

Saints In City League Finals With Navy Squad



DOWN THE BACK STRETCH

When the racing season rolls around Mr. Phillip 2.09, record track at Chatham, Sept. 1st, will be absent from the line up. It will be remembered that he won a dash at the night races Old Home Week and performed creditably at Foxboro. Joe O'Brien and he got along splendidly but when Joe accepted a position with Sep Palin his owner Dr. D. A. Donahue decided to sell. Mr. Phillip is being given slow preparation to meet the best in his class in Quebec.

We number among our readers in the U. S. A. the well-informed Billy Connick of Woburn, Mass. Billy writes us that he notes where the rules will require the breeding of each horse to be given on the race programs. He thinks that is a mighty good move and says that it is done at most of the tracks he attends in the U. S. A. and people who follow harness racing are better informed on breeding than those who patronize the runners. Continuing Billy states "We had a bad winter here 14 inches of snow and very cold. It has prevented me from getting out to see Danille Steele but I hope to get around to it as soon as conditions improve. Dan bought a nice four-year-old chestnut mare last fall. She has a record of 2:08 and was second in a photo finish in 2:01 and a fraction at Indianapolis. She is a very smooth pacer and is owned by a good patron of his stable. He has sent his good winner Mary Abbe 2:08 1/2 by Bert Abbe to be bred to King's Counsel 1:58 1/2. I see a lot of Chester Stewart this winter particularly at the hockey games in Boston Garden. Downers will remember him back in the 1920's when he was with Fred Cameron who was handling Ed. McAllister's stable from Sussex. His home is in Scotchford and he knows the Kelly boys, Well McNeill and often speaks of Fred Cameron and his clever driving. Chester manages a stock farm for A. M. Stone, who specializes in breeding thoroughbreds and Black Angus cattle. Remember me to my big cousin, Jim Pendergast, ex-champion boxer and all round sport. I hope to meet him and many others at Old Home Week." —Thanks, Billy, we will be looking for you.

George D. Oland writes from Cape Breton that he had a couple of ice races on the pond in Florence, just outside Sydney Mines and at Lingan Bay. Colonel Dan won in two straight heats at Sydney with Basil Hanover 2-2, Commodore Stout 3-3. Class B—Frisco M. Direct was 1-1, King Gratian 2-2, Anne K. Dewey 2-2, Mike Budlong 3-2-3. Class C—Donna Dillon 1-1-1, Victory Torch 2-1-2, Willie Budlong 3-3-3. Victory Torch is by Reamore, dam Calumet Betoria by Peter the Brewer — certainly good breeding.

A few years back I made trips to Newfoundland every winter on business and would sell a lot of cattle and horses down there. One of my customers introduced me to Willis Reid, whom you know all about. They were talking racing there and the conversation drifted to a horse called Doctor Mac, that my son Roy formerly raced, also about Gabot Trail. He was by Abbe Worthy out of a Captain Aubrey mare. I told Mr. Reid that they had a horse in Newfoundland called Peter Pin that would beat either the above horses so easy there was nothing to it. Islanders will remember Peter Pin and what a nice trotter he was. I think he was owned by Neil Walker when he raced over your way.

Reid got interested and located

him and bought him and since that time he has never lost a race in Newfoundland. In my opinion Reid is about the only man in Newfoundland that knows anything about getting a horse ready for racing him. Different parties have been bringing in horses to him Peter Pin, one of them was Mart Harkaway, purchased from your friend Rollie Wood, but Peter Pin handled him the same as the others. Reid is the man who bred Harvest Melody 2:10 1/2, the mare you raced so well. He also bred Mr. Squires that was sold to Well McNeill and took a record of 2:17. They are out of the same mare. He now has Harvest Melody and she has a youngster at foot and is in foal again."

