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"FOOTBALL!"

Weekend football may be called a weekend of contrasts. Saturday, with the grand opening by the Superintendent, saw the defeat of last years Premiers, while Sunday, with a match against Townsville coming up, saw the not-so-prominent footballers outplaying and frequently outshining players who on paper looked sure things for inclusion in a Rep. Side.

Congratulations to Skipjack for their well deserved victory against Brothers. Knowing the apparent fact that Brothers strength is in their fast moving back line, Skipjacks stood up on the defence for the total eighty minutes. Even with the ball from the scrums favouring Brothers, their back line seldom if ever got moving. Where was your short kick and follow through, Brothers?

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WEDNESDAY NIGHT 24/4/59.

Starring Ray Danton.

Starring Glen Ford.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT 28/4/59.

Starring Mario Lanza.

Starring Burt Lancaster.

wrote a nice letter without paying.

said, "will you kindly call, and oblige?"

got this reply: "The yards!"

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the baby is fond of you! why, he sleeps all day

wake at night to keep

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Thanks Alf and Wanger for your controlling of the weekend games. I liked the way you let your games run looking for an application of the advantage rule.

Sunday's match, Possibles V. Probables was a crowd pleasing game. The even scoring was evidence of two well matched teams. From these two teams will be selected, finally, the team to travel to Townsville. I liked Sam Sailor's penetrating bursts, Les Thimble's constant following up, Max Simpson's open play, and Harry Johnson's leadership of his forwards. There were two outstanding weak spots - lack of condition and poor tackling.

to those honoured to wear "the green and gold" next Sunday against Townsville we express a sincere hope they will honour both Palm Island and themselves on the No.1. Football Oval at Townsville. We will have both weight and speed. We will look forward to a good game, and possible victory.

BOXING.

The boxing tournament held a fortnight ago was good entertainment.

Bethany Wallace fought Charlie McLean and Bethany won on points. Charlie was inclined to let Bethany lead all the time and was satisfied to counterpunch. Leading up wins the points!

Frank Conway won on points from Cedric Davis. This was Frank's first

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appearance. It was a close contest.

Sam Conway Jnr beat Cecil Archie. Again Sam won by taking the fight to his opponent. Cecil was content to coast along.

Jack Ebagoola Jnr narrowly beat Walter Morgan on points. Walter has a good style and should improve with practice.

Robert Banning fought John Douglas in a very closely contested bout. These small lads could show some of the bigger boys a point or two. Both held themselves well and punched straight no wild swings. Both were aggressive but threw no wild punches. It was a very entertaining contest.

Reg Nemo fought Martin Hopkins. Reg won on points.

Vernon Conway fought Jim Noble. Vernon won on points.

Willie Burton fought Lindsay Robertson. Willie proved too good on the night. Lindsay's unorthodox style had Willie worried in the first round but he soon got on top to win a good bout.

Eddie Parker won from Paul Sibley. Eddie was too strong for his lighter opponent.

Anthony Conway fought James Tranby to win on points. Anthony kept scoring to the stomach and ribs while in close and James should concentrate more on a good straight left with a closed glove. He slaps too much. Anthony deserves his win.

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Ron Nemo and John Noble fought to a standstill to be awarded a draw. This was a lively bout with both boys really putting everything into it. Both seemed to enjoy every minute of the contest and the crowd also.

Allan Nugent beat Norman Fulford over 3 rounds. Allan's forcing tactics combined with better infighting won him the match.

Keith Bligh won from Peter Stanley on a K.O. in the second round.

Percy McAvoy Jnr. fought Bert Massey. Percy won on a K.O. in the third round.

Alec Johnny won from Francis Williams who gave it away in the second round.

Arthur James won from John Cinnabar on points. This was a close contest, both boys trying hard.

David Langlo fought Maurice Palmer. David won a close fight on points. David had Maurice in trouble on several occasions and Maurice still has to learn a good defence. It was a good bout.

A DAY'S FISHING IN CURACOA ISLAND AREA.
By N.A.

The party of fishermen from the Boys Home spent last Sunday fishing in the Curacao Island area.

After trying the fishing