Exhibition Races

Summerside Driving Park
Wednesday, October 3rd, 1917

Gentlemen's Driving Race—Trot and Pace—Purse $50.00
Two year old Class — " " — " $50.00

Races to start at 1.30 P. M. Horses elegible to enter in Gentlemen's Driving Race to be driven by owner in carriage and must never have started in a previous race on a race track.

Half mile heats in both of above classes. Races to end at 3rd heat. Entrance fee 5 percent. Winners to pay 5 percent additional. Money divided: 50, 25. 15 and 10 percent. Entries close September 24th.

Thursday, October 4th, 1917

Free-For-All, Trot and Pace, Purse	**$200**
2.20 Class, Trot and Pace, Purse	**$150**
2.30 Class, Trot and Pace, Purse	**$150**

Races to start at 1.30 p. m. Five to enter, three or more to start. Races to end at fifth heat. Hopples allowed. Entrance fee, 5 percent. Winners to pay 5 percent additional. Money divided: 50, 25, 15 and 10 precent. Entries close September 24th. Right reserved to change, postpone, etc. National rules to govern where they do not conflict with these conditions. Hay, Straw and bedding free. Special reduced fares on all trains.

CREELMAN MacARTHUR, President. J. F. ARNETT Secretary

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M'MILLAN FAVORS AIRPLANES IN ARCTIC

NEW YORK, Sept. 5—Donald B. MacMillan, head of the expedition in search of Crocker Land sent out by the American Museum of actural History, the American Geographical Society, and the University of Illinois, returned yesterday after a stay of somewhat more than four years and two months in the Arctic, where he had stablished the fact that Crocker Land was only a mirage, had mapped large parts of the coasts of Arctic regions heretofore very vaguely known, and had conducted extensive ethnological, botanical, physical, meteorological, and geological studies.

At the American Museum of Natural History, where he went at once to greet the backers of the expedition and Dr. Edmund Otis Hovey, who headed a relief party two years ago and returned via Copenhagen only a few days ahead of Mr. MacMillan, the explorer said he thought that this was probably the last expedition which would depend on dog sledges, and that the airplane was the implement of Arctic exploration in the future. "At present," he said, "there are only three or four months in the year in which steady wirk can be conducted. In the long Arctic night work and travel is impossible except by moonlight, and it is impossible to do much in half of each monh. In the late Spring and Summer it is equally impossible for if you don't get back to your base before the ice breaks up you never get back. This means that the short period between the beginning of light and the melting of the ice is the only one in which much can be done.

"When I went north the airplane was still a very imperfect instrument, but what I have heard since my return of the progress made in the last four years leads me to believe that at least the more extensive work of exploratoin in the future can best be done by its use. A hydroaeroplane would find great stretches of open water in the arctic seas in Summer, where safe landing could be made, and observers in a good machine could do as much in a single Summer as can now be done in a year or more.

Mr. MacMillan said that he had stood on the very spot where Peary saw what he though was Crocker Land and had seen the same mirage, with what appears to be hills, valelys and broad spaces where the snow appeared to have been worn away, leaving only rock and soil. "If we hadn't been over the very spot where the mirage appeared," he said, "we should have been deceived as Peary was. As a matter of fact, though, we traveled 152 miles due northwest of Cape Thomas Hubbard and found no land, the condition of the ice indicates that it had been pushed over shoal ground, and it is far from impossible that there may be land farther on.

"All through Axel Heiberg Land and the Parry Islands we found veins of soft coal of an apparently good quality. The Eskimo burn it in their igloos, and one of my men burned some of it and found it of apparently good quality.

"Among the many records of previous explorers which we found in our four years travels were those of Dr. Elisha Kent Kane in the second Grinnell (American) expedition left in 1853. Another thing we found was Peary's record in a chocolate can of his visit to Cape Thomas Hubbard in 1906.

"We also found the mail left on Cape Isabella by Sir Alan Young in the Pandora in 1875 for the members of Sir George Nares's party, and the record which Nares's left at the same point on his return south the next Spring. Nares's record was within twenty feet of the letters left for him, but they had evidently been buried in the snow, and he never found them."

