

SPORTING NEWS

THE PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND BASEBALL LEAGUE

Large Entry List For Horse Racing At Fredericton

FREDERICTON, N. B., July 23.—Something new in harness racing in the Maritime Provinces is expected to be inaugurated at the Maine and New Brunswick circuit meeting which opens here tomorrow.

One of the problems confronting officials of the Fredericton driving and sporting club today was how to take care of the large fields which evidently will present themselves in some of the races.

In the 2:18 class, the first race on the programme tomorrow there are twenty-one horses entered and the expectation is that that event will have to be raced either in two divisions or else on an elimination plan such as has been adopted on the Grand Circuit to take care of the large fields this season.

The other two events tomorrow: The Junior free-for-all and the 2:16 class have seven and fifteen entries respectively.

The first race on Thursday, the 2:22 trot and pace, also has an abnormally large entry list, there being entered in that event, which is more than can be taken care of together, but withdrawals may cut that class down so that all that remain can be started. The other races on Thursday have good entry lists, the free-for-all having five, the 2:14 class ten and the 2:25 trot nine.

Note—Clip this out and paste it in your "top-piece."

CH'TOWN DRIVING CLUB MEETING TONIGHT AT 8 O'CLOCK

There will be a meeting of the members of the Charlottetown Driving Club tonight at 8 p. m.

BASEBALL

BASEBALL AT NORTH RUSTICO

A very exciting though rather one-sided game of baseball was played on July 15 at North Rustico between the Rustico Indians and the Wheatley River Whizbangs the former winning by a score of 13-1.

The game was featured by hard hitting by the Indians. Ray Barrett of the Whizbangs made a home run during the game. Mr. James B. MacGuigan umpired and Mr. John Dorion base judge handled the game to the satisfaction of all.

The following was the line-up: Indians Catcher W. MacGuigan R. Woolner Pitcher T. Reid E. Perry 1st. Base J. Hagen J. Blacquire 2nd. Base W. Hagen G. LeClair 3rd. Base A. Bulger J. Gauthier Short Stop R. MacDonald A. Woolner Centre Field E. Bulger H. Doucette Right Field D. MacGuigan S. Woolner

A CATTY REMARK. "I don't like my new gown very well," said a young lady in Regent street. "The material is awfully pretty, and the style is all right, but it needs something to improve the shape of it."

THAT'S DIFFERENT. A Negro was trying to saddle a fractious mule. "Does that mule ever kick you Sam?" asked a bystander. "Harry Dunn, Moncton; P. I. Hamon, Moncton; Archdeacon Davidson, Regina, Sask."

RUSTICO 33; HOPE RIVER 12. The North Rustico Indians scored another win to their credit on July 18 by taking the Hope River

use of liquors with an immoral excess. "Prohibition pushes positive law beyond the proper limitations of personal rights. Total abstinence from alcoholic beverages is no part of morality, and the moderate use of alcohol is the tradition of Christendom from the example of the Divine founder, and His apostles through all the ages to this moment."

The Rev. Wynham Heathcote of Malden, recently addressed a meeting at the Corn Exchange, during which he described the workings of the illicit drink traffic in the United States as he observed it on a recent trip. He produced canes, dummy books and even a glass capable of carrying small quantities of liquor which he stated were used, with many other novelties, in a continual if unlawful service, America under prohibition he declared, had become a more corrupt, more criminal and drunken nation.

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PONJOLA THE BEST PICTURE IN MONTHS

Now Showing At The Prince Edward Large Crowds See Most Perfect Movie In Months

"Ponjola," First National's picture version of Cynthia Stockley's widely read story of the same title, which opened yesterday at the Prince Edward Theatre for two day's engagement, is as near to picture perfection as any photograph that has been seen in this city for many months.

It is a picture that is not going to prove disappointing to those who read the book. Rather are the readers going to like the play even better than the story.

Sam E. Torke who produced the play has adhered faithfully to the original tale and under the direction of Donald Crisp he has given to the screen a masterfully constructed film.

Those who enjoy exciting drama, thrills and romance, blended in the proper proportions, have a treat in store for them in this powerful, pulse-quicken story of the African veldt.

Its story treats of an English noblewoman (a part played by Ann O. Nilsson) who, heartbroken seeks to hide her identity by masquerading as a man. She goes into a man's world, among the gold miners of Rhodesia.

There she meets a man who had saved her from self-destruction months before. Disappointed in love the man is slowly losing his soul to the black curse of the country, ponjola, a native drink.

Unrecognized by the man she sets out to redeem him, a course which is beset with exciting adventures. She fights the curse single handed and fights those who seek to destroy the man.

