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Old Home Week and Provincial Exhibition drew enormous crowds to this City the past week. Yesterday's attendance at races and Wednesday was as good as last year and Wednesday was a new record for that day, nearly 10,000 people witnessing the races. About three o'clock a mist came up which continued until the finish but almost everybody stayed to see it through and the racing was excellent with favorites beaten at three of the four classes. For those ahead who did not have an opportunity of seeing the summaries we will give them in brief.

TUESDAY'S RACES—213 Pace, Purse \$500—Colleen Scott, owned by W. G. Stewart, New Glasgow, and driven by Harry Harrison, 1-1-1; Joe Direct (Baxter) 2-2-2; Peter Brooke 2nd (O'Brien) 3-3-3; three other starters, best time 2:12.1-2 by Joe Direct, 2:12.217. **214 Trot**, Purse \$500—Patric Abbe, owned by W. G. Stewart, New Glasgow, and driven by Harry Harrison, 1-1-1; O. U. Volo (Stead) 3-2-2; Judd (Walker) 5-5-2; Lorraine Abbe (W. Kelly) 2-2-2; Junior Froy (Abbe) 6-6-2; Jacob Wilbur (Jabalee) 4-4-5; best time 2:09.1-2, 2:09.233. **215 Pace**, Purse \$500—Spencer, owned by MacArthur and Simons, driven by MacArthur, 1-1-1; Jean Badgley (Hale) 2-2-2; Manchester Apollo (Walker) 3-3-3; two other starters, best time 2:14.1-2, 2:14.224. **216 Trot**, Purse \$500—Victor Lee, owned by R. H. Allen, Halifax, 1-1-1; Semple, 1-1-1; Lusia (L. Kelly) 2-2-2; Billy Aubrey (Brookings) 3-3-3; five other starters, best time 2:16.

WEDNESDAY'S RACES—218-219 Trot—High Tide, owned by Harry O'Brien, Alberton, 1-1-1; George Mac (Stead) 4-1-2; Toddy Hanover (Kaiser) 1-6-3; Buddy Moko (Brookings) 6-2-2; Junior Froy (Abbe) 5-2-3; Kelly's Nightmar (W. Kelly) 2-3-3; Time 2:18.1-2; 2:17.1-4, 2:17.1-2, 2:17.222. **220 Pace**, Purse \$500—Harley Harrison, 1-1-1; Driven by Harry Harrison, 1-1-1; Previous (Allen) 4-2-1; M. J. Arthur (Walker) 2-3-3; Just Betty (Seaman) 5-6-2; Ramona Dale 3-3-4; four other starters, Time 2:12.1-2; 2:13.3-4; 2:13.3-4. **221 Trot**, Purse \$500—Athena Mae, owned by F. C. Coates, Amherst, driven by F. Baxter, 2-1-1; The Great G. (M. Arthur) 1-2-2; Billy Jane (Harrison) 3-3-2; The Walnut Abbe (Cambell) 4-4-4; Time 2:12.3-4; 2:12.213. **222 Pace**, Purse \$500—Pianor G. owned by Urban G. W. Messinger, driven by George Scott, 1-1-1; Semple, 1-1-1; Moneymaker (J. O'Brien) 1-5-3; Baldwin (Baxter) 2-2-2; Tabasco (Birt) 4-5-2; Betty Redman (J. Semple) 5-4-6; Mac Abbe (Jordan) 6-6-2; Time 2:09.1-4; 2:09.217.3-4; 2:09.3-4.

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SPORTING NEWS

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Favorites Manage To Break Even In Another Great Racing Program

Wilkin Wins First Heat Of Feature Event. Mac Fingo, Peerless Hanover And Winnie Scott Other Victors. Meet Concludes Today

Outfitted in the first heat as Wilkin caused an upset, Anti-Aircraft, Charlie Horton's big pacing machine yesterday showed terrific bursts of speed in the next two miles to capture the \$1000 Free For All Trot and Pace, feature event of the Old Home Week racing program. Trailing Wilkin in both instances until reaching the backstretch the driver Cobb Miller called upon him; he went to the front to stay there flashing under the wire in 2:07.1-2 in the second mile and then coming back to win the final mile in 2:10.

Postponed from Thursday the card lost nothing by the unavoidable delay. Favorites had to be content with an even split with the underdogs as Mac Fingo, together with Peerless Hanover and Winnie Scott came through with upset victories.

