of the game.

Sport Spots ...

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CAN'T SKATE OR SHOOT

"They just aren't ready to play Midget hockey when they arrive. They don't know how to shoot, carry the puck, skate or pass. These are all fundamentals and should have been taught them right from the beginning.'

He doesn't mean you "have to drill them into the ground at an early age. But, goodness, you can have fun and still teach the basics so the kid MINOR MITE will be ready to be taught a system when he reaches Midget age."

Artemchuk thinks too many minor hockey coaches worry about their win and loss records at the lower level instead of forgetting about it and teaching the basics.

"If you teach the kids proper basics the wins

will eventually come," he said.

He thinks a step in the right direction has come locally with the staging of coaching clinics. As for the make-up of his present team, Pete is being strictly non-committal at this stage

EARLY SEASON

"It's early in the season to have any firm comment," he said, "but the team has showed well in the first few games. Except for the last one," he winced.

He was referring back to Sunday's 4-3 loss to Aurora (they had previously downed the same team twice) which brought the conversation back to where it began.

"We played fairly well until we panicked and then we started scrambling all over the ice. Simply panicked. They went right back to road hockey. Which is what I'm talking about. If they are taught the basics in the first place they won't panic like that."

Pete, however, isn't indulging in deep soulsearching. He knows he has an all-rookie squad going for him this season and it all means a lot of work.

"Very frankly," he continued, "we have a lot of raw material out there but there's a lot of potential, quite a bit of talent. It's up to me to bring it out of them."

A quick run-down of Pete's as yet unsetttled lineup finds Jerry Tipold and Mike Doyle minding the nets. Defencemen comprise Brian Kellett and Dave Berseth; Mike Gallaugher and Kerry Minor (both minor midgets).

"It's a good, all solid defence from the goalies out," states Artemchuck.

His first line to date up front is one centred by Tony Robinson with Bob Russell on left wing and Bob Wallingford on right wing; the second has Arnie Vanderwaite between Steve Hopson and John Oakley.

"We're not set on our third line," continued Artemchuk "and the positions are pretty well open. Right now I have Wayne Court centreing Jeff Miller and Bob McCullagh but there are two other fellows competing. They are Rick Campbell and Steve Hodgins who has just come off an injury."

HE'LL BE THERE

What it all amounts to is that it's too early in the season to know anything for sure. But if Coach Artemchuk's record holds it's very likely that he'll have a representative team out there.

Maybe a big, big winner. You never know. One thing for certain. The kids will be going for broke for him. It's the only way you play hockey for Mr. Artemchuk.

WHERE'S METHE?

Few final comments re gabfest with Artemchuk on things generally.

Pete is still baffled as to why one of his mure earning assists. former minor hockey players, Jerry Methe, still hasn't made it to the NHL.

"I'm mystified," he conceded. "Jerry's down at Hershey but why isn't he in the NHL? Gosh, he was the best player to come out of here . . . jumped right from midget into Major "A". When Iafano, Drysdale, Tom Wil- an assist. I read about some of those other guys making it son, Morley, Dennis Cane, Bob Adams flipped the I have to wonder."

So do I. I figured Jerry would have it in a breeze in the NHL this season. I'm still positive he'll be there soon. He's got to be. An all-star defenceman three years running with Oshawa?

C'mon, fellows, open your eyes up there. Better leave now, taken up too much time already.

By the way, get down to the arena this Sunday at 1 pm and watch Pete's charges. They play Orillia.

SURPRISE?

There was no one more surprised than I when Al Sims popped up on defence with Boston | pair and Paul West, Bruce | Rausa with assists from Pete Bruins Saturday night in a game against the Maple Leafs. No one should have been least surprised. In a way, that is.

Earlier in the season Richmond Hill Rams' Coach Karl Brimblecombe had mentioned to me that Al, a former Ram, was in the Boston chain. Must confess I don't remember too much about Al's stay with the Rams but he must have a lot going for him to be partnered with Orr. Simply great.

