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This column is reserved for news of local interest but advertising of a newsworthy nature may be inserted at a rate a word strictly payable in advance.

MISS LILLIAN MCKENZIE - Mus. Bac. will resume teaching, Monday, Sept. 21st. L-6617

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH - Services for Sept. 20, Mt. Stewart 11 A. M.; Harrington, 2.30 P. M.; Highfield 4 P. M.; Marshfield 7.30 P. M.; John C. McNeill, Preacher. L-6619

CARD PARTY - There was a large attendance at the opening of the Card Tournament in Holy Name Hall last night. The first men's prize was won by Mr. James Roberts, the second by Joseph Poirer. The first ladies' prize was won by Mrs. Charles Larter, the second by Mrs. Helen Traylor. The consolation was awarded to Bertha Hogan.

SHIPPING CLUB - In connection with the organization of the "East River Livestock Shipping Club" reported recently in this paper the personnel of the Board of Directors was inadvertently omitted. The names and districts that each represents is as follows: -Mount, Ryan, Herbert, Beagan; Giffman, Damien, MacDonald; Webster's Corner, Joseph, McEachern; Mermaid, George, McDonald; Mount, Herbert, Hollis, Jenkins; Donagh, Fred, Driscoll; Bethel, Joseph P., Driscoll; Hazlebrook, Wm. Coady; Aulim and Fort Augustus East Joseph Curley. These men are interested in disposing of the community livestock to the best advantage and will welcome enquiries from farmers in their immediate vicinities.

JAIL PRISONER ESCAPES - R. C. M. P. yesterday were searching the district near the capital for James Thompson Ridge, Queen's County Jail inmate who broke away from a working party employed on the jail farm and fled into nearby woods. Police authorities in all parts of the province, were on the lookout for the escaped prisoner and R.C.M.P. here were of the opinion it would only be a matter of time before he was re-captured. Ridge was serving a term for automobile theft.

BAPTIST CHURCH CENTENARIAL - The final session of the Centennial services met last evening, the Rev. H. L. Denton presiding. The Centennial Psalm, the hundredth, was read by the Rev. A. E. McKenzie, the congregation joining with him in the Lord's Prayer. Greetings from the City churches were presented by Rev. Hugh Miller of Trinity, Dr. Eustace Purdie, St. Paul's, Rev. S. C. Cooper, Christian Church, Rev. Dr. Legate, St. James, Adjutant Lynch of the Salvation Army, the Rev. Canon Malone of St. Peter's. Greetings from the Rev. Z. L. Fash and the Rev. Ross Eaton former ministers, were read by the clerk, who also presented greetings from the P. E. I. Ministerial Association. The Church history was read by Dr. J. A. Clark. Miss Vera H. Malcolm Campbell rendered "Be Thou my Vision" in an interesting Irish setting, giving the selection a fine interpretation. Dr. A. C. Vincent, late minister, spoke in behalf of former pastors, a vivid address in his characteristic pointed manner. After the singing of the Centennial hymn "O God Our Help in Ages Past" and the benediction given by Mr. Denton the congregation remained seated while Mr. J. W. Boulter, read an address of appreciation of the service of Mr. C. H. Dingwell, for over fifty years a member of the choir, presenting Mr. Dingwell with a purse. The congregation moved into the schoolroom for refreshments and a social hour, being presented to Mr. and Mrs. Denton as they entered.

BIRTHS

MCKINNON - At Pisquid West on August 10, 1936, to Mr. and Mrs. Agnes A. McKinnon, a son Donald Francis.

BRAZIL - At Johnston's River on August 23, 1936, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brazil, a son.

HENNESSEY - At the Charlottetown Hospital Sept. 16, 1936, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hennessey, City, a daughter.

DEATHS

BRAZIL - At Johnston's River, on August 25, 1936, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brazil.

DEWAR - At the P. E. I. Island Hospital on Friday Sept. 18, 1936, Geo. P. Dewar aged one week, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Dewar. Funeral private.

JAY - At the Prince Edward Island Hospital on Friday, September 18th, 1936, Preston Emerson Jay, aged two months 20 days, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jay of Pisquid West.

