

Outdoors
... with Marty

Here is DICK GILKER again with another salmon taken without benefit of boat; this one, already well filled with herring, fell for a strip that was offered to him from the Cold Storage dock; nice work for one of our local lads, this consistent success! JIM BACON and MAGNUS HALVERSON at work by row-boat near the former's fish plant, no luck with salmon, but lots of cod.

The EBYS, father and son, also handing out herring strips for any interested takers; and the STONES, DAVE and IONE, are using the Skeena for their Dolly Varden forays. IONE took a five-ponder on Wednesday and it proved no fluke by bringing in a six-ponder the following evening; it should be mentioned that Montreal magazine, Hunting and Fishing in Canada, offers two merchandise prizes of \$25 and \$10 for the best fish of this and other species, and that nobody entered a Dolly last year. I would expect that Ione's fish will take a prize in that contest this year. Do not hesitate to enter any worthwhile fish; call your columnist if any information is wanted.

Several people have asked for the name of a fish that takes trolled lures and bait in mid-depths. Generally it looks like a codfish, but the three dorsal fins are distinctly separate and the body color is strongly mottled rather than nearly solid like the cods. This fish does not show a barbel (whisker like that), and if one should be present it would be very tiny; it grows up to 36 inches but most around here are about 20 inches and weigh two or three pounds. His proper name is Theragra Chalcogramma, and for convenience is called Whiting, an Atlantic species to which he is not related; OK to eat him, for he is flavored similarly to codfish, and does not run to fat.

There is an excellent bait very little used here, just the ordinary ocean worm. He is easily obtained by tearing handfuls of seaweed from wherever it grows, and picking the worms out of the mass. Quite simple to get a dozen in a few minutes. Cut into one-inch pieces and fished on the bottom he is first choice of the succulent flounder, while the tasty rockfish grabs him eagerly a couple of fathoms higher up; I see no reason why other fish would not take him when trolled behind a spinner. Try it!

A strong complaint on promiscuous shooting has been lodged by a cottager on a nearby lake; this stuff is mighty dangerous and illegal, and it is likely that the offenders will meet big trouble. Never shoot from or across any highway or road, always be sure you know where your bullet or pellets will end up, do NOT shoot over water because bullets will ricochet more from water than anything else; do not shoot at seemingly empty buildings for there might be somebody working in or around them, and NEVER point your firearm at anything unless you mean to shoot. Treat all firearms as though they are loaded, and remember that the little .22 has killed both moose and man at a hundred yards range.

The general Fish Derby closes this weekend; evenings are plenty long to go looking for a big one to enter, and the season Salmon Derby will begin the same day. Feed is coming into the harbor and good sport may be expected from now forward.

A little known and easy place to reach for Steelheads is the Kispiox River. This water is north from Hazelton and anybody not knowing the spots will not fail to notice the signs and turnouts on this road, which

