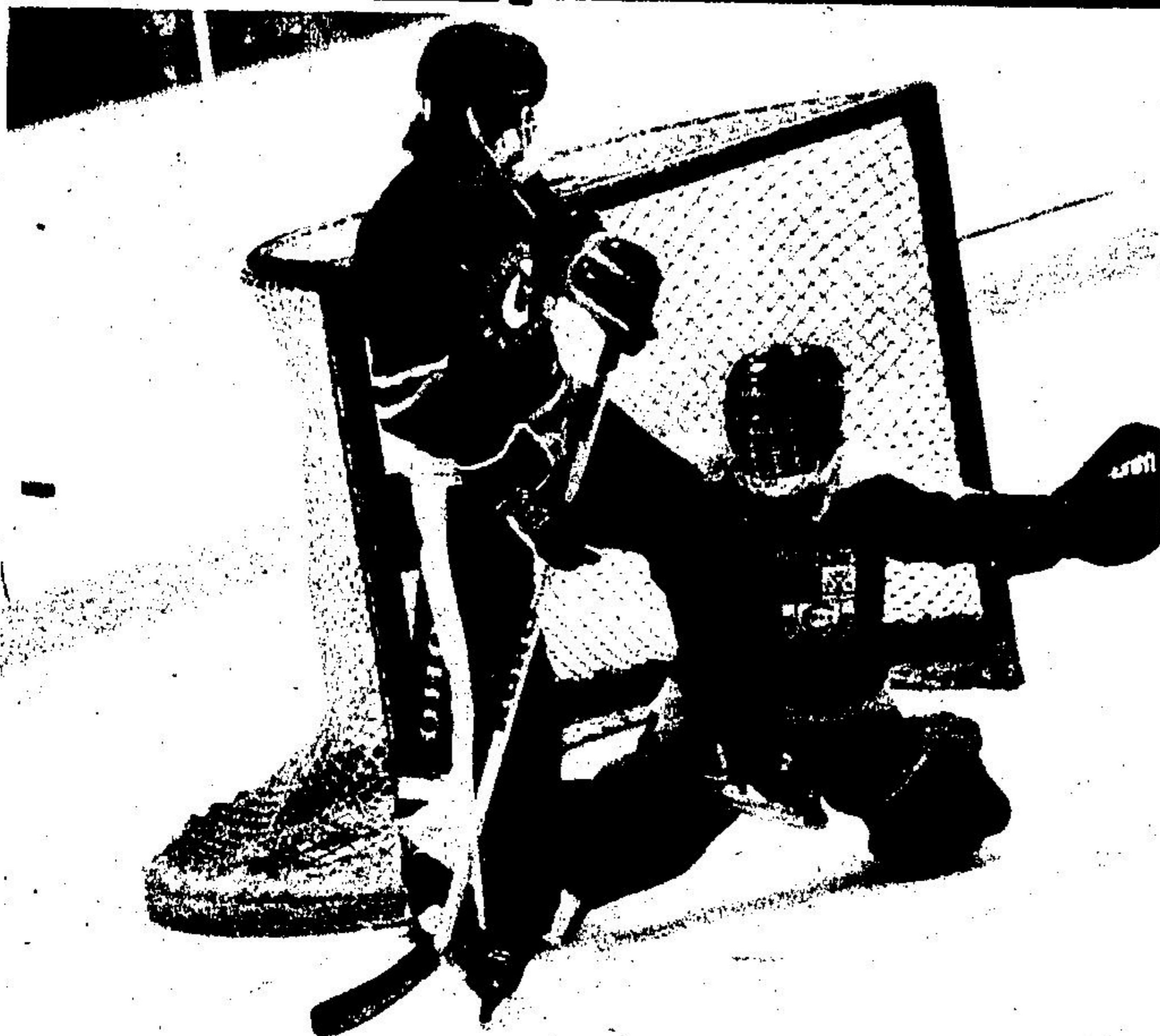


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Standard Products peewee captain Jason Arnold attempted to screen Chinguacousy goaltender Brian Simpson on this blast, during Tuesday night's Tri-County championship game at Memorial Arena.

Arnold managed to score one goal, but the locals came out on the short end of a 3-2 final score.

(Herald photo by Gerry Timbers)

## Peewees lose final

The Georgetown Standard Products major peewees lost their bid for a Tri-County minor hockey championship, losing 3-2 to Chinguacousy in the final game Tuesday night at Memorial Arena.

The home side came out breathing fire in the title match, as Trent Burton took a pass from goaltender Steve Eastwood, in the opening minute of play and raced the length of the ice to beat Ching. netminder Brian Simpson with a low wrist shot.

The visitors evened the count eight minutes later, when Pierre James scored the prettiest goal of the night. He intercepted a pass just inside the

Georgetown blue line, race in alone to beat Eastwood with a nice move to his backhand.

The teams battled through a scoreless second period, but Chinguacousy's Paul Collela beat Eastwood just nine seconds into the final frame to send the visitors ahead.

Georgetown's Jason Arnold came right back with the tying goal, on a solo effort, but Ching's Rob Myerscough fired the winner less than a minute later.

Georgetown pulled the goaltender and went with the extra attacker in the game's final minute, but the effort failed to produce a game-saving marker.

## Komets nip major atoms

The Georgetown McNally Construction Firefighter major atoms came within 37 seconds of forcing a fifth and deciding game in their Ontario Minor Hockey Association zone championship series before dropping a 3-2 decision to the Komets in Kitchener Wednesday night.

A large contingent of local fans followed the atoms to Kitchener in their quest for a second consecutive provincial title, but they came home disappointed.

Georgetown's Shannon Finn opened the scoring, smashing home a shot from beside the goalpost, after taking a pass-out from Chris Bechard behind the net. Roddy Pasma also drew an assist on the play.

With score even at 1-1

less than a minute into the third period, Georgetown's Wes McCauley poked a loose puck under Kitchener goaltender Michael Edwards to restore the Firefighter lead.

The home team rebounded to tie the match in the middle of the period, and count the winner with just 37 seconds remaining in regulation time.

The victory gave Kitchener the series, three games to one.

The loss was especially disappointing for Georgetown coach Charlie Hanman, who has announced he will not be back next year to pilot the McNally crew. Hanman was behind the bench last year when the same team won the provincial honors.

Hanman is a six-year veteran of rep coaching in Georgetown.

## Local bants drop off

Two more local teams have been shuttled to the sidelines at the 23rd annual Georgetown International Bantam Hockey Tournament at Gordon Alcott Arena.

The Georgetown Tier Two Dockery bantam selects were ousted in 'C' Division play, losing a pair of games to Leamington, 2-1 and 1-1.

Action also exited from the 'C' Division, losing 6-2 and 3-2 to Aurora.

Jim Manning scored an unassisted goal seven minutes into the second period to give the Georgetown selects a 1-0 lead over Leamington, but the visitors came back with a pair of third-period markers to win the first game.

After a scoreless first period in the second contest, Leamington exploded for seven second-period goals. Mike Chiovitti finally connected from

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### FOUR-MOST

Curlers (from left to right) Carroll Evans (2nd), Jean Shapcott (skip), Julie White (vice), and Eva Bradley (lead) made up one of two teams that represented the North Halton Curling Club at the Gambre Trophy Spring Break Bonuspiel, held at the Georgetown Club on

Wednesday. Sixteen teams, including rinks from Toronto, Dundas and Hamilton, participated in the annual event, which was won by Milton. Shapcott's foursome split two matches to finish sixth overall.

(Herald photo)