

# Spartans win championship

The Stouffville Secondary Junior Spartan rugby team rolled on to another championship last week as they took the top spot at the Georgian Bay Secondary School Association meet held at Fletchers Field.

The first opponents for the Spartans were from Gravenhurst High School, and the S.D.S.S. squad came away with an easy 46-0 win.

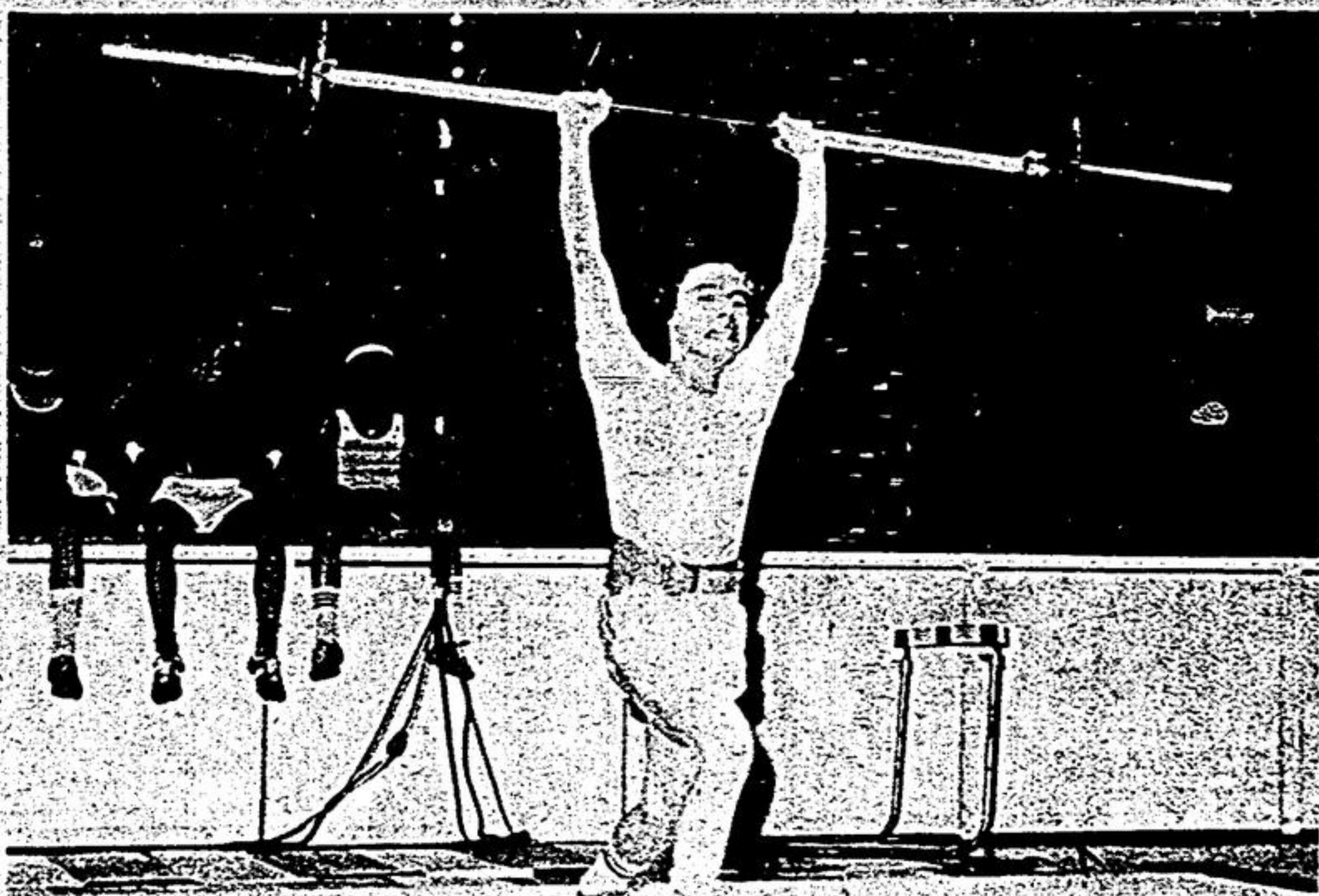
Tries in the game were scored in pairs, with Tony Arrigo, Duncan Manser, Mike Lafleur and Joe Bell picking them up. Steve Schell added six points on three converts.

The semi-final match was much closer as Barrie North provided the opposition. However, the Spartans prevailed 20-0 as Mike Lafleur led the team with two tries. Tony Arrigo and Lloyd Johnston added singles and Steve Schell contributed two converts.

The championship game against Barrie Central was an evenly fought, aggressive contest. There was no score at the half and the Barrie team put the pressure on with most of the play in the Spartan's end of the field. It was the determined play by the entire team and dramatic tries by Steve Schell, then Tony Arrigo, that gave the Spartans an 8-0 victory and the championship.

Coach Dave Connell commented after that he was "really proud of our team. We played three good clean but aggressive games and never retaliated when other players used unfair tactics. This Spartan team is one which truly deserves to be the GBSSA champs."

This Saturday and Sunday the Junior Spartans travel to York University to play in the All-Ontario championship. Spectators are welcome to come to the Steeles and Keele campus to watch the action.



Scott Brown strains from his efforts to lift the weight at the recently held Olympic weightlifting meet held at the SDSS gym.

Scott, doing the jerk part of the clean and jerk lift, did very well at the province wide contest, ending up with a lift of over 100 pounds.