A crowd of close to 10,000 again saw racing of a high order. Favorable conditions, bright sunshine, the big holiday throng saw stirring battles in every heat on the four class card, thrilling stretch battles, daring riding as the fields would in the first turn, three horses, Lucky Number, Quaker's Boy and Traffic Grattan, Quaker's Boy, Douglass and another fine performance in getting the fields away in perfect order.

Today the meet will conclude with four more good classes lined up, featured by the Free For All Trot and Pace, which will give the ultimate in horse racing thrills and a class that will give the old veteran Traffic Grattan a good race. Douglass and another fine performance in getting the fields away in perfect order.

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Free-For-All Trot Feature Event On Today's Closing Card

The big meeting winds up this afternoon when four tried and tested trotters will take to the wire in the featured Free For All Trot, another event on Old Home Week programs that is always keenly looked forward to. Sunnymeade, Lee McKillop, Lee Brewer and Tracey Hanover should make a great battle of it all the way and among the besting fraternally the outcome is still very much in doubt.

Third Division of the 225 Pace Classified, 215 Pace and a Classified Pace will wind up the card. Once again classes are all evenly matched and today's battles should provide fans with the same exciting finishes as has been the case all week.

Here is how they will leave the wire for the first heats:

225 Pace Classified Third Division Purse \$500.00

- Mary Merk owned by St. Croix Stables, St. Stephen, driven by Wm. Burt.
- Rilla Bars 2.19 owned by P. J. Osdegan, Glace Bay, N. S., driven by B. Lewis.
- Princess Kalmuck owned by D. M. McAulay, Pugwash, driven by E. Semple.
- Nellie Worthy owned by P. D. Buell, Cardigan, driven by Lorne Kelly.
- Tryon owned by J. W. Campbell, driven by H. Harrison.
- Duke of Highland, owned by H. T. Ramsay, Sackville, N. B., driven by T. Brown.
- Calumet Bee Long, owned by J. D. Mehan, St. Stephen, N. B., driven by J. MacGregor.

Free For All Trot Purse \$600.00

- Sunnymeade 2:07.1-2 owned by J. D. Mehan, St. Stephen, N. B., driven by Joe O'Brien.
- Lee McKillop 2:09 owned by Stan MacClarey, St. Stephen, N. B., driven by Roy Barnett.
- Lee Brewer 2:06.3-4 owned by Allie Lewis, Reserve Mines, N. S., driven by A. Lewis.
- Tracey Hanover 2:10 owned by John Scott, Halifax, driven by L. Walker.

215 Pace Purse \$600.00

- Bonnie Budluck 2:10 owned by B. C. Oruluckshank, Halifax, driven by B. Oruluckshank.
- Cyclonic 2:08.3-4 owned by Battle Todd Driving Club, Sydney, driven by W. Lewis.
- Bright Spot 2:09.1-2 owned by Emmett Burke, Charlottetown, driven by Roy Barnett.
- Wait N' See 2:11.1-4 owned by Willard Kelly, Southport, driven by W. Kelly.
- Peter Brooke 2nd 2:09 owned by Peter Brooke Club, Amherst, driven by Joe O'Brien.
- Kavola 2:05.3-4 owned by P. R. McCormac, Charlottetown, driven by Roy Barnett.
- Sandy D. 2:09 owned by H. W. S. Allingham, St. John, N. B., driven by J. Conroy.

Classified Pace Purse \$400.00

- Manchester Appollo 2:17 owned by J. F. Baxter, Halifax, driven by J. F. Baxter.
- Shirley H. Temple 2:14 owned by H & S Stables, Charlottetown, driven by G. Hooper.
- Marjorie Budlung 2:12.3-4 owned by James Rankine, Mt. Herbert, driven by L. Rankine.
- Money Maker 2:14 owned by Ray O'Brien, Alberton, driven by Joe O'Brien.
- Helen K. 2:17 owned by W. Lewis, Sydney, driven by W. Lewis.
- Lady Rose, 2:13 owned by Wilfred Praught, Cherry Valley, driven by Mike Jabalee.
- Speed Hanover, owned by Richard Jabalee, Sydney, N. S., driven by Mike Jabalee.

Red Sox Increase Lead With 4-1 Win Over 'Bronx Bombers'

By The Canadian Press
Southpaw Mickey Harris' gained his 15th triumph of the season yesterday by hurling the American League-leading Boston Red Sox to a 4-1 eight-inning victory over New York Yankees.

