

# Ball Schedule Appears To Favor Easter, Sauer In Home Run Races

By Ben Olan  
NEW YORK, Sept. 18—(AP)—The schedule, which appears to favor Brooklyn Dodgers and Cleveland Indians in the closing stages of the pennant races, also gives the edge to Hank Sauer and Luke Easter in the competition for the major league home run crowns.

With only 10 playing days remaining, here's the way the home run race shapes up: National League—Sauer, Chicago, 37; Kiner, Pittsburgh, 36. American League—Doby, Cleveland, 30; Easter, Cleveland, 30; Berra, New York, 29; Dropp, Detroit, 28, and Zernial, Philadelphia, 27.

Sauer, who has six games in which to add to his total of circuit clouts, will play half of them at

home where he has walloped 23. Kiner, who has hit 22 of his round trippers in his favorite Forbes Field, has only two more contests in which to aim at his short left field fence. Ralph has three more games on the road, where his hit only 14.

Both Easter and Doby have eight games in which to break their deadlock for the American League lead, six of them at home. Big Luke has hit 16 in Municipal Stadium while Doby has recorded 14 there. The husky Cleveland first sacker is the better September hitter so far, having socked seven into the seats this month while Doby has hit only two.

Berra, in contention most of the year, has only three tilts left at home starting with tomorrow night's game against Philadelphia. Yogi has connected 18 times in the Yankee Stadium while hitting 11 homers on the road where he has six games left.

Dropp, only two homers behind, figures as the dark horse. The Tigers' slugger still has nine games remaining, five at home and four in enemy territory. Wall's record with Detroit shows 10 home runs in Briggs Stadium and 12 away with Boston. He had five at home and only one on the road.

Zernial, last year's top man, still has an outside chance. The Athletics' power hitter has seven games left, four in his favorite Shibe Park and three in Yankee Stadium. Gus has walloped 11 of his homers at home and 11 away this season.

# Whitey Ford To Leave Army Soon

FORT MONMOUTH, N. J., Sept. 18—(AP)—Whitey Ford, who helped pitch New York Yankees to a four-game victory for the 1950 World Series crown, will be discharged from the U. S. Army Nov. 19.

Ford, called up from Kansas City in the 1950 mid-season, racked up a 9-1 record for the Yankees. He was inducted into the army after the 1950 World Series.

# Describes Experiments In Trout Rearing In Province

Mr. Wilfred Saunders, wild life biologist with the Fisheries Research Board at Ellerslie, was the guest speaker at a special meeting of Queen's County Branch of the P. E. Island Fish and Game Protection Association held at the recreational hall at Cavendish on Wednesday evening.

Mr. Saunders gave a summary of the work being conducted by his group throughout the island. They are concerned with trout rearing experiments in which population, productivity and growth are carefully studied. Mr. Saunders indicated that the future of trout fishing in this province is very promising.

A discussion period followed in which Mr. Saunders answered many questions regarding trout and their habits as well as other interesting data.

Many members took part in a discussion regarding the recent

change in the dates of the goose shooting season, and the increasing menace of foxes to partridge, poultry etc. Although no resolutions were submitted, the opinion was expressed that all present profited by the free exchange of ideas and opinions regarding game life.

Mr. Norman McLeod, Secretary Treasurer of the Prince County Branch was present at the meeting and extended an invitation from his group to the Queen's County Branch and to all sportsmen to attend the field day being planned for Wednesday, October 8, at Ellerslie.

Mr. Richard Found, President of the P. E. I. Fish & Game Association, announced that the Maritime Wild Life Association planned to hold their meeting this year on board the ferry Abegweit, the tentative date being Friday, Sept-

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# S'side Advances To Finals In Little League

The Summerside Little League All-Stars defeated the Kensington Little Leaguers at the Summerside Recreation Centre Little League diamond last evening in the deciding game of the series, and therefore qualified to meet the Charlottetown Little League representatives in the final series for the Island Little League championship. The score was 24-16 and each team garnered 13 hits.

