

Colorful Carnival Parade Watched By Thousands



SO MUCH TO SEE! SMALL FRY TYPIFY THRO NGS WATCHING LOBSTER CARNIVAL PARADE



OVER-ALL TOP HONORS IN CARNIVAL PARADE WENT TO BO-KAY GARDENS WHICH ALSO HEADED CLASS C2



'HOLIDAY ISLE' THEME CAPTURED SUMMERSIDE THROUGH

Greatest Success To Date

SUMMERSIDE BUREAU OF THE GUARDIAN
Measured by attendance, and the number of parade units, the opening day of the annual Summerside Lobster Carnival yesterday enjoyed the greatest success of its seven-year history. Thousands of spectators, the largest crowd ever, lined both sides of the streets every foot of the way along the parade route, as approximately 50 floats, five bands, three marching units, more than a dozen convertibles, together with a multiple of other parade attractions, including clowns, provided the most colorful and spectacular parade ever staged in Summerside.

Led by the lovely Summerside majorettes the parade began leaving the marine wharf at 1.30 p.m. in a procession of gaily decorated floats, bands and marching units which kept all sidewalks literally packed with camera-wielding spectators. Ambitious carnival parade fans had already secured parking places for their cars along many streets on the parade route before noon yesterday morning.

The color, and picturesque-ness of the procession was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone without a single accident to mar the festivities.

Approximately 50 floats depicting phases of business and other interests provided a difficult task for parade judges, Mrs. A. G. Dage, RCAF Station Summerside; Everett Champion, Mayor of Kensington; and George V. Fraser, director of the P.E.I. Travel Bureau.

TOP FLOAT
The judges chose the float of Bo-Kay Gardens of Summerside as the best overall float, a 2nd winner of the Bill Leach Trophy.

In the service club class, first prize went to the Summerside Underwater Club, with Summerside Rotary as second, and Charlottetown Board of Trade, third.

T class for government departments, towns and villages, and business firms with 10 or more employees was won by R. T. Holman Ltd., with P.E.I. Bag Co., second; and the RCAF Station, Summerside, as third.

In addition to winning the prize for the best float in the parade the Bo-Kay Gardens float placed first in the class for individual and business firms with one to nine employees. Second place in the group went to the Shoe Box, and third to Heckbert Studios.

Special mention was also accorded to two floats from Egmont Bay: the Summerside Royal Canadian Legion; the Fisheries Federation; Curran and Briggs Ltd.; Central Creamery; Boston Pharmacy; Tenace Oil Co.; and another to Keith Moose who exhibited a well-kept model A Ford.

FROM EGMONT BAY
Nine floats entered in the parade from Egmont Bay were a part of the parade two weeks ago celebrating the 150th anniversary of Egmont Bay parish, and provided one of the most interesting sections of the parade, depicting Acadian handicrafts, organizations, pioneer home-making skills, and

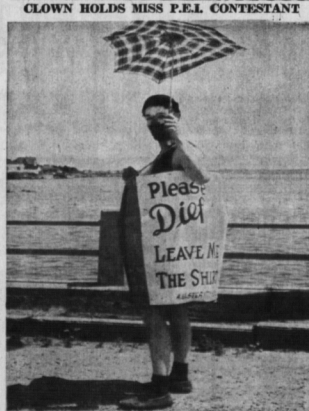
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CLOWN HOLDS MISS P.E.I. CONTESTANT



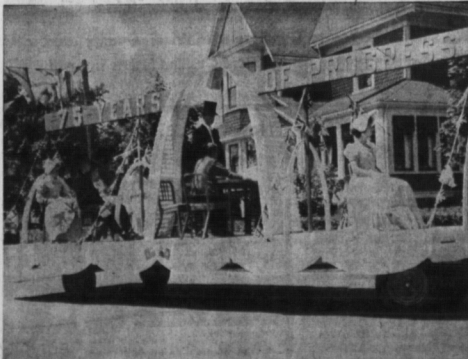
HOLMAN'S OF P.E.I. FLOAT TOOK TOP HONORS IN CLASS C1



CLOWN'S AUSTERITY NOTE WINS LAUGHTER



'SIDE MAJORETTES RANKED AS REAL EYE-CATCHERS



CH'TOWN BOARD OF TRADE'S FLOAT GOT HIGH RATING



BRITISH SUB WAS CARNIVAL'S MOST UNUSUAL VISITOR



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