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Prince Edward MONDAY

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USUAL PRICES AND TIME



Provincial Exhibition

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Thursday and Friday, August 22nd, 23rd, and 24th. Three classes each day. This year, owing to the fact that there are quite a few free-for-alls located in the Maritime Provinces, a free-for-all Trot and Pace with a purse of \$700.00 is being programmed. This should be a corking good race. In addition to the free-for-all there will be a 2.15 Trot which is expected to bring together 121 Sharen, 2.04 1-4, Allwood of the Grand, 2.06 1-4, Little Bondsman 2.04 3-4, Longest, 2.06 1-4, Fred Medium, 2.11 1-4 and some Maine Circuit horses. If these two races live up to expectations, the public will see the fur fly.

The class races have been arranged to bring together the largest fields of best classified horses. Owing to the new money winning stakes by which horses are now classified it has been necessary to cut out the 2.30 classes, otherwise horses which had won over \$700.00 to \$900.00 last year would be ineligible to start in any races.

A feature, which will interest horsemen here who have LONGSET stakes is the three year old stake races. With the excellent material which abounds here from that source, it should not be difficult to find satisfactory.

Prizes in gold for drivers, caretakers, etc., etc., will stimulate a great deal of interest and will no doubt be the means of bringing many horses from abroad.

The track is going to receive more attention this year than ever before and Caretaker Arbing says that he will have it one or two seconds faster than last year, which will be the fastest time in history.

Below is a list of the harness races with purses and special prizes:

- Free-For-All Trot and Pace, open—Purse \$700.
- 2.15 Class Trot, open—Purse \$600.
- 2.20 Class Trot Stake—Purse \$500.
- 2.23 Class Trot Stake—Purse \$500.
- 2.27 Class Trot Stake—Purse \$600.
- 2.14 Class Trot, 2.17 Class Pace, Mixed Stake—Purse \$500.
- 2.22 Class Pace Stake—Purse \$600.
- 2.27 Class Pace Stake—Purse \$400.
- Three Year Old Trot Stake—Purse \$400.

The order of the program will be so that if possible each horse can start in two races.

SPECIAL PRIZES FOR DRIVERS, AND OWNERS.

A special Ribbon will be given to the driver of the winning horse in each of the above races.

each race, and \$20.00 in Gold to the driver winning the most points during the meet,—first place counts five points, second place three points, third place two points and fourth place one point.

Ten Dollars in Gold will be given to the winning driver in each race.

A Ten Dollar Gold Piece will be given the driver driving the fastest heat trotted during the meet and a Ten Dollar Gold Piece will be also given the driver driving the fastest heat paced during the meet.

Five Dollars in Gold will be given to the caretaker of the horse trotting the fastest heat, and the same amount to the caretaker of the horse pacing the fastest heat during the meet.

Fifty Dollars in Gold will be given to the owner of the horse beating the track trotting record of 2.11 1-4. Should more than one horse perform this feat the prize will be given to the horse making the fastest time. In case of a tie the money will be divided.

Nominations to stakes will close June 2nd, 1928, with the Secretary Mr. J. W. Boulter.

Y. BOWLING

Last evening the St. James met and were successful in winning from the Zion team to the tune of 215 pins.

Good work was done by both teams, especially that of L. Cameron of St. James, who secured high single and three. Excitement was intense as both of those teams are fighting hard for first place.

St. James

J. Cameron	171	182	221
L. Cameron	278	224	125
E. Howatt	159	226	205
A. Bruce	138	148	154
R. Pendleton	164	195	264
Total	2855		

Zion

A. Matheson	198	167	186
H. Rodd	196	176	184
H. Caswell	211	130	134
E. Goss	195	158	175
E. Warren	202	209	120
Total	2641		

Bowling tonight:
7:00 p. m.—Telephone Co.
8:30 p. m.—Alleys open.

A new accelerator level for an automobile is operated by a driver, leaving his feet free for the driver of the winning horse in each of the above races.

Y. BASKETBALL

The Anchors succeeded in defeating the P. W. C. by 8 points in the game last evening.

Both teams put up a good game under the refereeing of Earl McInnis and Harry Spillet.

