

Montague Races This Afternoon

Were Postponed Yesterday On Account Of Rain—Even Larger Crowd Expected Today.

The Montague horse races, which were to have been held yesterday afternoon, were postponed on account of the condition of the race track, until this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Showers, which started about 10.30 yesterday morning, grew until there was almost a deluge about 12 o'clock. The race track became very wet near the pole or inside position, as a result of the rain. About 12 o'clock the weather cleared and at 1 o'clock a consultation took place between the horsemen present and the track management. It was decided it would be unsafe to race, as the track was very greasy, and this was announced to the public.

Between 800 and 1,000 people were on the grounds, while the roads leading to Montague were covered with autos.

There is no question that a very large attendance would have been present.

This afternoon it is a safe bet that most of the people in the vicinity of Montague and quite a number from outlying places will be present.

Acadian Teachers Hold Convention At Egmont Bay

The Acadian teachers of P. E. I. held their 39th convention at Egmont Bay on Tuesday and Wednesday. There was a large attendance of French teachers from all parts of the Province and many of the clergy and others, including Mr. Justice Arsenault, of Charlottetown, Hon. Adrian Arsenault, of Summerside and Mr. Telesphare, M.P., of N. B.

The convention opened with High Mass in the beautiful new church just recently finished. The celebrant was Mgr. Chaisson, assisted by Rev. Jean Gaudet and Dionel Buote. The first session of the convention opened at 10.30. An address of welcome to the members of the association was read by Rev. F. X. Gallant, parish priest, Egmont Bay. Addresses on education were given by Mr. Chaisson, of St. Dunstan's University; Rev. Jean Gaudet, of Bloomfield; Rev. Andre Arsenault, of Magdalen Islands, and Rev. Dionel Buote, Idaho. The addresses were very instructive and helpful to those present. On Tuesday afternoon the second session opened.

Miss Josephine Gallant read an interesting paper on education, which was thoroughly discussed by the members. At this session the association was honored with the presence of Mr. Justice Arsenault and Mr. Telesphare Arsenault, M.P., of N. B. Mr. Justice Arsenault delivered an excellent address.

Wednesday morning, Requiem High Mass was sung at 8.30 by Mgr. Chaisson for the late members of the association. The convention was continued and papers read by Miss Helene Gallant and Inspector Gallant. Miss Gallant's paper on "Christian education" was highly approved and different points discussed. Teaching of French language in the schools by Inspector Gallant created a good deal of interest.

In the afternoon Mr. Adrian F. Arsenault, newly-elected member for Third Prince, addressed the Association on educational matters and was given an enthusiastic welcome. Prof. Blanchard, of Prince of Wales College, followed with an instructive address and an interesting account of the history of the Acadians on P. E. I. Prof. Blanchard takes a keen interest in the educational welfare of the French Acadians. Several questions were asked and answered satisfactorily. Several members present gave brief addresses.

The president, Mr. Elma Pineau, and the secretary, Mr. Anthony Bernard, were re-elected for the ensuing year. On Tuesday evening an interesting program was provided by local talent. Rev. F. X. Gallant rendered some beautiful solos. He was accompanied by Rev. Theodore

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ISLANDERS TIE IN THE TYRO EVENT

But Lose Out In Shoot Off For Coveted Trophy.

(Canadian Press)

CONNAUGHT RANGES, Ont., Aug. 12—Capt. H. W. Bishop, Ottawa, fired one "inner" and 11 consecutive bulls eyes to win the Lady MacDougall challenge cup and D. R. A. silver medal at the Dominion Rifle Association Meeting in a thrilling tie shoot off here today. The match was fired on Monday, but eight men emerged in a tie for first place. Gunner S. F. Comer, Toronto, won the Tyro Match shoot off, in which sixteen men were knotted for the first position. This match too was fired on Monday, and in perfect weather conditions the leaders made every shot count. With conditions not quite so favorable this morning, Comer ran up seven consecutive bulls eyes to win the event. Those tied included, Lt. J. S. MacDonald, Charlottetown.

OTTAWA, Aug. 12—In the second day's shooting on the Connaught ranges Island riflemen continued to find the target for fine scores. P. J. Landrigan was 36th in the Walker Match registering a 68 out of a possible 70.

Island marksmen, however, encountered hard luck in the McDonald Brier Match and Art Gormley was their high man with 91 out of 100.

Hooper, Landrigan, McLennan, A. L. McDonald and A. J. McCabe are well up in the grand aggregate thus far.

