# Timmins promises court action

By COLIN GIBSON

Herald Sports Editor .The Canadian Amateur Hockey Association has suspended indefintely the Timmons Northstars hockey team and management as a result of the club's Hardy Club quarterfinal series forfelture to the Georgetown Chrysler Raiders. Several weeks ago, the Her-

concerning the Northstars was imment... imminent and last week, the OHA the NOHA and the Northstars were informed of the indefinite suspension by Claude Gravelle, CAHA Dir-

ald reported that CAHA action

ector of Administration. The Raiders and the Northstars were slated for a Hardy Cup quarter-final series but problems arose even before the first puck dropped.

The Northstars arrived in Georgetown claiming that according to their information the series was to be a best-ofthree affair. The CAHA had decreed earlier, on two occasions that series leading to National finals were to a bestof-five. In fact, all other series in Hardy Cup play, in both Eastern and Western Canada were being played on the bestof-five format.

After the first game of the series, which the Raiders won. 8-2, the Timmins management people, who had journeyed south for the series, contacted both OHA and CAHA personnel attempting to have the format changed to a best-of-three.

Their contention was that they had journeyed south under the impression that the quarter-final was to be a best-

of-three series and that their players had made arrangements with their respective employees only for such a contingency.

By late Saturday afternoon, the Northstars case had been rejected by both OHA and CAHA personnel and just before game time on Saturday night, Timmins management informed the Raiders that they were defaulting the series as they could see no point in carrying on.

The Raiders lost revenue because of the forfeiture and appealed to the CAHA, through the OHA, to be reimbursed. . OHA President, Hugh McLean vowed that he would not let the matter rest as he felt his league, through the Raiders, was being wronged and took the matter to the CAHA re-

questing action be taken against Timmons.

The matter was discussed by the CAHA at an Executive meeting in April and at their annual meeting and the end result was the issuing of last week's indefinite suspension of the team and management.

The Timmins team was also informed that they had the right of appeal, but if CAHA protocol is followed, their case won't be heard until October.

Newly elected Northern Ontario Hockey Association President, Terry Talentino, expressed dismay at the CAHA decision and in a telephone interview with The Herald stated that his league would do everything in it's power to have the matter looked at as soon as possible.

"Our new executive just got received from the OHA and the

in on the tall end of this thing," CAHA in regards to Hardy Cup play was being forwarded to he commented, "and yes, we the Timmins teams as well as are upset by the decision. If it (the suspension) stands, it all correspondence relating to could jeopardize the future of the suspension. the Northland Intermediate

Talentinto is quite right in his contention that the North-Hockey League. I intend to land Intermediate Hockey League might be in jeopardy, should the suspension remain as the league has only been matter at the carliest possible operating for several years and both the founders of the Talentino went on to note league and its main backers. that he had advised the Northstars to appeal the decision are from Timmins.

Similarly, Timmins is the most populated centre in the league and the revenue they provide, not to mention the rivalry that arises because of getting an early hearing of the their participation is very important to the league.

Timmins has the only radio stated that all correspondence station, television station and large daily newspaper in the les and laid the blame for the

league's environs and undoubtedly the league would garner tittle popular support without a Timmins entry.

Timmins Northstar President, Don Dewsbury, an employeed of the local television station, vowed that he would take the matter to court if need be. In a telephone interview with The Herald, he claimed that his team had been treated very poorly.

decision," he exhorted, "you can be sure of that. I'd hate to see the club just let the situation go. I feel that any team, that has been put in the position the Northstars have, have been taken advantage of."

Dewesbury again contended that his team did not have the proper information on the sersituation on the "lack of communication" between the NOHA, the OHA and the CAHA.

"We (the Northstars) were novices in this situation and didn't know the ins and outs of National playdowns. We got little, if any, advice from anyone on the matter."

"As far as I'm concerned, if the suspension stands, I would take it as high as I could in the "We're going to appeal the court system," Dewesbury also hinted that the Timmins club just might have a bit of an edge if the matter is not resolved in their favor.

Allan Pope, Progressive Conservative, newly elected member of Parliament for the Timmins area is a local lawyer and a club director, "Allan handles all our legal matters," stated Dewesbury, "and he

will be handling this one." The Northstar President also stated that he was thinking of approaching Alan Eagleson, the well known hockey major-

domo, on the matter.

Hopefully, for the sake of hockey in general and Intermediate hockey in particular. the matter will be resolved in not too messy a manner, as soon as possible.

There are so many variables in the matter, that It is virtually impossible to single out one villain. The whole flasco. however, should never have been allowed to happen and it appears to point out just another example of the sorry fate of hockey, in this instance, amateur hockey.



