

SPORTS FRONT

By NICK FILLMORE

La Courseure To Defend

A 32-YEAR-OLD Pointe Aux Trembles swimmer, Regent John LaCourseure, was the first person to officially enter the second annual swim across the Northumberland Strait, from Capotown, N. B., to Boston.

A care-free but dedicated performer, LaCourseure was last year the first to even conquer the Strait. His time for the 100-mile swim was 100 hours, 10 minutes and 50 seconds over the nine mile stretch was 10 hours, 30 minutes.

The only other person to finish, John Starrett, Natick, Mass., was 20 minutes behind LaCourseure.

To date only three others have been received for the swim. The three are LaCourseure, Starrett and Morgan Mitchell, Charlotte. Mitchell didn't make it last year so he's back for another try. At least 10 other entries are expected before the Aug. 1 swim.

Although the Strait is only 9 miles long it is estimated equal to 17 miles swimming in normal waters because of difficult tides. LaCourseure actually came for last year's swim with the idea of warming up for the Toronto exhibition swim. He told me he had the biggest surprise of his professional career in crossing the Northumberland, and rated it among the toughest in North America.

Third-Best In '63

LACOURSEURE, who would rather swim for trophies than money, was rated the third-best male swimmer in the world last year.

His total achievements were bettered only by Herman Wilentz, a model Aboon-Hef and Marty Sinn.

The suburban Montrealer has completed the 36-mile Atlantic and swim in 1963, and finished the 100-mile swim last year when he placed third. In 1955 he made the distance in 10 hours, 36 minutes.

One of his latest swims was Lake St. John swim six times. His best showing was first place in 1960, but last year he recorded the best time of his career, 8 hrs., 58 minutes. He has also conquered the Three Rivers, Quebec course 45 times, and a Canadian record for the distance in 1963.

LaCourseure is married to a Montreal to Sorel, Que., a distance of 60 miles, which he completed in 15 hours in 1958. Among other accomplishments are the C.N.E. Toronto swim, the Guyanaw-Somers, and the swim of course the Maritime's own Northumberland Strait.

Handrahan Sees Action

VERN HANDRAHAN was given his first start in the International League Monday night and responded with a seven-inning, 1-0 win over Toronto Blue Jays.

The Islander, who seems to get a year younger every few months, (he was listed as being 24 yesterday) gave way to reliever Bob Scott after striking one batter in the eighth. He fanned five and walked four.

Off The Cuff

DAVE STEEN, of Banbury, B.C., one of Canada's top hopes to win a medal in the Olympic Games at Tokyo in October, says he does not know whether he will be able to enter the Olympic trials. Steen, Canadian record holder in the shot put, has not been able to compete this spring because of an attack of mononucleosis—a blood disease. Steen threw the 16-pound iron ball 59 feet, 7 1/2 inches in an indoor meet in January and 58 feet, 7 inches in an all-comers meet in May. His lifetime best, which ranked him 12th best in the history of the event, was 61 feet, 10 inches.

Steen is a member of the Ontario Major League Hockey School operated in Kenilworth, N.S., Monday with a record enrollment of 241. There are still others to register. He is coached by GEORGE WARDEN, recently named the person contributing the most to Nova Scotia sports this past year. We took part in the school for its first four years. At the center HANK GOLDIUP and Gene Currie were two of the top coaches and players taking part included "Bomber" Andrew, WAYNE MANNER, Lowell MacDonald, Alan Cavillier and Bill Brown. A twilight track and field meet will be tentatively scheduled for Charlotte on Saturday, July 11. Details will be announced later this week.

NANCY McCREIDIE, of Brampton, Ont., who will probably be competing at Summerside later this month was a three-event winner in last weekend's Ontario track and field championships. She heaved the shot put 49 feet, 10 inches; threw the discus 146 feet, 11 inches, and the javelin 187 feet, 11 inches.

Islanders Team To Greenwood

Three members of the Islanders Track and Field Club were named yesterday to compete in this weekend's invitational track and field meet at Greenwood, N.S.

They are Andy Arsenault, Junior; Jack MacEachern, Junior; and Ken O'Brien, mid-level.

The selection of the three athletes for the meet was made on the basis of their showing at Saturday's Island age class championships and because of their potential, youthfulness and versatility. They will be accompanied to Greenwood by Nick Fillmore, vice-president of the Islanders Club.

A larger team of athletes would have been selected for the Greenwood Invitational if there had been more money available to the dept. of physical fitness and the Club.