Walker Match. Possible 70. Ranges 80 and 300 yards:

P. J. Landrigan 68 pts. 36th place
G. B. McLennan, 67 pts. 60th place
J. B. Poole, 67 pts. 70th place
A. W. Allan, 67 pts. 70th place
A. L. McDonald 67 pts. 73rd place
A. J. McCabe 67 pts. 75th place
W. A. Smith 66 pts. 89th place
J. S. Moore 65 pts. 156th place

CONNAUGHT RANGES, Ont., Aug. 12—Eight marvelous marksmen from the British Isles beat the best Canada could offer in the first Empire match ever held at a Dominion Rifle Association meeting here today. Taking the lead at the first of three ranges, the Britons added to it on two longer ranges to win the event comfortably—by 15 points. The aggregate score for the match was: England 1160; Canada 1145. The match was a special event for the Canadian National Railways Empire Trophy. A second competition will be held Saturday at 900 and 1,000 yards for the Canadian Pacific Railways Trophy.

The English team gathered a ten point lead at the 300 yard range, their favorite distance, added two more points at 500 yards and then beat the Canadians by three more points at their favorite distance, 600 yards, to make sure of the match.

The British team was composed of Lieut. G. F. Booth, armourer quartermaster sergeant, G. R. King, Lt. A. J. Andrews, Lt. A. Eccles, Sgt. C. C. Willott, Lt. R. J. Middlemas, gunner W. Barber, and Lt. J. A. Barlow, while Canada was represented by Lieut. Desmond Burke, Ottawa; Company quartermaster Sgt. G. M. Emslie, Toronto; Sgt. J. H. Gray, Montreal; Q. M. S. Burton, Calgary; Capt. J. T. Steele, Guelph; Sgt. J. H. Davidson, Winnipeg; Lt. James Boe, Montreal, and Sgt. J. H. Egan, Victoria, B. C. Not one man on the entire squad of eight scored lower than an "inner" while one man, Sergeant Willott, scored the only "double possible," when he placed 20 shots in to the bulls-eye on the 300 and 500 yard ranges.

By ranges, the scores were as follows:

300 500 600
British Team . . . 388 390 382
Canadians . . . 378 388 379

Cadet Gunner Barber had highest individual score for the match, 147, just three points below a perfect tally. The Canada match followed the first stage of the Governor-General's match, greatest rifle shooting event in Canada, and in this match, too, scores reached unusual proportions. Lieut. W. H. Jeffrey, Montreal, Sgt. F. E. Shepherd, Ottawa, and Sgt. H. Assling, Toronto, all tied for leadership with scores of 104, one less than possible. The match was fired at 200, 500 and 600 yards, with the remaining ranges, 600 and 900 remaining to be fired on Saturday. But besides the three leaders, scoring reached the heights. Only 150 men qualify for the final stage and will have to shoot off for the last 25 places in the qualifiers. Nine men had totals of 103, 15 others had 102. One hundred and twenty-five marksmen in the first stage scored 99 or better,—a record

Everybody's Going To The Mammoth Dance

Gyro Club Staging Novel Affair Which Has Every Promise Of Being A Gala Event.

Something novel and entirely new, is the mammoth dance being staged at the Forum tonight. Out-of-town folks, together with hundreds of couples from the city will take advantage of the great community

gathering, that has every promise of being one of the most successful ever staged in this city. Dixon's Orchestra, in full strength has been engaged to render the most up-to-date dance music.

COMPANY

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Now, in respect to navigation, the Government plans to be the owner and the company the user, conditions thus being reversed. It will overcome what in the recent debate was referred to as the anomaly of a national waterway on private property. For what is thus acquired by the Dominion Government the company will be accorded the compensation which is considered to be fair and reasonable.

Water Diversion Rule

When the new act is brought into force, in sequence to the new agreement, the company will be confirmed in its authorized diversion of 53,000 cubic second feet of the flow of the river. The additional flow, which the inquiry disclosed the canal is being built to accommodate and utilize, will require a further agreement with the Government on whatever terms are decided and with the new essential of Parliament's subsequent sanction.

Furthermore, it was learned today to be the intention of the Government to lose no time in submitting to the Supreme Court the question of relative Federal and Provincial rights in the premises.

When the general reference was before the courts and was adjudicated on in 1929, the justices, though indicating certain definite trends of judicial view, held that the broad question was too abstract and that a concrete case, to be submitted when one arose, was vital to a proper and definite determination. The Beauharnois case now presents the opportunity for such a concrete submission.

And so as soon as the Quebec elections are over, the Federal Government intends to take up with the Provincial Government the matter of this reference to the courts. The specific question will turn upon the right of the Quebec Government to grant the power lease to the Beauharnois corporation and to authorize the diversion of the St. Lawrence River at the Hungry Bay opening to the now famous canal.

