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PHILADELPHIA GIRL REPEATS IN LONG SWIM

Margaret Ravior Wins Can. Nat. Exhibition 10 Mile Event For Third Consecutive Year.

By Jack Hambleton, Canadian Press Staff Writer TORONTO, Aug. 26.—Husky blonde Margaret Ravior of Philadelphia, queen of long-distance swimmers, retained her crown to-night. With apparently only the slightest effort she defeated twenty-eight of the finest swimmers the world had to offer; swam them in-ward to submission; just "coasted" home; and for the third year in succession won the Canadian National Exhibition's 10-mile woman's professional swimming championship. With the title, she wins \$3,000 in prize money, a not unwelcome prize to a young lady who is about to be married.

True it was that Evelyn Armstrong, of Detroit, kept on even terms with Miss Ravior on the very first lap of the swim, but from then on it was all Margaret. She simply maintained her strong, slow sweep, gaining on every lap, and was nearly 15 minutes ahead of Miss Armstrong at the finish.

Here was the order of finish, showing the six money winners, their times and prizes: 1—Margaret Ravior, Philadelphia, \$2,218, \$3,000. 2—Evelyn Armstrong, Detroit, \$37.05, \$1,500. 3—May Looney, Warren, Ohio, \$42.29, \$700. 4—Dorothy Nalevsk, Glen Cove, N. Y., \$59.39, \$500. 5—Ruth Tower Corson, Toronto, \$68.21, \$200. 6—Ruth Downing, Toronto, \$68.29, \$100.

Seldom, if ever before, has any one girl shown her superiority in the world of swimming to such an extent. For from the time Miss Ravior dived from the starting barge as Premier George S. Henry fired the gun, until she swept across the finishing line more than five hours later, Margaret was never seriously challenged.

A Queer Day

It was a queer day. The morning had started out with heavy clouds hanging overhead. Then the sun poured down steadily on a sweltering mass of humanity which lined the waterfront. Late in the afternoon, as the swimmers neared the end, several terrific rainstorms swept in from the lake, driving spectators to cover, but at the finish, the sky was clear again. Margaret swam in the setting sun, with the water inside the seawall calm as a pond. Outside the wall, a raging sea broke into masses of spray.

A Favorite Drops Out

As a spectacle the swim was all that could be desired. But features were few and far between. The retirement of Leah Riley, Keansburg, N. J., girl who had been strongly favored to win the event was one of the outstanding features. Miss Riley, in third position and apparently swimming strongly, was forced to retire with but two miles to go.

Another feature was the retirement of Lillian Coppelstone, Christ Church, New Zealand, who was also forced to quit after being well up in the race.

Only with the elimination of Miss Riley did the standing change at all. Before that, the race had been between six girls; after that, it simply meant that all moved up one and allowed Miss Downing to get into a money position.

DOWN THE BACK STRETCH

"The Deserted Village" had nothing on the racehorse stalls at the Charlottetown Driving Park today. The great trek commenced Friday morning at five o'clock when the stables were shipped to Sydney, Halifax and Woodstock. Practically all visiting horsemen have left with the exception of Johnny Conroy's string, who will be shipping in a few days. It is strange how urgent becomes the itch to leave after the fray is over but it is characteristic everywhere. No matter how much you are in love with the race track before the event, afterwards you want to get out to new pastures.

The race meet just finished was in many ways the most spectacular ever held here because the average of speed was greater than ever before, less than 2:12 for the fifteen heats paced as against 2:13 1-2 last year and 2:14 1-5 the year previous. The average of the fifteen heats trotted was 2:13 3-4 as against 2:14 3-4 last year. The strange part of it is that while there were only three trotting classes as purely trotting events as against six mixed trotting and pacing events and one straight pace, the trotters showed up surprisingly well when competing with the hopped birds. They accounted for fifteen of the thirty heats trotted and paced.

King Frisco who came here with a tab of 2:17 and a none too remarkable record as a winner, was one of the outstanding horses of the meeting, taking a trotting tab of 2:13 on Tuesday in a mixed class and looking like 2:11. We believe Mr. W. B. McArthur of Kensington has secured a good horse. His reformation was brought about by means of half hollies which overcame a former tendency to make breaks. He is a San Francisco, a tribe which has the reputation of improving with age.

The accident which occurred in the Free For All Pace first heat Thursday was caused by Billy Hood driver of Neil Frisco, being too close with his horse to Volo Rio's wheel. He was asked to move out but evidently thought he was O.K. with the result that Neil tramped the spokes of Volo Rio's wheel throwing the horse off his stride and almost crashing the sulky.