HAPPY ENDING

Intended to mention but forgot to last week that young Rick Lusk of Oak Ridges is back in business. Rick is the fellow who had his hockey equipment disappear at Bond Lake Arena a couple of weeks ago. It all turned out great because the equipment was returned intact to the arena. Which goes to show that there are some real-live happy endings still lurking around. On that happy note, goodbye.

Oops, back again. Should mention two things in one breath. Firstly, congratulate Richmond Hill Rams' Goalie Brian Stankieweicz for his 4-0 shutout of Markham Sunday night. But also apologize to the Rams' other fine goalie, Doug Brumwell. I did Doug somewhat an injustice re that 9-2 loss by the Rams to Seneca. A caller informed me that the first three goals were on Stankiewicz and the rest on Brumwell. Maybe the first two? I don't know but you get what I mean. As the caller said, it's tough enough losing 9-2 without being blamed for more goals than you let in. So be it.

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helped by Ted Ruffman.

and Steven Crump.

Brian's Shell 5

Rotary Club 2

Pirri's Fruit Market 5

Richmond Hill TV 5

Village's goals were potted

Peden with help from Ped-

en, Brian Horan, Scott Kerr,

Ron Brownley and Paul

Kent's Clothes 10

Alliance Sports 4

Three goals by Mark Aus-

singletons by John McLaugh-

Laughton (2), Raymond Bar-

Seafood Corner 3

BAIF 1

three of the winners' goals

with Russel Thornhill pick-

ing up two assists and Alas-

BAIF's lone tally was pot-

Rice's Flowers 8

Bob's Pant Shop 3

a pair by Eddy Opatowski

and singles by Danny Wright,

Craig Ireland and John Abma

won this one for Rices. They

received help from Peter

For Bobs Russel Thomp-

son got a pair and an assist,

Les Wookey a counter and

A hat trick by Paul Lawlor,

tair Duncan one.

Tim King accounted for all

Tadwitta.

By BOB ROSS JR.

Michaelangelo Furniture 8

Kinsmen Giants 0 goals for the furniture lads having two helpers, Ken ally banged around. and Mark Rothwell added a Barber and Bubeloff one pair. Earning assists were each, for Tony's. Sean Spencer and Husun Alihahn. Ralph Thurston in goal barred the gate effect-

Baymar Sports 0 Chariot Collision 0 NOVICE

Rascone Construction 7 Galaxy Restaurant 0

Seven Rascone players with David Wright, Edward by Hull, Plaxton, Dumas, on an end-to-end effort. Devlin, Wayne Harris, Jim Russell, Moss, Ricky Neil McCleave, Keith Opatowski, and Chris Gaffness. James Lazenby and Jean hill getting an assist.

Norm Murphy on two. City Wide Rent-all 2 MINOR BANTAM Allencourt Pharmacy 1 Scoring for the winners were Stephen Quigs and Daand for Allencourt was Scott and three assists for Clair- relief. White, also unassisted. MINOR ATOMS

Kinnear Pontiac 1 with three goals from Barry helpers, Steve Guyatt and Matchett. Munro, singles from Ronald Larry Whittle two each, Dan Smit and Duane Aube. As- Forbes, Steve Donnelly and and Eddy Iafano. All Kinnear managed was one unassisted goal from William

Fred's Towing 2 Charlton Hardware 1 Winning a squeaker Fred's earning assists. scoring was handled by Kel- Simm's counters came vin Wood and Brian Hull, from Robert Greiner and with an assist going to Mike Gossman, the latter

Bruce Strain. Charlton's goal came from Paul Rothwell assisted by Derek Schore and Robert A hat trick by Brad O'-Hara and single goals

Starting November 3 the Greg Walton and John Burlocal schedule will interlock nett won this one for Brians, iod. with Oak Ridges. MINOR ATOM "B"

Oak Ridges 12

Royal Bank 0 whitewashed the Royal Bank lin assisted on the latter. in this one as Wayne James scored five unassisted goals, Stephen Burns and Larence and Millard also chalked up with two, Taylor, and Drad- them in front 3-2. an assist each. Other assists er.