P. W. C.

L. Dewar	4
W. Owen	6
G. Partridge	6
E. White	6
J. Millman	6
Total	36

Anchors

T. Bonot	2
G. Toombs	6
E. Goss	12
P. Cameron	2
L. Connelly	8
V. Garnham	8
Total	44

Tests at a German locomotive works showed an economy of 30 per cent in operation steam for traction of efficiency of the hammer with compressed air.

CAPITOL NEW SHOW TODAY

OUR GANG COMEDY



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Colleen Moore Reaps Harvest Of Laughs In "Her Wild Oat"

WELL BALANCED CAST SURROUNDS POPULAR STAR IN COMEDY.

If you've ever sown a wild oat, or would like to, or if you know anyone who ever did, you can't afford to stay away from the Prince Edward Theatre today.

The audience that saw the first showing of Colleen Moore's "Her Wild Oat" there yesterday, laughed until his respective sides threatened to fracture with the strain put upon them.

Colleen's "Wild Oat" produced one of snickers, giggles, laughs and onest-to-goodness roars. When, posing as a duchess in an exclusive east resort hotel, she impersonates her own maid—with the aid of pillow upholstering fore and aft—the audience shrieked.

The naive efforts of the little waitress to "join in" with the frigid "four hundred" provide some of the best comedy touches. When she solitely suggests to the dowager that her bridge game be made five-handed in order that everyone might take part, the number of bridge lends in the theatre was indicated by the roar that resulted.

The story, briefly, tells the tale of a day-dreaming little waitress in a lunch wagon, filled with a desire to assist the thrill of being in the social whirl, and of her unsuccessful efforts to be taken seriously when she tries to do it. The result is a allure, a headache, a handful of bills, the visiting of large bodies of indignant creditors, and a return to the lunch counter.

When, at the finish, Colleen suddenly finds herself out of business, the audience roared. But it wouldn't be right to tell how the story finally comes out.

The picture speaks far more ably in Colleen's behalf than mere words possibly could. If you like to laugh and forget your troubles, the Prince Edward Theatre is the place to do it.

Miss Moore is given excellent support by Hallan Cooley in the role of a young newspaper reporter who assists the waitress in her social endeavors, and Larry Kent in a leading role, a part with less comedy but imperative to the development of the story. Gwen Lee, Jeanne Johnston and others are also in the cast.

The News Weekly and an excellent sport film, "The Lion Hunt," round out this mid-week program.

AN OPEN LETTER

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The right of search without warrant is much greater in "Government Control" provinces than it has heretofore been under our Prohibition Act.

Instead of extending this right of search without warrant as asked for by the contract the Government has repealed the section entirely and given no right whatever of search without warrant.

This right of the Inspectors which has been taken away by the Government was as follows:

"126. Any inspector or other officer authorized by him or by the Board of Commissioners to enforce any of the provisions of this Act may for the purpose of preventing or detecting the contravention of any of the provisions of this Act, at any time enter into any and every part of any place of entertainment, hotel, shop, warehouse or other place wherein refreshments or liquors are sold or kept for sale or reputed to be sold or kept for sale in contravention of this Act, or where on reasonable grounds he believes liquors are sold or kept for sale contrary to the provisions of this Act, and may make search in every part thereof and of the premises connected therewith as he may think necessary for the purpose aforesaid; and may seize and remove any liquor found, and the vessels in which the same is kept; and for such purpose may, with such assistance as he deems expedient, break open any door, lock or fastening in such premises, or any part thereof, or of any closet, cupboard, box or receptacle which might contain liquor.

"Every person being therein or having charge thereof, who refuses or fails to admit any such inspector or such other officer attempting to enter in pursuance of this section in the execution of his duties, or who obstructs or attempts to obstruct the entry of such inspector or such other officer or any such search as aforesaid, shall be guilty of an offence against the provisions of this Act and liable to a fine of fifty dollars, and in default of immediate payment to thirty days' imprisonment, in addition to any other punishment in such case provided."

