

HUNTER'S CORNER

1959 Hunting Season Got Underway On Wednesday

When this column appears in print the 1959 hunting season will be on its second day. The opening day's shoot will be commented upon in next week's column.

was a tie. Before the vote the Chairman stated that he had conducted a questionnaire on the trout season date for several weeks before the meeting and the answers were predominantly in favour of the September 15th closing date, but, as he remarked: "They should be here to vote."

Suddenly a mink appeared on the upper fringe of the pool where the water runs over the spillway. Her beady eyes looked the situation over and then in one fluid motion she cut the surface as clean as a knife and disappeared in its depths. In a matter of seconds she was in a hitting mood and the angler, as well as others on the opposite side of the pool, wasn't getting even a sign of a rise.

Here is a case in point: A few nights ago, a report of which appeared in the local press, after nights of fruitless patrols three members of the R.C.M.P. caught a resident of Fanningbrook in the act of shooting ducks out of season and in possession of a gun and duck. They promptly landed him in Georgetown jail just as any conscientious officers should do.



HERE ARE THE MEMBERS of the Morell bantam baseball team that brought the Maritime championship to Prince Edward Island last weekend by beating the Nova Scotia champions, Halifax bantams, two games to one.

Maritime Champs Honored At Morell Last Evening

SPORTS FRONT

By PIUS CALLAGHAN

CHICAGO WHITE SOX got the world series underway in great style yesterday at Comiskey Park where they slaughtered the National League pennant winners, Los Angeles Dodgers, 11-0 before more than 48,000 wildly excited spectators.

WE WERE NOT surprised at the White Sox triumph yesterday but we were surprised at the convincing way they handled the Altonites. They left no doubt whatever about the outcome and after that third inning it was strictly a case of get the thing over as quickly as possible.

MOST FOLKS had expected Early Wynn and Roger Craig to get hooked up in a tight pitching duel but that never came about yesterday. The Pale Hose jumped on Craig for two runs right in the first inning and that was twice the amount the crafty Wynn needed to register a victory.

WYNN GOT his first series victory yesterday and the heady hurler richly deserved it. He was as cool as a cucumber and made the Dodger batters look just a wee bit silly.

YOU CAN BE sure, however, that Wynn was as surprised as anyone at the power exhibited by his teammates, a supposedly weak-hitting outfit. They tore into Craig and Churn with a vengeance and had the Dodgers hopelessly behind by the end of the third inning.

THE CHICAGO VICTORY doesn't mean that we have changed our tune in regard to the ultimate winner of this 1959 world series. We haven't for a moment and we still are of the opinion that Alton will lead his men to the world crown and it won't take more than six games. We read with interest the sports column in yesterday's Patriot citing some of the predictions of baseball followers around Charlottetown.

THESE DODGERS every now and then come up with a showing like yesterday but they bounce right back off the floor and show it was all a mistake. We think the Los Angeles boys will do that today and that the teams will head for the big Coliseum on the west coast all even at one game apiece.

DIDN'T these same Dodgers get battered all over Wrigley Field last Saturday afternoon? But didn't they come back Sunday and win a "must" game from the same team that clawed them twenty-four hours earlier. Didn't they go from there to Milwaukee and eke out a thrilling 3-2 decision over the defending National League champions? And didn't they stage a terrific ninth inning rally the next day to grab the crown from those same defending champions?

SO WE WOULD advise Los Angeles supporters to stick around. There's going to be a whole lot of fun yet and these Dodgers are going to be on it.

WHEN WE WROTE this column it looked like Walter Alton would be giving Johnny Podres, the 1955 series hero, a chance to get the Dodgers back on even basis with these Pale Hose. Lopez is sending Bob Shaw to the mound for the White Sox and Al hopes the young right-hander will be good enough to send Chicago heading westward with a 2-0 lead in the series.

JOHNNY HAS enjoyed fair success this season but the Dodgers and their supporters are looking for Podres to be really great today. The White Sox, noted as a weak hitting team, were real sluggers yesterday and Ted Kluszewski was like the Big Klu of old. "All" he did was smash out two homers and a single in four trips and drive in five runs. It was the greatest thrill the big fellow ever had in his baseball career.

WE DON'T EXPECT the White Sox hitters to do any repeat in hitting similar to those they performed yesterday. They'll get back to normal after that one grand day of playing the part of sluggers. On the other hand, there are a few gentlemen on that Dodger lineup that are due to explode against Chicago pitching and don't be surprised if Bob Shaw is the victim of such an explosion this very afternoon.

ONE OF the great warnings given the National League champions was to keep Luis Aparicio from reaching base if they wanted to win ball games. Word was that the snappy Pale Hose short-stop would steal bases on Johnny Roseboro almost anytime he felt like it. Well, the Dodgers didn't let Luis reach base and yet they lose the ball game 11-0. Every member of the Chicago team that was in the starting lineup scored with the exception of Aparicio and pitcher Early Wynn. Early, however, got as far as second base when he dived in the third. Little Aparicio went to bat five times but wasn't able to reach first safely. Of course, he should be due for a trip down that way this afternoon.

IF HE GETS there, it's going to be mighty interesting to watch what takes place. Roseboro will have a real challenge but the young Dodger catcher may be equal to the challenge.