TOP COMPETITION

At the Greenwood meet Arsenault, the club's outstanding middle distance runner, will probably get his first serious competition of the year. He will compete in the mile, 800 yard and possibly the 400.

In Summerside Saturday Arsenault clocked a fast 2:09.2 in the 800 to better the old mark of 2:08.3 set in 1948 by Dave Boswell. Arsenault's time for the mile was 4:55.7, in the 440 he ran in 53.4.

Jack MacEachern will compete in the juvenile discus, triple jump, shot put and possibly the 220 yard dash. Although not at his best Saturday in the Age Class meet, MacEachern won the discus with 124' 8 1/2", the triple jump with 38' 7", 1 1/2 inch shot put with 33' 1 1/2" and placed second in the 220.

At 14 years of age Ken O'Brien, mid-level, has the potential of becoming one of the club's top competitors. He is listed in the broad jump (16' 3 1/2"), triple jump (36' 5 1/2") and the discus (118' 7 1/2").

THE ISLANDERS Track and Field Club will be represented at the Greenwood Invitational track and field meet.

left to right, Andy Arsenault, Ken O'Brien and Jack MacEachern.

Games played on July 26 will be Post-graduates with each team having a home game.

YUGOSLAV PROVERB
A well-known Yugoslav proverb says, "We are not for the wind, spiders would mesh over the heavens."

WILLIE TIES IT UP

Willie Mays slides home with the run that tied things up in ninth inning of the All-Star Game at New York's Shea Stadium yesterday. The home that gave the National League a 7-4 victory. Elston Howard of the Yankees turns to retrieve the ball.

American League Players Give credit to Mays

NEW YORK (AP)—"I thought maybe he was a low ball hitter," said Dick Radatz. "I threw him a low fast ball in the seventh inning, and he hit it pretty good. So I thought I'd try him up high."

So Radatz, the monster relief pitcher of the Boston Red Sox, threw a high fast-ball to Johnny Callison of the Philadelphia Phillies with two on and two out in the ninth inning. And Callison hit into the second base error for a 7-4 National League victory.

The blast climaxed a four run ninth for the Nationals, and gave the American League manager, Al Lopez of the Chicago White Sox, an 67 record in All-Star games.

"I was in two losing games as a catcher for the National League," Lopez said. "Then I had a coach for the American, and this is my fourth loss as a manager."

HAD A LEAD
"For a while today I thought I was going to stop my string. Everything worked out as we wanted if we had a lead and Radatz to finish up."

"But I didn't plan on Willie Mays at the headoff hitter," he said. "And I didn't want him to walk."

Mays then stole second and hustled home when Orlando Cepeda's pop fell in right for a single and Joe Pepitone made a bad throw to the plate. That was the tying run.

"But Radatz came back real good," Lopez said. "He pitched good."

PROBABLE PITCHERS

By THE CANADIAN PRESS
Probable pitchers for today's major league games, won and lost in parentheses:

National League
St. Louis, Simmons (.86), at Philadelphia, Short (.74), (N)
Cincinnati, Maloney (.78) at Pittsburgh, Veale (.74), (N)
Only games scheduled.

American League
No games scheduled.

Gulf Schedule Is Released

The schedule for the remainder of the Gulf football league has been announced as follows:

July 12: Nine Mile Creek vs. Hope River; Hunter River vs. Bonshaw.

July 19: Bonshaw vs. Hope River; Hunter River vs. Nine Mile Creek.

July 26: Hope River vs. Hunter River; Nine Mile Creek vs. Bonshaw.

Aug. 2: Hope River vs. Nine Mile Creek; Bonshaw vs. Hunter River.

Aug. 9: Hope River vs. Bonshaw; Nine Mile Creek vs. Hunter River.

Aug. 16: Nine Mile Creek vs. Bonshaw; Hunter River vs. Bonshaw.

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Rifle Shoot At S. Point

The following are the results of the rifle shoot staged at the Squaw Point range on Saturday:

- Sgt. R.L. Coles 100
- Capt. R.A. McCabe 99
- Dr. Fred Hooper 98
- Dr. H.T. Vessey 98
- Lt. Pat Landring 98
- Sgt. P.J. Landring 98
- R.C. Barwise 98
- LT. D.M. Clark 98
- Dr. Harold Jones 97
- Lt. A.K. Match 96
- SSM D.O. Clark 96

TYROS

- Cpl. H.R. Bennett 85
- Eric Bellum 85
- Cpl. G. Davies 85
- W. Birt 81

Ball Schedules Are Released

The following is the remainder of the Prince County League softball schedule:

July 15: Inman Plumbing at Coastal Movers, Enman Drug at RCAF.