The amendment made to this section in 1925 was the addition of the following subsection:

"126 (A) "If upon the entry of any inspector upon any premises for the purpose of making a search under this section or under section 125 of this Act, if any person within or upon such premises shall break any bottle, vessel or other receptacle or attempt to empty or otherwise destroy the contents of any such bottle, vessel or other receptacle, the same shall be prima facie evidence that the said bottle, vessel or other receptacle contained spirituous liquors and shall be so construed in any proceeding under this Act."

Both the original section and its amendment of 1925 have been repealed by the Bill now before the Legislature.

In their place the following substituted section has been enacted:

"126. During the process of any search under this Act if any person shall break any bottle, vessel or other receptacle or attempt to empty or otherwise destroy the contents of any such bottle, vessel, or other receptacle, the same shall be prima facie evidence that the said bottle, vessel or other receptacle contained spirituous liquors and shall be so construed by any judge, magistrate or stipendiary magistrate in any proceeding under this Act."

No right of search whatever is contained in the foregoing substituted section.

The Premier claims that the Temperance Alliance is supporting and approving of these amendments.

Is the Alliance to bear the responsibility for this mutilation and curtailment of efficiency of the Prohibition Act?

In Memoriam

THE LATE MRS. COLIN J. MACPHAIL

The death occurred at Argyle Shore, yesterday, April 25th of Mrs. Colin J. MacPhail, after a brief illness. The deceased was the eldest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Currie, DeSable and leaves to mourn four sons, Walter and Arthur at home, Malcolm in Argyle and the United States Army, also three sisters, Mrs. Mary Patterson, Charlottetown, Mrs. George Farrow, Hampton, Mrs. William Bayer, Bonshaw, and one brother, Mr. D. K. Currie, Charlottetown. Her husband predeceased her by about a year. The funeral takes place on Friday at 2 p. m.

Legislative Assembly

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Hon. Mr. Lea enquired as to why the amendment was necessary. The amendment was embodied in the clause.

Hon. Mr. Lea expressed his surprise at clause five. These vendors of gasoline are taxed on their general business as it is, with the result that just outside the City at North River, gasoline is sold 2 cents per gallon cheaper.

Hon. B. W. LePage concurred in the remarks of the previous speaker, and moved that the clause be struck out. This was seconded by Mr. Allen Stewart.

Mr. McLure said that the idea was to keep these pumps under some form of control.

Dr. MacMillan said that he had nothing in the way of elucidation to add to the clause. There was some further discussion, and the motion being put to the house, the clause was struck out.

The Bill was accordingly reported agreed to with amendments.

Note: The Bill reads as follows:

WHEREAS the executor of the will of Elizabeth Harris, late of Charlottetown, widow of the late Robert Harris, C.M.G., R.C.A., and others of the immediate relatives of the said Robert Harris have offered to pay the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars towards the cost of erection by the City of Charlottetown of a proper and adequate building on the Northern portion of the Market Square in the said City to contain a new Public Library and a Picture Gallery to be known as "The Robert Harris Memorial Gallery," and to place therein a permanent collection of the paintings of the said Robert Harris;

AND WHEREAS it is expedient as well in the public interests as in recognition of the beneficence of said offer and the high prominence of the said late Robert Harris that the said building be erected as aforesaid:

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Lieutenant Governor and the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Prince Edward Island, as follows:

1. That the City of Charlottetown be hereby authorized to expend the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars in the erection of a proper and adequate building on the Northern portion of the Market Square in said City to be used as a Public Library and Memorial Picture Gallery, and to issue City of Charlottetown Debentures to the amount of Ten Thousand Dollars, payable at a rate not exceeding twenty years from the date of issue and bearing interest at a rate not exceeding five per cent per annum, payable half yearly; such Debentures shall be in such form as the City Council of said City shall adopt and shall be under the hands of the Mayor and any two members of said City Council, and countersigned by the City Clerk and sealed with the Seal of said City and such debentures when issued, and the interest thereon shall be chargeable upon all City property and upon all taxes and moneys raised or levied by said City and shall be expressed to be payable out of the general funds of the City; and an adequate sum shall be annually provided and set apart as a sinking fund to redeem said Debentures at maturity.
2. The aforesaid Debentures shall not be taken to affect or lessen the general borrowing power of the City, but are especially authorized with first, those who are non-resident and apart from the amount limited by Statute in the borrowing power of the City.
3. The City of Charlottetown is hereby authorized and empowered to jointly with the government sell the province of Prince Edward Island and the trustees of the late Robert Harris or otherwise to erect upon a suitable site on the Northern portion of the Market Square in said City a proper and adequate permanent building to be used as a Public Library and a Memorial Picture Gallery, the latter to be known as "The Robert Harris Memorial Gallery."
4. All that portion of the said Market Square (or Market Place), heretofore vested in said City which lies Northwardly of the Northern side line of the present Market Building shall hereafter be held by the said City and it is assigned hereafter as a site for said building to be used as a Public Library and Memorial Picture Gallery and permanent walks, laws or gardens calculated to enhance the appearance and surroundings of said building.

