

# OJHL Irons Out Kinks Tonight

The much troubled Okanagan Junior "A" Hockey League will try to find a surefire headache remedy tonight.

The OJHL holds its annual general meeting here in Vernon at 7:30 p.m. and it's got more than its share of migraines to cure.

The first, and most painful, headache is the problem of a new league executive. Two members of the old 1964-65 slate, president Len Miller and referee-in-chief Arnold Smith, both of Vernon, resigned two months ago over a hassle involving the use of officials during the play-offs.

The why's and wherefore's of this hassle will likely be brought up at tonight's meeting, providing fuel for a hot dispute.

All positions on the OJHL executive are open for election including the pro tem post of president now held by Blair Peters of Kelowna.

The other problem involves the status of one of the OJHL's charter members, Kamloops Rockets.

Last week the whole Rocket management—coach Ken Stewart, manager Don Brown and sponsor Ernie Davies—resigned en masse.

Brown said they resigned because "we found the situation impossible" in Kamloops. Brown will become a director in the

newly formed North Kamloops Minor Hockey Association.

Doug Daws, president of the Kamloops Minor Hockey Association, said the Kamloops junior entry would continue to operate in the OJHL despite the departure of the old management. He said he would appear at tonight's meeting as the club's official representative.

There has been a rumor afoot that North Kamloops is considering entering a franchise in the OJHL.