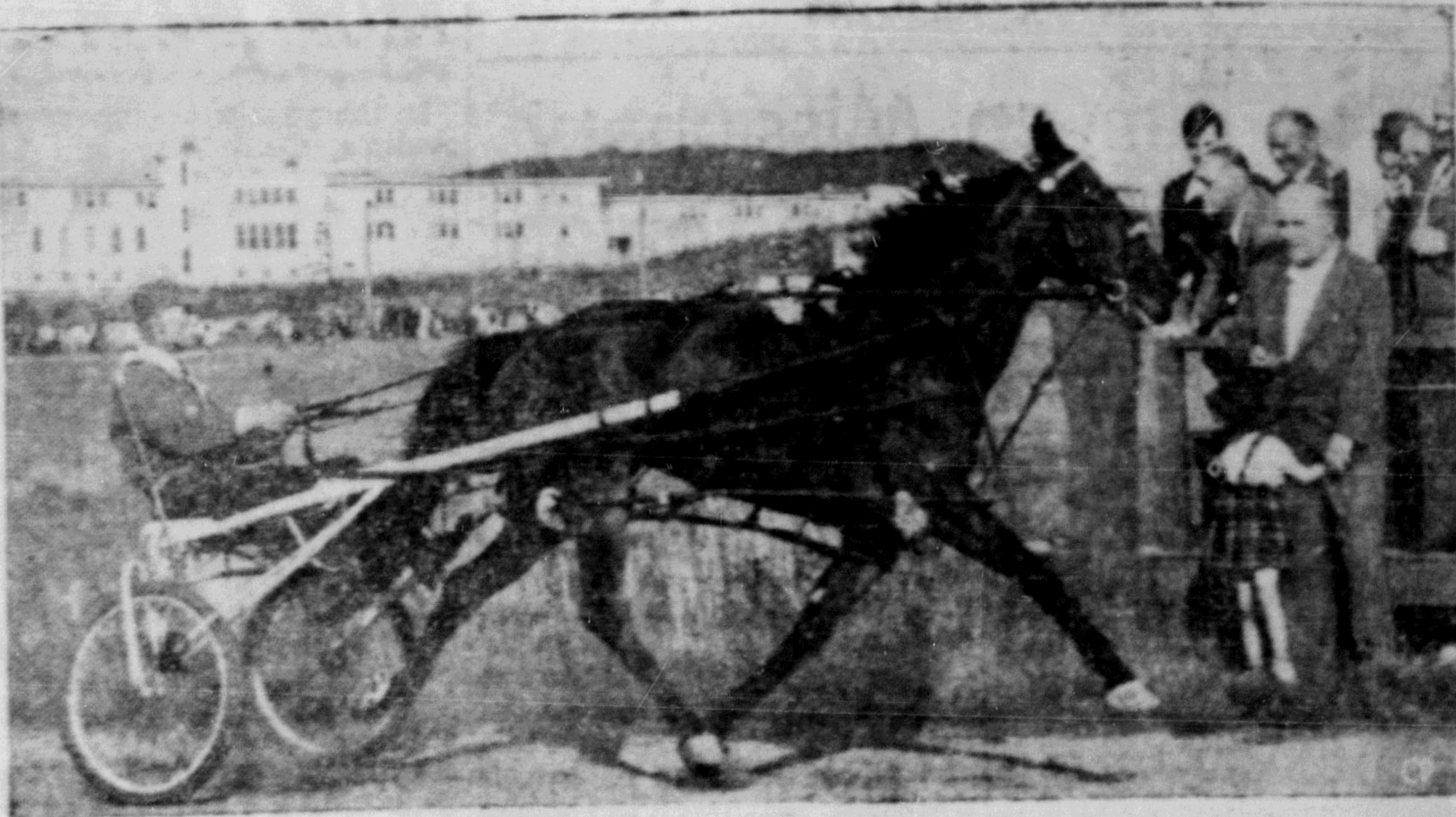
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A YEAR AGO 86-YEAR-OLD JOE JUDGE of Corner Brook, Nfld., developed a bronchial condition that forced him to give up a career of harness racing that probably is unequalled in Canada. He had been riding sulkeys since he was 10 and hit the Newfoundland harness circuit in 1877. It was at St. John's, where he spent most of his life, that Joe chalked up his greatest victories and established himself as Newfoundland's foremost racing authority.

Many Close And Exciting Games Seen As Badminton Tourney Moves Into Semis

Spectators and players at the annual tournament of the Prince Rupert Badminton Club witnessed many close and exciting games last night at the Civic Centre as the competitions moved into the semi-finals.

Finals will be played Wednesday night. Last night's scores were:

MEN'S SINGLES (Top Flight)

1. Wyn Gardner beat George Viereck, 15-12, 3-15, 18-16.
2. D. Brown beat Roy Paulsen, 15-11, 15-11.
3. Charlie Mills beat D. Hartwig, 15-8, 15-8.
4. Barry Williamson got a bye into the semis.

Consolation Flight: D. Christensen beat E. Lipsin, 15-6, 15-9. Christensen meets victor of M.

Prentice beat F. Olson for semi-finals.

MEN'S DOUBLES (Top Flight)

1. Dave Radford and Barry Williamson beat Hartwig-Bruce Mills, 15-5, 10-15, 15-3. Winners meet Charlie Mills and George Viereck who defeated Jim Georgeson and H. Moor, 15-1, 15-4.
2. Herb Morgan and Nick Pavlikis defeated Bown and John Tasman, 15-11, 15-3.

Consolation Flight: Bob Moxley and Doug Christensen defeated Stan Vickerman and Harold Stymist, 15-9, 15-3, and meet Fred Aston and Frank Olsen in semi-finals.

