

The Georgetown Legion Royalettes will be going with a veteran lineup when they begin play in the Ludies' league. Above are two of the players off the roster of last year's junior team. Left is starting catcher Noreen

Atkinson and right is pitcher Laura Wilkes. Wilkes, who missed most of last season, will be sharing the pitching duties with Debbie Shortt.

(Herald photo by Bill Humphreys)

## Royalettes have veterans back as they enter new loop

A solid and exciting infield will be one of the strongest points of the Royalettes Ladies Fastball team which begins play this coming Tuesday at the Fairgrounds.

So far manager Ted Wilkes reports that 12 players have signed to play for the team, with the nucleus of fast year's junior championship team returning to play in the

The infield will be composed of all the starters from last year. Janet McKay is back at first base, Charlie Milton at shortstop and Joey Bennett at second will make up the double play combination with Monica Pollock handling the balls hit to the hot corner.

Nancy Shortill, the team's most valuable player of the last year, will be back to take care of the bulk of the catching duties. TOP PITCHERS

Wilkes has also his top pitchers from last year with
righthander Debbie Shortt,
the winningest pitcher last
year back, and Laura Wilkes
who missed most of last
season, chucking from the
left side.

Also signed are outfielders Barb Curry, Noreen Atkinson, Michele Miehm and Patti Gles, who will be the backbone of the outfield.

The only newcomer signed to date is Pat White, who has done all her previous fastball in Brampton. Wilkes expects her to be one of the team's leaders on the base paths as she has very good speed.

McKay has had the top hitting average on the team for the last three years. Wilkes expects that the whole team will challenge her for the honor this year with last year's runner-ups

Shortill, Gies and Bennett all being top candidates. (

Milton and Curry will again act as the team's captains.

The night after their opener here Tuesday the Royalettes will travel to play a game in Oshawa. On the Labor Day weekend they will take part in the Labatts International Ladies Fastball Tournment at Port Colborne.

Game time for the opener here Tuesday will be 8:30 p.m.

Stacey Hurley working hard

By BILL HUMPHREYS

Five years ago Stacey
Hurley of Georgetown picked
up a tennis racquet and
started to run around attempting to hit the ball back
to her father over what was a
very large net at that time.

Every year, Stacey practiced harder and the sport became a love, and her ability became so great that last year she was ranked sixth in Canada in the 14 year old category.

Last weekend it was reported that Hurley won the Women's Double competition and reached the finals of the single ladder at the Rolex tournament at Cobblestone Court.

This week is a practicing week, as Stacey enjoys the indoor comfort at the Cobblestone in Mississauga, of which she is a member.

FINEST

This club is one of the finest in Canada for junior aged players and Hurley has been there for three years.

Time and effort Stacey has put into the sport has paid off

as she is now sponsored by the famous Slazenger company where her outfits and other essentials come free.

This summer is when all the real competition starts with such tournaments as the Quebec open, the Ontario Invitational, where there is a playoff of club teams and the National Tournament which is in late August.

The tiggest hope Stacey has is to receive an athletic scholarship to a university in the United States.

KEEP WORK UP

"Scouts around tournaments have told our team
that we just have to keep up
our grades and our ranking
in Canada and an athletic
scholarship should come
quite easily," Stacey said, "tstill have two or three years
left in high school though
before I start thinking about
university."

Fans who enjoy a good game of tennis should try to see this wonder kid play in one of the tournaments throughout the summer.

## YBC is May 13

Sunday May 13, the annual Y.B.C. Majors High Average Doubles Championships will be held at Ace Bowl, Scarborough, at 10 a.m. Gary Richardson with 237 average and Sandra Cuthbert with 215 are Georgetowns representatives in this event.

The Golden Age Bowlers' Provincials finals will be held at Lakeview Bowl, Peterborough, Friday May 18 at 1:30 p.m. The teams taking part in the contest are from Gatineau, Kincardine, Georgetown, Peterborough, Welland, Waterloo, Brantford and St. Thomas. Georgetown's team members are Ethel Hardman, Vi Hewitt, Floss Tracy, Del Wallace, Denny Charles and Charlie Renwick.

In the Caritwin League,
Joe Foster rolled a 346 (7
strikes) for a 809 triple . . .In
the Y.B.C. Majors League,
Colin Hicks finished the season in style, bowling 387 (10
consecutive strikes) and a
838 triple.

Y.B.C. HIGH SCORES
..Pee Wees: Toni McClements 334(122), Dianne Heron 325(132), Barry McLean 407 (149), Michael Compton 395 (158), Stephen Mills 393(163),

Scan Cotton 378(143), Eddie Doyle 373(136), Michael Warbeck 352(128), Andrew Payne 331(135).

Bantams: Julie McCorry 536(185), Debbie Pentesco 440(166), Beth Gibbs 418 (149), Judy Carroll 413(173), Cheryl Dwyer 404(138), Debbie Watts 404(153), Anthony Larsen 453(176), Todd Daugall 406(165), Jim Carpenter 402(144), Philip Hughes 398 (173), David Hicks 397(164).

Juniors: Kelly McCorry 573(232), Corinne Handy 544 (214), Teresa Maslach 509(199), Suzanne Carpenter 502(183), Shane Lowin 646 (262), Jerome Stone 638(232), Robbie Quinton 576(216), Ted Maslach 536(202), David Cillis 521(263).

Seniors: Diane Leonard 694(259), Bob Scarborough 630(233), Janet Hicks 596 (237), Grant Richardson 874 (320, 304, 250), Len Fisher 693 (303), Dwayne DeCoste 689 (250), Al Stennett 614(304), Jeff Dafoe 603(206).

LATE FLASH Sunday Roger Gervals qualified as a member of the Master Bowlers Ontario Men's team at Canadian Championships in Winnipeg. Details later.