An act to incorporate the Folly Cemetery Company next received its second reading in committee of the whole, and was reported agreed to.

The statute law amendments act next received its second reading in committee of the whole.

It was introduced by the Premier, who explained it briefly.

Hon. J. D. Stewart referring to clause 1, asked if they were trying to make the title of his office commensurate with the size of the gentleman who was holding it.

Dealing with clause 3, he wondered why the Minister of Agriculture did not also have the title of his assistant changed from "Secretary" to "Deputy Minister."

Hon. W. M. LePage claimed that under the late Government Mr. Boulter was continually signing himself as "Deputy Minister," so naturally he assumed that he had been made so by statute.

(Some further cross firing ensued over this matter between Mr. Stewart and Mr. Lea, Mr. Lea saying he was prepared to move an amendment.)

If not, what is it going to do about it?

I cannot permit this grievous injury to the efficacy of the Act to be perpetrated without doing what I can to prevent it. It is not yet too late to repair the damage. The Bill could be reconsidered by the Legislature if immediate action is taken by the Alliance Committee.

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L. O. C. Bowling Team Wins City Championship

Last night the L. O. C. Bowling Team eliminated the Y. M. C. A. team and annexed the City Bowling Championship. The game was very exciting although the winners had a large margin at the end. Following is a synopsis of game.

1st Game:

L. O. C.	972
Y. M. C. A.	820

Majority for L. O. C. 152

2nd Game:

L. O. C.	1065
Y. M. C. A.	881

Majority for League 174

3rd Game:

L. O. C.	967
Y. M. C. A.	812

Majority for League 155

Total Majority for L. O. C. 481.

The L. O. C. team deserve great credit for such high scores made by them in the play-offs. Tuesday night they rolled the highest game ever rolled in Prince Edward Island and in last night's game they also finished off with a splendid total. (Congratulations Stars!)

Y. M. C. A.

J. Cameron	112	286	172
T. Howatt	158	130	95
J. Clow	205	191	217
R. Pendleton	158	120	196
J. A. Bentley	187	154	162
Total	2513		

L. O. C. STARS

J. Webster	162	195	209
E. Caswell	217	238	248
C. Kelly	169	238	164
R. Harley	235	187	149
I. McCabe	189	197	197
Total	2994		

J. Cameron had high single of 286.

E. Caswell had high total of 703.

ATTERNOON SESSION

(The house resumed at 3:10)

The Premier referring to the Guardian's report of the proceedings of the Legislature wherein he was quoted as saying that the two Hospitals in this city were run in an unbusinesslike way, said that he had always heard only the best reports of the management of both the Charlottetown Hospital and the Prince Edward Island Hospital. He had no intention in the world of making any reflections on the trustees of the latter institution. He felt that the trustees of the Prince Edward Island hospital were good business men, and naturally would run anything in the most efficient manner possible. "If I made that statement," he said, "I greatly regret it, and it was far from my thoughts to cast any reflection on them. All that was in my mind was that the institution was hard to beat and unwise."

The house then went into committee of the whole to take into consideration an act to amend the land assessment act of 1924.

Hon. J. D. Stewart said that it was unconstitutional. The act was still a bill and had not become an act.

The Premier said that he would follow the precedent of the trustee act of 1910.

The first amendment, he said, in answer to a question by Mr. Stewart was a mistake. The act was being restored to its original form.

Some discussion ensued between Mr. Lea and Mr. Stewart as to how

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