The party made the first real maps of Findlay Land and North Cornwall Island, and of the west coast of Ellesmere Land, but Mr. MacMillan said that at least 1,000 miles of coast line were still to be delineated.

The party's collections, in more than 400 boxes, arrived at Weehawken yesterday.

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The Western Guardian

—IT PAYS to buy in this province.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Porier of Summerside paid a short visit to Wellington their former home on Monday.—M.

—PARISH IMPROVEMENTS.— A new barn has just been completed on the parochial residence at Abram's Village which is equipped with all the modern conveniences.—M.

—COMING FAIR.—A meeting of the directors of the Egmont Bay and Mt. Carmel Exhibition took place at Abram's Village Monday night, quite an amount of work was done and the date set for the exhibition is the 17th of October M

—SUDDEN DEATH. — The death took place somewhat suddenly on Sunday morning of Mrs. Stanislaus Bernard of St. Chrysostome Interment took place at St. James' church on the following Monday. M

—THE CROPS.—The crops in the Egmont Bay section are far from being up to the standard of what they promised. The growth has been very good, but the grain in part and also the potatoes are stricken with a blight with the result that the yield will be only fair. M

—SCHOOL AFFAIR DISCUSSED.—A meeting of ratepayers of Abram's Village School of ratepayers held in the school house on Tuesday evening for the purpose of discussing the proper method to supply fuel and also to see to other matters of importance. Mr. Dominique Arsenault ably occupied the chair, and Mr. Amand Gallant acted as secretary.—M.

—GARDEN.—Mr. Daniel S. Gallant of Mt. Carmel takes the lead in the vicinity as a gardener especially in the growing of celery, tobacco, and garden seeds. The celery is the best and most luxuriant for years. There are many thousand plants. The tobacco plants are from 3½ ft. to 4 ft. tall. All kinds of vegetables sown for seed can be found in this garden. Professor L. Tennant has lately visited the garden and has found it highly satisfactory.—R.

—STORE IMPROVEMENTS.— Another evidence of the continued progress of the Farmers' Co-operative Store at Wellington is the erecting of a good size warehouse right close to the railway track. Up till now the firm has been greatly handicapped in the fall especially for room to store up farm produce. This new building which is under construction will certainly fill a great want and it is to be hoped that it soon will be in a condition to receive produce.—M.

—RED CROSS SOCIETY.— The ladies of Egmont Bay as before reported have organized a Red Cross Society which so far is proving very successful. The main object of this organization is to procure material for the comfort of the boys at the front; already several re-unions in the different sections of Egmont Bay have taken place where a considerable amount of work was done. Besides giving a certain portion of their time to this good cause each member has furnished a cash contribution. The result is that a snug sum was realized with which goods can be bought, principally wool and stockings. Following are the officers. President Mrs. Emmanuel Gallant, Egmont Bay; Treasurer, Miss Loretta Gallant, Abram's Village; Secretary, Miss Angelina Arsenault, Teacher. The society now counts 85 members made up as follows, Abram's Village 27. Urbanville 30. Egmont Bay 12. St, Philips 9 and Maximville 1.—M.

—MR. W. K McGOUGAN is Guardian representative in Summerside.

—HAY WIRE!— Looped end, cut lengths in 50 and 100 lb. bundles. Right price at Braces.
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—BLIGHT ON POTATOES.—Blight is prevaling in Mont. Carmel and is causing some anxiety as the potatoes are not expected to be what was expected.—R.

—COME to the Prince County Exhibition on Wednesday, October 3rd 25cts admits you to both the Exhibition and Horse racing held on that day. 8039-9-10M2i.

—COMING WEDDING.—The marriage is announced to take place soon of Mr. Albeni Poirier of Moncton to Miss Clarice Poirier, daughter of Prosper Poirier, of Abram's Village.

—CHURCH OF SCOTLAND.— Rev Jas. MacDougall will preach on Sabbath the 16th at Cape Traverse at 10.30; Searletown at 3 and Summerside at 7.