Monica Pollock shows fine bunting style in the Georgetown Royalettes game against Glenfield last Tuesday, June 7. Unfortunately the Royalettes were plagued by defensive lapses throughout the game and Glenfield rallied for four runs in the ninth inning to post a

#### Royalettes split games in Junior league play

The Georgetown Legion last week, in Provincial and suffered a disappointing

### Royalettes played two games Women's Junior League play 13-10 loss at home last Tuesday Ness and Douglas win Mixed Open

Mary Ness and Jack Douglas combined to win the Mixed Opening Even on Saturday with a great net score of 61.5. Bea Emblin nd Dave Saliba were a close cond with a 62. One of the argest fields ever, 39 couple, teed off on a splendid sunfit day. This event is rapidly he mang one of the

of the summer retudes handicaps every team an equal

...ity to win. Embling certainly helper her team as she almost holed out on the ninth hole leaving her partner with a

tap in birdie. Following are the other winning teams:

Jane Douglas and Peter Wuensch 64, Anne Hartford and Harold Cox 65. Marilyn Worral and Don Findley 65.5, Vi Clapp and Walt Jowett 65.5, Vi Cochrane and David Ploui 66.5, Ina Falconer and George Williams 66.5, Velda Carlo and Al Wetherall 67, Nora Storr and Ray Mercure 67.5, Marlon Atlen and Al Blewitt 67.5, June Wiltshire and Les Hartford 68.5. Marge Richardson and Hermelyn and Ced Storr 68.5,

ningham 69, Mary Jo Plouf and Gord Tubb 69, Dorothy Crowe and Gary Notor 69, Mary Findley and Tuck Cochrane 69. Phyl Monckton and Ray

Dutchburn 69.5. Some of the day girls competed in the Inter-club on Tuesday, June 7 at Brampton Gold Club, Other clubs involved were Chinguacousy, Huntington and Credit Valley. North Halton had three low net winners - Mary Jo Plouf, VI Clapp and Peg Corman and the Lawrie Wiltshire 68.5, Liz. North Halton team was the over-all winner, bringing home

Kylli Golinski and Lorne Cun- the trophy.

Howard Jewell sinks a putt while his playing party of (from left to right) Lorne Cunningham, Kylll Golinski and Kitty

. We the same as a series and worth the latter

Cox look on in the Mixed Open golf championship staged last weekend at Georgetown's North Halton Golf and Country Club.

(June 7) to Glenfield but picked up their fourth win of the season, in a thrilling contest, edging St. Catharines. 64 in extra innings on Monday

In the loss to Glenfield, defensive miscues throughout the game led to the loss. The game was close all the way and was not decided until the ninth inning, when Glenfield dushed across four runs to decide the issue.

The Royalettes battled back all game, but were continually put in bad situations because

Glenfield led, 7-6 after six innings, 9-7 after seven innings and were behind, 10-9 going into their half of the ninth, when the Georgetowners rallied for three runs in the ninth to go in front for the first time in the game.

The Glenfield ninth saw the Royalettes plagued by the same misfortunes as they had encountered throughout the game and the visitors went on

to win. Barb Currie and Laura Wilkes shared mound duty, with Laura being charged with the loss. Three players, however, shone in the loss, as Janet McKay picked up four hits, while Betty Marchment and Brenda Smith each picked up three safetles.

The 6-4 Royalette win over St. Catharines on Monday night could well have been their best game of the season. The Royalettes were down by a run after four innings, but a three run outburst in their half of the sixth, allowed them to move in front, 4-2.

This is how things stood leading into the St. Kitts half of the ninth, but they in turn rallled to send the contest into extra innings. .

In the top if the 10th inning, Sandra Kerby and Noreen Atkinson reached base with hits, then Margo Butler knocked in what proved to be the winning run.

Loura Wilkes got credit for the win, she worked a full nine innings and part of the 10th, but tired and Barb Currie was called in to mop up.

Margo Butler certainly did her share, collecting three hits, and knocking in the winning run, while Sandra Kerby got a pair of hits. The Royalettes have two

games scheduled for this week on Tuesday they were scheduled to host Hamilton, while this coming Tuesday, they will host Brampton, game time 8:30 p.m. at the Fairgrounds diamond.

## COLIN GIBSON, SPORTS EDITOR

#### Thornhill edges Hillsburgh to win tournament

Thornhill edged the Hillsburgh Seniors 2-1, in the championship game played Sunday, to walk off with \$100 in prize money and the winning laurels in the Hillsburgh Seniors Ladies Softball Tournament played in Hillsburgh over the weekend.

approach the OHA Northland

and the CAHA to cut through

some red tape and resolve the

immediately and stated, that

OHA President Hugh McLean,

who attended an informal

NOHA meeting on the week-

end, would lend him support in

The NOHA President further

appeal.

The Georgetown Armstrong Georgettes advanced to the Consolation Championship game, in the double-knockout affair, but were stopped, 4-1 by enough support. Marilyn

the tournament, including

Georgetown Industrial Softball League.

on incident in a game June 8.

TEAM

1. Norvai

2. Georgetown Chrysler

3. Gage Stationary

5. Peel Police

8. Fobert's

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12:00 - 5:00 p.m.

9. Flyers

6. Sandhill Shell

10. Royal Trust

11. Fort-A-Mix

4. Niner's Sports Out.

7. Way Jay Sportsmen

three teams from the Halton County Ladies Softball League, Hillsburgh Schlors, Georgetown Georgettes and the Glen Williams ladies team as well as the Georgetown Legion Royalettes.