"Red" Hanifin's quick thinking saved a very serious accident. He pulled Galety McGregor quickly to the right, so quick that she stumbled and fell down and threw "Red" over her head. Fortunately neither of them were injured. Colonel MacKinnon wishes us to state here that "Red" did a mighty decent thing as he took great chances himself to save another.

Starting at Charlottetown is no cinch. Usually the fields are large and a great number of spectators know, or think they know, more about the way races should be run than the officials in charge, giving a great deal of advice gratuitously. It is no fun to keep concentrated on your field of horses and being booed at the same time from the Grandstand.

The many friends of Malcolm Steele of Summerside got real pleasure out of his winning the Twenty Dollars in gold for being leading driver. We congratulate "Mac" and hope his success will be continued throughout the season.

Another real good teamster who is considered by all a gentleman either on or off the track is Tyndie Semple. Another driver might have chopped Colonel Dan to bits in the accident on Tuesday but Tyndie's quick pulling of Guy Leyburn to the right prevented what would have been a sure casualty. Few drivers can excel him for getting speed out of a horse and we do not know of anyone that can balance them better.

"Red" Hanifin, Mrs. Hanifin and Dorothy Hanifin made many friends during their recent sojourn with us. We hope they will take away as pleasant memories of us as we retain of them and that they will come back next year and spend even more time with us.

A feature of the pony race on Thursday was the riding of Jackie Jenkins, son of Colonel J. S. Jenkins, D. S. O., Jackie is a born rider, a real Earl Sande and has all kinds of courage as well as a clever head. He thrills the crowd. When Master Freddie Seaman was from his pony in an after heat of the main event, Miss Jenkins, sister of Jackie, got astride the pony and made a wonderful drive but Master Freddie Seaman had a little too much step and won.

MAR. PRO. GOLF PLAY

SAINT JOHN, N. B., Aug. 26.—(By The Canadian Press)—Larry Thornton, of the Riverdale Club, Moncton, led the field in the 36-hole medal play for the Maritime professional golf championship on the Riverside course today. His score for each 18-hole round was 75, totalling 150.

Ben Kerr, Yarmouth, was second with a 77 and 76 for 153. V. A. Balch, Riverside, and Jack Madash, Amherst, were tied for third place with 158. Balch had 82 and 76, while Madash shot 78 and 80.

Sid Lingard, Charlottetown, combined 79 and 83 for a 162, and Sid Stewart, Riverside, had 81 and 84, totalling 165.

It is suggested that next year pony races be put on Friday in connection with children's day such as was given yesterday when twenty-five cents admission for adults only was charged at the Main Gate and all children under fifteen admitted free. This gave them seats to the Grandstand and the vaudeville program. It is thought that with pony races put on in connection with the vaudeville there would be an enormous turnout of adults and children.

The Exhibition just closed was the greatest from an agricultural viewpoint that has ever been held in the forty years of its life. This is not a boastful statement without facts behind it. It is the truth for which incontrovertible evidence will be offered shortly.

Two very welcome visitors to the races and Fair were Mr. D. W. Griffiths, Race Secretary of the Fredericton Exhibition, and Mr. T. V. Monahan, well known horseman and hotel keeper of Fredericton. They were astonished and delighted with the great success both from an agricultural, racing and attendance standpoint.

A picture we won't soon forget. What a pity we could not have secured a panoramic photograph of the Grandstand and bleachers Wednesday. It was the most wonderful picture from the race-horse stables or centre field we have ever had the pleasure of looking upon. Just a thought that came too late. It would have been the best blow at old man depression that could have been given him and would have worked wonders as an ad for Prince Edward Island abroad.

Dr. F. W. Christopher, a leading dentist of Boston, Mass., and George McDonald, who is connected with real estate at Allston, Mass., are returning home today, after having visited the Exhibition.

Mike Jabblee and owners Kasouf & Jabblee are full of praise for Prince Edward Island and its people. Well, why wouldn't they? They were simply loaded with silverware, prizes and money. Mike's both arms were filled with the ribbons and the silverware, but Mr. Kasouf, we understand, held the cash.

Off to Halifax will be the next trek for the Island horses. Those making the journey will likely include Heather Belle, 2:11; Miss Winnipeg, 2:11; Yorkola, 2:14 1/2; Johnny Miles, Real Great, Silver Doctor, King Frisco, 2:13; Frank J. Ortolan, 2:13; Golden, 2:12; Lucky Lindy, 2:12; Al B. Jr., Mr. Squires, 2:17; Mr. Henley, 2:19 1/2; Volo Rio, 2:04; The Willys, 2:13; Peter Dawes, 2:12; Miss La Aubrey, 2:13 1/2; Great Scott, 2:08 1/2 and possibly some others.