With the birth in St. Michael's hospital, Toronto, of a baby boy to Mrs. Gus Graziano, this Toronto mother moved up near the leaders in the maternity marathon for more than \$500,000 under the will of the late Charles Millar. The

TRAINING COURSE FOR GUIDERS - The Executive of the Provincial Council of Girl Guides under the Provincial Commissioner, Mrs. John Reay, has completed arrangements for a two week's Training Course for leaders of Brownie Packs and Guide and Ranger Companies to commence on Tuesday, Sept. 22nd. Miss Kathleen MacMahon, Dominion Field Secretary, will conduct the training which will be made available to all Guides in the Province. The sessions in Charlottetown will be held in the Guild Room of St. Peter's Cathedral. Any district planning on starting a Girl Guide Company should get in touch with the Provincial Secretary Miss Mona Wilson and plan to send their leaders into town for the Training Course or have them attend Division sessions in Montague, Alberton or Borden.

VISITED PORT YESTERDAY - The New Northland arrived in Charlottetown yesterday morning Montreal at 5 o'clock last evening, local time. The steamer was chartered for this trip by La Sauvagerie Insurance Company of Montreal, and the company's agents and underwriters, who have sold a certain amount of business during the past year are guests of the company on the trip. The party, which includes Mr. Narcisse Ducharme, president of the company, and Mrs. Ducharme, Jean Pasquin, Secretary, A. R. Gagne, counsel, J. N. Cabana, superintendent, Raymond Denis, general organizer, and other officers, agents and guests, left Montreal on September 15th and will reach there on return September 21st. Marcel Rainville, the Canadian tennis ace, who is on board and who played here yesterday is a son-in-law of the founder, G.N. Ducharme, and a brother-in-law of the president.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH - The Services at the Central Christian Church tomorrow will be of particular interest. The Annual Week-end Conference of the Young People's Societies will meet in Conference

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BUY ROBIN HOOD FLOUR now, you will not regret it.

FORTUNE BRIDGE - A new branch of the Women's Institute was organized on Friday, September 11th, 1936, at Fortune Bridge. The meeting was held in the Hall. Following are the officers: President, Mrs. Reginald Coffin, Vice President, Mrs. Ernest Aitken, Secretary, Mrs. Leon Johnson, Directors, Mrs. Charles Townsend, Miss Amy Townsend, Mrs. George Jackson, Auditors, Mrs. Earle Johnson, Mrs. James Dickson.

Mr. Arthur R. Gordon of Boston is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edward R. Murphy of Montague. H.

The many friends of Mr. Edward R. Murphy, President of the Montague Driving Club, and Mrs. Murphy are glad to have them back from their motor trip to Boston and New Hampshire and Maine where they visited many friends. Mr. and Mrs. Murphy attended the races at Suffolk Downs, Narragansett, Charles River Speedway, Old Orchard, St. Stephen and Lewiston and saw some fast racing. -H.

New Babe Raises Hope of \$500,000 Stork Derby Prize



Graziano's expected twins, but declared they were not disappointed as the lone arrival turned out to be a boy - eagerly welcomed aside from their maternity marathon hopes. Last night's arrival gives the Graziano's a cer-

tain nine children born during the past 10 years, and thus eligible to count in the Millar baby race. If another babe, born prematurely, who died, can be registered, it will place the Graziano's in the front rank with other entrants claiming 10 children in the past 10 years. Their lad, born on June 3, 1934, shown here sitting beside his dad, was called George after the late monarch, while the newest arrival will be christened Benito Mussolini. Here the proud

parents are seated in front of their home with eight of their nine children, all of them eligible for the maternity contest except 13-year-old Eileen sitting beside her 37-year-old mother. One child, claimed eligible, died some years ago.

and will have a part in the Services of the day. The Conference opens Saturday evening at 5 o'clock and will continue until Sunday evening. Rev. J. W. Hayter will address the Conference Saturday evening. The Sunday Services will be of special interest; at the Morning Service Rev. S. C. Cooper Th. M. will preach on the subject "Working in Co-operation," and the music will consist of a Quartet by the Wyand Quartet and a solo (selected) by Harvey Barnes of New York. Mr. Barnes is a very noted singer and it will be a privilege to hear him sing on Sunday morning. The Afternoon Service will be in charge of the Young People. Rev. Geo. W. Titus All Canada and Maritime Secretary Evangelist, St. John. N. B., will speak on the Subject "Winning in Evangelism. Mrs. Silas McKay, will Sing. The Evening Service will be in charge of the pastor Rev. S. C. Cooper who will speak on the Subject "Welcoming into Discipleship. The music will be an Anthem by the Choir "Draw me to Thee." Miss Nan MacKay taking the Solo part and a Solo by Miss Ruth Vickers. The Service will conclude with a Mispah Service.

be satisfactorily performed by anyone. It is essential that aggregates for concrete work be free from fine dust, objectionable because they prevent the cement paste from binding the particles of durable aggregate together. This reduces the strength of the concrete besides making it porous and crumbly.

