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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN TERRACE BAY

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TERRACE BAY GIRLS NEARLY UPSET ROCKETTES

On Sunday, July 17th, the Terrace Bay Girls Softball Team journeyed to the Lakehead where they played two games against the Port Arthur Rockettes.

The afternoon game was very close until the fifth inning, when the Terrace girls were leading by a score of 5 to 3. During the last half of the 5th the Rockettes succeeded in scoring 8 runs to cinch the game, scoring 3 more in the last of the 6th, making the final score 14 to 5.

The evening game was a different story with the Rockettes using their star left-handed hurler. At the end of the 5th the Terrace girls were trailing by a score of 8 to 6. They succeeded in scoring 2 in the first of the 6th when Bea Fawcett slammed a home-run into left field with Mary Letain on base to tie the game. With the score still tied in the last of the 7th, Jean Lawrence, pitching for Terrace downed three pinch hitters to force the game into an extra inning. Terrace was held scoreless in the first of the 8th and with two out and one runner on second a line drive between 1st and 2nd brought in the winning run for the Rockettes. One of the outstanding features of the game was the excellent job done by Elizabeth Jour at left field.

This game was the closest the Rockettes have come to losing this season and Terrace had them quite worried in the 8th inning.

Considering that the Rockettes are nearing the end of their schedule and are in their prime, and the Terrace girls just played their third and fourth games this year on Sunday, the writer believes that our girls deserve to be congratulated on such a good showing.

It is the intention of the management of the girls team to have as many outside teams as possible in Terrace Bay this year, and it is hoped that our team will receive all the support possible from the local fans.

Batteries: Afternoon Game - Rockettes - Creighton and Allen; Terrace Bay - Sinkins, Lawrence and Letain. Evening Game - Rockettes - Strbavy and Allen; Terrace Bay - Lawrence and Letain.

Line-Ups

Rockettes: Gollat, Barr, Creighton, Lutas, Rice, Allen, Poole, Guerrard, Parker and Strbavy.

Terrace Bay: Myrtle Delmage, Connie Starink, Bea Fawcett, Betty Sinkins, Mary Letain, Jean Lawrence, Elizabeth Jour, Doris Wheeler, Peggy Wellings, Violet Moreau and Norma Blanchard.

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HUDSON'S BAY "COMETS" TAKE DOUBLE-HEADER FROM PINE PORTAGE ALL-STARS

Last Sunday afternoon and evening on the local ball field the "Comets" displayed brilliant form in routing the visiting Pine Portage team by scores of 15-7 in an afternoon game and 5-3 in an evening encounter. The nine inning game played in the afternoon displayed some of the tremendous hitting power and fielding ability of the Comets. Louis Kapitan pitching the nine innings showed steady control in allowing very few walks.

The evening game, which proved to be a much closer contest was a thriller for everyone in attendance. Louis Zack, another "Comet" hurler, dazzled the crowd by his terrific pitching. Harry Damp and Elwood Stephenson, the big guns of the "Comets" each showed their hitting power in the evening game, Damp knocking a beautiful home-run, the only one of the two games and "Stevie" Stephenson hitting a triple bagger deep into left field. Gordon Koeley also showed brilliant form in a beautiful double play from second to first base.

The "Comets" are now steadying down to serious play and will soon be seen in action in the Thunder Bay District Softball finals.