Island horses taking new records or reduced records at the recent Exhibition meeting were Heather Belle, owned by Brenton McInnis, record reduced from 2:11 1/2 to 2:11; Yorkola, owned by Dr. M. Delaney, Wellington, record reduced from 2:17 to 2:14 1/2. That's all!

Peter Dawes, 2:12, came dangerously near the record "Monte" tabbed on him here three years ago when in winning the second heat of the 2:15 Trot Thursday he stepped in 2:13 flat.

Starting a horse twice at any race meeting which does not extend over a week is as a rule a mistake, although we often try it. The fact is very few horses have recuperative power enough if they have been driven hard in one race to come back to the maximum capacity within at least five or six days. There are four exceptions. Marjorie M. was one, winning on Tuesday in 2:09 1/2 and coming back on Thursday to win in 2:07 1/2, but Marjorie M. is six years old, sound as a dollar and a great feeder and had some reserve left from her first start.

Old friends meet. Monte Gerow and Dr. McIsaac of Sydney met at the race track on Tuesday last. Monte said "I knew a McIsaac from down your way when I was studying nursing at a hospital in Boston but he's dead." The Doctor said "I knew a Gerow when I was studying at a hospital in Boston, but he's alive and you are here!" So then they got reminiscing and had a lovely time.

Made Good Showing



CHARMING CANADIAN ENTRANTS Ruth Tower Corson, left and Ruth Downing, right, both of Toronto, who finished fifth and sixth respectively in yesterday's Canadian National Exhibition ten mile swim for women. Miss Ravior of Philadelphia won the event.

Streeter Wins Maritime Title

SAINT JOHN, N. B., Aug. 26.—(By The Canadian Press)—Percival Streeter steady and consistent golfer representing the Riverside Club, Saint John, is the new champion of amateur golf in the Maritime Provinces. He defeated the youthful Jack Harris, of the Kenwo Club, Kentville-Wolfville, N. S., four up and two to play in a 36 hole match for the Maritime title at Riverside today. Harris, present Nova Scotia champion, eliminated "Gint" Cain, of Yarmouth, last year's Maritime champion, in the semi-finals yesterday.

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cannot fail to exercise an influence far beyond the borders of the empire itself.

"No previous Imperial Conference," it added, "achieved such a degree of success or held out such hopes for the future. It is obvious that if we had failed to show at Ottawa that the British Commonwealth is able to progress towards the solution of its own economic problems, our ability and influence at the world economic conference would be weakened if not destroyed. As it is, we can face the future with hope. The events of the year show that we have moved away from the area of deep depression."

Flags dipped in salute and hundreds of sirens shrilled a chorus of welcome as the Empress of Britain steamed up Southampton water to dock shortly before noon. The Mayor and Councillors of Southampton went on board at once to extend a civic welcome to the party returning from Ottawa.

Chatting informally with newspapermen on board, Rt. Hon. J. H. Thomas admitted he had spent part of his time at Ottawa almost every day in conversations with the Free State delegation. They were conducted as "card-parties." He was sure such discussions had done good. He himself had not deviated from his attitude toward the question of Irish land annuities, which the Free State Government decline to pay, but he had taken care not to close the door to any avenue of economic peace between the Free State and the United Kingdom.

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followed later by at least that many other workers. The unions have refused to accept wage cuts insisted on by the owners, who served notice last December they intended to terminate an agreement on wages and hours under which the industry had been operating for nearly a decade.

Leaders in the industry are unanimous in the belief that if the strike is prolonged it will prove a serious blow to the already diminished cotton trade. Thousands of pounds worth of orders would be lost in the first few days of the walkout. The belief tonight was that nothing short of intervention by the government could forestall the strike. In addition to the operators involved, the cotton strike would affect thousands of other workers in packing, handling and shipping departments and in numerous industries.

MISS BAULD WINS N.S. GOLF CH'SHIP GOLD CASH WINS FEATURE CIRCUIT EVENT

HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 26.—(By The Canadian Press)—Miss Edith Bauld of Ashburn Club, today won the women's gold championship by defeating Mrs. W. F. Hutchinson of St. John's, Nfld. 7 and 6.

BIG LEAGUE BALL RESULTS

Table with columns for American League and National League, listing teams and scores.

HOW THEY STAND

Table showing standings for American League and National League.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Table showing American League standings.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Table showing National League standings.

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fifty-four short years. No other country in history he declared, could boast such rapid advance to a place among the foremost nations of the world. The courage of exhibition authorities in continuing to make progress was, in his view, an example to be followed by all Canada.

Prime Minister Bennett deplored suggestions that the conference had planned to injure the commerce of other nations. Its one purpose was to restore prosperity to members of the British family, he asserted, and there was nothing unneighborly in that aim.