One of the best of the inter-provincial race meets was held on our harbour ice on Tuesday and Thursday of this week with the Victoria Driving Club hosts to Halifax, Dartmouth and Summerside clubs. For the benefit of our Saturday readers we will give the winners and owners in each race. Tuesday's Races — Class A. Trot and Pace — Walter R. (Smith) owned by Andrew Perry, Summerside. Class A. Pace — Connie Clegg (Neil) owned by Lem Neill, North Millton. Class B. Pace — Maxine Duds (Turner) owned by Scott Weeks, Port Yallis, N.S. Class C. Trot and Pace — Soldier Budding (Brehaut) owned by Walter Brehaut, Charlottetown. Thursday's Races — Class A. Pace — Romeo (W. Kelly) owned by Wellington McNeill, Southport. Class A. Trot — Nell Kilmuck (W. Kelly) owned by Willard Kelly — Southport. Championship Trot — Sully (R. Baxter) owned by E. Gray, Halifax. Championship Trot — Lee McKillop (Allan) owned by Fred Lahey, Dartmouth. Class B. Pace — Jimmie A. (Arbings) owned by Percy Arbings, Charlottetown. Class A. Trot — Billy Kilmuck (W. Kelly) owned by Lee Howard and Cornwall. Class C. Pace — Colleen Adam (P. Baxter) owned by Laurie O'Brien, Halifax. Class D. Pace — Billy McVeigh (Craig) owned by Dr. T. Hooper, Charlottetown.

Thursday's racing consisted of a double program necessitated by the stormy weather on Wednesday. There was a tremendous number of spectators, perhaps the largest we can remember of at an ice race meeting in this city. A banquet was held at the Charlottetown in the evening which filled the large dining hall. Don Messer's orchestra with artists Miss Margaret Osborne, Miss Chamberlain and Charlie Chamberlain furnished splendid entertainment. It was one of the best horsemen's banquets we have ever attended. The presentation of prizes to the winners consisting of large silver trays for the championships and smaller silver watches for the class races and stop watches to the drivers of the championship trot and pace was the occasion for hearty applause given the recipients, many of them from the mainland — in fact the championships were both won by Halifax and Dartmouth horses.

The trophy for most points which was won by Willard Kelly was generously handed over by him to Fergie Baxter because, as Mr. Kelly stated, he was president of the Victoria Driving Club that was putting on the show. Pleasing addresses were given by Mayor Earle MacDonald, Councillors Stewart and Lowther, members of the Legislature R. Bell and L. McFarlane and quite a number of other persons. The Victoria Driving Club and its hard-working officials came in for a great many complimentary remarks which were certainly deserved. The chairman expressed the opinion that no city in Canada has put on a program at all comparable with the one recently held and this opinion was concurred in by the visitors from the mainland.

Thomas W. Murphy is almost a forgotten name in turf history although it is only about ten years since he ceased to be the biggest factor on the Grand Circuit. During his meteoric career he won over a million dollars in

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Large Attendance At S'side Ice Sports

The Summerside High School ice sports were run off at the Crystal rink in Summerside before a large number of Charlottetown fans who came down from the Capital City by special train. The two feature events, the hockey match and relay race, were both won by Summerside High over West Kent.

The results of the ice sports were as follows:

Boys 6 and 7—
1. Gordon Gray; 2. Gerald Daley;
3. Robert Godkin and Mack MacFarlane.

Girls 6 and 7—
1. Beverley MacKay; 2. Cecilia Darby; 3. Doreen Gallant.

Boys 8 and 9—
1. Davis Silliphant; 2. Donald Hoss; 3. Elmer Newcome.

Girls 8 and 9—
1. Janet Horne; 2. Margaret Joan Carruthers; 3. Irene Cotton.

Boys 9 years—
1. Alan Gallant; 2. Lester DesRoches; 3. Garland Harris.

Girls 10 and 11 years—
1. Jo Anne Smith; 2. June Wood; 3. Kathleen Smith.

Boys 10 years (Division A)—
1. Don Gallant; 2. Wendell Morrison; 3. Creelman MacArthur.

Boys 10 years (Division B)—
1. Claud Gaudet; 2. Allen Warren; 3. Stanley Arsenault.

Boys (Special) 10 years —
1. Donald Gallant; 2. Alano Warren.

Girls 12 years—
1. Helen Gay; 2. Daisy Bell Beaton; 3. June Geddes.

Boys 11 years (Division A) —
1. Arthur Sonler; 2. Donnie Perry; 3. David Arsenault.

