

Down The Back Stretch

beautiful evening and the exceptionally good racing was very pleasing to the patrons. In races 1 and 5 the recent import Falgro 2:10 2/5, that was well back at the three-quarter pole, came flying through the stretch to win both by a neck in 2:14 4/5 for owners Sam Kennedy and Johnny Williams. He was given an excellent drive by Sam. Lady Abner 2:15 (C. Smith) was 2-3. True Hal 2:06 (Hennessey) 3-2. In the classified trot Mary Merk 2:08 2/5, owned and driven by C. Earle Sample, was much the best of the field, winning races 2 and 6 very easily. Rajah Hanover 2:13 3/5 (Moreside) was 2-6. Joandale 2:15 (C. Smith) 4-2, best time 2:14. The 3rd and 7th races were won by the pacer Yuta 2:11, owned by Andrew Perry, Summerside, and driven by E. Bowness, fastest time 2:12 2/5. Esso 2:11 3/5 (O'Meara) 2-5. Abner McGraw 2:15 (Shaw) 5-2. In the 7th dash Esso led to the quarter in 30 3/5 seconds. Yuta is eight years old and was sired by Kalmuck 2:15 and her dam is that iron-sided pacer of some years ago, Uscita Britton 2:09. Yuta will surely take a record of 2:10 or faster. The 4th and 8th races were a Free For All and certainly a most exciting one. Lucky Chief 2:04 1/5, owned by P. J. Cadegan and driven by Harold Stead, won the 4th in a photo finish with Ann's Boy 2:10 3/5, owned and driven by Ensor Bowness, 2; time, 2:11. In the 8th dash with the same field A. G. Scott that was fourth horse entering the back stretch the second time around, whirled through the stretch in a whirlwind fashion to finish a neck to the good in 2:11 2/5. He was given an excellent drive by Ike Moreside. Lucky Chief was 2.

Congratulations to President Dr. R. F. Seaman and Secretary-Treasurer W. G. "Bill" Gillespie of the Prince Edward Island Harness Racing Club for the splendid list of entries they have received for the Futurity Stakes that will be raced later this season. The Two Year Old Trot and Pace has 21, the Three Year Old Pace 19, the Three Year Old Trot and the Four Year Old Trot 11.

There was another splendid race program at Truro Wednesday night with Thelma Lou 2:05 2/5 (MacLeod) owned by T. P. Downey, Hillsboro, N.B., winning both dashes of the feature event, with Seven-Up Direct (Walker) 2-2. Time, 2:10 3/5. Daniel Hill (MacLeod) 2-1. Time, 2:10 1/5, that was brought in late last fall by Herb Wisener of Pictou, won race 3 in 2:13; Buster C. (Connors) won race 7 with the same field with Lahey's Dream (Conroy) second both trips. Other winners were Race 1, Pepper Boy, owned and driven by

North Side Beaches Draw Large Crowds



Part of the four-mile stretch between Dalvay and Covehead harbour which marks Stanhope, one of the most popular resorts on a Sunday afternoon, is shown above. (Photo by Margaret Mallett).

Outstanding Racing Card At Summerside Tonight

Everything points to a stand-out racing card at Summerside Raceway tonight. Captain Morgan and Tom my Morgan, photo finish horses in the last racing program, will do battle this evening at the Summerside Raceway in the first and fifth races. That fine mare, "Meg" should offer keen competition to the Morgans.

The second and sixth dashes will produce six well-classified trotters, any one of which could under the wire a winner. Railbirds will be watching for a long-shot pay-off on this one.

That beautiful gray mare, "My Darling" will be making her first bid for 1954 honors at Summerside Raceway tonight. She will be in the third dash and will have lots of backers. "My Darling" is owned by Senator Barbour and driven by Mr. James McGregor.

The junior free-for-allers that are racing for pay dirt will include Babe Britton, Hedgewood Chief, from the free-for-all class and these two fine steeds will be meeting each other for the first time this year. The pari-mutuel boys will be working overtime on this one.

Says Halifax Sale Makes No Difference To League

SYDNEY (CP) — President C. Roy MacDonald of the Maritime Major Hockey League said Friday he understands another club will be anxious to take over the Halifax franchise.

The 114 x Atlantics announced Thursday that they had sold all six players they owned outright to Sudbury Wolves and that the franchise was available to any interested group.

Mr. MacDonald, who said the sale actually makes little difference to the league, said the situation really depends on whether Glace Bay enters.

The Miners have been talking at another season in the MMHL because of the long haul to games in Charlottetown. A decision to continue in major series play had been made but the clubs had until next month to post \$500 bonds to guarantee entries.

Mr. MacDonald also said he could not understand how Atlantics could own six players when regulations called for only four. These players, he said, were to be registered in the Maritimes.

The MMHL is the only remaining major league in Canada and if it folds it probably will mean the end of that brand of hockey.