Summerside used Mac MacFarlane and Reg Arsenault on the mound, and Wayne Champion and A. Thibeau did the hurling duties for Kensington. Home runs were hit by MacFarlane, A. Thibeau and W. Champion. Doucette, Trainor and F. Thibeau hit triples. Gordon Gay and Emmett Ranahan got three hits and A. Thibeau and W. Champion got a like number of bingles for Kensington. W. Crozier made a smart leaping catch of Stan DesRoches' belt over first in the first inning.

The Summerside team will leave Summerside by bus at 2:39 p.m. tomorrow for Charlottetown to play the first game of the final series, and the second, and if necessary, the third game will be played in Summerside Saturday.

Lineups:  
Summerside — W. Doucette, c. Fraser, F. Arsenault and B. Gallant rf. A. Gallant lb. Gay cf. M. MacFarlane lf. E. Ranahan ss. S. DesRoches 3b. B. Trainor 2b. J. Gallant if. R. Arsenault, p.  
Kensington — G. Bernard c. P. MacDonald cf. A. Thibeau 2b. & p. W. Champion p & 2b. B. Deighan ss. I. Cameron lf. W. Crozier 1b. F. Thibeau rf. F. Bernard 3b, F. Ranahan ph.  
Umpires—plate Johnny Whalen, Don Cameron (bases).

September 26.  
The closing feature of the meeting was the showing of three excellent color films on shooting and fishing by Mr. Stan McInnis of the National Film Board, Charlottetown. Two of the films were loaned by Canadian Industries Limited of Montreal and the third was provided by Mr. McInnis' department. More than 50 hunters and fishermen were in attendance.

# Downpour Washes Out Deciding Heat In "Jug"

DELAWARE, O., Sept. 18—(AP)—A heavy downpour washed out the deciding heats of the \$60,463-\$5 "Little Brown Jug" today, giving 35,000 drenched customers 24 hours in which to chat about the amazing performance of outsider Wilmington's Star and substitute driver Bill Haughton in winning the only pre-race test.

The three-year-old pacing classic will be resumed tomorrow, if weather permits. Otherwise it will go Saturday.

Today at least, the story of the seventh annual "Jug" is the story of Wilmington's Star, Haughton and 61-year-old Harry Fitzpatrick, one of the harness sport's canniest trainers.

In July, Wilmington's Star was injured and kept away from the races until last week when he started in the county fair at Sidon, O. He won both heats, with Fitzpatrick in the sulky, and owner R. L. Craig of Urbana, O., decided to send him after the big "Jug" money.

But Fitzpatrick aggravated an old injury on the bumpy Sidney track, and decided he couldn't handle the colt today. Craig and Fitzpatrick put Wilmington's Star on the block with a \$30,000 price tag on him.

Haughton, trainer and public stable operator and the country's No. 1 money-winning driver, looked at the horse, but decided not to buy.

However, Fitzpatrick asked him to handle Wilmington's Star in the "Jug," and Haughton accepted.

Today Wilmington's Star rolled into the lead at the eighth pole, was third at the quarter, fourth at the half, still fourth at three-quarters and came into the stretch in third place.

Adio Abe was leading on the rail, with Meadow Rice and Wilmington's Star behind him, and Thunderclap fourth on the outside. Meadow Rice and Wilmington's Star broke out and in a whipping stretch drove Wilmington's Star by a neck, with Adio Abe holding off Thunderclap taking fourth.

Wilmington's Star paid \$16.60 \$7.-40 and \$4.20, as he came home in 2:02 1/5.

Strung out behind the four leaders were My Time, only filly in the race, Voting Trust and Might Brewer, the Hayes Faircraes' entry. Real Dusty, South Dakota, Forever Hanover, Vonian Chalk, Poplar Dell.

# Bruins To Open Training Season Next Monday

HERSHEY, Pa., Sept. 18—(CP)—With high hopes for a banner year Boston Bruins will open their hockey training season here next Monday.

The Bruins of the National Hockey League and their farm club, Hershey Bears of the American Hockey League, will start the annual training grind with eyes on the championships in both leagues.

