



# CLASSY LIST OF ENTRIES IS ASSURED FOR ISLAND OPEN TENNIS TOURNAMENT

A wire received by Secretary J. W. Boulter from Dannie Steele, Boston, dated Wednesday evening, states: "Leaving by train Thursday morning for Charlottetown with three horses. That will be good news to Dannie's hundreds of friends in Prince County, yes, all the Island. Many his thoughts will be for the horses as a mere boy when he first started driving race horses, and then before he was twenty he had set up a new track with at Charlottetown on a 2.17 with Aga Mac. For the past fifteen years or more he has been living in the vicinity of Boston, racing good stables for prominent owners. This column speaks a warm welcome for Dannie.

Just next to Dannie in what are known as the Avery stables, will be the race horse Steele of Summerside who has been in Moncton for the past two months training horses for owners there. His quantities of speed consists of Sigurd, a yearling, 2.08 1-2, Don Fino 2.10 1-2, Spud Braden 2.13 1-2, Margaret C. and Nativa.

Our California friend and former Londoner, W. S. Found, writes us under recent date that harness racing opened at Santa Rosa, August 5th, for a six day meeting. It is in a town which will compete in the 2.10 to 2.14 classes where they will have to go in 2.03 or better. He encloses clippings from the Stockton Daily Record and a race program of the Frano, Cal. district fair. It is a safe bet that while Walter is probably racing in California next week his thoughts will fly back to his dear old Island home and his many friends here.

Nova Scotia Provincial Exhibition race dates are August 28th to September 2nd, and entries close August 16th with the Secretary, E. Frank Leidy, Halifax. All racing is on the dash system. Free for All and \$100 or \$80 for the other classes. Horses must be eligible to the following events: 1.5 Trot and Pace, 2.25 Trot and Pace, 2.17 Trot and Pace, Three Year Old and Under Trot and Pace, Free for All Trot and Pace, 2.20 Trot and Pace, 2.27 Trot and Pace, 2.13 Trot and Pace, 2.22 Trot and Pace for All Trot. Trotters allowed three mounts in mixed classes.

Maine's greatest fair will get under way next week at Skowhegan with practically the same dates as Charlottetown. Like Charlottetown it has great racing and vaudeville programs and draws enormous crowds.

The newly invented barrier and starting system which has been used over a few tracks in the past and has met with a good reception, was given its first trial on the Grand Circuit at Goshen, N.Y. this week. We have not received a report as to how it worked out.

Harvest Melody 2.10 1-4, that little trotter which came up from New Brunswick unknown and untried and won two trotting races at the Provincial Exhibition in 1936, has been trotting in good form this year. With Freddy Weir for a driver she romped off two miles each in exactly 2.13 to head her stable companion Peter P. 2.17, to the wire.

They must have had a wonderful race meet at Goshen, N.Y., this week with the both divisions of the Hambletonian Stake for trotters and numerous fast classes for trotters and pacers run off. Goshen track is operated by W. H. Kane and under the supervision of Walter Cox, former noted driver, now trainer of some trotters and pacers for Mr. Kane. Crowds of eighty to ninety thousand are not

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## Classy List of Entries Is Assured For Island Open Tennis Tournament

Tennis officials of the Charlottetown Tennis Club have their fingers crossed these days as they await the opening of the Island open tennis tournament, scheduled for Monday.

Never in the history of their tournaments have the officials been blessed with anything but fine weather and never have they failed to complete the various divisions. There have been rain showers to interrupt play on a number of occasions in each and every case there was enough fine weather to enable the tourney to be reeled off.

This year the officials are hoping for another break from the weather man and preparations are proceeding apace for the accommodation of competitors and spectators. A sizeable group of strong entries are assured and an innovation is being provided for the spectators. For the first time in Island history spectators at the matches will be able to watch their favorites from grand-stand seats designed to accommodate 300.

The stands are being erected under the trees at the north end of the courts one, two and three at Victoria Park.

