

Big Ice Racing Meet Gets Underway

Fastest Times Of Season Chalked Up Yesterday As Island Horses Win 4 Events

Island owners horses copped four out of five races yesterday as the big inter-province racing meet between horses from the Eastern Driving Club of Dartmouth and Victoria Driving Club of Charlottetown opened at the Speedway off Victoria Park. Tracey Hanover chalked up the only Nova Scotia victory of the day out of the four classes the visitors had entries in with Millie Kalmuck, Royal Jim, Wait N' See and Juanita Axworthy being the other winners on the card.

Over a lightning-fast track and under brilliant sunshine the largest crowd of ice racing fans saw the fastest times of the season being chalked up and saw practically every heat produce blanket finishes. Three of the sixteen heats were raced in better than 30 seconds with the majority of them all under 31, with Royal Jim, George Hughes fast pacer from Brackley Pt., and the Eastern Driving Club's Tracey Hanover going forward in 29 1-2 seconds to hang up the fastest times of the day.

Feature race of the day, a battle for the Maritime trotting title between Millie Kalmuck and June Evans went to the great Island trotter in straight heats with the Evans mare forcing Millie to trot quarters in 31, 29 3-4 and 30 1-2 seconds before going down to defeat. The meet will be continued today when the paceship championship of the Maritimes will be decided between two horses from each Club. In addition other classes are on the card that will make for another great day's racing.

How They Raced

Free For All

Aubrey Dillon, Symbol Harry and Royal Jim came to the wire. They got away on the third score and at the eighth they were neck and neck. Symbol Harry went to a break to drop back and it was between Royal Jim and Aubrey Dillon with the former staving off the Dillon horse's final spurt to win the heat by a neck.

Second heat: Again it was another battle royal all the way down. Aubrey Dillon was again dangerous as she finished very fast but Royal Jim had too much speed as he won by a length in 29 1-2 seconds. It was the same story in the third and final heat as George Hughes' fast pacer went the quarter in 30 seconds to win by half a length. Three wonderful heats.

Class A Pace

The field of three were a little difficult to get away as they went up for the first heat but when they finally got the word it proved to be another hot battle. Half way down there was only a difference of inches but in the final eighth Lady Hal opened up a length lead over Tracey Hanover and held it to the wire with Nell Cochotadale two lengths back.

Second Heat: As they got away

This race was probably the most spectacular of the afternoon and four heats to decide after the three entrants had each won one of the first three. Juanita Axworthy driven by L. Kelly who piloted two winners home during the afternoon was the victor but it was only by the matter of inches.

Heatherbell Goes Great Race

First Heat: Featured by the return to Island tracks of the old favorite Heatherbell, in competition with Lusty Frisco and Juanita Axworthy, the 17-year-old Heatherbell was warned of the heat by his followers as he took the lead right from the word and in a blanket finish with Juanita Axworthy was announced the winner as he trotted the quarter in 30 3-4 seconds. From start to finish it was a great heat with the old campaigner staving off the finishing spurt of the Axworthy mare. Lusty Frisco was third.

Second Heat: The big crowd was pulling strongly for Heatherbell to win the heat and race and for over three quarters of the distance he appeared as if he would win. But when the wire was reached Heatherbell was not to be and he was beaten by the other old campaigner Lusty Frisco driven by an equally old campaigner Tom Holmes nipping second place by an inch.

Third Heat: Heatherbell was again in the thick of the fight as they battled it out the entire length of the stretch but Lusty Frisco sent the race into an extra heat as he caught Heatherbell right at the wire with Juanita Axworthy who had gone to a break two lengths back.

Fourth Heat: It was a blanket finish among all three. Right from the word go the three raced in a line right to the wire and ten feet away it was next to impossible to pick out the leader but as they trotted under the wire Juanita Axworthy took the lead and Heatherbell to take the heat and race with Lusty Frisco not half a foot behind on the outside in third place.

Class B Pace

Wait N' See, Willard McDonald's good pacer who is showing better form every time out was a little fast for Bryne Hal and Princess Kalmuck as he took the race with a 1 1 1 summary. But although winning in straight heats the winner received plenty of competition from the other two.

In the first heat Hal led right up to the final twenty yards only to lose out as Wait N' See and Princess Kalmuck finished fast with the former winning by a head from the Kalmuck mare.

