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PROGRAMME: 1 Instrumental Duet. Misses Grogan and Coady. 2 Address. Mr. John Gaffney. 3 Song. Miss A. Hyndman. 4 String Instruments. Ladies' Club. 5 Song. Miss Florrie Blake. 6 Violin Solo. Miss Maudie Coady.

MEETING OF Lobster Fishermen, Packers and Suppliers.

THE Minister of Marine and Fisheries will be glad to meet the Lobster Fishermen, Packers and Suppliers of this Island at the BOARD OF TRADE ROOM, MASONIC TEMPLE, CHARLOTTETOWN, on

Monday Next, the 8th August, inst.

To accommodate those who may come by train from the East and West and desire to return same day, the meeting will be held from 12 o'clock, noon, till 3 p.m.

The Superintendent of the P. E. Island Railway has kindly consented to grant those attending this meeting return tickets on P. E. Island Railway at SINGLE FARES.

The question to be discussed will be whether the present lobster season should be continued, or shortened, or changed to a fall season.

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WHAT WILL BECOME OF CUBA?

All chances of victory for Spain have apparently vanished and the question now being discussed is, What will become of Cuba? On this, the Panama Star and Herald thus expresses itself:

"There are those who believe that the United States has entered into war in the interest of humanity pure and simple, and that after Spanish rule has ceased in Cuba, and a suitable form of government has been established and recognized by the nations of the world, the United States will withdraw her forces and give the Cubans the long-cherished privilege of governing themselves. Again, there are those who believe that Cuba will be annexed, and that the entire West Indies as well as Canada will become the property of the republic unless a joint combination is formed against her. But since it is a fact that the United States has interfered in Cuba only to put a stop, once for all, to Spanish misrule, and not for the sake of gain, it is a fallacy to charge the Americans with covetousness. To the credit of the European powers it must be admitted that no such state exists in other parts of the West Indies as that which existed in Cuba."

Justice, the central organ of the English Socialists, does not place much confidence in the humanity of the United States, and thinks that pity for the suffering of the Cubans had nothing to do with prompting intervention on the part of the Americans. It says:

"As a matter of fact, however, the reconcentrados have suffered terribly through the intervention of their Yankee friends, and no attempt whatever has been made to relieve their hardships. Indeed, in the patriotic enthusiasm of the war, the Cubans themselves appear to be almost entirely forgotten, or, if they are thought of at all, it is only to be condemned and ridiculed as quite unfit for self-government. Now we are told, with reference to the attack on Santiago, that the Cubans are of little assistance. General Garcia's refusal to intercept General Pando being a typical instance. The Cubans apparently keep in the background until prisoners are captured, when they follow them with epithets, or attempt to kill the helpless captives. Public sympathy for the Cubans is diminishing as their true character is becoming known. At this, of course, is being said in order to reconcile people to the American annexation of the island of Cuba when the war is over."

The Handelsblad, Amsterdam, speaks out plainly about the Cubans and has no hesitancy in parading their faults before its readers. In speaking of the experience the Americans have had with them it says:

"It seems that the friendship between the Americans and the Cubans has cooled off. The Cubans are very angry because the Americans would not permit them to rob and ill-treat Cervera's sailors when they escaped unharmed from the wreck of their ships. More serious misunderstandings exist, too. The Cubans were ordered to do hospital duty, assist the administration, and work in the trenches, just like the Americans. This they refused to do, saying that they were soldiers, not laborers. In accordance with orders from Washington the insurgents have now been placed in a separate camp, and their rations have been cut down according to the maxim that he who will not work shall not eat. But the Cubans will hardly like it that they are placed in a corner without their accustomed piece of bread and butter. Bad boys, bad boys!"

Another Amsterdam paper states that no sensible person ever was fooled by this humanity talk, altho England, as may be expected of her, took the strong against the weak. The plain, unmistakable fact is that the United States coveted Cuba, and tried to get the island by dishonest means. As Spain was only weakened by this, but not forced to relinquish her hold, the Americans have, at the eleventh hour, thrown off the mask and resorted openly to a war of conquest. But it costs them dearer than they expected.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

It is to be hoped that when the preliminary trial into the Proud affair is resumed that some discrimination will be practised in admitting spectators. On the first day of the trial only a few respectable citizens were admitted and the court room was comfortable in consequence. But on the second day the scum of the city were admitted, to whom, judging by appearance, a good wash is an unknown luxury. The court room is poorly ventilated at any time and on Tuesday the presence of these refugees from labor coupled with the extreme heat rendered the atmosphere positively sickening and wholly unfit for any person to remain in. We hope that in future the sesame to this and other trials of importance will be, at least, a cleanly appearance. Another matter which demands attention is the practise of allowing small boys in the court room. We give due credit to Officer Campbell who was seen Tuesday chasing a number of them from the building but there are others from 12 to 15 years of age whose frequent presence around the police court is not conducive to the advancement of their morals.