David Battaglia. Rice's Flowers 2 Atom "B" 2

both Rice goals with an as- maki and Paul Hillaby. sist from Danny Wright. MIDGET

Ohlis were the goalgetters For Bowdens Dave Bour- this tied exhibition game. 41 seconds, and Aurora later for the "B"s, with Scott que had three goals and an It just wasn't hockey night added a counter on a deflect-Mansbridge and Jason La- assist, Mike Briscoe and in Richmond Hill October 28 ed shot. Bobby McCullough MINOR PEEWEE

Dynes 6, Scotia Bank 5 | Ferrone had a goal and three A hat trick by Peter Mor- assists, Eric Thompson and ley, a pair by Danny Iafano Mike Head had a goal and and a singleton by Scott one assist each, Bob Mellon Drysdale with helpers from had a goal and Bob Golding Richie Capenna and Dean puck into the net twice for Perrault enabled Dynes to Littles and Dave McGregor once. Assists went to Neil squeak out a win.

Scotia Bank's goals came Milligan, Pete Tennant, from the sticks of David Al- Terry Delville (2) and Stelen with two, Mike O'Don- phen Major. nell, Russ Thornhill and Village Pizza 4, BAIF 4 Paul Lawlor with help from Jamie Tuck, Ian Ball, Cam by Dave Brooke, Neil Clack, Moss, Thornhill, O'Connell Roland Proulx, and John and Russ Thompson. PEEWEE

Tony's Esso 10 Shields Footwear 1

Tony's scoring spree saw Finding the range for Danny Iafano and Marty BAIF were Alan Cheney (2), Green each come up with a Paul Henderson and Mark Buchan, Scott Campbell, Neilson, Chris Schope and Scott Patterson, Ken Barber Cheney. and Gary Bubeloff with sin- MINOR PEEWEE gletons. In the assist department West had three, Bubeloff two and Buchan, Allen Lynden, Iafano, Paul tin, two each by Raymond Buxton, Chris Coleman and Barnett and Ian Ball and Green one each.

Jack Vantol was helped by ton, David Snider and Lee Craig Peterkin and Dennis Truss gave this win to Kents. Kane on Shields' counter. Assists came from Joey Thurston, Paul Martin, Mc-

Street Construction 3 Dynes Jewellers 2 Street's goals came from nett (2) and Truss (2). Blake Moss, Chris Gaffney For Alliance it was David and Bob Strain with help Allen with three goals and from Rick Neil, Dave Wea- Doug Wood with one, with therhead and Gord Dumas. help from Jim Mitchell, John Dean Perrault and Pete Follows and Michael Garret. Morley hit the target for Dynes with assists from Scott Drysdale, Rick Vermeulen and Jerry Lawlor.

Eric's Cycle 5 Hodgins Bros. Hardware 2

Matthew Zurich clicked for four points, two goals and two assists and Scott ted by Cameron Moss unas-Cameron for two goals and an assist, with Chuck Lusk adding one tally and Ricky Clendenning, Tony Makohim and Chris Arbuckle one assist each for Eric's.

Norm Murphy and Adrian Marinelli were the goalgetters for Hodgins with and Murphy on the latter's Atkinson (2) and Opatowski. help from Lenny McVeigh effort.

Dynes Jewellers 6 Jerry Lawlor connected for Allen Plitong an assist. Shields Footwear 6 four goals and Tom Wilson AURORA-Some members of for two for Dynes with Rick town council think \$60 each Gerber getting an assist is too much for picnic tables

for town parks and have Rick LaPenna with two asked the parks and recreagoals, and Rob Vandervelde, tion people to come up with Shawn McKenzie, Jack Van- alternative prices from Attol and Dave Vennard one tridge Lumber, a local firm, each were the scorers for and from York County Board Shields with Vennard and of Education, which sells Vantol each getting three student-made tables to municipalities.