On every hand were signs of economic recovery, said Mr. Bennett, and he promised for the future a prosperity never known before. This day of opening for the Canadian National Exhibition would also mark the opening of a new trend; it would be remembered as a landmark in Canadian history.

Commends Success Of Empire Parley

QUEBEC, Aug. 26.—Expressing admiration at the extraordinary diplomacy of the English, and pointing out that the recent Imperial Conference has certainly given our country an opportunity to manifest its importance in the domain of Empire, His Grace Mgr. Villeneuve, Archbishop of Quebec, commented on the Imperial Conference yesterday as follows:—"Without blind optimism it can be said that the representatives of the nations attending the Imperial Conference have traced the way to the equilibrium of the universal world, set by the Sovereign Pontiff, and the importance of this conference to the world cannot be denied."

"As stated by one of the eminent orators, the delegates to the conference sank personal opinions for the benefit of the Empire, and in doing so made sacrifices but secured the triumph of the Conference as a whole. It is consoling to note that in their communications our most distinguished guests did not fail to mention discreetly but significantly, their belief in the role which the Supreme Being plays in human destiny."

"Despite the uncertainty of public opinion regarding the situation of the conference, the impression has been left that the twilight will dissolve into a sunshine for the morrow."

THE SUMMARIES

2:17 Pace, Purse \$600 Col. Tom, br.g. by Col Armstrong (Fitzpatrick) ... 1 1 1 Laconic, b.g. (Palin) ... 3 2 1 Estrella, b.m. (Crozier) ... 2 3 3 Star Philistine, ch.g. (Rodman) ... 6 3 1 Abbie Silk, br.m. (Flynn) ... 4 4 4 Hollywood Ruth, b.m. (Paraker) ... 5 4 1 Taylor Thomas, Lucy Strathmore also started. Time—2:09 1/2; 2:08 1/2; 2:09 1/2.

2:20 Trot, Purse \$800

Dillon Mack, g.g. by McKinney Mack (Shell) ... 1 1 1 Evan Hanover, b.g. (T. Berry) ... 2 2 1 La Rita Frisco, ch.f. (Palin) 3 4 3 Laurel Nancy, b.f. (Stokes) 6 3 4 Frances Knight, ch.m. (Crozier) ... 4 5 1 Miss Wayne County, Schneider also started. Time—2:10 1/2; 2:13 1/2; 2:10 1/4.

Free For All Pace, Purse \$2,000

Cold Cash, br.h. by Peter Sooten (Brittenfield) ... 1 2 1 Winalpes, b.g. (Palin) ... 2 1 1 Calumet Adam, ch.s. (Chilles) ... 3 3 Helen Aquilan, b.m. (W. Fleming) ... 4 4 Time—2:04 1/2; 2:02 1/2; 2:06.

2:13 Pace, Purse \$1,000

Mc. I Win, b.c. by McElwyn (Parshall) ... 1 1 1 Lusty Volo, br.h. (Palin) ... 2 2 3 Bertha's Signal, ch. (Wilson) ... 4 3 1 Billy Strathmore, b.g. (Hodson) ... 3 4 4 Rose Marie Abbe, b.m. (Boatman) ... 5 5 Time—2:06 1/2; 2:03 1/2; 2:08 1/2.

2:17-2:21 Claimed Pace, for Illinois Owned Horses, Purse \$400

So Big, v.f. by Peter Pottemkin (Phillips) ... 3 3 1 Doris Knight, ch.m. (Lee & Son) ... 4 2 4 Graham Mac, s.a. (Hilt) 2 1 3 Sally Abbe, b.m. (Ward) 4 2 5 Jean Hal, b.m. (Phillips) 6 5 4 Time—2:07 1/2; 2:08 1/2; 2:12 1/2; 2:13 1/2.

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mechanic, of Toronto. At Harbor Grace they will superintend the refuelling of Mollison's plane and give it a final inspection before the adventurous Scot hops off to conquer the Atlantic again. Leaving New York early this morning, they were forced down by fog near the Island of Grand Manan, south western New Brunswick about 9 o'clock. The fog lifted in the morning and shortly afterwards they hopped off. They landed here at three o'clock and took on about 100 gallons of fuel. It is understood that Captain Mollison is still in New York awaiting favorable weather reports for his flight. One week ago he set his plans down in a New Brunswick meadow 30 hours out of Port Maitland, Ireland, having completed the first westward solo flight across the north Atlantic.

LATER

Captain Mollison plans to fly to Harbor Grace, Nfld., tomorrow, stopping en route at Saint John, N. B. He said he will not take off across the ocean until Sunday, at the earliest.