

# Rookie Eagles claim crown

The Georgetown Rookie Ball Eagles were flying sky high at a tournament in Flesherton July 2. The Eagles captured the tourney, winning all three games they played.

The team breezed through the two preliminary games, lambasting the host Flesherton squad 24-0 and trouncing Owen Sound 19-7. In the Flesherton game, Eagle Thomas

Elinesky just missed out on hitting for the cycle. Elinesky drilled a three-run homer, a two-run triple and a single.

In the victory over Owen Sound, the Eagles held a slim 9-7 advantage through four innings, but then the lumber came alive. Doug Wintermute blasted a solo home run to lead off the fifth. Wintermute's tater was followed by

three three-run jobs off the bats of Kyle Termini, Robbie Greenwell and Sean Graham. The defence, led by James Mountford, Matt Chisholme, Gavin Aldridge and Michael Zelek, then held Owen Sound at bay for the rest of the encounter.

The championship game had the Eagles square off against Beamsville.

After the lead changed hands four times, the Eagles went into their last at bat trailing 5-4. A sacrifice fly scored Steven Kogon to knot the score and send the game into extra innings.

In the top of the second extra inning, Justin Worby drove in Aldridge with the game-winning run. Worby later scored an insurance run to make the score 7-5. In the bottom of the inning, pitcher Zelek held Beamsville scoreless with some defensive help from Matt Tales at third.

The Eagles also played two regular season games last week, beating Oakville 8-2 and losing to the same side 7-4.

The team can be seen in action at 6:30 p.m. every Thursday at the barn diamond.

## Tough week for Alcott

The Gordon Alcott tennis club celebrated Wimbledon in style last week — they played some tennis. There's no word if strawberries and cream were served up.

The ladies' "A" squad played Springfield and came away with only one point. Kay King and Chris Steen lost 2-6, 3-6, Tammie Gill and Carol Beeney won 6-3, 6-2, Audrey Houston and Ann Kennedy lost in three hard fought sets 3-6, 7-6(7-4), 5-7 and Sandy Lewis and Audrey Jans lost 6-4, 6-7(6-8), 1-6.

The ladies' "C" team enjoyed more success against Bronte, taking three points. Muriel Fraser and Marg Macenko won 6-2, 6-2, Karin Wilson and Roberta Cuthbertson won 0-6, 6-4, 6-4, Trudy Roy and Norma Maynard 6-0, 6-2 and Margot Prior and Maureen Burgoyne lost 3-6, 6-3, 4-6.

The mixed "B" team split six points with Bramalea.

Mike Hurley and Ken Kavanagh won 6-4, 6-2, Rory Kennedy and Bernie Kent lost a three setter 4-6, 6-3, 4-6, Don Hurley and Dean


Jackson won 6-2, 6-3, Tammie Gill and Gord Buchan won 6-3, 6-1, Louise Campbell and Rene March lost 4-6, 6-3, 1-6 and Carol Beeney and Chris Steen lost a nail biter 6-7(7-9), 7-6(9-7), 4-6.

The mixed "C" servers took on Castlemore and won two points. Ryan Brain and Murray Jans lost 2-6, 1-6, Ed Rieger and Gary Lewis lost 3-6, 3-6, John Moore and Paul Dallison lost in three sets 1-6, 7-6(7-5), 2-6, Tim Gibbons and Deb Koster won 6-3, 3-6, 6-2, Bill Kent and Sandy Lewis lost 4-6, 2-6 and Barb Rieger and Audrey Jans won 6-0, 3-6, 6-4.


The junior boys had a bye.