Boys 11 years (Division B) —
1. Donald Gallant; 2. Vance Harris; 3. Anthony Gallant.

Boys 12 years —
1. LeRoy Clow; 2. John Walker; 3. Enzo Mackay.

Boys 11 years (Finals) —
1. Vance Harris; 2. Arthur Sonler; 3. Donnie Gallant.

Boys 13 years —
1. John Doucette; 2. Robert Gallant; 3. Bennett Morrison.

Boys 14 years and over —
1. Donald Darby; 2. Harry Matthews.

The Summerside High School hockey team had a very decided edge on their perennial rivals, the West Kent School team, trouncing the visitors by the score of 11-2. Delaney's work in the nets for Summerside was outstanding and the home team, on the other hand collected a few soft goals at the other end of the rink. Joey Schurman, right winger, led the scoring parade with four counters. One of the West Kent goals was scored with Summerside High two men short.

SUMMARY

1st Period

- 1—Summerside High, J. Schurman (Grady and L. Schurman)
 - 2—Summerside High, Grady (L. Schurman and Gay)
 - 3—Summerside High, J. Schurman
 - 4—Summerside High, J. Schurman (Walte)
 - 5—Summerside High, L. Schurman (Gay)
- Penalties: Stewart.

2nd Period

- 6—Summerside High, Walte
 - 7—Summerside High, Grady (L. Schurman)
 - 8—West Kent, Kennedy (McNevin)
 - 9—Summerside High, Deighan (P. Schurman)
- Penalties: Walte, Grady.

3rd Period

- 10—Summerside High, J. Schurman (L. Schurman)
 - 11—Summerside High, L. Schurman (J. Schurman)
 - 12—Summerside High, Stewart (Walte)
 - 13—West Kent, Dalziel (Nicholson)
- Penalties: None.

Lineups:— goal, M. Delaney; defence, J. Walte, E. MacInnis, B. Gay; forwards, L. Schurman, J. Schurman, E. Grady, P. Schurman, B. Stewart, J. Deighan, R. Doyle, Bev Gay.

West Kent — goal, D. Large; defence, D. Burgess, R. Nicholson, I. MacNevin; forwards, E. Dalziel, C. Kennedy, E. Glover, R. Brady, G. MacLean, G. Bantlebury, D. Gregory.

Referee—H. Schurman. Ice Sports Officials — Judges: Elmer Pines; Primmer McNeill, B. J. Beck, Norman MacDonald; starter, J. R. Murphy; announcer, D. O. Stewart.—E.

Juveniles Play At Forum Tonight

Charlottetown Juvenile Kinsmen and Souris Juveniles will meet in the second game of their two game home and home total goal series at the Forum tonight. The Kinsmen won the opening game at the eastern centre Thursday night by an 8-4 score.

The winner of the Queen's and King's County playoff will meet the Prince County winner for the Island Championship.

A skate will follow the game tonight at the Forum.

Bowling

CH'TOWN ALLEYS

City League Candlepins

Clippers:—			
I. McKinnon	87	83	89
J. Poulton	85	77	89
H. Poulton	104	111	88
M. Goodwin	79	88	83
L. Ford	85	81	83
Total—1314.			

West Enders:—

A. Doucette	87	83	115
E. Stanley	99	83	86
V. Martin	94	96	103
V. Garrett	98	81	83
L. Ford	85	85	103
Total—1416.			

SIRIUS CLOSEST STAR

The nearest star that can be seen without a telescope in this latitude is Sirius, the Dog Star.



The June sun shone warmly on the wood road that wound, like a long red ribbon through alder bordered valleys and over spruce and hardwood ridges. It was a quiet road seldom patronized by the owners because the limbs of the encroaching trees reached out and marred the lacquered surface of their shiny limousines.

Toward mid morning a mother Ruffed grouse led her brood of chicks from the shelter of the woods to a sandy knoll for their daily dust bath. While the young birds, not yet half grown sported themselves in the sun heated red-dish dust or lay stretched out on their sides absorbing its health giving rays, the mother kept a wary eye on the sky for the approach of such feared winged enemies as hawks, ravens or crows.