Meanwhile, the advice here are that the banks are prepared to carry on the financing of the works until October. To their representations has been given an intimation of desired reconstruction and other conditions to the Government's consent to further developments. The implementing of the conditions will, it is stated, preserve the interests of both the banks and the bondholders.

Probably, new negotiations will be fairly protracted and as the present financing is tentative, these are expected to be initiated very soon. Before the situation is finally adjusted another month or two of preparation may be required.

"Where did the car hit him?" asked the coroner.

"At the junction of the dorsal and the cervical vertebrae," replied the medical witness.

The burly foreman race from his seat: "Man and boy I've lived in these parts for fifty years," he protested ponderously, "and I've never heard of the place."

that may take some beating. Lt. J. N. Dow, St. John and Capt. F. M. Smith, Annapolis, were among those with 102's. Weather conditions were worse for the Governor-General's than for the Canada match. The sun was beating down with terrific force, and in front of the targets, a mirage shuttled up and down. According to results issued late this afternoon Cadet Capt. Don Skerrett, of Hamilton, Ont., won the gold medal for high score in the Gooding competition. The medal is awarded for the best aggregate scores in the Tyro, MacDougall and Walker matches. Cadet Lt. D. Breereton, Winnipeg, took second place, while Cadet T. Gregory, of Saint John, N. B., won the bronze medal for third position.

BIG LEAGUE BALL RESULTS

(Canadian Press)

NATIONAL LEAGUE

R. H. E.
First game:
St. Louis 5 12 0
Brooklyn 0 11 1

Second game:
St. Louis 8 16 1
Brooklyn 5 9 1

First game:
Chicago 7 10 1
Philadelphia 3 8 0

Second game:
Chicago 12 18 0
Philadelphia 1 10 4

First game:
Pittsburgh 6 11 0
New York 4 9 2

Second game:
Pittsburgh 0 3 2
New York 9 12 0

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

R. H. E.
Toronto 3 11 0
Baltimore 1 15 0

AMERICAN LEAGUE

R. H. E.
First game:
New York 18 19 1
Cleveland 1 9 3

Second game:
New York 7 9 4
Cleveland 17 13 0

Philadelphia 6 14 3
Detroit 7 13 1

Washington 1 6 0
Chicago 11 17 4

Boston 6 13 0
St. Louis 5 10 2

ZOO IDENTIFIES BITTERN

LAKEWOOD, O., Aug. 12—An American bittern, a species of the heron family, was a bird of mystery to Lakewood residents until it was caught and identified at Brookside Zoo. The bird, with a three inch beak and a wing spread of more than a foot, was seen wandering about the shore of Lake Erie for weeks before it was finally captured. The species is rarely found in this part of the country.

BUZZARDS REVEAL STILL

PHOENIX, Ariz., Aug. 12—Arizona officials are considering deputizing thousands of buzzards to aid them in locating bootleggers and makers of liquor. Sheriff J. R. McFadden, observing a flock of buzzards circling a field where investigated and found a 50-gallon copper still, a quantity of liquor and mash. The mash had aroused the interest of the buzzards.

CITIZENS TO GET ROAD JOBS

OLYMPIA, Wash., Aug. 12—Governor Roland Hurlley has instructed highway director Sam Humes to award no highway contracts that do not specify that citizen labor only be used in construction work. Cancellation of contracts for failure to comply with this provision will mean forfeiture of the contract, the governor said.

ENGLISH GRAIN DOWN

LONDON, Aug. 12—Recent checks made on the grain crops of Britain by the Ministry of Agriculture show that the acreage under wheat is somewhat less than the 1930 plantings. The barley sowings are slightly larger and oats about the same.

CENTRAL GUARDIAN

POSTPONED SUPPER and festival held at York to-night, 8073-8-13

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GENERAL MANAGER HERE—The General Manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Mr. J. A. McLeod, Toronto, arrived in the City last night on business. He is accompanied by Mr. W. A. Clark and Mr. E. H. Man. They are registered at the Canadian National Hotel.

CARS COLLIDE—Two cars, one a Chrysler, the other a large touring car collided on the St. Peters Road last evening about 9 o'clock. Both sustained considerable damage.

THE POSTPONED ice cream social in Pownall will be held on Friday, Aug. 14th. Weather unit, on 15th. 8076-8-13-21

Mr. A. A. Aitken, of London and Montreal, brother of Lord Beaverbrook, arrived in the City last night. He is registered at the Canadian National.

