

# SPORT GOSSIP OF THE ISLAND AND THE WORLD.

## SPLendid DAY'S RACING AT NEW ANNAN YESTERDAY

### Over Three Thousand Spectators Witness Spectacular Surprise Filled Races—Good Boxing Exhibition And Other Attractions

All roads led to New Annan yesterday. As a tribute to the great preparations made by Jim Pendergast, thousands wended their way by foot, vehicles, motor cars, and trains, to the ever popular New Annan race track.

The weather was ideal, which is usually the case for Jim's races. The program was very good indeed, and was through comparatively early. Besides the racing, there was dancing, boxing, singing and other features of amusement which helped to interest the large crowd of people. The most perfect order prevailed on the grounds.

The races on the program were the Free For All, the 2:21 Trot and the 2:40 Trot and Pace.

### The Free For All

This race had only three starters the others being debarred by minor accidents from competing. It was won in straight heats by the good trotter Longset, 2:06 1/4 owned by Messrs Conroy and Stewart and driven by Mr. Conroy. Three years ago Longset raced on the Grand Circuit and also on the Orange County Circuit, where he won some large stakes, taking a record of 2:11 1/4 on the half mile track and 2:06 1/4 on the mile track. It is safe to say that yesterday he was in equally good form, and twice during the afternoon he shattered the track record of 2:16 1/4 made by Our Colonel in a race with Peter Farren in 1915. Pansy Aubrey, owned by Mr. D. A. McPhee, carried the battle to Longset and was beaten by only a couple of feet in the first heat. She was really an exceptional pacer yesterday, in fact was in the form of her life. Dan Patch, who was thought to have had a chance of winning, made a hard try but could not get to the other two.

It is safe to say the record made yesterday will stand for many years at New Annan.

### The 2:21 Trot

There were six starters in this race and it developed into quite a surprise, as Seldom C, entered by Mr. C. B. Merriam, Parsboro, N. J., and driven by Mr. John Holmes did not seem to have a chance of winning, though he trotted a wonderful race. In the first heat he finished fourth, the heat being won by Princess Aubrey, in what looked to be a fairly comfortable lead. Mac Crescous being a close second, Miss Belle Rico third and Seldom C fourth. Everybody conceded the race to Princess Aubrey, but in the next heat Seldom C got away flying, while Mac Crescous and Princess Aubrey got into a tangle through the former stepping on Princess Aubrey's tire. Seldom C took the lead, and although challenged by Miss Belle Rico in the stretch won by half a length. In the next two heats he again shook off the opposition and won by a nice margin. The time made in the first heat, namely 2:18 1/4, was exceptionally good and shows that the track must have been in pretty good shape.

### 2:40 Trot and Pace.

This race had rather a large field of starters and it took considerable scoring to get them off. It developed into another surprise race. In the first heat Ruby Aubrey, who had got away on her stride, mowed down her opposition finally closing upon Aubriana on the home stretch, passing him, and winning by two lengths Aubriana making a break and being passed by The Pup and others. In the second heat, Marie Forbes, owned by Mr. Merriam and driven by John Holmes, proved the winner. She had finished in sixth position in the first heat, and showed an entirely different brand of speed in the subsequent heats. In this heat there was a collision, and Aubriana's sulky broke down, the driver being unseated. But fortunately no damage was done. The third and fourth heats were won by Marie Forbes, the princ-

## TENNIS

The return match games between Summerside and Ch'town Tennis Clubs will be played on Saturday the 22nd at the Charlottetown tennis courts. Players are leaving Summerside about 11 a. m. and games will commence as early as possible after their arrival.

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THE KILTIES ARE COMING. Any visiting Scotch bagpiper may be expected to burst into melody when he reaches Fifth avenue this fall. He will feel right at home between the vogue for plaids and plaids and the short skirts, the fall dresses will be kilts and nothing else. Knees will not be bare however.

## Mrs. Hutchins May Not Defend Her Title

TORONTO, Aug. 19.—According to information received locally Mrs. Harold Hutchins, of Wainipeg, who won the Canadian ladies golf championship at Mississauga last September, will not defend her title at the close championship which will commence at the Rivermead club, Ottawa on Labor Day.

## Berlenbach Prepared To Defend World's Title

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Paul Berlenbach was prepared to defend his world's light heavyweight crown against Jack Delaney, of Bridgeport, on September 11 at the Yankee stadium. Berlenbach's manager, Dan Hickey, has announced that the injury which caused a postponement of the bout from the original date of August 28, will not keep Berlenbach idle until the arrival of the indoor season at first reported.