Coach Lynn Patrick of Boston is scheduled to arrive Sunday. John M. Henderson, the Bears' new coach and former defence ace of Boston, will arrive Saturday to take over his duties. He succeeds Johnny Crawford who resigned at the close of last season.

About 60 hockey players will report to the camp.

There will be two practise sessions daily next week and Boston and Hershey will meet in one of three exhibition games Sept. 27.

Today at Victoria Park, the opening games of the Physical Fitness Department's annual baseball playdowns for the younger boys take place when this year's editions of Abegweit Pee-Wecs, Bantams and Midgets take on the Summerside A. A.'s Pee-Wecs, Bantams and Midgets at 4:00 p.m. at the K. of C. Diamond, Old Diamond and Memorial Field, respectively.

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First Race—Almahurst Pace, Purse \$3,300  
H. B. Chief (Smart) ..... 1 1  
Benham Tryax (Russell) ..... 2 3  
Harry Joseph (Ervin) ..... 5 2  
Times 2:04 3-5, 2:05 2-5.

Also started: (A) Poor Pop 3-4; High Frisco 4-6; (A) Fashion Direct 5-7; True Linn 6-7; Roy Direct 8-8. (A) McMillen Stable entry.

Second Race—Two-Year-Old Pace, Purse \$5,000  
Josias Ensign (Smart) ..... 1 1  
Hillsola (Wingfield) ..... 2 6  
(A) Knox Hanover (Bell) 3dh 2  
Times 2:04 3-5, 2:10 1-5.

Also started Newport Chief 3dh-5; Marvel Way 7-3; (A) Nibble 8-4; Times Square 5-8; Boone Hanover 6-7. (A) Saunders Mills entry.

Third Race—Little Brown Jug, Three-Year-Old Pace, Purse \$60,463.35  
Wilmington's Star (Haughton) 1  
Adio Abe (Jordan) ..... 2  
Meadow Rice (Smart) ..... 3  
Time 2:02 1-5.

Also started Thunderclap (A) Voting Trust, (A) Might Brewer, Real Dusty, South Dakota, Forever Hanover, Vonian Chalk, Poplar Dell, Hayes Fair Acres Stable entry.

Fourth Race—Powell Pace, Purse \$2,700  
Even Direct (Sanner) ..... 1  
Repeat Direct 3 (D. Miller) ..... 2  
Connie H. (H. Miller) ..... 3  
Time 2:06 1-5. Also started Miss Mamie, (A) Red Brewer, Mighty Prince, Bourbon Castle, Kim Castle (A) Eearl Best, (A) Shilling Stable entry.

Remainder of second, third and fourth races rained out. To be raced Friday.

# Miss Blanche Hogg Retains Ch'ship Of S'side Club

In the recent tournament at the Summerside Golf and Country Club, Miss Blanche Hogg retained her ladies golf championship by defeating Mrs. Norman MacLeod, 4 and 3 over eighteen holes.

Miss Hogg was champion in 1951 and runnerup in 1950. — S.

# Little News Of British Atomic Test Plans

ONSLOW, Australia, Sept. 18—(Reuters)—The super-hush-hush atmosphere surrounding Britain's coming atomic test on Monte Belos Islands has made even rumors about the type of weapon to be exploded as rare as plutonium itself.

"Inside" reports from behind the security curtain drawn around the lonely islands, 80 miles from here, are non-existent in this tiny northwest coast port.

It is believed that Britain's first atom-bomb test will take place soon but it appears that officials are going to keep tight-lipped about the type of weapon at least until after the test is over.

For months British and Australian sailors who have been on the "inside" have spent their shore leaves in ONSLOW, drinking beer and playing darts at the only hotel. However, authorities say they do not know of one case of loose talk.

They note that a few chance remarks about the type of preparations under way at Monte Bellos could reveal much that the atomic testing team wants to keep secret.

# Sees Little Importance In Return Bout Wrangle

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 18—(AP)—"Much ado about nothing," is the way Jim Norris, president of the International Boxing Club of New York, describes the current wrangle over a return bout clause in the heavyweight boxing title contract between Jersey Joe Walcott and Rocky Marciano.

