

SPORTS FRONT

By PIUS CALLAGHAN

Racing Takes Over

HARNESS racing fans and promoters should certainly have no doubts about the holiday weekend. Just about every race track in these seaside provinces was a beneficiary of activity as favorable weather conditions favored one and all.

Locally the Summerside Raceway had a most successful afternoon and night show with fast times registered both in the sun-light and under the lights. Three 2:00 miles were paced at the wedding meet which drew large crowds and saw brisk pari-mutuel betting. A few lucky persons got in some large draws and other causers and went home all the happier.

Saturday night at Charlottesville, the Charlottesville Driving Park had its best crowd of the season and the betting hit a new high for 1962. Again it was ideal night for racing and the miles of Amos Frost, 2:07.4 and 2:07.3 surely proved it.

Joe Hennecey had a fine time at Charlottesville as he drove four dash winners on the two-card show. These included two triumphs with Doug Hill's Dominion and one with Stanley Maynor's trotter, Higgins' Way, one by Sam Johnston's Avalon Trotter.

Horace Willis teamed Susan Pointer to a new race track of 1 1/2 and Lorne Hennecey drove John Simmonds' Mai Kai to a new record of 2:15.2.

One of the best performances of the weekend was given by Neville Morrison's Billie Edes. Billie raced at Charlottesville Saturday night and was a fine 3:3 in the Lalala race. Billie was beaten in both trips from the east blancher. Two days later he shows up at Summerside and finishes 1:1 in identical 2:08 miles.

June Byrd Comes Through

HOWEVER, the biggest race news to hit the island since the days of Mighty Lee was provided by June Byrd. The sectional race was won by Charlotteville's Greer Farms.

June Byrd looked great in her performances here, so great that Jack Crickman of Sackville Downs extended her record to 19 big victories in 18,000 one mile races at Sackville Downs on Monday last.

Her record appeared to be history now but for Islanders it's the kind of history they like to recall. The Greer Farms mare drew seventh position but June Byrd managed no mistakes as she outpaced and outdistanced the rest of the field.

The triumph by June Byrd should be a terrific advertisement for the Evening Patriot \$2500 insurance which goes here at Charlottesville Driving Park this Saturday night July 7.

A crowd which should rival that tremendous through which turned out last Old Home Week for The Evening Patriot Gold Cup and Sauer's classic is expected to fill the stands at Saturday evening. Already the talk is racing about this great harness racing event and things point to one of the most exciting race programs in years.

Here They Are

RACE secretary and classifier, Frank Arc, has issued his invitations and received acceptance from eight of the top racers in these parts.

June Byrd of course will be here to attempt to do a repeat over this classy field. Dec's Boy, Bob Lee, Newport Frisco, Bob Brook, Sym's Best, Amos Frost and Edgewood Hedrick are the other seven starters.

Everyone knows the doings of Dec's Boy. He was the horse of the year in the Marlines in 1961 and is showing just as much class this season. Bob Lee has had his share of Marlinsville circuit victories. Newport Frisco has grabbed trophies in Patriot races here. Bob Brook is the sectional four-year-old that recently lowered the Sydney record to 2:06. Sym's Best opened his big free-for-all on Monday of Old Home Week last August. Amos Frost is that same pacer that showed speed galore here last Saturday and Edgewood Hedrick was the classy pacer that chased June Byrd to the wire at the Downs Monday night.

There you have it. It has all the elements of the greatest racing classic ever staged on this island. Folks will come from far and near for this one and they can be sure they will not be disappointed.

Get Your Tickets

NEXT Monday night, July 9, the Gold Cup and Sauer's committee is sponsoring a harness racing meet at Charlottesville Driving Park.

Tickets may be obtained from all members of this committee. The proceeds will help defray expenses which this committee must necessarily incur in connection with the big Old Home Week spectacle.

Great Race Card is Going Tonight

Another thrilling harness racing program goes tonight at Charlottesville Driving Park. This card has nine dashes, with single "go" opening the program at 8 o'clock sharp.

Five good looking pacers are ready and waiting for the feature event which will be raced in dashes five and nine. Emmet Bernard has Jolly Job on the rail but the five members of the opposition are rugged customers to handle. They are Ginger E. Sky Prince, Edgewood Hal, Jack Gray and Morley's Pride.

These dashes certainly should be thrillers and bettors should get pretty fair odds on any of these horses in the first outing.

The single event is crowded with eight starters as are all the other double dash affairs. All of the races look like purr-fests to the fellow buying the mutual tickets and some jockey returns can be expected.

Two daily doubles, a quintella and an exactor, will be available in addition to win, place and show bets. They are: 1. A bumper crowd is expected to watch the proceedings which start promptly at 8 o'clock.

Island Karters Steal Spotlight

Ten visiting karts from Prince Edward Island completely dominated the championship racing at the grand opening of "Little Italy" at Lower Sackville, N.S., over the Dominion Day weekend.

