

Lewis: Violence exaggerated

Georgetown's resident National Hockey League referee, Bryan Lewis, was called upon last week to testify at the annual trial of Detroit's Dan Maloney. Maloney was charged after an altercation with Toronto Maple Leaf defenceman, Brian Glennie in a game played at Maple Leaf Gardens, Nov. 5.

In a telephone interview with the Herald, Lewis was reluctant to divulge his testimony as the case is still before the courts, but he did expand somewhat on the so-called "violent age of hockey."

On the term, violence itself, Bryan felt that it is overused, overplayed and, in a sense, misleading. Lewis feels the term closer to the mark would

be rough play. In this context, he has some definite views.

"I'll be entering my 10th year as an NHL referee and in my opinion, the game itself, has remained basically the same," he noted. "If we're talking in terms of actual violent on-ice acts, then I feel they have decreased."

"By violence, I mean, the use of the stick for spearing, butt-ending and as has happened in the past, kicking," he said. "These tactics occur nowhere near the degree to which they used to happen." Bryan emphasized that, "because of the rule changes over the past few years and the added clout given officials, the truly violent aspects of the sport are on the wane and in

fact have practically disappeared."

He admitted that on occasion they do occur but felt that "when they do happen they are blown all out of proportion by the media and given connotations that just weren't there when the incident in question occurred."

Matt Pavelich, who has been an NHL linesman for 20 years also testified at the Maloney trial and Lewis noted that Pavelich felt much the same as he did. Matt has said in the past when there was only six teams in the NHL, actual violence occurred more frequently. This was mainly because the teams saw each other more often and grudges developed.

Other pros have come out with the same opinion. Ted Lindsey, who could never be accused of being an adherent of pacifism, questions "why has it come to the fore now and not in the past?" Bryan Lewis feels that there are two reasons for the situation. Expansion and more predominantly, increasing media coverage.

The NHL has instituted even more stringent rules this year, to curb violent, albeit, roughhouse tactics, but Lewis feels this has been an ongoing process, although it has never been as highly publicized as before.

"The new rules shouldn't change the game as we know it," he said, "but hopefully they'll ease the job of the officials."

Kinsmen Girls

by Geraldine Ford

SENIORS

Nelsons 20 - Blue Giants 17
Umpire - Joan Dickson
Nelsons only had seven players but managed to beat the Blue Giants by three runs. Pitchers were Jeanine Girardi, and Kelly Frost. Homeruns went to Mary Caruso (2), Meredith Henley, Alice Henderson, Jeanine Girardi and Linda Evans.

Game star was Jeanine Girardi who pitched a fine game and Bonnie Penny who had three hits and played well behind the plate.

Youngs Pharmacy 29 - Foberts 14
Umpire - Bill Anderson
Youngs started off the game well with ten runs ahead of Foberts. Pitchers were Ginny Wilkes, Suzanne Kirk and Debbie Jones. Homerun hitters were Bev Switzer, Clare Carter (3), Carol Hogg and Leslie Rand.

Game stars were Sheila Ford and good defensive playing at third base and Debbie Jones for pitching a fine game.

Magnusons 16 - Cable Jets 9
Umpire - Alex Dickson
Magnusons took the lead at the start of the game and held it right to the finish. Pitching were Lori Worrall and Shelley Perkins. There was only one homerun which went to Colleen Sunmucks.

Game stars were Joanne Coles, Margo Greigg and Sandy Sedore for good catching.

Standards 19 - Varian 18
Umpire - Cor Osterhof
Varian was leading the sixth inning until Standard got the extra run which gave them

the game. Pitchers were Patty Barber, Joan Gilmer and Clare Lacoursiere. Homeruns went to Patty Barber (2) and Sylvia Washburne.

Game stars were Kim Herrington, Claudette Bourque who made a double play and caught numerous fly balls, Michelle Friskney who did well at bat and also center fielder for Varian.

JUNIORS

Delrex Smoke Shop 19 - Geo. Upholstry 2
Umpire - Bill Anderson
Delrex started the game off with a seven run lead over Geo. Upholstry and took it from there. Homeruns went to Lynne MacKinnon, Michelle Niehm and Lynne Waters. Game star was Michelle Niehm.

