Channel Bass Finally Show Up Hatteras Inlet

MANTEO — Channel bass, the game fish which attracts more non-resident anglers to the Dare coastland than any other species, finally showed up for their autumn run at Hatteras Inlet and in the surf southwest of the Cape. Later than usual, these game fishes did not make their appearance in any great numbers until the full moon season of October, and they were still absent this week from the Oregon Inlet sector, the most famous channel bass fishing spot in the world.

It has been several weeks since any of the species were taken at Oregon Inlet. This baffles old-time guides here who say it is the first time since they have been in the business that "drum" did not run at Oregon Inlet during the full moons of September and October.

With news that the copper-colored beauties were being caught at Hatteras, local guides were hopeful that channel bass would be moving northward to Oregon Inlet within a few days. One report, not verified, was that an unidentified surf caster had reeled in a 57-pounder at the southern point of Hatteras Inlet.

Several good catches during the week were made at Hatteras. Hallas and Ernal Foster, well known guides, took parties out who caught channel bass each day. One of the better catches of the week however was made by Joe Massoletti, New York restauranteur, and party who were stopping at his lodge. Fishing in the Inlet aboard his private cruiser, the Coco, skippered by Capt. Vernon Willis, the Massoletti party which included William Brown Maloney, noted radio man, and A. S. A. Bodages, a writer, of New York, Henry Everett Massoletti, the host's son, and William A. Wong, head of the Federal Bureau of Investigation's bureau of identification in the Hawaiian Islands, landed nine channel bass. The smallest weighed 15 pounds and the largest, landed by Wong, scaled at 35 pounds.

RECORD: 75 Right, 36 Wrong, two Ties, PCT: .676

Cage Scrimmage Starts On Beaufort Hardwood

Coach T. H. McQuaid is making no predictions about the performance of his Beaufort cagers. All the teams in the county are neck and neck, he says, and fans will have to wait until the season starts to know the odds.

The Beaufort boys and girls will have a chance to show their stuff in a warm-up game at Atlantic next Thursday, Nov. 4. Another twin-bill is scheduled with Alliance, there, Nov. 19, and the Beaufort boys will square off with Camp Lejeune, there, Dec. 7.

With scrimmage just begun, Coach McQuaid is warming up a 2-2-1 offense. He has no size at all, he says, and must depend on speed. With this in mind, Jimmie Piner and Charles Stewart, ace ball handlers, have been moved up front for speed.

Coach McQuaid believes in the gradual approach in conditioning his squad for the season's play. Physical conditioning began with calesthenics a month ago, and first scrimmage was held this week.

A typical sequence of drills begins with standing goal practice, then the fast-breaking offense to goal, the fast breaking offense with defense, half-court scrimmage and finally full-court scrimmage. Coach McQuaid says his boys are now in physical condition but have a ways to go before they demonstrate good playing form.

Ten first-stringers are back from last season: Jimmie Piner, Charles Stuart, Howard Fodrie, Jimmie Fodrie, A. C. Blankenship, Alton Lewis, Charles Owens, Julian Austin, William Sammons and Cedric Beachem.

The following returning lettermen are out for girls' practice at Beaufort: Peggie Guthrie, Iris Davis, Carol Ann Willis, Carolyn Gaskill, and Betsie Fulford, forwards; Rosalie Chadwick, Cora Belle Willis, Letitia Simpson and Peggie O'Neal, guards.

Beaufort has a match scheduled with Newport Jan. 28, will arrange another before Chirstmas, and will probably play Smyrna twice before Christmas.

Morehead Jaycee Bowling Begins

The Morehead City Jaycees will begin their annual bowling series Monday at Idle Hour amusement center. Six weeks of competition within the Jaycee organization will be held before Christmas, with another six weeks of play in the New Year.

Other clubs may enter the competition after Christmas.

This year, as in the past, an award will be given the winning team, with a nightly and a final prize to the highest individual bowler.

Si Adams is in charge of the bowling tournament. The Jaycees will hold their regular dinner meeting at the recreation center Monday nights from 7 until 8 before going to the Idle Hour.

Major League Stars Rout Tri-Countians at New Bern

A football-like score of 23-0 was the victory count for the Major League All-Stars over the Tri-County All-Stars, which included Carteret countians, in an exhibition baseball game at Kafer park, New Bern, Saturday night.

Derda, Gaskins and Price were the Tri-County batteries. Kirby Higbe of the Pittsburg Pirates, Byrnes of the New York Yankees hurled for the major league team.