There are a number of unique incidents in the play which are entirely new to pictures, one especially. This is where one of the characters, a despicable type of "vamp" practices her charm on the heroine, believing, of course that she is a man.

A fight in an abandoned shack is most realistic, and so is the court room scene which follows where the girl is accused of murder. In no way are either of these highly dramatic touches overdone.

Miss Nilsson makes a convincing man. The illusion is perfect. One forgets, while watching the film, that the character is that of a woman, so remarkable is she in her enactment of this difficult role.

The part of Lundu Druro, the drink sidden hero, is admirably played by James Kirkwood, who has proved himself a master in the portrayal of such parts, Joseph Kilgour is excellent in the "heavy" role. The other parts are capably done by Ruth Clifford, Edwin Sturgis, Claire McDowell, Claire Du Brey and Bernard Randall. Will be shown today for the last time.

Minard's Liniment—Heals Cuts.

Statement Of Premier

(Continued from Page 1) presentation having been settled upon only on Friday, a short time before he made his statement.

Mr. Thomas said he would add to the statement of Friday last only that very few communications had been pending for some weeks past between His Majesty's Government and the Dominion Governments concerning the arrangements in connection with the conference.

The Marquis of Hartington asked Mr. Thomas if he could say that the delay of which the Canadian Premier had complained had taken place, and if so, why?

Mr. Thomas said the very fact that he had been able within a few hours of Premier MacKenzie King's statement in the Canadian House of Commons to assure the British House of Commons that the matter was settled, ought in itself to be the best answer to the Marquis of Hartington's question and no useful purpose would be served in merely raking it up again.

British Clergymen Defend Alcohol On Christian Grounds

(United Press.) LONDON, July 23.—America is being used as the horrible example by the English anti-prohibitionists in their increasingly frequent meetings over England.

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Central Guardian

SHOP from Holman's Catalog

SAPPER ARRIVES.—The S. S. Canadian Sapper of the Mercantile Marine arrived here from Montreal at about ten o'clock last night.

FOX ROBBERY.—Late on Saturday night or early Sunday morning the Seaside ranch, Summerside East, owned by Messrs. James Morrison, John E. Campbell, H. H. LeFurgey and W. A. Allen, was broken into and two silver fox pups stolen and one left behind dead.

Two of the pups, both in Mr. Allen's section, were entered.—The Island Farmer.

WARSHIPS TO VISIT CHARLOTTETOWN.—The sloop of war H. M. S. Valerian is due to arrive here tomorrow according to advice by Lieut. T. H. Bunfain. During the latter part of next month, the H. M. S. Calcutta will make a four day's visit to this port, arriving on the 26th and leaving on the 29th. Both these warships have made previous visits here, and doubtless many old acquaintanceships will be renewed during their sojourns here.

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Papal Medal Competition

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Interest is Keen. Sketches are now being prepared for the new frock. These suggest dresses that follow the simplest lines, but without necessarily being uniform in character. Besides the specifications enumerated, it has been decided that all designs must adhere to the simple popular one piece dress which meets the style demands of young women. However, such concessions to individual taste as ruffles, laces and yokes, wide or narrow collars anduffed cuffs may be admitted.

Girl members of the various unions were enthusiastic over the competition when meetings were held on Monday for the formal opening of the contest. This was especially evident in Milan, where scores of automobiles participated in the ceremonies, many of them bearing placards announcing the opportunity to win the Pope's medal.

The contest will end at the close of the summer when a committee will total up the points gained by the various dioceses. Then the president of the diocesan local which amasses the highest number of points will be received in audience by the Pope and receive the medal from His Holiness.

In United States. NEW YORK, July 23.—Actuated by the expressed sentiments of Pope Pius XI, the National Council of Catholic Women has started a campaign against immodesty in dress and is sending out cards to its 700,000 members, asking each to sign a pledge to observe modesty in attire. The pledge concludes as follows:

"Resolved, That I will observe in private and public life the standards of Catholic teaching, particularly with regard to dress, reading and entertainment."

The pledges are being mailed from the headquarters of the council in Washington, D. C. The national president is Mrs. Michael Gavin, of New York, who is a daughter of the late James J. Hill. Mrs. Gavin said that not only will the pledge cards be mailed to members of the council in the States, but they were also being dispatched to Catholic women in Alaska, Hawaii, Porto Rico, the Panama Canal Zone and the Philippine Islands.

The campaign probably will be made world-wide as the American council is affiliated with the International Union of Catholic organizations in 33 countries.