Thrush 11 - Klannets 0
Umpire - Pat Butler
There were only three innings in this game but it gave Thrush enough time to get 11 runs. Pitchers were Raylene Campbell and Karen Wilson. Game stars were the entire Thrush team.

Dairy Queen 11 - Paulnes 6
Umpire - Joan Dickson
The score was still tied in the second inning but Dairy Queen managed to get in six runs in the third inning. Pitchers were Lisa Mahaffy and Donna Sedore. There was only one homerun and it went to Robin Hillock. Game stars were Lisa Mahaffy and Patty Catara.

Larrod Construction 7 - Fred Harrison's 5
Umpire - Jim Ford
The score was tied at the bottom of the fourth inning until Larrod batted in two runs in the last inning. Pitchers were Sophie Jones and Carol Peardon. Game stars were Lori King, Sophie Jones for two double plays, Angela Dehars for hitting and special mention to Connie Hay for a good catch.

US coaches look at Canadians

Ontario Lacrosse president, Marshall Spence, recently returned from a United States trip during which he witnessed the National Field Lacrosse University Championship and came home with good news for students who are interested in playing field lacrosse in the United States.

who expressed an interest in Canadian lacrosse players who might be eligible for American scholarships.

Spence suggests that players who are interested in such an arrangement should write to the Lacrosse Office, 559 Jarvis Street, Toronto, stating their interest and giving full name, address, phone number, age, team for which they play and their scholastic record. If anything further develops they will be notified.

Following the game between Cornell and Maryland, Marshall visited with a large group of American coaches

World gym meet

Canada is hosting the 1976 World Invitational Modern Rhythmic Gymnastics Meet to be held at the C.N.E. Coliseum on July 2 and 3.

Fifteen countries will be competing for top honours. These countries include: the Soviet Union, Japan, Bulgaria, West Germany, New Zealand, Spain, Brazil, German Democratic Republic, Sweden, United States, Austria, Hungary & Denmark, Czechoslovakia and Canada.

Canada's National champion, Shirley Lehtinen, will be up against the best modern gymnasts in the world. This is the first time a meet of this size for Modern Gymnastics has been held in North America.

As a result of last year's World Championships in Madrid, Spain, Canada is presently ranked fourth in the world, and laced in the top ten countries in the last World Gymnaestrada. The quality of the Canadian Modern Gymnasts is high up on the international level. Negotiations are presently underway with the In-

ternational Olympic Committee to include Modern Gymnastics in the program of events for the 1980 Olympics in Moscow.

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Holy Cross winners

At the recently held Halton separate school board annual track and field meet, Georgetown's Holy Cross separate school finished third overall in its division.

Coach Cynthia Tobin said that "regardless of where they (the athletes) finished, they all tried very hard and the school is very proud of their efforts."

Individual medals for their competition category were earned by three Holy Cross athletes. Randy Robinson won a silver medal for a first in the shotput (42 feet) and a third in the 60 yard dash. Kris Sovran earned a Bronze medal by winning the Bantam girls long jump and placing fifth in the 60 metre dash, while Atom, Mike Marcolini won a bronze medal by placing third in the 400-metre run and second in the long jump.

Other Holy Cross athletes contributed to the team's finish. In the Midget division, Jim Flynn was second in the mile with a time of 4:50 and fifth in the 200-metre dash.

Claire Lacoursiere was second in the shotput, Chris Dender placed fifth in the 100-metre dash, Bob Diamond took a fifth in the 60-metre dash, John Lehman raced to second place in the 400-metre run and Danelle Thebert was fifth in the 60 metre dash.

Other Bantams who did well, included, Lisa Burke, third in the shotput, Steve Crocker, fifth in the 100-metre dash and Barbara Majors, fourth in the 100-metre dash. For the Atoms, John Dehaas placed sixth in the softball throw and in the Tyke category, Anita Nolan was second in the softball throw.