Although having vehicles entered in only one class, "Super A," the Island drivers were among the top point-getters for the two days of racing.

Don Allan, Covehead, was the leading driver in this class. At Burford, Halifax, was top man in the "stock A" section and a Saint John driver led the finishing class.

Of the top racers in "Super A" class, Island karters won eight outright and seven of the ten races were at least one heat.

The two open events were won by Philip Cooper and Don Allan. The two Leamas were won by Philip MacLaren and Stephen Younger.

How F.P.E. karts finished: SUPER A CLASS-TOTAL PTS. 1. Don Allan, Covehead



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Yanks Slip Athletics 8-7; Tigers, Twins Grab Wins

By THE CANADIAN PRESS
Roger Maris and Mickey Mantle each hit two home runs Tuesday as New York Yankees consolidated their hold on first place in the American League with a come-from-behind 8-7 win over Kansas City Athletics. The Yanks used a four-run eighth inning spurge to dump Kansas City and open a half-game lead over second place Los Angeles Angels.

In the only error all action, Detroit Tigers nipped Chicago White Sox 5-4, and Minnesota solved its Boston jinx with a 4-3 win over the Red Sox. Los Angeles game at Washington was postponed by rain.

At New York, Mantle's second home run, off relief pitcher Gordon Jones, broke up a 7-7 deadlock made possible by Maris' three-run homer a few minutes before.

Jones had replaced starter Jerry Walker in the seventh after the Yankees had narrowed Kansas City's lead to 7-4 on solo home runs by Bobby Richardson and Mantle. He took over with runners on second and third and two out and fanned Bill Skowron to put out the fire.

GETS INTO JAM
In the eighth, however, Jones got into a jam when pinch hitter Elton Howard singled and Tom Tresh walked with one out. Richardson hit into a force play but Maris walloped his 18th home run and Mantle followed with his 12th. It was the first time this season Mantle and Maris each hit two homers in the same game.

At Boston, Harmon Killebrew's booming, one-run triple, and great last-ditch relief pitching by Ray Moore did the job for the Tigers.

Boston had runners on first and third with none out in the ninth when Moore replaced winner Jack Kralick. Moore got Jim Fugliarino on a pop then struck out Lou Clinton and Eddie Bressoud who were then hit but collected five of the nine Red Sox hits.

WINS IT IN 11TH
At Detroit, Jake Wood's high hopper to third base scored the winning run in the 11th inning for the Tigers.

At San Francisco, Jimmy Davenport, Harvey Kuum and Felipe Alou paced a 15-hit attack with three safeties each as the Giants clubbed New York Mets 10-1 to climb within one-half game of the league lead.

Davenport tripled home a pair in a four-run second inning outburst. Kuum singled and scored in each of the first two innings. Alou collected two singles and walloped his 15th home run, the night action in the eighth with two outs.

At Chicago, the lead league pitcher, Harry Simmonds (CH), Dave Piam (CH), Douglas Arnold (Watski).

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Little-Known Czech Payer Eliminates Darlene Hard

WIMBLEDON, England (AP) — A little-known Czech player, Mrs. Hana Sukova, defeated Darlene Hard of the U.S. Tuesday in the quarter-finals of the All-England lawn tennis championships. It was the second major upset in a year of surprising results in women's singles play.

Mrs. Sukova, a 30-year-old former Czech basketball player, defeated Miss Hard, second seed here, 6-4, 6-3. Miss Hard had been the favorite after the surprising first-round elimination of Australia's Margaret Smith, the top seed.

Maria Bueno of Brazil, Ann Haydon of Britain and Mrs. Karen Hantze Suman of the U.S. also advanced to the semifinals Thursday.

Maria Bueno, who won here in 1959 and 1960 and was third seed this year after missing last year's competition because of illness, now becomes the favorite. She defeated Lesley Turner of Australia 2-6, 6-4, 6-2.

Mrs. Suman, a 19-year-old U.S. Wimbledon cup player, defeated Billie Jean Moffitt of the 18-year-old U.S. giant-killed who had ousted Miss Smith. The score was 6-1, 6-1.

The all-Australian men's semi-finals will pit top-seeded Rod Laver against No. 3 seed Neale Fraser and Marty Mulligan against Neal's brother John, both of whom are unseeded.

Mrs. Sukova, who earlier beat defending champion Angela Mortimer of Britain, the No. 4 seed, placed her shots with hair-line accuracy and got an assist when Miss Hard double-faulted 10 times during their match.

City Club Ch'ship Draw Announced

Here is the Charlottesville Golf Club championship draw as released by the local club yesterday:

CHAMPIONSHIP DIVISION
B. Beer vs. S. MacLaren.
A. MacLaren vs. D. Saunders.
E. MacLarin vs. E. Taylor.
M. C. Trainor vs. T. Rogers.
H. Simmonds vs. A. MacLaren.