Hillsburgh Seniors advanced to the championship final by whopping Bramalea, 15-1 as winning pitcher, Rhonda Carney received more than Eagles led all batters by Fourteen teams took part in stroking out a double and eight singles, while Mary Wetering

in second place battle

enough to boost them over five other teams and into sole possession of first place in the

this year aside from Bob Fendley's suspension, Neil Korzack, of Georgetown Chrysler

Yankees and Buff Johnson of Fort-A-Mix Mets have both been handed three game

suspensions for actions detrimental to the league (rough play and fighting) as a result of

that all members teams must have their final signed certificates into the league by that

STANDINGS AS OF SUN. JUNE 12

LAST WEEK'S SCORE

MON, JUNE 8

Sandhill 8 - Niner's 5

Chrysler 9 - Way Jay 4

WED, JUNE 8 Norval 6 - Flyers 3

D.R.G. 7 - Fobert's 1

Chrysler 16 - Fort 1

THURS, JUNE 9

D.R.G. 9 - Sandhill 5

Royal Trust 10 - Fort 8

Sandhill8-Peel7

Chrysler 5 - Niner's 2

Fobert's 8 - Flyers 0

Weekly Schedule

WEDNESDAY JUNE 15

THURSDAY JUNE 15

SUNDAY JUNE 19

MONDAY JUNE 20

SUN. JUNE 12

Peci 4 - Royal Trust !

Although Norval only saw action once last week, their 6-3 win over the Flyers was

The league's disciplinary committee has assured that no nonsense will be allowed

The league posts a reminded that the last signing date of June 30 is nearing and

Five teams locked

three singles. Hillsburgh faced Royalettes on Saturday and

Eagles doing mound duty. Barb Curry was charged with the loss, she was relieved by

Joyce Bridge was the top batter for Hillsburgh, lacing a triple and a single while the was a grand slam home run, hit by Margo Butler in the fourth inning.

On Sunday, the Hillsburgh

tournament, eked out a 3-0 win. Rhonda Carney got the win, trlumphed, 7-5, with Marilyn while Sue Leighton was charged with the loss. The Hillsburgh eruption came in the second inning, as Laura Wilkes in the third in- Marilyn Eagles and Patty Bayne got on base with singles and advanced on Mary

only extra-inning game of the

Joyce Bridge and Nancy highlight for the Royalettes Rhynold banged out consecutive singles for the winning margin. The championship game turned into a pitching duel, as Hillsburgh hurler, Rhonda Carney and Thornhill pitcher,

Watering's fielder's choice.

Giselle Marchand kept both teams off the scoresheet through five innings. A single margin, a fielder's choice and a double accounted

for Thornhill's winning In the Royalettes tourney debut, 11-3 win over Kitchener, Laura Wilkes was credited with the win, but her mates' bats were booming. Charlene Milton laced a triple and two singles, while Sandy Kerby had a triple and a single and

Barb Currie pounded out a triple. The Glen Williams ladies were similarly ousted in two games, losing their opener, 8-0 to lvy, as Bey Carmichael took the loss, while Lee Kemshead

had the only Glen hit, a double in the fifth inning. The Georgettes eliminated Glen Williams by toppling them, 4-3 as Ev Metler got the win and Maureen Gerth the save. For the Glen, Maxine Kenshead and Judy Piper, each knocked a double and a

tournament with an 8-2 loss to

and Ev Metler shared the pitching chores for the Georgettes, while Wendy Scott picked up the win. Pat Woods was the top Georgette batter,

getting two singles. Against Glen Williams, Ev and Moe again shared mound service, while Moe Gerth was the top batter, stroking out a double and a single. This win got the Georgettes into the Consolation round.

The Georgettes third game of the tourney was a laugher, as they trounced Kitchener, 15-1. Sue Paul got the win and was the top batter, collecting a double and three singles.

In the consolation champlonship game, however, it was just not to be for the Georgettes, as Milverton came out on top, by a 4-1 count. Moe Gerth was charged with the loss, while the lone Georgette run was knocked in by Pat Walsh with a double. Heather Sinclair got the win.

TOURNAMENT SCORES FRIDAY JUNE 10 Royalettes 11 Kitchener 3 Hillsburgh Sr. 15 Bramalea t SATURDAY JUNE 11 Georgettes 2 Caledon 8 lvy 8 Glen Williams @

Thornhill 7 Milverton 3 Moorefield 16 Mexford 3 Thamesford @ Cooksville 8 **SEMIFINALS** Kitchener II Bramalea 4 Hillsburgh Sr. 7 Royalettes \$

Georgettes 4 Glen Williams 3 lvy 5 Caledon 1 Mexford 5 Thamesford 4 Morrefield 3 Cooksville i Georgettes 15 Kitchener 1 Hillsburgh Sr. 3 lvy 6

Milverton 10 Menford 2 Thornhill 3 Moorefield 9 CONSOLATION CHAMPIONXHIP The Georgettes opened the MILVERTON 4 GEORGETTES ! CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

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Georgetown Chrysler vs Peel Police

Fort-A-Mix Mets vs Way Jay

Peel Police vs Sandhill Shell

Peel Police vs Royal Trust

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