## Tennis Program At Summerside

A party of tennis players from Charlottetown motored to Summerside on Saturday last, and played a very interesting match against a team from Summerside. Owing to the rain of Friday night and Saturday morning the courts were late in drying up, and play was not begun until after three o'clock, so that the full program could not be played off. Nineteen sets were played, and the result was a victory for Charlottetown by 10 to 9. The following were the line-up and the results by sets:

(1) Ladies' Singles: Charlottetown—J. Burke, E. Burke and I. Burke. Summerside—L. Saunders, W. Wyatt, M. Saunders, M. Burke Harris and Rodd won from W. Wyatt from E. Burke 7-5; M. Saunders won from I. Burke 6-3. Total—Charlottetown 1; Summerside 2.

(2) Men's Doubles: Charlottetown—J. A. Bentley and M. McKinnon, Dr. Robins and Williams, J. Fullerton and J. Rodd; Summerside—R. Saunders and T. A. Campbell, A. C. Saunders and A. Allen, E. Harris and J. O. C. Campbell. Bentley and McKinnon won from Saunders and Campbell 11-9; Robins and Williams won from Harris and Rodd 6-1; Fullerton and Rodd won from Saunders and Allen 7-5; Bentley and McKinnon won from Harris and Campbell 7-5; McKinnon and Williams won from Saunders and Allen 7-5; Saunders and Campbell won from Fullerton and Rodd 4-4. Total—Charlottetown 5; Summerside 1.

(3) Men's Singles: Charlottetown—Dr. Robins, J. Fullerton, M. McKinnon and L. McMillan. Summerside—R. Saunders, J. O. C. Campbell, T. A. Campbell. Saunders won from Dr. Robins 6-1; Fullerton won from J. O. C. Campbell 6-4; J. O. C. Campbell won from T. A. Campbell 6-4; McKinnon won from Fullerton 6-3; Saunders won from McKinnon 6-1. Total—Charlottetown 2; Summerside 4.

(4) Mixed Doubles: Charlottetown—J. Fullerton and Miss J. Fullerton, L. McMillan and D. Hutchison, Dr. Robins and M. Burke, M. McKinnon and M. Burke, Summerside—R. Saunders and M. Saunders, T. A. Campbell and W. Wyatt, E. Harris and Mrs. E. Harris, R. and L. Saunders won from Fullerton and Fullerton, A. C. and M. Saunders won from McKinnon and Hutchison, Robins and Burke won from Campbell and Wyatt, McKinnon and Burke won from Harris and Harris. Total 2 each.

It is understood that a return match is to be played in the near future.

## Halifax Boxers Lose In Quebec

QUEBEC, Aug. 19.—Ralph McNaughton local claimant to the bantamweight title of the province, obtained an easy victory over Irish Jimmy Galvin, colored Halifax boxer over whom he gained a technical knockout in the fifth round here last night. The fight was not interesting, McNaughton being superior throughout, dropping his man four times prior to the sponge being thrown in with the negro in distress in the fifth round. Galvin took two counts of eight and a similar number of nines before the battle ended.

The other colored section of the evening's entertainment also met defeat. Joe Dixon of Halifax being on the losing end of his scrap with Joe Duquet of this city in a six-round preliminary.

## Maritime Senior Golf Association Organized

SAINT JOHN, Aug. 19.—The Maritime Senior Golf Association was organized today at the Riverside Golf and Country Club. There was a good attendance of charter members, officers were elected and arrangements made for matches to take place tomorrow and the next day.

The following officers were elected: President—Hon. C. W. Robinson, Moncton. First Vice-President—Hon. F. B. McCurdy Halifax. Second Vice-President—W. K. Rogers, Charlottetown. Secretary—R. N. M. Robertson, Saint John. A. C. Currier, Dr. F. G. Sprague, C. H. Peters.

## Young Stribling Meets Jimmy Delaney Tonight

VERNON, Calif., Aug. 19.—Young Stribling, Georgia light heavyweight makes his southern California ring debut at the Vernon Arena here tonight in a ten round bout with Jimmy Delaney, St. Paul boxer, with whom he fought a newspaper draw at Milwaukee.

The Georgia boxer is the favorite.

## Outpoints Opponent

NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 19.—Leading his opponent in ten of the 12 rounds, with a rapid fire jabbing attack Geo. Ward, Elizabeth, N. J. welterweight, decisively outpointed Harry Martone of Jersey City last night.