WHEN WE TALK to you tomorrow, we expect this 1959 series to be knotted up at 1-1. We think Podres can go the distance this afternoon.

First row left to right: Paul McGuire, Keith Doyle, Jimmy Duffy, Keith LaPierre, Joey McCarten, Joey Donovan, second row: Leslie Jarvis, Billy Rooney, Peter MacIntyre, Walter Bradley, Mike Kelly, Buddy McEwen third row: Louis McGuire, and Donald MacDonald coaches, Blair Weir, captain, Garry McGuire and Joe McGuire.

The village of Morell honored its champions last night and they did it up in fine style. The Maritime champions, as far as bantam baseball is concerned, were tendered a banquet by the sport-minded people of Morell in the parish hall and were lauded by several speakers for the honor they had brought to their community and the province in general.

Rev. Eric Robin, parish priest and one of King's County's most ardent baseball promoters, acted as chairman for the occasion. Seated at the head table with Father Robin were Earl Nicholson president of the Maritime Baseball Association, Jack Ready, association secretary, Louis McGuire, president of the Morell Athletic Association, Blair Weir, captain of the champion bantams, Charlie Ryan, umpire, Donald MacDonald, coach of the team and J. Pius Callaghan sports editor of the Guardian.

Father Robin extended his thanks to all the citizens of the surrounding areas who had supported baseball so splendidly during the past summer. He was thankful to everyone who had any part to play in its success.

Messrs. Nicholson, McGuire Ready, Ryan and Callaghan all extended congratulations to the new Maritime champions and wished them continued success in their baseball careers.

Donald MacDonald who coached the team along with Louis McGuire thanked everyone who had encouraged the team all during the season.

Following the turkey dinner which was served by the mothers of the ball players, presentations took place.

Earl Nicholson presented pen and pencil sets to the team members and their coaches on behalf of the Government of Prince Edward Island. Following these presentations, individual gifts were given each young player by Jerry McAdam of Morell, a former standout athlete.

Gomes Battles Fullmer Tonight

PROVIDENCE, R.I. (AP) — Harold Gomes, the junior lightweight champion and top-ranked contender for the world featherweight crown, goes after his eighth straight ring triumph Friday against Jay Fullmer, 22-year-old brother of Gene, the world middleweight titlist.

Gomes is favored over the West Ogden, Utah, lightweight in the nationally televised fight at Rhode Island Auditorium.

The younger Fullmer has a record of 17 victories, two losses and a draw. He lost his last fight on a divided decision to Cisco Andrade in mid-summer.

ONLY TWO LOSSES The hard-punching Gomes, a Providence resident, has lost only two of 47 fights, to Tommy Tibbs of Boston, in 1954 and to Isidoro Martinez in 1957. He won four in 1958 and three this year.

Gomes won the revived junior lightweight championship last summer here in a brawl with Paul Jorgensen of Port Arthur, Tex.

It was his second victory over the Texan. The earlier decision was gained in a televised battle at Miami.

Fullmer at 22 is seven years younger than his opponent. The promoters hope for a capacity audience of some 5,000 although the New England television stations will carry the fight.

Rosensohn Inc. Want Dempsey On Solid Basis

NEW YORK (AP) — Although his agreement with Rosensohn Enterprises Inc. ended nine days ago, Jack Dempsey said Thursday he intended to cooperate fully with the boxing promotional firm.

"They asked me today to stay on in an advisory capacity for an indefinite period and I agreed," said the 64-year-old former heavyweight champion.

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Load Up For Hunting

LEGION MEETING Special meeting Charlottetown Branch Canadian Legion will be held in the branch home Monday, October 5th at 8 p.m. Agenda: Important business.

A week ago our Deputy Minister of Industry and Natural Resources, Mr. P.A. Murrughan, called at my home and left two fresh caught trout taken from a small pond on the North side. I wasn't home at the time and he jokingly told my wife to ask Spurr if he thought they were soft. One was a male and the other a female weighing close to one pound each. The female held two rolls of spawn longer and thicker than my middle finger and the milt in the male was equally as far advanced. Their flesh was firm as from trout taken in July and quite red. It was somewhat of a disappointment on the platter. They didn't break down when fried but the flesh proved too short grained and dry and lacked the luscious, trout flavour of seasonable trout.

A MISTAKE The old adage: there are exceptions to every rule is quite true but I still feel that the extension is a mistake as at least 80 per cent of pond trout are soft and flat after September 10th and in some individuals deterioration sets in during the last week in August. At the quarterly meeting of Queens County Branch Game Association held on Monday evening, September 28th, 32 voting members were present. On the motion to retain September 30th as the closing date for trout it carried by a one vote margin, 14-15. Two abstained from voting and one member who actively opposed the extension and wanted the season to revert to September 15th as a closing date had to leave the meeting before the vote was taken so in reality it

PRIZE WINNERS In FISH AND GAME Draw at Old Home Week were:

FIRST PRIZE—GUN Ticket No. 1388 Stephen Flynn C/o Mrs. Mary Weir 56 Cumberland Street Charlottetown

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JUNIOR GOLFERS A 5-hole tournament will be held tomorrow Saturday at 9 a.m. at Charlottetown Golf Club for all boys and girls taking part in this year's junior golf development program. PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED FOR DIFFERENT AGE GROUPS Enter your name at the Pro Shop

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