## 286 pound clean and jerk

# Record set at lifting meet

By JOHN ROBERTS  
Last Saturday at the Stouffville District

Secondary School a 16-year-old Olympic weightlifter lifted 286 pounds above his head to establish a new Ontario and Canadian record.

Steve Diotte from the Atomic Weightlifting Club at Elliot Lake did two successful lifts to get the record. The first lift, the snatch, which involves pulling the weight from the floor up over the head, was 220 pounds. The second lift, the clean and jerk, is a lift in two parts starting from the floor up to the shoulder blades for the clean. After the lifter has recovered his balance the weight is pushed or jerked straight

up over his head to an arms locked position.

Steve successfully lifted 286 pounds in the clean and jerk.

The Stouffville lifters belonging to the Spartan Weightlifting club also met with a great deal of success as Scott Brown led the team with lifts of 35 kilograms, 80 pounds, in the snatch and 100 pounds in the clean and jerk. Scott weighs 98 pounds.

Michael Redquest at 135 pounds lifted 97 in the snatch and 150 in the clean and jerk.

Jamie Thompson, who weighs 158 pounds, lifted a 140 pound weight

# Schools hold track tune-up

Last Thursday Whichurch Stouffville Invitational Track and Field meet, which gets underway this Saturday at the Stouffville District Secondary School field. The meet starts at 9 a.m. and continues into the afternoon. Nine area schools will participate.

The top two competitors in each event from both schools have gained the opportunity to take part in the annual winners and runners-up:

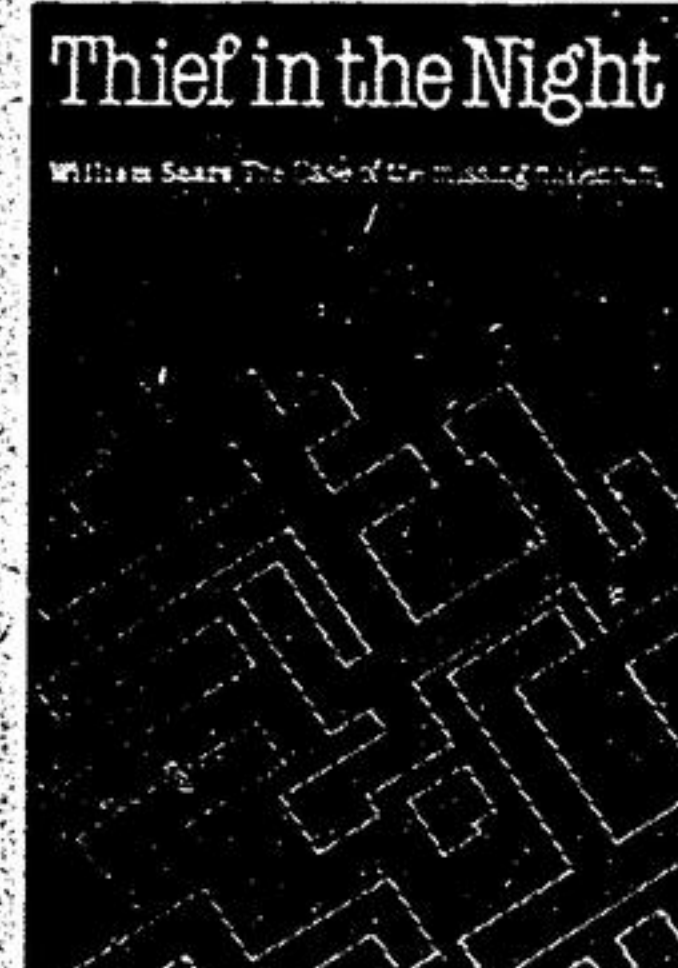
Junior girls: 1st — Sandy Stover, Summitview; 2nd — Lisa Watson, Orchard Park; Junior boys: 1st — Bryan Hamilton, Summitview; 2nd — Bryan Cargill, Orchard Park; 2nd — David Darling, Summitview.

Intermediate girls: 1st — Laura Wightman, Summitview; 2nd — Jane Petersen, Summitview.

Intermediate boys: 1st — Jeroen Verboog, Summitview; 2nd — Todd Marshman, Summitview; and Jeff Over, Orchard Park.

Senior A girls: 1st Dawn Baggs, Orchard Park; 2nd — Bev Hamm, Orchard Park.

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# Golfer Brian Moffat surprised by hole in one

The dream of every golfer is to get that elusive hole in one shot, but for Brian Moffat of 432 Loretta Crescent it's starting to become an annual event.

Mr. Moffat, 20, pocketed his second hole in one recently at the John Evelyn Golf course in Markham. The hole, the ninth, was a 280 yard par four. He used a number one graphite



Brian Moffat

driver, which Mr. Moffat gave a lot of the credit to. "The graphite clubs are much better than any other ones, they really improve your shot," he said.

His first double eagle came at the same course last June, the hole being 205 yards.

Concerning the most recent one, Brian said he did not know that it was a hole in one until he was

told of his achievement while walking to the green. "I knew it was a good shot, but I had no idea how good it was until I was told. I tried to stay as calm as I could, but it was awfully hard when you realize what you've done."

Brian, who works at the 42nd Division of the Metro Toronto Police, ended up with a six under par 25 for the nine holes. "It was a day where I just couldn't do anything wrong," he commented.

Expert A gave Brian a verification sheet for his achievement and he plans to mount the ball and place it beside his first hole in one ball.

He has only been playing golf for seven years and has been told by a number of people to take the sport up professionally.

"I really don't think I'm that good at the game yet, but if I sink a few more holes in one then maybe I'll just might consider it," Brian commented, and only half-jokingly.

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