What is known as the silt test is used to detect the presence of too much silt or clay in bank run gravel. In making the test an ordinary quart fruit jar is filled to a depth of two inches with a representative sample of the aggregate to be tested. Then water is added until the container is three-fourths full. After replacing the cover on the container, shake the mixture vigorously for one minute, the last few shakes being in a sidewise direction to level off the sand. Set the jar aside and allow the contents to settle. The sand with the clay or loam on the top of it, if the layer of silt and clay is more than one-eighth inch thick, the gravel from which the sample was taken is not clean enough for good concrete unless the excess silt is removed by washing.

If tests indicate that the gravel from a local pit requires washing and a considerable quantity is to be used, it will usually be cheaper and generally more satisfactory to buy well-graded washed gravel from a nearby commercial concern. This is especially true if the local supply is poorly graded as well as dirty. Equipment for washing gravel is not generally practical on the average farm.

If, however, it is desirable to use the local gravel and plenty of water is available, there are several washing methods that may be used. A power concrete mixer can sometimes be used for washing gravel. To do this a quantity of the gravel is placed in the mixer, and an abundance of clean water and turn the mixer for several revolutions, then gradually turn off the dirty water. Ordinarily one washing will be sufficient but the operation can be repeated as often as necessary.

Gravel cannot, generally, be washed satisfactorily by pouring water on it as it lies in a pile unless the pile is small and located on a platform where it can be shoveled and the dirty water allowed to freely drain away. The practice of washing gravel on the wagon on which it is hauled is only partly satisfactory and only so when it is piled shallow on the wagon bed and stirred by shovelling as the water is applied to the top of the gravel.

Planting is not over for the season. Get in your fall vegetable garden as soon as possible, planting early varieties which will mature in a short time.

Sport Forum

COLT RACING

Sir, - In mixed stakes what chance has the ordinary Two-year old trotting colt to compete with a two-year-old pacer sewed up tight in the hoppers? None at all. The owner of the trotter is only helping to make a bigger purse for the owner of the colt that wears the handcuffs. As the first payment on next year's stakes falls due October first next there should be something done to help the trotter. And it could be done by easy stages and hurt no one by barring the hoppers in the two-year-old stake next year; in the two and three-year-old stakes in 1938, and in the two, three and four-year-old stakes in 1939. Dispense with the trippers and put them all on an equal footing. When hopple birds race all together let them carry galling guns on their backs if they want to, but in mixed events give the trotting colt a chance.

I am, Sir, etc., J. M. NICHOLSON, Charlottetown.

Fencebusters Capture N. S. Ball Crown

KENTVILLE, N. S., Sept. 18 - (C. P.) - Springhill's slugging Fencebusters today defeated Yarmouth Gateways 6-4 in the fifth and final game of the provincial amateur finals and dethroned them as two-year rulers of Nova Scotia baseball.

Springhill will meet St. Croix, New Brunswick champions for the Maritime title, won last year by Yarmouth.

A big sixth inning in which the Busters scored four runs and sent Gateways' ace southpaw, Cople LeBlanc into temporary retirement, decided the game. Springhill scored one run in the second, Yarmouth passed them with two in the third and then the Busters cracked the Gateways' defence for four markers in the sixth and were never headed.

Soak the lawn by letting the hose run in one spot for an hour or more, then changing it to another, never apply a slight sprinkling during hot weather.

DEFENDERS STAVE OFF GOVT. ASSAULT

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wrestled with the problem of a possible split or expansion of the "Popular Front" battling the insurgents, Toledo officials blew up one of the remaining towers of the Alcazar in which 1,700 Fascist men, women and children have been besieged for weeks.

Eight hundred of the occupants were reported killed, but those still alive returned a deadly machine gun fire at the attacking Government militiamen who swarmed over the ruins.

