



## DOWN THE BACK STRETCH

The most sensational two-year-old pacer of all time is Adios Boy by Adios. The Harness Horse of July 29th has this: "Once again it was the Adios sensation, Adios Boy, which held the headlines at Roosevelt Raceway, New York, winning for the third straight time in 2:04 2/5. Second to him was Champ Adios by Adios and third was Queen Adios. In the 5th race on the program it was Adios again—Adios Dottie that won in 2:07 2/5 to give the Meadowlands Farm pacer his tenth two-year-old pacer of the season. Adios Boy was a winner again last Tuesday night at Roosevelt Raceway setting another world's pacing record of 2:03. At Roosevelt Raceway, July 27th, Adios Betty by Adios, driven by Dr. Miller, set a new world's record for a two-year-old pacing filly on a half-mile track, time 2:04 2/5. Adios was foaled in 1940 and was sired by Hal Dale 2021, premier sire at Two Gait Farm, Indiana, and his dam was Adios Veda 3, 205 over a half-mile track, and her sire was Adios Guy 2, 00 3/5. Incidentally, Adios Guy was once owned in Halifax, N. S. In the 1952 Register Adios was shown as the sire of 12 pacers, two in 2:00, seven in 2:05. From his showing to date he looks to be a most sensational sire of early and extreme speed.

We are glad to see that the get of the Maritimes favorite trotter Warim 206, owned by Alderman Frank Adams, Halifax, and the seller-up of numerous track trotting records in the Maritimes including Charlottetown's 207's, are winning over United States tracks. At Vernon Downs Raceway, Warim 206, a four-year-old, won the 2:22 Trot in 2:07. This is the fastest time we have noted for any of his get so far.

At Vernon Downs the same night Joe O'Brien won the 2:24 Trot with Alfred Hanover in 2:08 2/5 and the 2:25 pace with Diana Strike in 2:05. He also won the 2:20 Trot with Newport Mascot. At the same meeting Henry Clukey won the 2:17 pace with Vernon Hanover in 2:02, the Three Year Old Trot with Memory Song in 2:06 4/5, the C-Trot with Burthage Special in 2:07 2/5 and the 2:25 Pace, first division, in 2:03 4/5 with Vernon Elkington and the second dash in the Gainsway pacing derby, purse \$10,000, with Hi-Lo Forbes in 1:59, which equals the track pacing record set up by him previously with the same horse Clukey, because of his world's record established with Hi-Lo Forbes and the great campaign he has made with him, is getting many catch drives. At Vernon Downs Don Larlee, well known Maritime driver who has been driving and racing in the United States the past year, won the A Pace with The Black Prince in 2:01 4/5. Don has been picking up some firsts and quite a number of placings with this horse.

On July 25th Wayzoff, six-year-old pacer owned by Fred H. Snow of Pine Point, Maine, and driven by H. Britt, won the Quincey Free For All Pace, purse \$5,000 at Foxboro, Mass. It was one of his most brilliant victories and in winning he headed five others including Ray State Tom. Time, 2:05 2/5, 2:08 1/5. Wayzoff is by Royal Napoleon 201 and his dam is Jane Azoiff 1582, formerly owned here.

A new \$2,000,000 pari-mutuel night harness racing track is being constructed at Wilmington, Delaware. It will open a twenty night meet on Labor Day, Sept. 7th. Every effort is being made to have it the nation's fastest harness track. It is being modelled after the Roosevelt strip and Joe McFadden, who was one of the great harness horse trainers and drivers of years ago, is supervising its construction. To make the track fast Joe is using a mixture of yellow clay with sand for resurfacing and he is taking great pains to achieve the proper banking and grading on the turns so that horses on the outside will

## FOR SALE

One of the best money making propositions in this Province, which includes Covehead half mile race track, one of the fastest, safest and most popular in the Maritimes where many outstanding horses took their best records and has also drawn large attendances. Also the grounds which comprise 18 acres of excellent land. On it are 40 race horse stalls, grandstand with seating capacity of 1500, an excellent canteen which can also be used as a dance hall, and on the inside of the track has been built one of the safest and fastest stock car racing strips in the Maritimes.

This sport is becoming very popular with young and old and wherever it has been set up has drawn large crowds. A franchise for stock car racing has been secured with the best organization in Canada and this provides insurance for spectators, car drivers and pit mechanics.

My reason for selling is that I am living at a very considerable distance from Covehead and find it is not convenient for me and I cannot give the proposition the attention it deserves. Any ambitious young man or group of men who take this over and give it proper attention will find it one of the biggest money makers there is today. For quick sale I am prepared to accept a very attractive price.

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## Meet Next Week To Decide Colt Race Details

The Prince Edward Island Harness Racing Association, which stages the Colt Futurities annually in this Province, will hold a directors' meeting on Tuesday afternoon coming at Dr. Seaman's Just-a-Mere Stables in the Exhibition grounds.