—NOTE THE CHANGES IN THE PRIZE LIST OF THE PRINCE COUNTY EXHIBITION this year, they all tend for a bigger and better show. 8041-9-10M1i.

—HORSEMEN will please notice change in the classes in the Races to be held on the Summerside Driving Park, Thursday October 4th. The 2.21 class is now changed to 2.20 and the 2.40 class to 2.30. 8038-9-10M2i.

—NEW CATTLE STALLS AND SHEEP PEN ARE BEING BUILT at the Prince County Exhibition Show Grounds to accommodate the new classes added to the Prize list this year. Write for a copy. J. F. Arnett, Summerside. 8041.

WESTERN PERSONALS

—Inspector Gallant paid a visit to Urbanville school lately and found everything in good shape. M

—Professor Tardiff of the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, was in Egmont Bay the last few days. M

—Miss Celina Gallant daughter of Mr. Joseph M. Gallant, Abram's Village went to Summerside last Tuesday by auto.—M.

—Messrs. Filicien Arsenault and Theophili Arsenault, of Maximville, left a few days ago for Latuque, Quebec. M

—Mr. Arthur L. Arsenault, son of Leon J. Arsenault, left last week for Monvton, where he intends to work. M

—Mr. Gordon Bernard, tonsorial artist of O'Leary, was a passenger west on Thursday after spending the day in Summerside.—H.

—Mr. Joseph Raynor, Kildare was in town Thursday visiting his wife who is under medical treatment at the Prince County hospital, her friends will be pleased to learn that Mrs. Raynor is on the road to recovery.—H.

—Among the passengers by the S. S. Northumberland on Thursday evening was Mr. Frank Montgomery, of Bedeque, who was returning from an extended trip to Western Canada, combining business with pleasure. He was met at Moncton by Mrs. Montgomery.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wenceslaus Poirier with their little daughter Doralda, have returned to their home in Abram's Village, after residing over a year at Summerside. M

—Mrs. Geo. S. Green, Central Bedeque, has returned to her home after spending a few days in Summerside the guest of her sister Mrs. J. M. Noonan.

—The Messrs Alexandra Pitre and Philibert Gallant of Matipedia recently spent a few days on the Island. A part of their visit was spent in Abram's Village. Mr. Pitre bought a horse at O'Leary.—M.

JUST THROW STONES AT SEVIGNY HOUSE.

QUEBEC, Sept. 2.— The anti-conscription meeting called at 8 o'clock tonight at Jacques Cartier market square, did not take place, due, it is said, to a disagreement in the ranks of the antis. A crowd of at least five thousand people gathered at the square, and when it became known no meeting would be held about 300 boys, between the ages of 15 to 18, rallied together, and marched up town to the house of Hon. Albert Sevingny, on St. Cyrille street.

On their arrival they threw stones at the house, but were routed by the policemen, and beat a hasty retreat. Little or no damage was done. It is said the anti-conscriptionists have decided to hold their meeting later in the week.

L'Action Catholique, on Saturday stated that some four thousand men, who were taking part in the pageants at the Quebec exhibition had served an ultimatum on the commission refusing to act any longer, unless Senator Lesperance resigned as president of the committee. There is considerable feeling here against the new senator, since his vote inthe Senate in favor of the military service bill.

PLOW, BOYS, PLOW

Plow, boys, plow!
Your brothers are falling in France,
Plow, boys, plow!
The stilts are your rifle and lance,
The coulter and sock which you guide
Are weapons to wield in the fight.
Plow, boys, plow!
You've a place in the struggle for right.

Plow, boys, plow!
There's no time to idle or rest,
Plow, boys, plow!
Till the sun has gone down in the west
The men who face death in the field—
Don't leave them to fight it alone.
Plow, boys, plow!
And provide for their dear ones at home.

Plow, boys, plow!
In safety he furrow you tread.
Plow, boys, plow!
In silence the sea keeps its dead.
There many brave hearts have gone down
In our ships bringing food o'er the sea.
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