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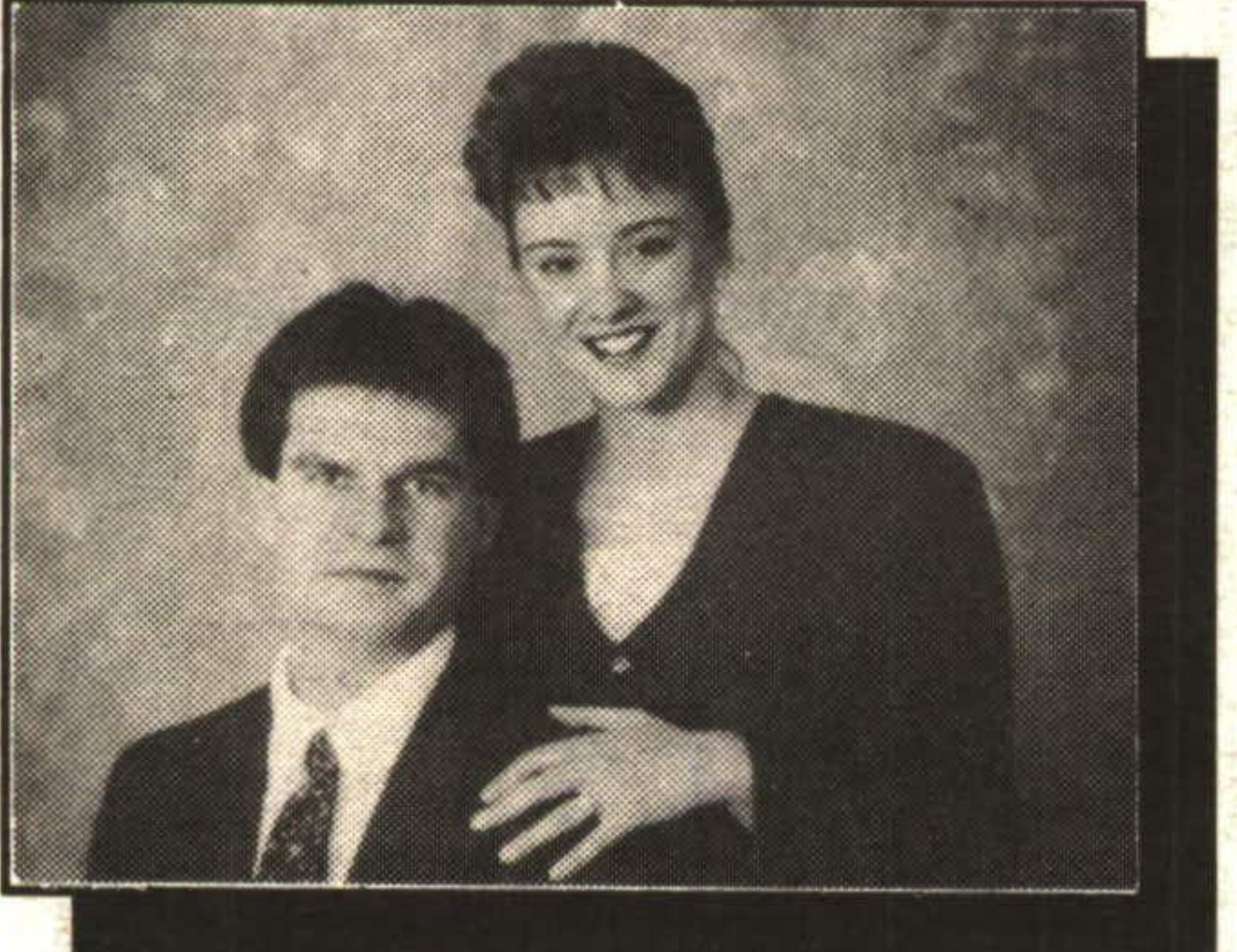
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*Heather Diane Meek, daughter of Mrs. Jean Meek and the late William Meek and Michael Lorne Teetzel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Teetzel have chosen Saturday, July 23, 1994 as their wedding date. The wedding will take place at the Doctor's House Chapel in Kleinburg, Ontario*