The possession of money is not release from care. This was evident in the conduct of two Philadelphia brothers recently returned from the Klondyke, bringing with them \$70,000 in gold dust. All the way down on the steamer they took turns at guarding the treasure, standing watches of six hours each. They refused to put the gold in the steamer's safe, but in turn sat on it day and night all the way. They said they were going to carry it to the Philadelphia mint, would take turns guarding it on trains, and would not let it out of their sight for one moment from Dawson City to Philadelphia.

Lieut Hobson of Merrimac fame has been writing a novel to be known as "A story of the old South" but war has interrupted its progress. He has been assisted by Miss Virginia Osborn, a rising young journalist of Brooklyn. The hero and the heroine are impersonated by the writers themselves, who in the story are made to marry and live happily in the stereotyped style. Gossips predict that this will be the fate of the originals although Miss Osborn emphatically denies the rumors of her engagement to the famous officer.

English manufacturers of needles will soon have a competitor in the United States; where the industry has not hitherto been carried on to any noticeable extent. But all this is to be changed and business men of New York are promoting a company to be known as the American Needle Company, with a factory in that city large enough for the accommodation of from 300 to 500 hands. The capital stock will be at least \$200,000 and the daily output of needles will be about 2,000,000.

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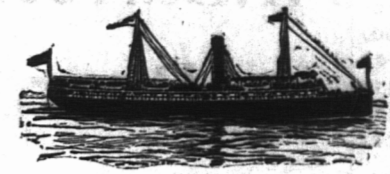
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Thursday Even'g AUGUST 11th, 1898.

PROGRAMME AND PRIZE LIST.

- 1—Overture—Psyche. 2—Half Mile Bicycle. 1st prize Gold Medal; 2nd Silver Medal. 3—Waltz—Winnona. 4—Two Hundred and Twenty Yards Flat Race. 1st prize Gold Medal; 2nd, Gold plated Watch Chain. 5—Band Selection—Baritone and Solo Alto Ruth an Helen. 6—One Mile Bicycle. 1st prize Silver Cup; 2nd, Opera Glasses. 7—March—University of Pennsylvania. 8—Four Hundred and Forty Yards Flat Race. 1st prize Silver Cup, 2nd, Silver Medal. 9—Schottische—Darling Flo. 10—Two Mile Bicycle. 1st prize silver Watch (Waltham); 2nd, Silver Medal. 11—Overture—On! I Don't Know. 12—Eight Hundred and Eighty Yards Flat Race. 1st prize Gold Medal; 2nd silver Medal. 13—March—C. C. C.—Dedicated to the Crecents. 14—Five Mile Bicycle Race. 1st prize Parlor Clock; 2nd, Silver Cup. The Grounds Will be Beautifully Illuminated.

TRAIN ARRANGEMENTS.

A special train will leave Summerside at 5 o'clock p. m., local, returning after the events are over. The fares are as follows: Summerside to Ch'town and return \$1.60 Travellers' Rest—Freetown .75 Kinkora—Cape Traverse .75 Emerald—Freetown .60 Clyde—Wiltshire .45 Colville—Milton .35 Winsloe .15 Royal Junction .15 Cemetery .10 St. Dunstan's .05 Single fare from Souris, Georgetown and all other intermediate stations on 11th of August good to return on Aug. 12th. Fare from Picton by steamer Princess \$1.00, good to return on Aug. 12th. GRAND FIREWORKS DISPLAY immediately after the sports. Admission to grounds 25, Grand Stand 10. A. E. INGS, President. E. H. BEER, Secretary July 29 ed.

GRAND SCOTTISH GATHERING

The Annual Gathering of the Clans under the auspices of the Caledonia Club of P. E. I. will be held at: Head St. Peter's Bay, on field of John P. Sullivan, Esq., near Railway Station

Wednesday, Aug. 17th. Special trains leave Ch'town at 8.20 local Souris 10.30 local, Geo'town (regular train) 7.05 local stopping at all intermediate stations.

For trian arrangements prize list and full particulars see programmes and advertisements in newspapers later.

D. McNEILL, JAMES McISAAC, Rec. Sec'y. July 21 ed td wtl

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