PERSONALS

Mr. G. A. Thompson, Montague was in the city on a visit yesterday.

Chautauqua

(Continued from Page 1) of the speakers attached to the Greater New York committee, of which John D. Rockefeller was chairman. Subsequently he was a member of the U. S. Army Educational Corps in France and lectured in the camps in that country.

After the I. W. W. shooting at Centralia, Washington where four members of the American Legion were murdered on Armistice Day, he was one of the men who investigated the facts for the Legion and presented them to the public on the platform and in the magazines. It was through that work that he was called to the Chautauqua platform, where he has been ever since the spring of 1920. This is his third year with Swathmore, and he has lectured in every state in the union except one.

He uses a unique feature in his lecture work, an open forum. He distributes outlines of his lectures among the people in the audience with printed lists of questions. The outlines mention a number of topics on the subject which he discusses, "The Redemption of Modern Civilization" and the questions are based on the lecture. But original questions are also invited.

This feature has received a warm welcome and is proving an interesting innovation. Because of the thorough provoking nature of his lectures Dr. Hibbsman is advertised by the Chautauqua as a challenge lecturer. He will be here during the entire session of Chautauqua on Saturday afternoon and Sunday evening.

BIRTHS

MacMURDO.—In Summerside on Friday, July 18, to Dr. and Mrs. Archibald MacMurdo, twins, a boy and a girl.

POPE.—At the Prince County Hospital, July 18, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Pope, Pictou (nee Miss Nellie Perry, Summerside), a daughter, Anna Grant.

MARRIAGES

WEBSTER — PASSMORE — In Montreal, July 19, 1924, by the Rev. William Timberlake, Edw. E. Webster of Portland, Me., and Laura Passmore, of Charlottetown, P. E. I.

DEATHS

MacKINNON.—In the P. E. I. Hospital, today, July 23rd, Mrs. Stewart MacKinnon of Highfield, aged 29 years. Funeral notice later.

STANLEY.—In this city, July 22nd Mrs. Amelia Stanley, aged 38 years. Funeral from her late residence, 50 King Street this morning at 10 o'clock. Burial at St. Dunstan's Cathedral, to Roman Catholic Cemetery.

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For Sale

FOR SALE—A FIRST CLASS secondhand piano, at a bargain. Tanton's Music Store. 2657-4-23-31

FOR SALE—SHARES IN REGAL Ranch. M. M. B. Hunter River. 7-23-31

FOR SALE—McCLARY RANGE—Apply 89 Rochford Street. 2648-7-23-31

FOR SALE—COW NEWLY freshened. Byrne Bros., North River. 3047-7-23-31

FOR SALE—ON SATURDAY THE 20th at one o'clock I will sell on my farm at Charlottetown 90 acres of standing hay, best quality. M. J. McIver. 3635-7-23-31

FOR SALE—ONE MASTER SIX McLaughlin 5 passenger touring car in good condition. 6 tires and varnished this year. Will sell cheap or exchange for Foxes. Apply to E. E. Shearroll, Portland, Lot 10, P. E. I. 3637-7-23-31

FOR SALE—50 ACRES OF choice land, new dwelling house and good out buildings, grocery store in connection, good business stand. Apply on premises. Mrs. George W. Brookfield, Brookfield, P. E. I.—3642-7-23-31

Male Help Wanted

WANTED—A MAN TO WORK ON the farm. Apply B. A. Mallett, York. 3644-7-23-31

WANTED COUNTRY BOY FOR store. State age. R. Guardian. 3657-4-23-31

BIG EARNINGS STEADY EMPLOYMENT for Barbers. Become expert in 8 weeks. Write Moler Barber College, Department "F", Halifax. 3-1-tts it.

Miscellaneous

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APPLICANTS DESIROUS OF ENTERING September Class of North Adams Training School for Nurses, North Adams, Mass. Please write Superintendent promptly. 3178-7-23-31

THE LITTLETON HOSPITAL, Littleton, N. H., offers to young women a three-years course in theory and practice of nursing. Modern hospital building, ideally situated, completely equipped; new Nurses' Home on hospital grounds just completed. Instruction and practice in medical, surgical, obstetrical and pediatric work, and in hospital nursing. Application with references Memorial Hospital, Worcester, Mass. for four months in regular year for added experience in obstetrics and pediatrics; monthly allowance sufficient to cover expenses. Applicants must be of sound health and unblemished character and have been at least two years in high school or its equivalent. Only serious students desired. Application may be made to the Superintendent, Margaret I. Nicholson, Littleton Hospital, Littleton, N. H. 3658-7-24-31

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