Ladies Fastball Schedule

Wednesday, June 30 - Glen Williams at Hillsburgh Srs.

Thursday, July 1 - Georgetown at Hornby Sunday, July 4 - Hornby at Hillsburgh Srs.

Monday July 5 - Hillsburgh Srs. at Georgetown

Milton at Glen Williams

Royalettes need competition

The Georgetown Legion Royalettes have a problem. They are gunning for a possible provincial title in the juvenile division but their league, this year, has provided little, if any, competition of the type necessary to hone a title contender to the proper readiness.

This was never so evident as last Tuesday, when the Georgetowners hosted Brampton. By the third inning, the Royalettes were on top by a 9-1 count and coasted the rest of the way to a not very satisfying 21-4 romp. On Tuesday the Royalettes journeyed to Woodbridge. The Royalettes' next home game is this coming Tuesday, when they host Eringate. Game time will be 8:30 at the Georgetown Fairgrounds.

Betty Marchmont, who just this year has taken over mound duties, picked up the win, with Barb Curry seeing pitching service in the early going.

The one aspect of their game that the Royalettes have dramatically improved on this year is their hitting and it again came to the fore against Brampton. Sue Maxwell went five-for-five at the plate, all solid hits. Spunky Brenda Smith was four-for-four, Patti Cruso homered and tripled and Leanne Gilson laced a homerun.

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Pallett Soccer Scene

Thurs., July 1, 6:30 p.m. - Rangers vs Spartans
Fri., July 2, 6:30 p.m. - Tornados vs Hearts
Mon., July 5, 6:30 p.m. - Villa vs Hearts
Tues., July 6, 6:30 p.m. - Spurs vs Panthers
Wed., July 7, 6:30 p.m. - Tornados vs Mustangs

Atom
Thurs., July 1, 6:30 p.m. - Aces vs Blue Knights
Fri., July 2, 6:30 p.m. - Turbo Chargers vs Meteors
Mon., July 5, 6:30 p.m. - Baz Motor Rabbits vs Dynamites
Tues., July 6, 6:30 p.m. - Golden Jets vs Blue Knights
Wed., July 7, 6:30 p.m. - Shot Guns vs Thunderbirds

Mosquito
Thurs., July 1, 6:30 p.m. - Dynamos vs Road Runners
Fri., July 2, 6:30 p.m. - Guelph Clair Sunoco Arrows vs Giants
Tues., July 6, 6:30 p.m. - Dynamos vs Flyers
Wed., July 7, 6:30 p.m. - Road Runners vs Choice Air Canadians

Pee Wees
Thurs., July 1, 6:30 p.m. - Flyers vs United
Fri., July 2, 6:30 p.m. - Liverpool vs Youngblood
Mon., July 5, 6:30 p.m. - Spartans vs Youngblood
Tues., July 6, 6:30 p.m. - United vs Senators

Bantam
Mon., July 5, 8:00 p.m. - Arsenal vs Wolves
Tues., July 6, 6:30 p.m. - Centurians vs Hibernian (At Pineview)
Wed., July 7, 6:15 p.m. - Meteors vs Centurians
Junior Girls
Fri., July 2, 6:30 p.m. - Olympians vs Jr. Nationals
Tues., July 6, 6:30 p.m. - Jr. Nationals vs Wings
Wed., July 7, 6:30 p.m. - Supergirls vs Debutants

Senior Girls
Thurs., July 1, 6:15 p.m. - Dynamos vs Dragons
Thurs., July 1, 7:30 p.m. - Rockets vs Blue Bombers
Mon., July 5, 6:15 p.m. - Golden Spurs vs Socialites

In a telephone interview with the Herald last week, Raider regular Keith Pallett, announced that he has signed to play with Mississauga, the newest entry in the OHA's Senior "A" loop, for the coming season. Pallett candidly admitted that he has harboured a desire to play Senior "A" hockey for some time, but travelling difficulties held him back.