The victory increased the Red Sox's margin over the Yankees to 13 games, and the 29,226 fans who paid their way brought Sunday's paid home attendance mark to 1,015,166 for the season.

Harris and the Yanks' Spud Chandler dueling on every term until the fourth, when the Sox pushed a run home to break a scoreless deadlock. The Red Sox scored the game in the next frame by scoring twice on successive singles by Johnny Pesky Ted Williams, Bobby Doerr and Rudy York.

Joe Dimaggio accounted for the lone Yankee run when he slammed his 16th homer of the year in the sixth. Dimaggio left the game in the bottom half of the sixth complaining of a strained right arm he injured in the fifth when he turned a ball to the infield.

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One frequently hears fishermen and hunters complaining about someone fishing trout out of season, selling trout or exceeding the limit, or its about the netting or bagging. To the fishermen's cry, the hunter cries to high heaven about the ducks that are shot before the season opens, the spring migration, or the grouse or pheasants "potted" in the winter months by the hunters of rabbit and fox.

The \$500 question is: just how much does the average fisherman or hunter contribute toward the stopping of out-of-season poaching or the illegal taking of trout during the open season? It has been this scriber's experience that if 99 per cent of the fishermen or hunters who "put" across someone committing an infraction of the game laws they keep as mum as the proverbial oyster, that is providing they are not some definite information that the Police can sink their teeth into and take a real hefty bite. On the other hand, during the winter months, where a promising trout pool has been netted out or a duck marsh shot to pieces before the season opens, the fisherman or hunter, especially if he does not have the remotest chance of their having to give evidence regarding the infraction, during the winter months, why doesn't the game warden sit up all night and watch such and such trout pool? It is one of the expressions most frequently heard.

I can think of many pleasant things than sitting up all night during the winter months, especially if one is alone. I am speaking from experience for I tried it a week just last to find out what it was like and to learn if catching some of those "netters" red headed was as simple as some try and make it out to be. The most few weeks complaints have been legion about the carryings on at night at the Grove Pine Bridge pool at Port George are all ready to leave Charlottetown on Saturday night and in the wee small hours of the morning the motorists amuse themselves by driving the big cars into cleverly placed nets. It has

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Rovers And Anchors Renew Old Rivalry

The City Baseball League swings into action again tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 after a week's inactivity due to Old Home Week celebrations.

Another bang-up ball game is anticipated when the Rovers and the Anchors resume the rivalry that has prevailed between these two clubs all through the schedule.

The Anchors are expected to start their burly right-hander Elmer Larter against the North End team while the Rovers will likely have in the lineup the pitcher who has been undefeated in his three starting assignments.

Tomorrow's game is one of the two clubs and the Anchors are the home team.

Pat's Rangers Are Beaten

Chuck Sexsmith's amazing S. Y. C. I. All Stars scored an upset victory at the S.Y.C.I. playgrounds last night by defeating the highly rated Pat's Rangers by the score of 15-4. The hits were scarce on both sides but Tompkins, the Rangers' starting pitcher inability to find the plate with his speed ball contributed largely to the team's disaster and seven errors in the field by the usually steady band of girls in blue didn't help any.

The Sexsmith-MacDonald aggregation was never better putting up a fielding display that hasn't been equaled this season. Deighan on the mound gave up but five hits, struck out three and walked none in the seven innings of play. Tompkins allowed only three runs, three hits and seven walks in 2-3 innings, struck out seven and walked 10. Gaudet relieving Tompkins was touched for 4 hits in 3-3 innings, struck out one and walked none. Currie's home run in first inning was the feature blow of the game. Blanchard getting 3 triples and Eleanor Smith a double for the only other extra base blows. For the winners, Blanchard got 3 hits in 5 trips and Deighan hit 2 for 3. Gaudet was the only player on the losing side to get two hits.

Rangers — J. Gordon 2b, R. Dalsell rf, C. Currie 3b, I. Gaudet 3b and p; H. MacFarlane cf, R. McLean 1b, J. Binard ss, C. Tompkins p and 3b; E. Palmer.

S.Y.C.I.—D. Arsenault lf, S. Gaudet 2b, M. Muirart 3b, T. Blanchard 1b, J. Compton ss, E. Smith cf, J. McPhee c, M. Deighan p; H. Baker rf.