Secretary of the Association W. G. Gillespie has notified the various directors that important business is to be transacted and a full attendance is in prospect.

A rainy afternoon and cool night did not stop racing at Charlottetown track last Saturday night. Clearing weather, warmer temperature and great racing kept the spectators in good humor. Three new records were set up with Whispering Hope, a bay gelding by Simcoe Harvester 2044, stepping the fastest dash of the night in winning the 7th race, time, 2:13 3/5. She is owned by Arnold Weeks, Fredericton, and was driven by Cyril Smith, My Darling, owned by Senator G. H. Darling, and driven by Dave Wisbarbour, owned by Dave Wisbarbour, was a close second. In the 3rd race with the same field My Darling outpaced Whispering Hope just at the wire in 2:13 4/5.

Another new record was set up by the seven-year-old trotter Arionway, owned and driven by Harold Cudmore, in the 8th race, time race 2:16 4/5. Royal Scott won the 4th race with the same field with Arionway 2 in 2:15 4/5. He is owned by Gregory and McLean. Another horse to take a new record is the silk pacer Sleepy Sam, owned by Walter Hennessey and driven by Joe Hennessey. He paced around the entire field to win the second race in 2:15 3/5. The 6th race with the same field was won by Lassie Lucille, owned and driven by the writer, Sleepy Sam 2. Time 2:16 1/5. Friends of R. D. McFadyen, Hunter River, were greatly pleased to see him out in front in the 1st and 5th races with the pacer Follow Me. His neighbor Cyril Smith was second in the 1st with S. Plant and another neighbor, Emmett Bernard, drove Sister Verna Hoo a splendid race to be right at the winner's wheel in 2:15 3/5.

Tuesday night's races at the Charlottetown track was featured by the greatest display of speed ever witnessed in the three provinces by a Maritime bred three-year-old pacer. The track was excellent but the weather cool and conditions could not therefore be considered fast, yet the slim racer Jerry's Nightmare, owned by James O'Brien, Ellerslie, and driven by Earle Semple, paced a mile that astonished even the oldest and most experienced horsemen present. They were looking for 2:12 or perhaps slower time but they realized when she went to the quarter and half that something better would show up on the score board, but not the 2:06 that did appear. Jerry's Nightmare is real speed in a freak of speed in these parts. When she arrived at the Summerside track shortly before the opening meet in July she was set a final eighth and it was clocked in 14 seconds. It is her wonderful speed capacity, her manners and staying qualities that entitles her to give a performance that will not be forgotten by those who saw it or those who read about it in the Maritimes for a long time. The other starters in the three-year-old class were good pacers; Mighty Deb had raced on the Grand Circuit as a two-year-old and taken a record of 2:08 on a mile track and she finished second each trip. Suffolk Chief, an extremely well bred three-year-old, was 3-3. The other local bred three-year-olds also went creditable races. These are the races—

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## Elephant Boy Defeats N.S. Wrestler At Forum

The Elephant Boy, a colorful, crowd-provoking mountain of a wrestler last night defeated Nick D'Entremont of Yarmouth, Nova Scotia two out of three falls in the main match of the Booster's wrestling card at the Forum.

The Elephant Boy won the first fall but the Nova Scotian came back to even matters and take the second fall. In winning the third and deciding fall the Elephant Boy earned the right to meet the famous Gorgeous George in a match here in two weeks time.

Nora Cadabarah, billed as a descendant of one of Spain's famous families, defeated Jean Hogan from Texas in the girls' wrestling.

The Texas girl, who turned out to be the villain, won the first fall but the dark-haired Senorita Cadabarah won the second fall on a drop kick and the third with a body press.

Champion Sonny Boy Cassidy proved his superiority in the mid-set class as he lost the first fall and then came back to take the last two in a bout with the Red Weasel.

Sonny Boy, who won the approval of the crowd, floored the Red Weasel with a drop kick and thread press in the second fall and applied a body slam to his red clothed opponent in the third and deciding.

A fair sized crowd of fans watched the match.

## Little League Baseball Results

The Yankees defeated the Indians 10-2 yesterday in a Little League baseball encounter behind the four-hit pitching of Maurice Larter.

Larter helped his own cause considerably by getting a home run and a double. Vince Mullan and Billy Sherry each had two hits for the Yankees while Emmett Joseph turned in a good defensive chore for the winners.

Following is today's schedule: 10:00—Cardinals vs. Yankees.

## Tennis Finals This Afternoon

The men's singles and the men's doubles finals in the Prince Edward Island Open Tennis Tournament will be played this afternoon on the Charlottetown Tennis Court with the weather permitting.

Earl Smith, the defending champion and Charlie MacMillan will meet in the singles matches at 2:30. The finals in the doubles will be played at 4:30 with Earl Smith and Segr. Ldr. Lacombe meeting Walter Cullen and Andy Anderson.