July 16: RCAF at Inman Plumbing.

July 18: Coastal Movers at RCAF, Inman Plumbing at Enman Drug.

July 19: Coastal Movers at Inman Plumbing.

July 20: RCAF at Enman Drug.

July 22: Inman Plumbing at RCAF, Enman Drug at Coastal Movers.

July 25: RCAF at Coastal Movers.

July 27: Enman Drug at Inman Plumbing.

July 28: Inman Plumbing at Coastal Movers, Enman Drug at RCAF.

August 1: RCAF at Inman Drug.

August 3: Coastal Movers at Enman Drug.

August 7: Coastal Movers at RCAF, Inman Plumbing at Enman Drug.

August 9: Coastal Movers at Inman Plumbing.

August 10: RCAF at Enman Drug.

August 12: Inman Plumbing at RCAF, Enman Drug at Coastal Movers.

August 15: RCAF at Coastal Movers.

August 17: Enman Drug at Inman Plumbing.

The following is the remainder of the Prince County commercial league softball schedule:

July 7: Johnston's vs. Walkers, Wardengates at Commercial.

July 8: Gaudets at Wardengates, Walkers at Commerce.

July 23: Wardengates at Gaudets, Walkers at Johnston's.

July 28: Wardengates at Walkers.

July 30: Gaudets at Johnston's.

Today's Sport

The Charlottetown city softball league game between Barry's Lions and the National Park All-stars will be played tonight. The Flying Hawks will take on the Main Base Mariners in a game that was postponed earlier in the season. League president, Charlie MacKenzie, made the announcement.

Barry's Lions will hold a practice on the K of C diamond to-

WALK IS TURNING POINT

National League Captures Annual All-Star Contest

By JACK HAND
NEW YORK (AP)—Johnny Callison of Philadelphia Phillies lies his three-run homer with two out in the ninth inning of the National League All-Star Game. Callison's homer over the right field wall came on the first pitch to him by Dick Radatz, master of the Boston Red Sox bullpen.

As a result of the come-from-behind triumph, the Nationals swept the series 3-1. The Americans dominated the earlier years and held a 124 lead going into 1963.

Going to the bottom of the ninth, Radatz had been in complete control. The Nationals striking out four men in two perfect innings of relief work.

Willie Mays of San Francisco Giants worked the 6-foot-5 fast-baller a walk and stole second and Orlando Cepeda, another Giant, who had gone hitless in 10 previous All-Star trips, bloomed a single into short right.

When Joe Peplone of New York Yankees picked up the ball in short right and threw wildly to the plate, Mays scored and Peplone's throwing error bounced him over Howard.

Radatz got Ken Boyer of St. Louis on an infield pop and then walked Johnny Edwards of Cincinnati intentionally. He again the big boy broke down and poured a third strike past pinch hitter Hank Aaron of Milwaukee.

Callison, who came into the game as a pinch hitter in the fifth, then slammed Radatz's ball into the orange seats in the lower stands.

It was an exciting, seasaw game, with the American opening up with a run in the first.

Rocky Marciano Speaks His Mind

EDMONTON (CP)—Heavyweight champion Cassius Clay has hurt boxing as much with his post-fighting antics as Rocky Marciano has with his supposedly bad attitude. Rocky Marciano, retired undefeated heavyweight champion, said in an interview with the Edmonton Journal that he is a commissioner with strong legislative support could control both fighters and prevent further stunts on boxing's record.

The former champion, who registers a full turn-out as a professional referee, was in Edmonton to referee a wrestling match.

Marciano said he believed a commissioner appointed in the United States would receive world-wide support if he proved himself a strong leader.

"I'd take the job if it was offered to me," he said. "The game needs to be cleaned up. The question of a federal commission is before a United States Senate judicial committee. Marciano said almost all former champions supported the bill.

Marciano plans for fighters, control of matchmaking policies and a solid rating system. The question of a boxing's decline, he said. More stringent regulations would reduce serious injuries.

Golf Action At Belvedere

For the first time in history the "Belvedere Golf and Winter Club" will have a trophy emblematic of its women's championship. The qualifying round for the club championship will be held Thursday.

The new trophy will be called the Ronald A. Parker Memorial. It was donated by Mrs. Jessie Parker, provincial president for P.E.I. of the Canadian Ladies Golf Association, and will be for annual competition.