George Stillway of Cherry Point scored the one hit made by the tri-countians, while the Major League All-Stars took 27 hits.

Players from Carteret, Pamlico and Craven made up the Tri-County All-Stars team.

Score by innings:

Majors	313 341 080	23
Tri-County	000 000 000	0

The peccary is a distant cousin of the domestic pig and the European wild boar, but seldom takes on fat. He is native to the American southwest and very difficult for hunters to stalk.

Orphanage Shrine Bowl Game Begins At 8 Tonight in Stadium at Raleigh

The First Annual Orphanage Shrine Bowl game at 8 o'clock tonight at Riddick stadium, Raleigh, will be preceded by a grand entrance on the field of Shrine units, clubs, and bands.

The Sudan Patrol will drill on the field followed by an exhibition by the drum and bugle corps. The potentate will be introduced at 7:45, followed by Gov. R. Gregg Cherry.

Oxford Orphanage and Methodist Orphanage football teams will clash promptly at 8 o'clock with activities at the half in charge of Noble George R. Rhoades, Kansas City, Mo., world's champion drum major.

At 4:30 in Raleigh there will be a parade, consisting of the following units: color guard, Sudan Temple band, Miss Kennedy, queen of Sudan Temple, divan cars, drum and bugle corps, Sudan patrol, Sudan chanters, wrecking crew, Oriental band, provost guard, State College band, Oxford Orphanage football team.

Oxford students, Oxford high school band, Methodist Orphanage Football team, Methodist Orphanage students, Raleigh high school band, Henderson high school band and the Raleigh Shrine club.

Ticket Chairman

Noble M. D. (Doug) Aycock, Director of Sudan's Wrecking Crew, Wilson, is general ticket chairman of the first annual Orphanage Shrine Bowl game.

Players' Release Recalls Their Days Of Glory

By Frank Eck
AP Newsfeatures Sports Editor

NEW YORK — Baseball's annual fall housecleaning is in full swing. It's always interesting to see changes made in major league player personnel but when some of the game's outstanding stars pass over the hill it's a bit hard to take.

Since the season closed a number of former standouts have been given their release as players. Among those who have passed from the scene one player stands out. He is Terry Moore, one of the greatest center fielders in National League history. Moore will be a coach with the St. Louis Cardinals next season.

It seems like only yesterday that he was making glittering catches in a World Series against the Yankees. In the 1942 Series he made 15 putouts, many of them sensational grabs. In the 1946 classic with the Red Sox he had 17 putouts.

But the last two years Terry's 36-year-old legs lost their spryness. He hit only .227 this year against a lifetime average of .283. Moore realized he was at the end of the trail when he misjudged a fly ball in Brooklyn. It was his second such offense in 1,300 league games. The game loses a great competitor in Moore.

Among other veterans who have been released as players are George McQuinn by the Yankees, Rudy York by the Athletics, Manager Bucky Walters by the Reds, Babe Young by the Cards and Arky Vaughan by Brooklyn.

McQuinn, an 11-year veteran in the American League, hit only .248 this year. He batted .304 in 1947 but when he reached his 37th year he just didn't have it. In the 1944 all-St. Louis World Series he hit .438 for the Browns.

York, who went from Detroit to the Bosox, to White Sox to Athletics within the last three years, is another former World Series star. The big Indian slugger from Alabama hit 280 homers. As a first baseman in the '46 Series against the Cards York accounted for two of the three Red Sox victories in a losing cause. He won the opening game with a 10th inning home run to beat Howie Pollet, 3-2. He also won the third game when he homered with two on in the first inning to beat Murry Dickson, 4-0.

In York's greatest year —1940 —he hit 33 homeors, batted .316 and drove in 134 runs for the Tigers. Some team may yet use his big bat even though Rudy is past his peak at 35.

Walters, one of the most popular players to ever wear a Cincinnati uniform, has called it quits as a pitcher. Bucky, of course, may change his mind. He needed only two twins at the start of the season to crash the elite 200 circle. He failed in his few starts this year.

The former third baseman, a three-time 20-game winner with the Reds, reached his peak with a pair of victories over the Tigers in the 1940 Series. After a great season in 1944 when he won 23 and lost only 8 he hurt his pitching arm in a 2-0 shutout against the Cardinals and his service was limited.

Another grand competitor who has called finis to his pitching career is Fritz Ostermueller. At 41 he won eight games for the Pirates to run his lifetime total to 114 against 115 setbacks. However, Manager Bill Meyer of the Pirates thinks Fritz will be back.

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