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With ideal weather, the races were good. The Goshen Cup for two-year-old pacers was won by Adios Everet in the track-record time 2:04 3/5. This race was dominated by the get of Adios; the first five horses in the second heat (paced in 2:06) being by that sire. The Historic-Dickerson Cup for three-year-old trotters was won by Lord Pick in 2:06 4/5 with Rotary Hanover from the Rimouski Stables a close second. An added feature was the sparkling performance of the Arden Homestead Stable's Tassel Hanover in a mile against time. Driven by Mrs. E. Roland Harri-man, the bay daughter of Dean Hanover reeled off a mile in 2:01 3/5 of a second on a half-mile track held by May E. Gratian and Royal Mist. Effortlessly gaited, and without hobbles or boots, Tassel Hanover is a pacing machine. It is expected she will assault Her Ladyship's world record sometime this year.

Another widely applauded attraction was Historic Track's 100th anniversary party entitled "Champions All". Based on historical facts

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Hunters' Corner

ing water but every few minutes I'd see a heavy bolt break the surface that was two feet in diameter. It was a pretty weighty trout for on several occasions the swell he kicked up rocked the weed bed. The young lad was doing the casting at the time and had his eyes on the spot. I was keeping pretty mum for I had an idea my new glass rod would go west if this big trout took the fly. I smiled when he spoke: "Dad, lets row over and take that big trout out of our road." He'll soon learn it's not quite so simple as that to remove a big trout that is beginning to get on one's nerves. With some misgiving I unfastened the boat from up snag and eased it gently within casting distance. I resisted the impulse to take the rod myself and held my breath as he made the cast. I knew if he made a good try and snaked the leader out in a natural way, he was doing on occasion, there'd be some fireworks. For a beginner he didn't do too bad but the leader and flies landed a sort of congested circle. I could see the wake made by the trout as it turned away after looking the offering over and becoming suspicious. It fed no more during the evening. Anyway, I know its hangout and there's another evening coming.

We creeled an even dozen trout from 8 to 9 1/2 inches in length. A 9 inch trout that is well fed and peppy can kick up some dirt on a light rod. I had a hard time to coax him ashore. There were so many strange noises he wanted to know the why and whereof of it that made them. The family chit chat of his, loud enough to have been made by a bird the size of a turkey, the harsh CRAANK of a crane (Great blue-heron); the hollow croak of a raven in the spruce swamp . . . everything interested him. As we walked carward along the night shrouded path fire flies, like tiny candles moving in the darkness, were a source of wonder. Some day, I hope, he'll be teaching his own son what I taught him. A love of the great outdoors and its wildlife is an asset in any young man's life.

Recently an angler of my acquaintance told me about an unusual experience. He was fishing at a pool below a mill dam and had placed some nice trout in his creel. As dusk settled he decided to call it a day. Closing the top of the basket over and fastening the catch he picked it up. The weight of his catch amazed him until he heard some rustling against the wicker sides. When he about 8 inches in length, hopped out. He cussed quietly under his breath, although he is not addicted

Probable Pitchers

NEW YORK (AP) — Probable pitchers for today's major league games. (Won and lost records in parentheses)

American League

Cleveland at Philadelphia—Feller (6-1) vs Bishop (0-0)

Baltimore at New York—Kretlow (2-5) vs Lopat (7-3)

Detroit at Boston—Herbert (2-5) or Hoelt (4-9) vs Brewer (5-5)

Chicago at Washington—Pierce (5-5) vs Porterfield (9-7)

National League

New York at St. Louis—Hearn (6-5) vs Lint (2-2) or Staley (5-7)

Brooklyn at Milwaukee—Newcombe (5-5) vs Jolly (4-3)

Philadelphia at Cincinnati—Ridzik (3-2) vs Valentine (7-8)

Pittsburgh at Chicago (2)—Law (6-1) and Purkey (1-8) vs Davis (4-2) and Klippstein (2-7).

BY-LAW TO AMEND THE BY-LAW TO REGULATE TRAFFIC

BE IT ENACTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHARLOTTETOWN AS FOLLOWS:

1. That the By-law to Regulate Traffic in the City of Charlottetown be amended by adding the following thereto as section 22 thereof:

22A. Notwithstanding anything otherwise appearing in this By-law if and where any street approaching an intersection is marked off into three traffic lanes every vehicle approaching and entering the intersection on such street shall proceed as follows:

Vehicles turning right in the intersection shall approach in the right hand lane and turn right into the right hand lane of the intersecting street, especially guarding all pedestrians.

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Vehicles turning left in the intersection shall approach in the centre lane and turn left into the right hand lane of the intersecting street as other traffic may allow, especially guarding all pedestrians.

Designation of lanes (i.e. "right-hand") is in relation to the direction of the vehicle.

to using swear words . . . the young rascals had eaten sizable holes in several of his best trout. It is apparent that many anglers are not familiar with the regulations in respect to rainbow trout in certain specified areas. Recently a news item dealt with a 4 1/2 pound rainbow trout taken at Glenfinnan Lake by a Montague angler on a light spinning lure. Angling for any kind of trout in O'Keefe's, Afton and Glenfinnan lakes is restricted to artificial flies. Lures such as spinners, artificial plugs, fish, etc., are illegal in any of the three aforementioned lakes. Only one rod is allowed per person. The size limit for rainbow trout is 14 inches and the daily limit is three trout per day. The restrictions that apply to artificial lures in the three lakes just mentioned do not apply to rainbow trout in other areas where they have become established such as the Cardigan and Seal Rivers and Seales Pond, Freetown. I trust that anglers will read and inwardly digest the foregoing.

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