LADIES' DOUBLES (Top Flight)

1. Francis Cross and Lea McKay defeated Mary Tough and Mary Viereck, 15-2, 15-7.
 2. Dot Paulding and Dot White defeated Joan Cross and Francis Partridge, 15-6, 15-7.
- Consolation Flight: Helen Balagno and Charlotte Rouse defeated J. Bernoff and J. McLellan, 15-5, 15-5. V. Majolovich and A. Toffoli drew a bye.

MIXED DOUBLES (Top Flight)

1. Dot Paulding and Dave Radford beat Marg Tough and Bruce Mills, 15-12, 15-9. Winners meet Mary and George Viereck.
 2. Francis Cross and Charlie Mills beat Dot White and Barry Williamson, 15-12, 15-8. Winners play victors of Vierecks vs. Paulding-Radford set.
- Consolation Flight: V. Manjovich-Vickerman beat A. Turcotte-H. Stymist, 15-8, 15-9. Pat Hixon-Hartwig beat Toffoli-Matte 15-6, 15-10. Winners play Marie Hiltz-Bill Dyer who drew a bye.
- Tonight's tournament begins at 7 o'clock.

48-Game Schedule Drawn Up For Four-Team Ball League

Prince Rupert & District Amateur Baseball League's schedule for the 1953 season includes 48 games—30 to be played in the city—with the first game scheduled for May 10 at Roosevelt Park.

On the same day, a double-header will be played in Terrace.

Baseball days are Sundays and Thursdays. Final league game is scheduled for July 30, after which the playoffs begin.

The four teams comprising the league this year are Esquires, (formerly Abel & Odowes), Gordon & Anderson, Commercial Hotel and Terrace.

Following is the 1953 schedule:

Date	Park	Home	Visitors
May 10	R	Esquires vs. Gordon & Anderson	
10	T	Terrace vs. Commercial Hotel	
10	T	Commercial Hotel vs. Terrace	
14	R	Commercial Hotel vs. Esquires	
17	R	Gordon & Anderson vs. Commercial Hotel	
17	T	Terrace vs. Esquires	
17	T	Esquires vs. Terrace	
21	R	Gordon & Anderson vs. Esquires	
24	R	Esquires vs. Commercial Hotel	
24	T	Terrace vs. Gordon & Anderson	
28	R	Gordon & Anderson vs. Terrace	
28	R	Commercial Hotel vs. Gordon & Anderson	
31	R	Terrace vs. Gordon & Anderson	
31	R	Gordon & Anderson vs. Terrace	
June 2	R	Commercial Hotel vs. Esquires	
4	T	Terrace vs. Commercial Hotel	
4	T	Commercial Hotel vs. Terrace	
7	R	Gordon & Anderson vs. Esquires	
11	R	Commercial Hotel vs. Gordon & Anderson	
14	R	Esquires vs. Terrace	
14	T	Terrace vs. Esquires	
14	R	Gordon & Anderson vs. Commercial Hotel	
18	R	Esquires vs. Gordon & Anderson	
21	R	Commercial Hotel vs. Esquires	
21	T	Terrace vs. Gordon & Anderson	
25	R	Gordon & Anderson vs. Terrace	
25	R	Commercial Hotel vs. Commercial Hotel	
28	R	Terrace vs. Commercial Hotel	
30	R	Esquires vs. Gordon & Anderson	
July 2	R	Gordon & Anderson vs. Commercial Hotel	
7	T	Terrace vs. Esquires	
7	T	Esquires vs. Terrace	
7	R	Commercial Hotel vs. Gordon & Anderson	
9	R	Esquires vs. Gordon & Anderson	
12	T	Gordon & Anderson vs. Terrace	
12	T	Terrace vs. Gordon & Anderson	
12	R	Esquires vs. Commercial Hotel	
16	R	Gordon & Anderson vs. Esquires	
19	T	Terrace vs. Commercial Hotel	
19	T	Commercial Hotel vs. Terrace	
19	R	Esquires vs. Gordon & Anderson	
23	R	Gordon & Anderson vs. Commercial Hotel	
26	R	Esquires vs. Terrace	
26	R	Terrace vs. Esquires	
28	R	Commercial Hotel vs. Gordon & Anderson	
30	R	Commercial Hotel vs. Esquires	

Participation in Olympics May Be Limited to 5,000

LAUSANNE (AP)—A commission appointed by the International Olympic Committee to study means of reducing the size of the Olympic Games has recommended that participation be limited to 5,000 athletes and that the number of officials be reduced proportionately.

