

SPORTS FRONT

By PIUS O'CALLAGHAN

With Distinction

YOU don't need to be a New York Yankees' supporter to appreciate the fine job done by announcers Mel Allan and Phil Rizzuto on their games.

They certainly never get accused of roaring too loud for the Bombers. In fact each time we listen to one of their games, we have the nasty habit of always pulling up the underdog. However, such an attitude has not blinded us to the fact that Mr. Allan and Mr. Rizzuto are great announcers and they do everything possible to be fair in their descriptions.

Naturally when you follow a team all season long, your feelings are expected to be in sympathy with that club. Allan and Rizzuto go everywhere the Yankees go and we believe they want to see the New Yorkers win the pennant and the world series.

However, you would never know this by listening to them. They show just as much excitement over any opposition rally as they do over a Yankee outburst. This of course is the ideal way to describe a game but not every sportscaster can master this art.

But Mel and Phil handle their contests with distinction.

We don't mind too much the announcer who is hopelessly biased in his descriptions. It was a Pittsburgh announcer who in glowing terms the routine out to their team gets the opposition. There are those who get into a state of high excitement every time one of "their boys" get a single. They seem very in tune with their job but they do provoke some merriment along the line.

These homers, however, will not ridicule the opposition. They merely keep plugging away at how good their favorites are.

Against those kind of sportscasters, we surely hold no bad feelings.

This Took The Cake

BUT last week we heard a game between Pittsburgh Pirates and Los Angeles Dodgers. It was a Pittsburgh announcer who was telling us what was happening. The game was a 1-1 struggle until the Pirates broke the affair wide open in the eighth and went on to win 5-1.

Several times before the tie was broken this announcer cried about the games the Bucs had dropped to Houston Colts the two previous nights. We were asked to figure out just how close Danny Murtagh's gang would have been had they not won instead of losing in Houston.

But what was in this fall was when he boldly exclaimed he was enjoying to the utmost the collapse of the Dodger defence. In the last stages, Los Angeles infield came apart at the seams and opened the door for the invaders from Forbes Field.

Now we had no beef with our announcer for enjoying the run-getting of the Pirates but we never heard any announcer before gloating over the misdeeds of the opposition. This fellow got his high spirits as the Pirates were leading but since that date the Pirates haven't tasted a triumph.

And Still Worse—

When Larry Sherry (selected for considerable time by injuries) relieved in the ninth, the hero of the 1955 world series leader of his former generation, Larry was as wild as a March hare and almost hit one batter. The announcer indicated Mr. Sherry was trying to do the batter and let his audience know this by crying "tempest" again.

This was the last straw and as cheap a bit of sportscasting as we have ever heard and we've heard a lot of ball games these past 20 years.

We're sure Pittsburgh fans didn't appreciate this cheapness and we're sure why they give him such a bad name.

Let him praise his own fellows all he wants but don't try to attribute cheapness and bad temper to the opposition.

Never Before

Why we spent a column on this is merely because we have never before heard of a sportscaster as responsible person. It gives us a real jolt to think that guys who stop so low in their descriptions and accounts of these contests.

If Mr. Allan and Phil Rizzuto were interesting in to that baseball, they surely would be wondering how a fellow like that gets a job of broadcasting baseball games.

It is interesting to think that ever since we heard that guy give us his prejudiced.

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Summers Bureau of The Guardian

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He would not do away with umpire-baiting. It takes time of course, but is, according to

'Sports Beat' Beat Us

When Mike Hennessy said that Gil Amoy was cool in an interview, he took the words right out of our typewriter. We were all set to give an appraisal of Amoy's career under fire, and "Sports Beat" beat us to it, and made out "Sport Escapes" week by week.

Praise, however, was so obviously due, will best be reserved for the job that he did in the past few days, and we will not do it until we have had a chance to get out of such a jam.

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Golfers Go To Halifax

Five fine golfers, outstandingly well equipped, will be in Halifax on Saturday and Sunday.

Track Events Held Thurs. At Dundas

Despite the damp weather evening sports events in three different classes, boys' junior boys' and girls, at the Dundas plowing match yesterday.

Here are the results:—
BOYS JUNIOR
1st. J. Joe Thompson, St. Peter's Bay; 2. Andy Arsenault, Charlottetown; 3. J. Leclerc, St. Peter's Bay.
4th. Bruce Brown, Dundas; 5. J. MacEachern, Charlottetown; 6. E. Fisher, Charlottetown; 7. P. Morrison, Forest Hill.
HIS JUNIOR—1. J. Thompson, St. Peter's Bay; 2. J. MacEachern, Charlottetown; 3. A. Curran, Forest Hill.
GIRLS JUNIOR
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Island Bantams Play Chatham

SOURIS — Souris Marauders Island Bantam baseball champs, travel to Chatham, N.B., Saturday morning where they will play Chatham for the N.B.-P.E.I. championship in a sudden death contest.