These are the courts on which all the important matches in tournaments are played from the quarter finals down to the championship events.

Entries received to date include Laird Watt, Montreal, Canada's No. 1; Don McDiarmid, Ottawa, Canada's No. 5 and winner over Laird Watt here last year; Robert C. Haire, New York, finalist with Don McDiarmid at Halifax last year; Ken Farmer, Montreal, always a dangerous opponent, who doubles with Laird Watt this year; N. T. Mals, I. A. Ross and A. E. Lavery of Montreal and the extra formidable contingent from Halifax headed by Harry Roper, Eric Woodworth, Hugh Little, and Don Sanderson.

The ladies' events promise to be particularly interesting with such entries as Mrs. Harold Jones of Halifax and Claire Walsh of Toronto, ranking Canadians; Mrs. Harrington and Miss Wright of Bridgewater, N.S., and Miss Fishleigh of Toronto. Local junior entries headed by the brilliant William (Bill) Moreside are expected to hold their own with honors against all outside competitors.

Parshall Takes Another Winner Home

(By The Associated Press)

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Serene Hanover, (Cowgill) - 2 4 5  
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## Red Sox Give A Great Display In Shutting Out Kensington Ball Squad 7-0

The Red Sox rallied behind the one hit pitching of K. Arsenault and A. Morrison and playing practically errorless ball suggested out a 7-0 victory over Kensington in the second game of the season last evening. The game got away at 6.15 sharp with both squads in full uniform and raring to go. The Kensington second sack-

Burns punched out a single in the first frame when two were out and that was all for the out of town squad for the evening. The only other two to reach first base got there on bases on balls.

The Sox bunched three singles an error and an infield out for four runs in the second and G. Bernard's two run homer in the third, made the lead comfortable. Ray Arsenault earned his first shutout of the season with a one hit performance although he was relieved by A. Morrison in the sixth who pitched hitless ball for the next three innings.

Kensington fought all the way but could not seem to punch a marker on the scoreboard against the sensational Sox.

Kensington retains a mathematical chance of catching a playoff berth if they can win all their remaining games and the Pioneers lose all theirs.

Remaining games and intermediate playoff dates will be announced later.

Stars Have Final Chance For Playoff

With the second and final playoff place hanging in the balance Stars and Rovers hook up in the first game of the doubleheader City League series at Victoria Park tomorrow afternoon at 1:15 with the Rovers meeting the Anchors in the other game a game that will wind up the season.

For the Stars it will be their last chance. If they succeed in defeating the Rovers in the opening tussle then whether or not they succeed in getting into the charmed circle depends entirely on whether or not the Anchors can whip the Rovers. Even then a playoff will be necessary to decide the team that will enter the finals against the west-end crew.

It is a setup that might lead to anything and the games are bound to be the most exciting of the schedule. The first game is slated for 1:15 sharp with the second beginning around 3 o'clock.

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Ray Hughes, the former St. Louis Browns second baseman, accounted for both Philadelphia runs.

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Trailing 1-0 the Yanks batted around with two errors and a wild pitch supplementing their six hits.

Frank Crossett singled to runs across, stole second and went to third on Frank Hayes' bad throw. Charley Keller scored Crossett with a single. Joe DiMaggio beat out a grounder and George Sklikr singled Keller home. DiMaggio scored on a wild pitch before Gordon fanned on his second trip to the plate.

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It's catcher Bill Dickey's annual August spell of dizziness that is bothering New York Yankees pitcher according to metropolitan ball scribes. A series with the Phillies should fix that.

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## BASEBALL RESULTS

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York 000 060 111-9 13 0  
Philadelphia 010 001 300-5 12 4  
Gomez, Hadley and Rosar;  
Foster, Dean and Hayes.

St. Louis 000 201 000-3 8 1  
Detroit 000 300 001-4 10 1  
Harris and Glenn;  
Newsom and Tebbets.  
Only games scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Philadelphia 010 100 000-2 8 1  
New York 000 000 100-1 2 1  
Eaton and Miller;  
Schumacher and Danning.