Norris, who flew here today after watching last night's Chuck Davey-Rocky Graziano fight in Chicago, said he didn't attach much importance to the complaint of Walcott's manager, Felix Boecchicchio. Boecchicchio said Wednesday that the clause in the current I. B. C. contract has "too many strings attached", although the manager did not say what the strings were.

Boecchicchio threatened to call off the fight if what he described as a "simple contract" calling for each fighter to get 30 per cent in the event of a return bout, is not signed by both champion Walcott and challenger Marciano.

Said Norris today: "I cannot understand all this controversy raised by Walcott's manager, Felix Boecchicchio. The return match contract to which he seems to be objecting is the same one Walcott signed when he twice boxed Joe Louis for the title, and when he boxed Charles in Chicago, in Detroit and again in Pittsburgh where he finally won the title.

"These contracts are carefully drawn to give the champion every conceivable protection for a return match in the event he loses to the challenger."

# Gale Interrupts War Manoeuvres

OSLO, Sept. 18—(CP)—The 50ship Atlantic Pact manoeuvres task force retreated south today before a howling gale and mountainous seas.

Because of the rough weather Admiral Sir Patrick Brind, commander-in-chief of Exercise Mainbrace, ordered the fleet to abandon a phase of the giant manoeuvre designed to test the readiness of N.A.T.O.'s defences.

Ice seas whipped by 60-mile-an-hour gales have forced ships to batter hatches and close weather decks. Huge waves are crashing over flight decks of carriers and heavy gear and planes are held fast to the rocking decks by steel hawsers.

# Woodstock Wins N.B. Ball Title

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# Two Top Pitchers May Be Key Men In Deciding Year's Pennant Winners

By Joe Relchler  
NEW YORK, Sept. 18—(AP)—Baseball's two top pitchers—Philadelphia's Robin Roberts and Bobby Shantz—figure today to be the key men in the twin battles for the major league pennants.

Neither Roberts of the Philadelphia Athletics harbors any hopes of pitching in a World Series game this fall, but both are in a position to be the guys who can decide who will.

A look at the schedule explains why.

Three games separate the pace-setting Brooklyn Dodgers and New York Giants in the National League race. Each team has nine games left to play. The Giants must face the Phillies six more times, three in Philadelphia and three in New York. That means they will see Roberts twice. The Dodgers have three games with the Phillies, all in Brooklyn. Undoubtedly, Roberts will oppose them in one of the games.

In the American League, the lead-running New York Yankees front Cleveland Indians games with nine left to play. Six of these are against the tough Athletics. Barring illness or injury, Shantz will be firing at them twice, once in Philadelphia and once in New York.

Roberts probably figures to be tougher than ever to beat. With 25 games already in the bag, he'll pick up three more victories. That would make him the biggest winner in the National League since Dizzy Dean hung up 30 for St. Louis Cardinals in 1934. Bucky Walters copped 27 for Cincinnati Reds in 1939.

Roberts has been practically invincible against Brooklyn this year. He's already whipped the Brookes five for five this season. The 25-year-old right-hander has not been so fortunate against the Giants, who have beaten him three out of four this year.

The Yankees have no illusions about their two meetings with Shantz. They know the little southpaw is going to be as tough as ever to beat.

Although they've beaten him three times, they've not forgotten the 12-0 whipping he administered to them June 29, nor the 2-1 whipping he gave them in 14 innings May 30, and his 3-1 fifth-inning triumph over them before that.

Bobby also has an incentive. He wants to be the first Philadelphia pitcher since Lefty Grove to win 25 games. Grove won that many in 1932. Shantz, with 23, needs two more.

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# Bruins' Players Sign Contracts

BOSTON, Sept. 18—(AP)—Boston Bruins of the National Hockey League announced tonight that Bill Quackenbush and Johnny Peirson have signed their 1952-53 contracts. They will report at Hershey, Pa., tomorrow for the first squad workout.

Quackenbush, star defenseman, will start his third year with the club. Peirson scored 50 points in 68 games last year to tie with veteran Milt Schmidt in team scoring. He starts his fifth season with the club.

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