Not a speck appeared on the skyline and the mother was lulled by the peace and drowsiness of the surroundings. She didn't see or hear a tawny yellowish form that had belled noiselessly through the ferns and bracken until it crouched a few feet from the dusting covey. The big tom cat was motionless except for the slight twitching of the tip of a snowy tail.

The covey scattered in confusion as the killer sprang into their midst. All except one that struggled in the dust held firmly down by two muscular forepaws. The big cat was a picture of destruction as it stood over its victim with tail twitching spasmodically, eyes emitting a greenish fire and a low rumbling yowl issued from its throat.

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Repel Late Rally By Summerside To Score 5-4 Victory

Saint Dunstan's University advanced into the finals of the City Hockey League against Navy when they defeated the Summerside All Stars 5-4 at the Forum last night. Although controlling the play most of the evening, the Saints felt the loss of their star left winger Joe Mahar who was carried from the ice early in the first period suffering a knee injury. He was out for the remainder of the game.

The All Stars trailing throughout the game made a great comeback in the third session when they outscored the Saints by two goals and were in there fighting to the dying seconds of the game for the equalizer.

First Period

From the opening whistle Saints took the offensive with McDonald, Houde and Mahar boring in on the Summerside zone. Before one minute was up McDonald picked up a loose puck inside Summerside blue line and went straight in on Schurman for the opening score.

The Saints continued the offensive up to the five minute mark and Schurman had plenty to handle. McLeod of the All Stars was banished for holding and the Saints kept boring in. At this point Mahar was injured when he accidentally fell into the boards. Jackie Kane moved Rodgers up to take the place of Mahar, leaving Ledwell, Blanchard and McIsaac for the second line.

At the halfway mark, Ledwell from Blanchard put the Saints two up. Summerside seemed to liven up and the play was zig-zagging from one zone to the other. At the 18 minute mark, blue line rushed in on a pass from Bernard and Trainer to beat Strain cleanly with a high shot to the left hand corner.

Second Period

The Saints continued to have the edge of the play for the first half of the second period. Just after the third minute, McDonald on a pass from Rodgers made the score read 3-1. Six minutes later McDonald on a quick breakaway pass from defenceman McAdam put the Saints three goals in the lead. Summerside came back with

a goal at the 17 minute mark when Moonie Gallant on a long dash beat Strain with a hard low shot. In the dying seconds of the period, Rodgers and McDonald combined to again put the Saints three-up.

Third Period

In the third period the Saints seemed to weaken and continued attacks by the All Stars gave Strain plenty of rubber to handle. Woodside, Foy and Bradshaw combined in a nice passing play at the 6:28 mark to make the score 3-3. Woodside, again realized in the dying minutes when Gallant gave him a scoring pass. In the final seconds Strain robbed the All Stars of a tie game when Gallant once again was right in on top of an open net, but just could not push the puck past the lanky net custodian.

In last night's game Summerside All Stars were minus the help of Hogan, Davies and McKay, while the S.D.U. squad replaced Strain for goal tender Shorty McKinnon.

Summary:—

First Period	
1—S.D.U., MacDonald	0:58
2—S.D.U., Ledwell	1:25
3—S.D.U., Ledwell	10:36
4—S.D.U., Ledwell	18:15
Penalties: McLeod	
Second Period	
4—S.D.U., MacDonald	3:14
5—S.D.U., MacDonald	12:33
6—S.D.U., S. Gallant	17:25
7—S.D.U., Rodgers	19:44
Penalties: Farmer	
Third Period	
8—S.D.U., Woodside	6:28
9—S.D.U., Woodside	18:10
Penalties: S. Bernard, Hennessey	
Lineups:—	
SSide: Goal, Schurman; defence, Steel, Grant; forwards, McLeod, Trainer, G. Bernard, S. Gallant, S. Bernard, Woodside, Foy, Bradshaw, Shields.	
S. D. U.: Goal, Strain; defence, McAdam, Hennessey, Burge Arves, forwards, MacDonald, Houde, Mahar, Blanchard, McIsaac, Rodgers, Farmer, Ledwell.	
Referees: McInnis, Martin.	



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