

HOLIDAY SPORTS PROGRAM HELD

Rosspport residents celebrated Canada's 101st birthday with sports for the children.

Some went camping, fishing and boating but those who were left enjoyed the sports program before the rain fell in the afternoon.

The Terrace Bay Kiwanis Club along with other donations provided cash prizes for the youngsters. The hall committee was in charge of the activities with Mrs. Eugene Gerow acting secretary. Mrs. Ibey and Mrs. Testori were in charge of the prizes. Race committee members were Romeo Bouchard, Felix Legault, Herb Legault and Eugene Gerow.

Winners in the various races and events were:

Robert Bouchard, Tom Bouchard, Hilton Mushqush, Darcy

Spencer, David Spencer, Maxine Hubelit, Wanda Spencer, Brenda Spencer, Cathy Gerow, Ella Schroeder, Terry Ann Bouchard, Peter Gerow, Vera Goodchild, Agnes Mushqush, Audrey Spencer, Wayne Spencer, Vienna Bain, Laurie Anne Mushqush, Benny Bain, Anna Bain, Della Mushqush, Shirley Bouchard, Robert Mushqush, Anita Bouchard, Wayne Yandon, Champ Mushqush, Ella Schroeder and Wilber Bain.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Gerow, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Martin and Peter Legault left Thursday to spend the holiday weekend in Duluth, Minn.

Harry Bain is a patient in Terrace Bay Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Pronovost were business visitors to Port Arthur this week.

ROSSPORT SCHOOL BOARD MEETS

At a special meeting of Rosspport School Board recently, members discussed the problem of a ditch in front of the school containing green and slimy water.

A letter will be sent to the local Roads Board to have it corrected because of health laws.

The school building was examined and repairs will be made during the summer on advice of the local area super-

visor to keep the building in good condition. It was noted that extra shelving is required in the supply cupboard. The roofing will also be improved and the garbage will be carted away.

Tenders for janitor, bus transportation of students to Schreiber High School and cleaning of the school are to be posted.

A report was heard on text and library books. Outstanding accounts were passed for payment.

Judge and Mrs. G. Paradis of Sioux City, Iowa; and Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Crane of Fort Dodge, Iowa, arrived in Rosspport Saturday for the annual fishing trip with the Jack Spilletts.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Flatt of Toronto have arrived to assist his brother, Ed Flatt of Port Arthur, who is planning to raise the yacht that sank in Rosspport Bay in 1911. Last year Mr. Flatt succeeded in bringing the mast to the surface.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Garrod accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hancock of Detroit, Mich., have returned home after holidaying with Mr. and Mrs. Herb Legault.

Mrs. Len Ibey left Tuesday for Kenora to attend the wedding of her granddaughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Legault left Wednesday to holiday with relatives in Barwick and Fort

Frances.

Peter Karpuk has arrived home after spending the past year in a Lakehead hospital.

Mrs. M. Matchett left Friday for her home in Fraserville, near Peterboro. She does not plan to teach next term owing to the health of her husband.

Guests the past week with the F. Legault family were Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Lemke and family of Shell Lake, Wis.; and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Nichols and family of Abbeyville, La.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Mateski, Mr. and Mrs. W. Kalinski, and Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Holgate of Niles, Ill., for their annual lake trout

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Starr, Mr. and Mrs. John Starr of Chicago, Ill., have arrived for their annual camping and fishing trip.

Fishing with R. T. Kenney the past weekend were Ray Wood, Ernie Lyons, Ken Ward and Jerry Saumur of Manitowadge,

THE SPORTS BEAT

By Glen May



Year of the Tiger

It's a long time from April to October, but if you're a Detroit Tigers fan it's a long time from 1946 and 1968. For the past 22 years the Tigers have failed to capture the American League pennant.

This in itself is amazing, but more amazing is the fact that Detroit is the lone team over seven years of age not to have a pennant flag flying in the breeze. Last year the Tigers lost the AL pennant on the final day of the season.

This year appears to be the year the Tigers have the rest of the league by the tail.

It would be justice if the starving Detroit fans were finally rewarded with a pennant in 1968. This will be the final year for a team to boast of conquering an entire league. Next year the league will be split into two divisions of six teams due to expansion.

Right now the Tigers are odds-on favorites to take the AL flag, but as the faithful hordes who have walked into Tiger Stadium off Woodward Ave., recall, "We're always blowing it and have to say 'wait until next year.'"

This term the Tigers appear to have that needed intangible which is synonymous with champions — desire.

Perhaps the most outstanding example of this new found desire comes from their usually mild manager, Mayo Smith, a congenial type who wasn't ejected once during the 1967 season. Twice this season Mayo has been bounced.

Another plus factor in the Tigers' climb to the top of the American League is their remarkable ability to adjust and overcome key injuries. This is another trademark of a worthy champion.

Al Kaline, one of the most gifted athletes in the game today, has just returned to duty

after being out for a month with a broken bone in his arm.

Detroit's won-loss percentage is the highest in the majors, and the Tigers are winning when they shouldn't, coming from behind in the last couple of innings.

The bullpen has been reconstructed. Gone are Fred Gladding, Hank Aguirre, Larry Sherry and Dave Wickersham, the foursome which folded so miserably during last year's stretch run at the pennant. This week relief crew, more than anything else, spelled defeat for the Tigers last year.

Youth has replaced the bullpen veterans. The young arms are now marching in from the bullpen to thwart the enemy bats. Canadian John Hiller from Toronto is one of the important cogs, who didn't receive a penny for signing his contract. Another youngster, Jon Warden, is only in his third year of organized ball. Already he has picked up his first three victories without a loss.

As usual, their front-line pitching is more than adequate, and the Tigers have always been able to score runs.

Defense hasn't been a problem in the past, and isn't now.

By the end of this month more than one-million people will have paid their way into Tiger Stadium.

By October you won't be able to buy a ticket anyway within 50 miles of the city.

October is World Series time and the Tigers will be one half of the big show.

In fact, Woodward Ave. will be filled with proud fans looking up and pointing to not only an American League pennant flying above Tiger Stadium, but also, another flag proclaiming Detroit Tigers as champions of the World Series.

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