MINOR Travelways Riders Beat Barrie HOCKEY 3-1 In Their First League Game

tle (literally and physically) Greenmen.

Gary Bubeloff and Danny fracas with a 2-2 tie. It took the Greenmen a scoring for the locals, Iafano each came up with

the third period Randy tied came up with some very fine maining. it up on a nice setup from saves all through the game. Paul Kisko.

Barrie 3, Riders 1 The Riders hosted Barrie hat trick and Gord Dumas, Dave Plaxton and Brian Rus- October 24 and were outsell a single tally each for classed 3-1. Their only goal

Riders 3, Barrie 1

lea, Tim Kazie, Daren Lowe DeGeer got the first local team.

D&D's tallies were credited to Gunther Bauer and Arnold Thompson with Bob Horton and Glenn Porter TOURNAMENTS INC.

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The second goal was an make. Assists went to Robertson about face for the Hillers as MIDGETS Angus McGregor and Phil Wood put it away from Nigro making it 2-1 for the day in the new arena.

with helpers from Bill Byers, goal from Jerry Leger. Mark Austin connected for Dennis Reid, Paul Saari- The nets were tended by to be the opportunists. Stephen Price and Dino Cap- Before the Legion fans munity Centre.

goals, Scott Bull and Zenio 5-1 to Thornhill, Thornhill's the Legion in the second

Newmarket 2, Riders 2 | "Red Machine" outshot, out- period on a pass from Jeff Travelway Riders did bat- skated and outhustled the Miller, but Aurora made it

ket Redmen on their home when Phil Woods scored un- score a pretty goal.

two goals, Dan Smith, Paul full two periods to overcome Thornhill tied it up in the two quick goals and knot the Jim Anderson and David West and Scott Patterson the humbleness of being second period, which turned game at 3-3. Bobby Russell Abernethy clicked for two one each, with Allen Lynden bumped, thumped and gener- into a "Hodge Podge Lodge" combined with Rob Walling-Randy Martin then took it seem to click and Thornhill Weyde scored from Richard into his head to lead the lads came up with a 5-1 victory. Campbell and John Oakley.

MINOR BANTAM "B"

Clair Lea 10 shared the honors in this one Streets. Assists went to Bob- was potted by Chris DeGeer played their first exhibition other occasion, with their This was the Riders' first and were trounced 10-0 by But on this particular after-

Louis Gendreau being the three Hodgins' counters into it was. Revenge was sweet Clair Lea Club of the THL. marksmen and Neil Mulvi- the twine with help from and the local lads skated to It would seem the game and with the boys in blue was somewhat premature from Barrie all the way. since the team had only Nats Split Games Starting Goalie Paul Norman three tryouts and had not was taken out after taking a really practised as a unit. Randy Duncan added six shot in the ribs and Duncan Games like this, however, Lose 3-2, Win 7-2 vid Umbach, both unaided points with three counters Condy rose to the occasion in will serve as an aid to the coaches to finally pick their

and Peter Griffiths each tally assisted by Dysart; The real bright spot of the scored twice and Joe Les- Danny McVeigh was set up game was the performance of despite a split over the perance once. Lesperance by Lloyd and Paul Kisko put the three goalies. Kevin weekend which saw them Barrows won going away and Lowe each had three the game on ice assisted by Brown and Mark Porter made lose 3-2 to Wexford Saturseveral key saves, while Steve day night in Wexford and This Friday night the Rid- Shadoff, besides kicking out then wallop Whitby 7-2 Suners journey to CFB Borden shots, displayed real courage day at Maple Community sisting were Barry Munro Peter Hallam one assist each. for a league game at 8:30 pm. when he refused to leave the Centre. play an exhibition game right knee. The way the mis- goals going to Jim Tyrrell, against a team to be an- siles were flying around Alf Lamoureux, Bob Osblame him for using the Ray Koopman, painful injury as an excuse Steve Young and Tom