In the second and third heats Wait N' See had too much "kick" in the final 100 feet for the other two entries. Hal provided the competition in the second quarter heat as he chased the Southport-owned horse right to the wire with Princess Kalmuck third and in the final heat the Kalmuck mare copped her second 2nd place as she finished a length behind Wait N' See with Bryne Hal another length back of the flying leaders.

SUMMARY

Free For All

Royal Jim (L. Kelly) 1 1 1
Aubrey Dillon (Turner) 2 2 2
Symbol Harry (McKenra) 3 3 3
Time: 30 1-4, 29 1-2, 30
Winning horse owned by George Hughes, Brackley Pt.

GUARDIAN SPORTING NEWS



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Eight Classes Planned For Today's Ice Meet

Eight classes, composed of five pacing and three trotting meetings will be held today on the Speedway off Victoria Park, as the inter-province meet between the Victoria Driving Club of Charlottetown and the Eastern Driving Club of Dartmouth, N. S., concludes.

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Remember When

(By The Canadian Press)

Montreal Canadiens signed goal-keeper Roy Marchand 20 years ago today.

Chicago player rated one of hockey's all-time great goalkeepers, who had been injured in a game against the Hamilton, Vezina returned to his Montreal duties in 1925. He died March 28, 1926.

League officials announced that the opening game of the semi-final series would take place on Tuesday night with the next one scheduled for Thursday night, although this latter date has not yet been decided upon.

With regard to the final series to determine the league champions the opening game of the playoffs being slated to open here on Feb. 26th with the local All-Stars meeting Pats-Amherst Rangers, Moncton-Bathurst series, it seems likely now that the determining of the league champions will have to be held over until the All-Stars are eliminated from Maritime play. It was also announced last night that Summerside definitely would not have a team entered in the Maritime playoffs.

Completion of the Suez Canal in 1869 made Marseilles the chief Mediterranean port for cargoes to and from the Far East.

BRINGING UP FATHER

MR. JIGGS—YOUR WIFE'S SINGING TEACHER IS HERE TO SEE YOU—SIR.

WHAT CRIME HAVE I COMMITTED TO BE INFLECTED WITH HIM?

MR. JIGGS! I'VE GOT TO GO! I'VE GOT TO GO! I'VE GOT TO GO!

DON'T TELL ME MY WIFE IS GOING TO TAKE SOME MORE LESSONS!

WHAT?

NO—I'LL BE UNABLE TO GIVE HER ANY MORE LESSONS—AS I'M GOING IN THE ARMY.

THE FORUM TONIGHT — 7.15

PLAY-OFF—CLUBS TIED IN 1st. PLACE

S. D. U. vs. Y. M. C. A.

A SIZZLING SCORCHER

SIT IN ON A GAME YOU'LL ENJOY

Curling Results, Today's Schedule

Six matches were played yesterday as competition for the Senator Trophy continued. The results were:

G. G. Hughes, 10; W. R. Cruikshank, 6.
H. Winchester, 11; R. S. P. Jardine, 5.
R. V. Bell, 11; C. H. Black, 5.
W. W. Lord, 14; A. V. Spillet, 5.
Dr. E. S. Giddings, 11; J. F. McLeod, 8.
W. R. Adams, 12; R. C. Stoddard, 4.

Four matches in the same competition are scheduled for today. They are:

4 p.m. ice no. 1
W. W. Lord vs. R. R. Bell
7 p.m. ice no. 3
F. R. McLaine vs. R. C. Stoddard
8.30 p.m. ice no. 2
Dr. E. S. Giddings vs. W. R. Adams

9 p.m. ice no. 3
H. Winchester vs. G. G. Hughes

Amherst Wants Final Game At Moncton

AMHERST, N. S., Feb. 17—(CP)—Officials of Amherst All-Stars decided tonight to insist that their final Maritime hockey playoff game with Moncton Maroons be played at Moncton Friday night as scheduled by the Maritime Amateur Hockey Association.

The Moncton team, with only an open air rink, wishes the game transferred to Saint John for Thursday night. However, most of the Amherst players are engaged in war work here, and plant officials oppose the longer absence from work that would be involved in a trip to Saint John.

It was expected here President Frank Gallagher of the M.A.H.A. would be called on to iron out the disagreement.

The Moncton-Amherst series opened here last night, with All Stars taking a 4-4 win in the two-game total-goal round.

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Queen Street Charlottetown

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