The commission has asked all international sports federations to make similar proposals at the Mexico City congress of the committee, starting Friday.

The commission proposed to exclude all substitutes in the individual sports and all "artificial" teams such as gymnastics and fencing. Where team sports are allowed, only eight teams would be selected for the games after regional eliminations.

The committee proposed that the number of places assigned to the press be reduced to 1,000

with 100 additional for photographers and 150 for broadcasters. At Helsinki, the committee reported, 1,800 journalists claimed press seats.

The following sports would be maintained: Track and field, boxing, swimming, shooting, equestrian sports, modern pentathlon, bicycling, sculling, canoeing, yachting, soccer, basketball, weight-lifting.

Optional sports would be field hockey, handball, archery and water polo.

The committee recommended that the following sports not be maintained: Trapshooting, polo, bowling, polo, lawn tennis, table tennis.

Bridgetown, the capital and chief port of Barbados in the British West Indies, dates from 1628.

Remember when

Detroit Red Wings beat Toronto Maple Leafs 1-0 after 14 minutes of overtime to tie their Stanley Cup final series at three games apiece. Eight years ago tonight at Toronto, Toronto had won the first three games and Detroit took the next three. The seventh and deciding game at Detroit was a 2-1 victory for Leafs.

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SPORTS ROUND-UP

By GAYLE TALBOT
NEW YORK (AP)—We present, herewith, our annual exclusive interview with George Weiss, general manager of New York Yankees, who is considered by many to be the smartest executive in baseball.

"Do you," George was asked, "think your boys can make it five in a row?"
"It sounds pretty hard to do, doesn't it?" George answered. "However, we would have won eight straight if they hadn't turned Johnny Babish loose on us."

With that, George clammed up again until next April. "We looked it up and discovered that in 1940, the year Detroit broke another Yankee string of four straight flags, Babish cooked the defending champs five times, mostly late in the race.

Our first memory of Babe Zaharias was as a basketball player. If you think she could golf and do many other assorted things well, you should have seen that gal play forward.
They brought the Babe up to Dallas from Beaumont, Tex., in 1929 or '30 to play on an insurance company team which was about the best in the country. This team went out and got 'em, and it decided the Babe had outgrown her home town.

As we recall, she was supposed to be 17 at the time, somewhat on the skinny side. She didn't look as though she had much business on the same floor with some of her full-blown teammates and opponents.

But she stepped right into that tough league and quickly proved herself one of the very best.
Since then the world has come to know the remarkable girl who now is back home again, sick.

Tiny Japanese Wins Historic Boston Race

BOSTON (CP)—Japan's Tiny Keizo Yamada, 25-year-old mining engineer who weighs 108 pounds, shaved six minutes, 48 seconds off the historic Boston Marathon record Monday with a smashing 2:13:51 performance against a brilliant international field of 158.

Gerard Cote, four-time winner from St. Hyacinthe, Que., led the Canadian contingent home with 16th place in 2:42:40.

LONDON (CP)—Sir John Slessor, marshal of the Royal Air Force, said the aircraft crash rate is being reduced in relation to the amount of flying done.

New roofs for old

A NUMBER of ancient English churches are replacing their equally ancient roofs with aluminum. One of these is the Chapel of St. James in the village of Nether Warton, Oxfordshire. Its lead roof, originally laid in 1665, brought £478 as scrap—enough to pay the whole cost of installing the new roof.

It is a neat example of how, while most metals have been getting more expensive through the centuries, the cost of aluminum has been going down. Aluminum Company of Canada, Ltd. (Alcan)

Kepes Sets Pace In Opening Spring League

Nick Kepes opened the way for high scores as the five-pin Spring Bowling League got underway, rolling high single of 287 and 811 for three games. Ladies' high single of 267 was rolled by Claude Sanderson and Kay Johnson counted 680 for high three-game total.
Lucky Six counted team high single with 1175 and Spires added three games for a high total of 3240.
Results: 'Hotshots' 3, Troopers 1; Sharks 2, Spiffires 2; Lucky Six 2, Spires 2.

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