## Harness Racing At Belfast, Maine

BELFAST, Me., Aug. 19.—Lester Dore of Readville, Bay State circuit reinsman, who has his string here for a circuit of the Maine fair took the fast race on the opening card of the Belfast Fair with his Miss Setzer mare Miss Gloaming in straight heats. Best time 2:17 1/4. The veteran Bangor campaigner, Yassar C, finished 2-2-2 brushing his way to the winner. In the 2:40 class half-starter mares, Lottie Direct and Bettie Direct, both by Empire Direct took first and second monies. There was fine weather and a fast track.

## Field Day At Tignish

The field day sports held in the Tignish Athletic grounds Aug 5th was a grand success. The weather was ideal and a large number of spectators witnessed with intense interest the various events. The contestants taking part were purely a Prince County aggregation, although Charlottetown Y. M. C. athletes were entered and appointed when they did not put in an appearance.

In the senior events Marcus Hackett of Tignish, won the cup for the best all round athlete. This young athlete has all the promise of a coming one. Although only in his eighteenth year, he is the won this year in the various athletic grounds of the Prince County and in competition with the best athletes of the Island. In the intermediate section Clifford Hackett of Tignish was medalist as the best all round while in the junior class Jerry Buote of Tignish captured the all round medal. It will be remembered that Jerry won the all round junior at the big barn opening at Northam and against Charlottetown competition. The tug of war caused much excitement and was won by Tignish against outsiders. Mr. James Aspinall of Kensington acted as judge and timer for the events, while J. B. Morrissey, of Tignish, filled the position of announcer and J. M. A'Hearn as official starter.

## FINE AUTO FOR KING.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—The King of Siam will be presented with a \$25,000 motor car and trailer by members of the Siamese family. The cars will include a dining room, sitting room, bedroom and bathroom.

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## Georgetown H. S. Lose To Queen Square 7-2

Yesterday afternoon at the A. A. Grounds the Georgetown High School baseball team were defeated by the Queen Square nine in a fairly fast game which ended 7 to 2.

Both teams worked hard in the boiling sun and all were glad when the game was over. Connors and Lavers, the rival moundsmen, served up some hard twists and shoots and lots of speed on 'em too, the catchers had to keep right on the jump to hold the ball.

The visitors went to bat first and succeeded in bringing a runner across the plate. The home team failed to duplicate this and went down in one, two, three or four in the second and not a runner reached first. The Q. S. S. players, however, tied up the score before the side was retired.

In the third innings the visitors were blanked again and the home team added another run. In the fourth both teams went scoreless. The fifth saw no change in the score for Georgetown, while Queen Square again added another run. In the sixth and seventh innings both teams played air-tight ball and all batters took the "count."

The eighth saw a change all around, the G. H. S. boys scored one run but the city boys were determined to settle things and four runners crossed the plate. In the ninth the G. H. S. players went down in one, two, three order and Q. S. S. didn't bat.

Messrs Fred McCarey and Hudson Morrissette acted as umpire and base judge respectively, to the satisfaction of both teams.

## Amateur Boxing Championships

The first amateur boxing championships of P. E. I. were held at New Annan yesterday. The boxing was fast and clean and the large number of spectators that witnessed the exhibitions of fist skill were indeed pleased with this part of the days programme. Frank Burns, of Halifax, satisfactorily acted as referee while Parker Hooper, of Charlottetown, was time-keeper. The first bout was between Jack Connolly of Charlottetown and Buote, Tignish, in two minutes of fighting Buote's signs threw a towel in the ring signifying that their man was beaten.

Ivan Nicholson of Charlottetown and a Tignish entrant fought a draw in the eighty pound class. The first round went to the Tignish boy, the second was a draw and the third was Nicholson's by a narrow margin.

It is to be hoped that next year a larger number of contestants will enter these bouts as there must be more amateur boxers on the island than exhibited their wares at yesterday's tournament. Those that did compete deserve credit for having helped to start a line of sport that is not nearly as popular as it should be.

All the gladiators of the padded mat were gentlemanly in their behavior and were full of the stuff that heroes are made of as some of them took considerable punishment being forced to concede the bout to their victors.

## Lord Chumley Is Hilarious Comedy

MYSTERY, drama, action and laughs—

That's the order of things at the Prince Edward Theatre where the new Paramount picture, "Forty Winks," directed by Paul Iribe and Frank Urson, opened yesterday.

The production is an adaptation of the stage success, "Lord Chumley," by David Belasco and Henry C. DeMille and features Viola Dana, Theodore Roberts and Raymond Griffith in leading roles.