With Mississauga entering the league, Pallett can play, as it were, in his own back yard. Keith is hoping that things will work out for him in the higher league but stated that if they don't, he would welcome the chance to come back to the Raiders, if his presence were desired. Keith has played in the Raider nets, on and off for five years. The 1975-76 campaign marked the first time that he worked the full season in the OHA Intermediate "A" club's nets and he was a standout. Pallett was the top goaltender in the league and his departure will leave a gaping hole in the Raiders' defense. As of now, it appears that the position will be wide open when the Raiders open their training camp this fall.

Keith played Junior "B" hockey for Dixie and had Junior "A" experience with both Niagara Falls and St. Catherine's. He spent some time with the Bingham Dusters of the North American Hockey League. Although his loss will be sorely felt, all area hockey fans assuredly wish him well in his new venture.

Squirts win again

The Georgetown Minor Soccer Association's Squirrel Rep team kept their unbeaten string alive, a week ago last Monday, when they journeyed to Orangeville and battled to a 1-1 deadlock with the hometown strippers.

Mark Howie scored the lone Georgetown marker, in a game highlighted by the evenness of the two sides. Other excellent Georgetown performances were turned in by Tim Quinn, in goal and Mike Flynn on defense.

Ontario Outdoors The standard can improve

First off I must correct an error. In last week's column it said that "fish can close their eyes." Of course this should read "Fish cannot close their eyes." This was in reference to fishing the shady side of a structure or fishing the deep water when the sun is bright.

More lures for bass: Flatfish, I used them exclusively for Large Mouth Black Bass for about ten years. That is narrow mindedness but they produced that well for me. My favourite was an N4 in orange. I found that this did not always produce Bass for me, so I painted a black face on the lure with a black stripe all the way down the back. This improved the lure so much, that I wrote to Mr. Helin, the inventor, and this was added to the flatfish lures in the factory from that time.

What I am trying to say is, that innovation is important and an alteration may improve a standard. As is seen, the manufacturer is usually open to sensible suggestions. I am pleased that the Cotton Cordell lures call the "Big-O" series are available in Ontario. I had a letter and some demonstration lures from him a few years ago, and they are excellent. Now we don't have to buy them from the U.S.A. I have taken a great many Large Mouth Bass from Fairy Lake in Acton, with a cork and feather popper no more than a quarter of an inch long.

Dave Hobbs from down Norval way likes a Dying Flutter. They are enough to stir the heart. I like to spoon: that's fishing with the Johnsons Silver Minnow, weedless. Don't forget when fishing for Bass to try the other game fish species in the area. This can turn a dead and fishless day into a memorable one for you. The photo is of just such an effort when fishing for Walleye recently.



Due to the early deadline this week, I cannot give you any of the results of the opening day, but I can tell you that a great many fishermen and women as well as the younger folk have been calling me and telling of the places they like. I would appreciate it if more of you would call and tell me just how you have been doing. How many you caught? what you used? and, if you wish, where? Also keep in touch with what you would like to see in this column. I don't pretend to be a Red Fisher, but I do like a poem if it is good. The following one is by Ruth Nipper, and was given to me by Mrs. Ruth Eddy of Georgetown. I hope you like it as much as I do.

I long for the feel of the rod and reel, and the song of the whippoorwill; The sun in the sky, and a stream nearby, to give my heart a thrill. I yearn for a trout, with a speckled trout, and the sigh of the willow tree. Just to cast my line, where the grasses twine, is joy enough for me. Isn't that just like our ONTARIO OUTDOORS.

GBA week's schedule

THALL Diamond Teams
Wednesday, June 30 - "A" 6 vs 2

Thursday, July 1 - "A" 2 vs 4
"B" 3 vs 6
Tuesday, July 6 - "A" 2 vs 5
"B" 3 vs 1

PEEWEE
Thursday, July 1 - "1" 2 vs 1

"2" 4 vs 3
Tuesday, July 6 - "1" 1 vs 4
"2" 3 vs 2

TYKE
(Games to be played at Arromy Field)

Wednesday, June 30 - 3 vs 4
Thursday, July 1 - 4 vs 1
Monday, July 5 - 1 vs 3
Tuesday, July 6 - 2 vs 4

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