The syndicalist ultimatum was made public concurrently with stringent regulations limiting the stay of foreigners in Spain.

SUITABILITY THE KEYNOTE

Proper Dressing The women who really understand the art of dressing is able to dress on far less than one who does not, while she always appears well dressed and well groomed.

The main secret of that indefinable something, which is frequently referred to as "chic," lies in knowing what to wear and when to wear it. One glance around any crowded place will convince you of the truth of this statement. Take a look round the next time you are in a restaurant.

What a smart hat the girl in the corner is wearing. Yet, smart as it is, it is completely wasted, owing to the fact that it is quite unsuited to the soft frilly frock that she is wearing. The girl wearing navy has a very well cut suit, but why on earth did she choose a large somewhat droopy kind of hat when what it really shrieks for is a cute little model with that clear-cut line about it, which is so essential for a hat which is to be worn with a tailor-made?

Too Late To Classify

FOUR COATS REMODELED REPAIRED, relined glazed reasonable, Calder's 205 Euston. L-6621-9-19-31

WANTED - LEE ENFIELD OR Ross Rifle, Apply 217 Grafton St. City L-6622-9-19-31

SPECIAL HOME COOKING AT the Bluebird Grocery today, Cor. Weymouth and Euston. L-6618

TO LET - BED-SITTING ROOM. Apply 214 Queen St. L-6620-9-19-31

Advertisement for Zig-Zag Cigarette Tobacco. Includes text: 'IT'S THE BIGGEST VALUE I KNOW! I'VE TRIED 'EM ALL' and 'Compare ZIG-ZAG with any other brand at any price for... MILDNESS QUALITY VALUE'. Price 10¢.

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DOWN THE BACK STRETCH

(Continued from page seven) miration to the gallant Toll Gate and also to his owner Mayor H. M. Sweeney for retiring him to a life of ease and bliss.

The fact that Toll Gate raced until fourteen years of age and was almost equal to his best in his twelfth year is not unusual. There was the celebrated Goldsmith Maid, that raced until she was twenty years of age, and in fact in her twentieth year equalled her fastest time. She and the great Bud Doble her driver, were known all over America in the 1870's and 1880's. The Maid furnished an example of racing longevity that has challenged the admiration of horsemen for decades.

Her greatest modern counterpart in that respect was Single G., that raced on until his sixteenth year and in his fifteenth paced a mile in better than two minutes. He is known in turf history as "the Horse that time forgot." Single G.'s career was different from Goldsmith Maid's in that he started racing as a two-year-old while if memory serves me right, the Maid did not get into competition until she was six years of age.

It is a well known fact that if a horse or human is allowed to develop to fullest physical capacity before being put into strenuous competition, that the chances of their wearing longer is increased. Single G. when a three-year-old paced in 2:07 1/2 and raced hard, while in his four-year form he had to meet the best pacers in America. From then on that lion-hearted horse year in and year out raced them all and took the most of them into camp.

An example nearer home can be found in Peter Pokey, that last year at fourteen years of age, was up to his best form and actually took a record of 2:06 1/2 over a half-mile track. It is said he would be racing this year just as well but for an injury sustained during a collision.

Why is it that some horses wear out so quickly while others continue to show their best form for years? One of the principal causes is poor caretaking. A horse is raced stren-

uously during a hot afternoon and over a hard track. After the race the caretaker takes charge and the cooling out process is done too hurriedly, or perhaps the horse is given large gulps of cold water. A slight case of laminitis is the result, perhaps the only evidence of which is some symptoms of pain which the horse shows, or a disposition to lie down. This is followed later by signs of what the owner believes is rheumatism, but which is really located in the covering between the hoof and the process which fits into it.

St. Croix Club Will Meet Springhill

SAINT JOHN, N. B., Sept. 18 - Sensational fielding, heavy hitting and the two-hit hurling of 18-year old Ken Kallenberg shot the St. Croix club of St. Stephen into the Maritime senior baseball final this evening for the sixth consecutive year.

The Border crew, formerly known as St. Stephen Kivans, blasted a 7-0 victory over Saint John Maroons in the fourth game of the New Brunswick finals to retain the provincial crown by a game count of 3-1.

Maritime title holders for the four seasons preceding last year, St. Croix will be out to regain their honors when they meet Springhill Fencebusters for the championship of the three provinces.

-By George McManus

BRINGING UP FATHER