Ray Griffith plays Chumley, a titled English gentleman engaged to Eleanor Butterworth, daughter of Rear Admiral Adam Butterworth, family lawyer who is also after Eleanor. He arranges with an oriental girl (Anna May Wong) to steal some valuable plans from the girl's brother (William Boyd), a lieutenant in the navy. Then the lawyer tells Eleanor that with all his health he can buy back the plans easily enough but it would be better for him to do this as a member of the family. The girl promises to marry him if he will but she never the plans and save her brother from prison and disgrace.

But the lawyer had not counted on Chumley in this little scheme of his and it develops that Lord Algernon Cholomondeley, of course only his mother ever called him that, has quite a bit to say in the matter. He throws over all Le Sage's cleverly laid plans, and gives him an artistic trimming, takes the girl into his arms—and but that's not all there is to it by a long shot. As the usual run of pictures go, "Forty Winks" should end right then and there—with the clench. But Iribe and Urson have given the closing scenes a decidedly novel twist—and that's what makes the picture different from anything you've seen before.

There's rapid-fire action in "Forty Winks" love interest and all the rest—and it's clean as a whistle.

## BIG LEAGUES

BOSTON, Aug. 19.—(National)—The St. Louis Cardinals lost their third straight game to the Boston Braves 5 to 4 today when the Braves knocked Haines for four runs in the second inning.

St. Louis ..... 4 10 0  
Boston ..... 5 8 2  
Haines, Dickerman, Rhem and O'Farrell; Smith and O'Neill.

BROOKLYN, Aug. 19.—(National)—Brooklyn defeated Pittsburgh 8 to 7 today and as the Giants humbled the Cubs, the lead of the Pirates in the National League scramble was reduced to two games.

Pittsburgh ..... 7 11 1  
Brooklyn ..... 8 13 1  
Vance and Deberry.  
Meadows, Oldham and Sheehan; PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 19.—(National)—Philadelphia won the third game of the series with the Cincinnati Reds 5 to 4 here, today. Score: Cincinnati ..... 4 10 2  
Phila ..... 5 13 1  
Donohue and Hargrave, Rings and Henline.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—(National)—The Giants chalked up their fourth straight victory today defeating 7 to 6 in the second game of the series. Score: Chicago ..... 6 9 1  
New York ..... 7 11 2  
Alexander Bush and Gonzales; Bentley and Winsner Huntzinger and Snyder Hartley.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 19.—(American)—Washington made it two days straight from Cleveland today winning 12 to 8. Reuther helped including a home run with one on. Falls. Those rapids are still to be conquered, but since Webb's time Cleveland ..... 8 16 2  
The Channel has been crossed by at least three other swimmers; Reuther, Marberry and Severell; Amth Karroll and L. Sewell.

DETROIT, Aug. 19.—(American)—Detroit evened the series with New York by taking the second game 4 to 8 behind steady pitching by Wells.  
New York ..... 3 9 6  
Detroit ..... 4 6 1  
Pennock and Bengough Wells and Begough Wells and Woodall.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 19.—(American)—Philadelphia's lead over Washington was narrowed to half another mermaid who is now on a game when St. Louis registered their second win over the league. Philadelphia ..... 8 14 3  
Ederle, an American champion all his strength and speed will not avail.

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if the feat is within the powers of a woman, Miss Ederle should succeed, for she is not only a proved long distance swimmer but a speed swimmer as well. The ability to keep swimming for fourteen hours is commoner than most people unacquainted with the art suppose. Captain Webb took twenty-one hours to make the crossing and Burgess covered sixty miles when he triumphed after sixteen failures. A first class distance swimmer could keep going, as far as physical strength is concerned, as long as a trained athlete could keep walking. It is the cold temperature of the water may be when they enter it, the certainty is that sooner or later the chill will strike to their bones, and they will become numb. The exercise will not prevent this, because a peculiarity of swimming as an exercise is its lack of friction. Most swimmers when preparing for long distance races try to build themselves up to put on flesh instead of reducing before they enter the Channel waters they are smeared with oil. The tides are also a tremendous obstacle. The swimmer must gauge his speed so that at a certain minute he will be in a certain position. Otherwise, instead of having the tide to bear him forward it bears him away. Half a dozen great swimmers have been within a short distance of their goal when the tide has turned and swept them back to sea. The Channel tides are exceptionally swift and heavy. Unless the swimmer can plan to make them his allies all his strength and speed will not avail.

### A Carnival of Sport: Maritime Athletic Championships, Abegweit Grounds, August 26th. Scores of Athletes.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 19.—Making a sensational finish in the final two rounds, Charley O'Connor, of Cleveland was awarded a draw in his fifteen round bout here last night with Pal Moran, of New Orleans.