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—DANCE AT MCQUARRIE'S, at Reads Corner, Thursday, August 13th. 8072-8-13

—SEVEN MILE BAY—Owing to rain, the Picnic at Seven Mile Bay will be continued this Thursday evening. Lunch served. Bingo and other games. 8080

—DON'T FORGET the Dance at McQuarrie's at Reads Corner to-night, August 13th. 8072-8-13

CAVES BRING TOWN FAME

RODEZ, Aug. 12—The recent discovery, in this little community in the department of Aveyron in the French Midi, of great natural caves has proved of great interest to geologists in all parts of Europe. Two great natural chambers replete with a magnificent variety of stalactites and stalagmites have placed the little city of Rodez on the geological map of France.

ASTORIA, Ore., Aug. 12—The idea is that the dogs will chase—but not catch—the elk. Elk herds invade farms in Tillamook Head, eating crops and digging potatoes. It's against the law to kill the animals, so the state hired Dan Quinn and his dog pack to "shoot" the elk away. Should one of his dogs happen to catch and kill an elk, Quinn would automatically become liable to arrest by the same authorities that hired him.

High Salaried Men Accept Reductions

(Canadian Press Cable Via Reuters) MELBOURNE, Australia, Aug. 12—Chief Justice Evan Duffy and Judges Starke and Ewart of the High Court bench have replied to Prime Minister Scullin's suggestion, that they should voluntarily accept a reduction in salary, with the declaration they are unwilling to do anything that would affect the section of the constitution which provides the remuneration of Judges shall not be reduced. The three, however, are willing to forego travelling expenses. Three other Judges of the High Court Bench, Justices Rich, Dixon and McTiernan, are all paying \$3,750 annually into the Treasury, a sum representing 25 percent of their salaries.

The move for reduction in salaries and wages has been put into operation in most sections of Australian public life, starting with the Government, Parliament and Civil Service. The Governor-General and State Governors have voluntarily accepted reductions during the present economic crisis.

Bert: "Think of a number, and I'll tell you whether it's odd or even."
Albert: "All right. I just called my girl on the phone. What's the number?"
"Did you get her?"
"Yes!"
"Right away?"
"Yes."
"That's odd!"

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Latest Doings At Provincial Exhibition Track

Last evening two car-loads of race horses arrived from Sydney, N. S., comprising the Ballard Stable, owned by Charles E. Ballard, North Sydney, consisting of Jeanette Royal, 2.04 1-2; Chorus Girl, 2.15 1-2, and Lucky Yolo.

More interest has been taken in Billy Keys' stable than any situated at the race grounds. Probably this is because each and every horse is a top notch, high-priced horse. The aggregate value of the ten is between \$25,000 and \$40,000. Tremendous sums have been offered for Edna H., 2.06 1-4, while Hollywood Lee, 2.11 1-2; Edna Kyle and others are expensive animals.

Mr. Keys has his horses trained to the minute and everything about his equipment right up-to-date.

Another stable that is well liked is Johnny Conroy's. Johnny is one of the nearest men in the business and horses and equipment reflect it. Johnny, by the way, will make strong competition for the Mayrow Prowse Trophy.

The opening gong of the racing battles to be fought out at the Exhibition race track next week, was sounded at 2 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon. The 2.25 pace will have about eight good horses in it and will be a nice race, but we look for the 2.17 trot to furnish the fireworks, when Frank J. Orthman, 2.14 Summerside beat, meets Holywood Lee from the Keys Stable. Briar Mac is also in the pink and Captain Jackson is rearing to go and there are several others.

Never in experience of the most ardent racing fan has there been such interest taken in the arrival of the various racing horses at the track. Hundreds of people call there daily, including many ladies, and a suggestion has been made to have Saturday afternoon, "visitors' afternoon." This idea should meet with popular approval. It will be necessary to park automobiles on the main grounds, as there is very limited room where the stables are. The horsemen are always delighted to show their horses, and it will be interesting to learn about and see the many classy horses there.

The three year old trot and pace will complete Tuesday's program.

On Friday and Saturday the Exhibition race track will be conditioned for the races and put in shape for the record breaking miles of next week. The work will be done under the supervision of the race director, who knows exactly how to put the final finishing touches towards making it lightning fast.

Style Chats

WITH ALMA ARCHER

"Rose in Snow," "Star Dew Drop," "Stars," and "Raised Grapes" are a few of the Early American glass patterns which seem to be bowling folks out of their Early American seats.

Anything in the way of a raised grape, it seems, sells like hot cakes to every woman that enters an antique shop, and practically any of these designs are greatly to be desired right through the cards from finger bowls to service plates.

The tip off, however, is that although such popularity must be deserved, it won't be long now probably until there'll be a run on the market for the mottled, or "slag" glass in all different colors, so gather while ye may.

This Early American type includes composites that today make marvelous cigar containers, and the old honey dishes adapt themselves beautifully for ash trays.

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