2ND DIVISION
D. Clarkson vs. D. Boswell.
L. Cox vs. G. Berrigan.
M. C. Trainor vs. R. Newson.
Bill Gigey vs. D. MacDonald.
M. Pinesa vs. R. Manning.
Bob Gigey vs. J. Mulligan.
C. MacLean vs. D. MacMillan.
M. Keady vs. J. Wilson.

3RD DIVISION
J. Sutherland vs. W. LoPape.
E. Buchanan vs. I. Hooper.
R. Carr vs. I. Berrigan.
K. Carmichael vs. B. MacGregor.

F. Hansen vs. L. Bruce.
W. Coles vs. M. Carmichael.
J. Molloy vs. B. O'Meara.

All-Flag Race Said Greatest

BOSTON (AP) — Joe Cronin Tuesday called his shoehorn permanent race "the greatest thing that's happened to the American League in years."

The league rejected protest at the standings just before Tuesday's games and noted seven teams bunched within 4 1/2 games of each other by the end of the first two innings.

"I don't ever remember this kind of a race," Cronin said. "This is the eve of the traditional July 4 mid-point of the flag fight. The leader at this juncture is supposed to go into the championship according to superstition."

1-Fairall; 2-Garth's Best; 3-Elmer C.; 4-Ida Bufong; 5-Trevor Lee; 6-Moab; 7-Countess Alice; 8-Princess March.

NO. 14-PURSE \$150.00
1-Reuben Bator; 2-Tommy Shantz; 3-Chocolate Chip; 4-Wing Victory; 5-Walt For Me; 6-Cyrille Kelly; 7-Freddy's Dream; 8-True Lady Lou; 9-Elector.

NO. 15-PURSE \$150.00
1-Mrty Leah; 2-Lorraine's Watchin; 3-Gay Laird; 4-Buddy Johnson; 5-Jilly Dink; 6-Myrle E.; 7-Willie's Choice; 8-Jeanie Brewer.

NO. 16-PURSE \$400.00
1-Victory Mac; 2-Torrid Waters; 3-Ray Grattan Up; 4-Scott Ligh Light; 5-Sunny King; 6-Irv Averill; 7-Jean Clegg; 8-Arno Hanover.

NO. 18-PURSE \$500.00
1-July Abb; 2-Ginger E.; 3-Sky Prince; 4-Edgewood Hal; 5-Jolly Gary; 6-Morley's Pride.

Charlottesville Driving Park

RACING FANS

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EVERY RACE DAY in
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Third-Two Golfers To Vie For Two Cup Berths Sun.

MONCTON (CP) — A total of 32 golfers will vie for two berths on the New Brunswick-Prince Edward Island Willingdon Cup team Sunday at the Moncton Golf and Country Club.

They qualified for the regional final here by being the low scorers in five sectional meets in the two provinces. All will shoot 18 holes Sunday with the leaders then shooting another 18. The race begins go to the top two finishers.

The draw: Legend: A, Altonouch; C, Charlottesville; CH, Chandler; Que., F. Fredericton; GB, Gordon.

1. B. Doherty (W) Ken Dowling abt. 110
2. C. Youker (M) home run while Dowling contributed a homer in the losing cause.

Other Little League action saw the Braves beat the Pirates 10-1. Ian Wayne won on base and three winning pitcher Creighan blasted a homer.

WEDNESDAY
1.15 - Little League-Braves vs Dodgers; Pirates vs Indians; Cardinals; Midcot; Senators vs Cubs

THURSDAY
1.15 - Minor League-Team 4 vs Team 3; Team 2 vs team 3; 1.15 - Bantam - Angels vs Cardinals; Midcot - Senators vs Cubs

NUCLEAR POWER
Canada's first full-scale power plant at Douglas Point, on Lake Huron, was into operation at 1 PM with an output of 300,000 kilowatts.

Rovers Take On Dodgers

Dodgers entertain Rovers to night in City Baseball League game postponed from last evening.

Dodgers need the win to share second place with Buck White-lock's Stars. Rovers, undefeated in four previous starts, have high hopes of making it five in a row at the expense of the Dodgers.

Game time is 6:15 sharp.

STANDINGS
W L Pts
Rovers 4 0 8
Stars 5 0 6
Dodgers 5 0 6
Flyers 0 0 0

BASEBALL SCORES

American League
Boston 9-0
New York 9-0
Kralick (6-7), Moore (9) and Batters: Schwall (2-10), Radatz (8) and Padglarin.

National League
New York 9-0
San Fran. 10-0
Jack Parnon, (4-0) McWhornd (5), Keith (8) and KC-Joneses (10).
Lumpie (4), Cimoli (5), NYK - Mantle 2 (10), Maris 2 (10), Richardson (2).

Los Angeles at Washington pd. rain.
Chicago 9-0
Detroit 3-0
Flaker Stone (7), Joyce (5-1) (7) and Eusebio; Fordick, Canale (7), Nischwitz (5-0) (8) and Roark; HR: Chi - Robinson (Maxwell), (3), Roselli (1), Dee-Morton (3).

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