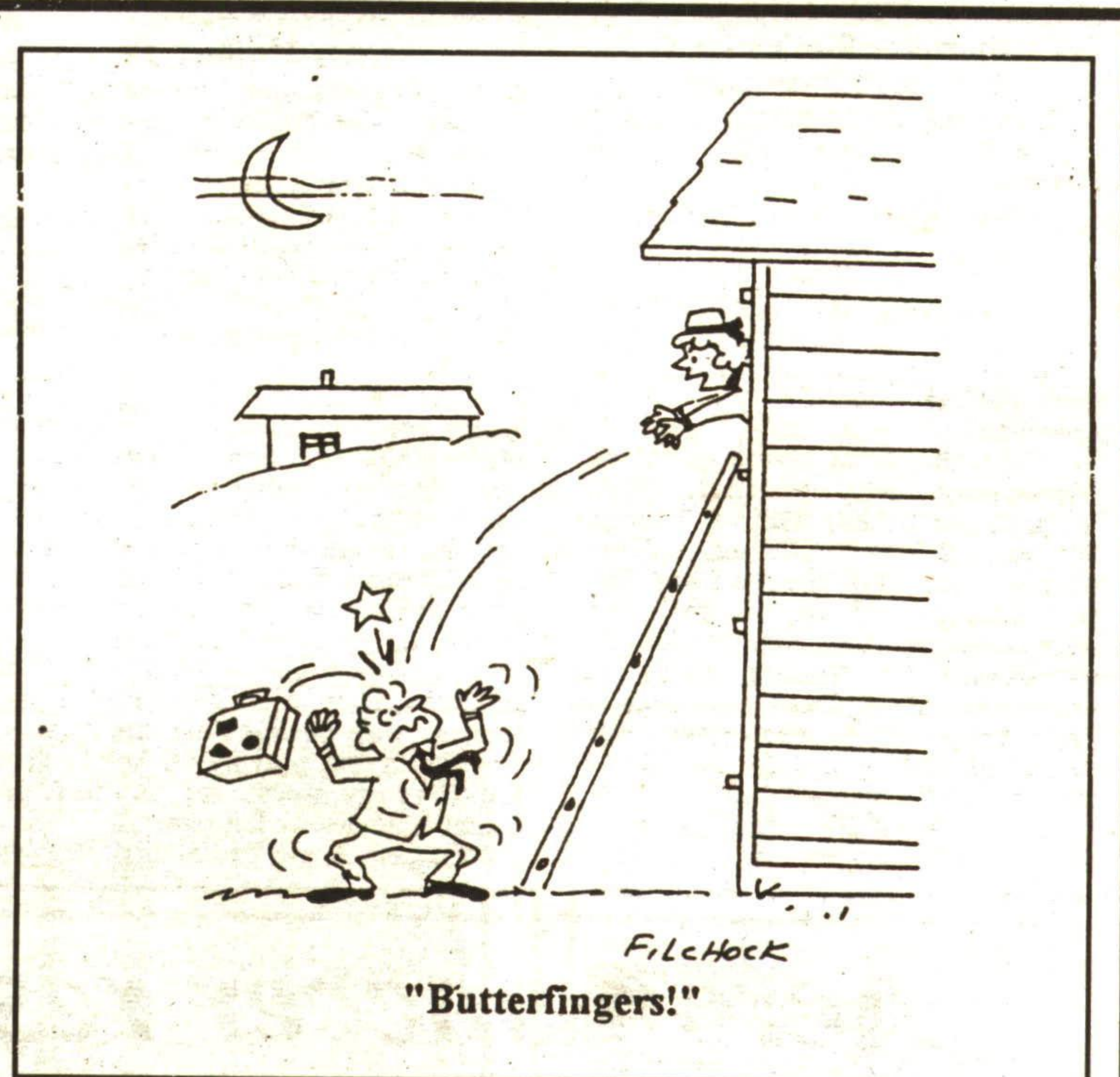


*Mr. and Mrs. Guy Tellier and Mrs. Ida Clark would like to announce the forthcoming marriage of their children Leanne Tellier and Bill Clark Wedding to take place on July 16, 1994 at St. Paul's Anglican Church, Norval*



*Mr. & Mrs. Bernard Thorne are pleased to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Shelley Loretta to Stephen George son of Mr. & Mrs. George Sharples Wedding to take place on October 15, 1994 at 1:30 p.m. Knox Presbyterian Church in Georgetown*

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**THEY'RE COMING!**

Chinchbugs are coming, and unfortunately they can destroy your lawn with little warning (in 3 weeks or less). Quite often this will happen while you are on your summer holiday. It almost seems like they know when you are away!

To control chinchbugs we must understand their life cycle. Adult chinchbugs are black with a white cross on their backs. They spend the winter under shrubs, leaves and hedges. In the spring, they emerge to lay their eggs. The eggs hatch 3-4 weeks later, and the red nymphs begin feeding on the grass. By piercing the grass blades, they inject digestive juices into the blades and suck out the plant liquids (creating that dry appearance in your lawn).

Depending on weather conditions, chinchbug damage can occur from late June through to August. It quite often resembles drought like conditions.

Chinchbug damage begins with a small brown spot, typically near shrubs or hedges, on southern facing slopes, or in hot dry areas. If plenty of watering does not rejuvenate an area like this in 3-5 days, chinchbugs may be present.

To help minimize chinchbug damage, keep your lawn well watered, fertilized, and mowed regularly. In other words, a healthy lawn has a much better chance of recovery than an unhealthy lawn.

If treatment is needed, treat as soon as the little red nymphs hatch.

More about chinchbugs in a future column.

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