Following is the ladies draw for "Trophy's" 1st & 2nd prizes: 1—J. Beebe, M. Cannon, C. Maclean, J. H. E. Taylor, I. Laidlaw, J. Parker, L. J. 2—J. G. Barbour, J. O'Brien, H. MacDonnell, L. S. Wood, J. MacEachern, L. S. Wood, A. MacEachern, E. Buntain, L. S. J. Horne, M. Dennis, L. Fekard, 2nd—E. Cox, H. Baker, D. Rogers, 2nd—G. Berrigan, M. MacMillan, C. Agnew, 2nd—E. Farrell, E. Lord, M. Genesche, 2nd—M. MacEachern, M. Gaudet, P. Borden.

HARNESS RACING

At Belvedere, P.E.I. will have a practice session. The workout is scheduled to get underway at 6:30.

The Islanders Track and Field Club, Charlottetown Division, will hold a practice at Memorial Field this evening.

Athletes 14 and under will practice on the track. Athletes will practice at 6:30 p.m.

SUMMERSIDE RACEWAY

RACE 1 FIRST HALF OF DAILY DOUBLE
NON WINNERS OF \$75 IN 1963. SINGLE DASHES \$50
1—Port Hill Boy, 2—Blue Mountain Girl, 3—Bully G. Command, 4—Orchestra Leader, 5—Rita Bold, 6—Cheet Lynn R. Raza.

RACE 2 AND 5 SECOND HALF OF DAILY DOUBLE
NON WINNERS OF \$1260 IN 1963 DIVISION \$250
1—Cathy's Girl, 2—Echo Ridge Eddy, 3—Speaker Pick, 4—Roger Parlay, 5—Mountain Marie, 6—Pier Darby.

RACE 3 AND 4 TROT
NON WINNERS OF \$190 IN 1963. DIVISION \$300
1—Chuck H, 2—Mister Gallop, 3—Bifty Stry, 4—Miss Tom Scott, 5—Littie Doctor, 6—Rio Grand.

RACE 4 AND 7
NON WINNERS \$1750 IN 1963. DIVISION \$500.
1—Santiago, 2—Philly Queen, 3—Princess Saundier, 4—Paddy Land Girl, 5—Victory Scott, 6—Cadillac Gold Dust.

RACE 8 SINGLE DASH—NON WINNERS \$400 IN 1963.
ALSO ELIGIBLE CLAIMER \$600. DIVISION \$150.
1—Hairless Ab, 2—Mighty William, 3—Jollyfury Grand, 4—Golden Dart, 5—Chester Way Thomas, 6—Embs, 7—Winnie J. Clegg, 8—Ken's Bride.

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PLAYERS ENTHUSIASTIC

Alton said it was amazing how enthusiastic the players were in this All-Star game, the procedure from which go into the player pension fund.

Callison has been hitting like that against all year," said Alton, who picked the right fielder as an extra man in addition to the two teams voted by the players, managers and coaches.

"The Americans had opened up with a lead in the first on a single by Fregosi, who was hit by Joe Torres of Milwaukee and the first of three singles by Killebrew. Dean Chance of the Los Angeles Angels left after three innings with a 1-0 lead.

Wyatt quickly lost it on the homers by Williams and Boyer. Wyatt said Richardson was playing close to second base. Cepeda's base hit in the ninth. He said Peplone's throw was good. He said he had a bad feeling. "The key to the game was the walk to Mays in the ninth," said Lopez. "He went to 52 on him, then 3-2 and finally lost him. I liked the way Radatz came back and pitched so well to Aaron."

After Don Drysdale of the Dodgers opened for the Nationals, Jim Bunning, the Philadelphia game pitcher, Chris Short of the Phils, Dick Farrell of Houston and Marichal followed.

The Americans opened with Chance and then came in with Wyatt, Cecil, Tom Richardson and Radatz.

The Nationals used 20 of their 25 players and the Americans used only 17.

American 100 025 100 - 4 P. National 00 210 000 - 7 R. Chance, Wyatt (4), Pascual, Lopez, Cecil (7), Richardson, Drysdale, Bunning (4), Short (6), Farrell (7), Marichal (6), Wyatt, Cecil (7), Hernandez, Nat - Williams, (Ch) Boyer, (St) L. Callison, (Ph).

CELEBRATES CHARTER

Bury St Edmunds in England last year celebrated the 750th anniversary of the meeting of the barons who helped draw up the basic freedoms listed in the Magna Carta.

Complete line of BOLENS Lawn and Garden Equipment see Keith Carmichael Ltd. 25 Brickly Pt. Rd. Sherwood

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ATTENTION HORSEMEN:
Six full nights of horse racing at the Summerside Raceway beginning July 13-18. For further information Phone 435-5104.