The winner will meet the N.S. champion for the Maritime title.

A's Shade Angels 5-4

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Gino Cimoli's eight-inning stunner—his third in the winning run Thursday as Kansas City Athletics knocked Los Angeles Angels out of second place by defeating them 5-4. The defeat dropped the Angels one-half game behind Minnesota Twins and 5½ games behind league-leading New York Yankees.

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SECOND TIME AROUND - - by Alan Mavor

WIDESPREAD EFFORTS TO MAKE GOOD AS QUARTERBACKS AROUND WITH THE CLEVELAND REDS SHOULD BE ONE OF THE SEASONS' INTERESTING FEATURES. ONLY TWO TO TOPS 27 PASSES SEASONS WITH THE BROWNS. QUARTERBACKS BEING TRADED TO DETROIT.

Now He's Returned From Detroit In Exchange For Milt Plum To See If He Can End The Curse From The Browns' Existence Since Quarterback Otto Graham Retired

Another exciting harness racing program is on tap for Charlottetown Driving Park tonight. Classifier Frank Acou has come through with a card that appears loaded with excitement and every one of the eight dashes gives promise of being a real thriller.

The feature attraction brings together five outstanding pacers and that good trotter, The Sheik. The pacers getting the word in these dashes dashes four and eight are Lola Hal, Salar Hanover, July Morley's Pride and Sunny King. Picking winners in these two trips could amount to a major undertaking. Probably Lola Hal will have as favorite but the odds on the others should be too extreme.

Races three and seven look especially as interesting. Don Mac-

Small Crowd Sees Summerside Races

SUMMERSIDE — The smallest crowd of the season attended the race card at Summerside raceway last evening to watch some close finishes with unusually slow because of the heavy track.

The highest win ticket, \$13.10, was on Princess Spangler in the fourth race. The quintella paid \$33.20, but both daily doubles were low, \$6.70 and \$8.00, and the exactor was good for \$7.50.

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Twins Don't Sox To Keep Game From Sox To Keep Game From Sox To Keep Game From Sox

By THE CANADIAN PRESS Minnesota Twins kept their shadowy pennant hopes alive Thursday afternoon, beating Chicago 5-1.

The victory pulled the Twins back to within five games of the idle New York Yankees, the American League leaders.

Lety Jack Krueck was the Sox's top pitcher, holding the White Sox to eight hits.

Minnesota slashed 10 hits to come barreling out of the hitting-dudrums that had kept the Twins without a run in 30 innings.

Reserve third baseman George Banks drove home a run in the first with a flyball. Yolo Flores tripled home another run in the second and Bob Allison belted a bases-loaded homer in the third to bring the score to 4-0 before Chicago

Race Program Set For Local Track Rain Pushes Game Ahead

Rain forced postponement of last evening's City Baseball League game between Dodgers and Flyers. However, the game is rescheduled for tonight.

This is the last game in regular league play and Dodgers need a triumph to sew up first place. If the Flyers conquer, Dodgers will finish in first place tied with Buck Whitlock's Stars.

All four teams will participate in the playoffs which swing into action next Tuesday evening. Game starts this evening at 7 o'clock.

CAMPING EXCHANGE

KELOWNA, B.C. (CP) — A group of 100 campers at Kelowna's parent's committee here paid the cost of a camping-out exchange in the third to run of Jim Bunning's 17th victory, beating Boston Red Sox 14-6 in the opener of a doubleheader.

Rocky Colavito, Al Kaline, Chico Fernandez and Norm Cash honored as the Tigers jumped to a 10-0 lead.

Boston scored four times in the seventh on six successive hits and added two runs in the eighth on Pumpsie Green's home run.

Colavito and Cash each hit his 30th homer in a bid for the league championship.

CLOVER FARM

First dash goes promptly at 9 o'clock. This will give the store workers and shoppers an opportunity to be present.

A cooler presented by MacKenzie Pharmacy will be given to the horse with the best summary in dashes two and six.

Once again starting time tonight only 15 to 9 o'clock.

MARITIME INVITATION FREE FOR ALL PACE SAT, SEPT. 15, 7.15 P.M.

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