Pittsburgh 000 020 000-2 6 0  
Chicago 001 010 000-3 12 1  
Butcher, Sewell and Mueller;  
Lee and Harnett.  
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practically no snow, so that when July arrives they are more than ready for the work.

The old saw credited to Sir John A. Macdonald, that there is nothing so uncertain as horse racing, was fully borne out by the results at Atlantic City Wednesday. For the first time in the history of the race for All for instance, with Peter Jace 2.02 1-2, that mighty Maine pacer, beaten by Walter Brown in the second and third heats, and Bedford Graham 2.06 1-2, he was the opening race on the program.

Quaker Girl 2.08, that pretty but unlovely little festive hee's who acted so unkindly toward Driver McVeagh at the Exhibition races three years ago, and then with a new driver went on to win a surprising victory and a record of 2.09, turned the tables on a good field of pacers at North Sydney, winning the Dudley Patch, the Great Gully, Vikings and Braden Custer. She was driven by Ollie Ruderman.

They have developed some sensational baby trotters and pacers in Ontario this year. One took a record of 2.16 in July, Jim Lee by the driver of the same name. The other was a yearling, the more frisky Gladys Bars took a record of 2.14-1/2. Several other baby trotters up to 2 years of age have shown better than 2.30. Of course they have a long season in Ontario, many start training in January over tracks such as Toronto and Weston, where there is

## Remember When

(By The Canadian Press)

Bettors made James J. Jeffries 2-1 favorite to defend his heavyweight title against Jim Corbett 36 years ago today. Corbett entered the ring for the last time against Jeffries and took a beating in a 10-round battle.

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## Boxing at Sporting Club

SATURDAY AUGUST 12th, 1939

MAIN BOUT—10 ROUNDS

DANNY McCORMACK vs PORDENA SMITH  
of Souris vs of Sydney, N.S.  
152 pounds vs 156 pounds

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Time First Bout 9 p.m. Sharp.

Prices:—Ringside 75c; Reserve 60; Rush 50; Ladies 25c

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That is only a brief lineup of the fight but there is action promised in huge quantities and if you don't want to be disappointed don't fail to sit in on the scraps tonight. You will get your money's worth.

ENTRIES

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Today's entries included Leo Diegel, pro at Philmont, Pa., who won the Canadian open in 1924, 1925, 1928 and 1929. Another was Arthur Hurlbert, Toronto, ranked sixth among Canadian professional.

## Cape Breton Fighters Await Gong For Tonight's Scraps

With the four Cape Bretoners who take part in the card already in the city everything is in readiness for tonight's big boxing card at the Sporting Club featuring the ten-round main event between clever Dannie McCormack of Souris and hard-hitting Fordena Smith of Sydney, N.S. That the card will be the fancy of the fight fans is undoubted. The fights, especially the main event is being talked about wherever followers of the game gather and it is certain that a large crowd will be in attendance tonight once the bell goes for the opening bout on an all-star card.

The Cape Bretoners went through their final workouts last night before a large gathering of fans at the Club and all four appear to be in the pink of condition. Although the work was confined to punching the light and heavy bags and shadow boxing, nevertheless the quartette left the impression that they will be tough foes to beat.

The Island midgets haven't been letting any grass grow under their feet and they will enter the ring tonight in just as good if not better condition than they have ever been.

Smith who meets McCormack is a big, solidly built chap who hits hard with either hand and likes the milling when it gets toughest. He has beaten Mickey McMullen twice and if present negotiations go through will be seen here in the near future against Johnnie Nemis.

Henry Holm, who is taking the place of Ike Gillis against Kid Nickerson after Gillis broke his hand in training, will give Nickerson all kinds of competition. Holm, a brother of Billy Holm, well known here, went to the finals at Montreal in his class in competition for the British Empire

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