> seconds left in the first per- team, and they realize that second period. one game does not a season

> > Aurora 4, Legion 3

Scoring for Pirris were In the third period, Aurora ion, who had previously de- a 2-2 tie. Just like that. Millard two each and Brent Dave Drader (2), Greg Ken- came on with lots of muscle feated Aurora 9-1 and 2-1 in Wexford won it in the fi-Reid; Timmy Dol and Fred dry, Alan Clack and Scott and hustle and scored twice exhibition tilts, brought a nal minutes of the same McArthur one each. Reid Taylor. Assisting were Clack on their opponents, putting potent offence, but for some period on a goal by mysterious reason, left their Burns. After recovering from the defensive skills at home. Despite the loss, the Nats went to Paul Beck, George Goalgetters for the TV initial shock of Aurora's Outshooting their opponents outshort Wexford 45-23 but Parker, Rich Harris and lads were Neil Putnam with hard-hitting entry in this 31-13, the Hillers missed just couldn't buy enough two, Greg McMillan, Scott third period, good old Wood- enough chances to double goals to win. Taylor and Steve Reynolds sy came up with the tying their goal output, but the hustling Aurora team proved North York at 8 pm Satur-

otosto, who both did their even sat down, Vince Giles Andrew Don and Paul Bowden 12, Little Fords 3 fair share in helping with rapped home a goal in just Chuck Artemchuck had two as Tournaments Inc. bowed finally pulled the trigger for

3-1 when they caught a Leg-October 22 with the Newmar- It started out well enough ion defenceman up the ice to

ice, and came out of the assisted. That was the begin- The Hillers charged out of ning and the end of the the dressing room after a short intermission to produce as Tournaments just didn't ford, and Arnold Van Der Richard Hughes and Chris to the foes and set up Ron Dino Capotosto and Ste- Aurora had come to play, Arbuckle sank the puck for Abernathy for the first phen Price shared the net- however, and they potted the Erics and Hughes also had comeback goal. Then late in minding duties and both winner with six minutes re-

The Legion boys pressed - The Phantom hard for the rest of the game. but could not beat the Aurora goalkeeper. Tony Robinson Victoria & Grey Trust 0 came within an eyelash of Victoria & Grey Trust tying the game, and on angame of the season last Sat- goalie out of the net, the urday night in the old arena; puck stopped on the goal line. Brooke Lawrence shot all league game—and how sweet a fast flying, well conditioned noon, Aurora triumphantly

The Vaughan Nationals maintained their lead in the Provincial Junior "A" race

Sunday at 7:50 pm in the game even though he was hit Brent Bowen scored twice new arena the Riders will by a hard slapshot above the for the Nats with the other Steve's head, one could not borne. Warren Holmes and

Richmond Hill Minor to head for the nearest fall- MacLeish scored for Whitby. It was a different story Tournaments Inc., were guests The team underwent a Saturday night as Wexford's of Aurora Minor Bantams. strenuous Monday morning Paul Demarco opened the It was end to end hockey practice at 7 am when fund- scoring in the first period all the way. Aurora scored amental aspects of the game and maintained that lead the first goal with only 30 were stressed. This is a proud until about the middle of the

Then came minute and 12 seconds which saw three goals scored as Rick Grisdale tied it for Frank Petrie clicked for Ro- Danny Girard, tying up the Richmond Hill's Legion Vaughan only to see Bob The Oak Ridges lads really tary with Phillip McLaugh- score. Chris Nigh scored Midgets lost their first league Keeler of Wexford score in from Jamie Gropp and Frank game 4-3 to Aurora last Sun- rapid succession. Seconds after that Doug Sellars came On this afternoon the Leg- back for Vaughan and it was

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