If the weather is unfavorable the matches will be played tomorrow at the times advertised for today.

## Baseball Meeting Next Week

There will be a meeting of the Island Baseball League executive early next week and it will probably be held in Charlottetown.

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Erts and Rolie Diamond played strong defensive ball for the Braves while George MacDonald and Jimmy Fardy turned in good games for Southport.

## HUNTERS' CORNER

Migratory Bird seasons and changes in the Regulations for 1953 will be officially announced shortly. Advance notice appeared in the local press this week under the heading: "Duck Seasons Extended Except in P. E. Island."

In case local duck hunters may get the impression that P. E. I. has been discriminated against I feel that an explanation is in order. Such is not the case. The season requested by the Provincial Department of Industry and Natural Resources on ducks and geese was October 10th till December 5th. This change in seasons was recommended by the Provincial Fish and Game Association as requested by a unanimous vote of the three County Branches.

If the Department concerned had felt that local conditions and current duck prospects for this fall warranted the extension of the duck season to December 8th, this date would have been recommended in the first instance. Apparently other provinces wished an extension of three days over the period of 57 day hunting period in effect for several years and while the courtesy of the Department of Resources and Development, Ottawa in extending to this Province the opportunity of getting in on the new deal was appreciated it was the feeling among provincial sportsmen that an additional three days hunting would not work in the interests of our ducks.

The impression among our better thinking duck hunters is that December 5 is the dead line for a considerable number feel that November 30 should be the closing date on ducks. Wildgeese are considered in a different category and an open season extending till December 10 would work in the best interests of both geese and hunters. It is the opinion of quite a few goose hunters.

Wildgeese are acquiring the habit of remaining with us all winter and this is not a good thing. After geese remain till January ushers in they appear loath to leave and will stick it out even if it means starving to death or freezing.

They'll sit it out on snow covered fields waiting for a handout till one gets the shivers just looking at them. Black ducks on the other hand winter with us in thousands. When the going gets tough and blizzards and below zero temperatures keep all but the hardiest of men and women indoors they'll get by reasonably well. In deep winter they frequent alder bordered creeks and open springs or marshy runs that do not freeze up and where legions of gudgeons (small coarse fish) foregather in below zero weather.

Aside from its conservation aspects a duck season extending into

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## Marlene Stewart Still Leads Field In Ladies Golf

LONDON, Ont. (CP)—Marlene Stewart was forced to work awful hard Friday to hit par—76 in the second round of the Canadian women's close golf championship. It was enough to keep her six strokes ahead of the field.

The Fonthill, Ont., hot-shot, who made history with a brilliant first-round 71 on Thursday, scrambled and wandered all over the layout to match par and post a 36-hole 147 score. Her par-equaling effort was matched Friday by 20-year-old Mary Gay of Kitchener, Ont., who with her 77 Thursday, holds a 36-hole total of 153.

The lead held by poker-faced Miss Stewart should be a big enough margin to give her three straight close titles when the 54-hole medal play championship effort was matched Friday by 20-year-old Mary Gay of Kitchener, Ont., who with her 77 Thursday, holds a 36-hole total of 153.

## Baseball Games Here Sunday

A baseball doubleheader will be played on Memorial Field Sunday afternoon with Maritime Central Airway's playing both the Intermediate and Junior Abbies.

M. C. A. and the Junior Abbies will meet in the first game which will get underway at one o'clock. It will be the Intermediate Abbies and M.C.A. in the second contest.

Probable starting pitchers are Donnie MacLean for the Intermediate Abbies and Benny Carson for the Juniors. Lefty MacAleer will hurl one game for M. C. A. and Paul Jay or Jackie Burke will start the other contest.

## Softball Games Over Week-End

Canada Packers will meet the Legion Sunday afternoon in the third and deciding game of their best of three City Softball League play-off series. The game will be played at two o'clock on the Old Diamond.

This afternoon the Guardian Angels will play the Summerside R. C. A. F. at the airport in an exhibition game and tomorrow afternoon the Angels will meet the Charlottetown Braves in a game at two o'clock on the Knights Diamond.

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## B.Y.C. Eliminate City From Softball Play-Offs

The Wally Shepherd coached Basilica Youth Club softball team eliminated the City Slickers from further competition in the City Softball League yesterday by shelling the City men 17-1 in the second game of a best of three series.

Spin ball artist Joe Thistle allowed the City only four hits, as he went the distance on the mound for the B.Y.C. and turned in a strong pitching performance. Veteran Ray Stull started on the hill for the City but got little fielding support. He was relieved by Sonny Stull in the fifth. Between them they gave up 12 hits.

Catcher Kenny Tulle and first baseman Al Coady led the B.Y.C. assault. Tulle had a perfect three for three evening while Coady had three hits in five trips. Short stop Charlie Weatherbe had two hits for the winners.

Ray Stull, John Haughey, Billy Pryor and Dickie Ryan each knocked out a single for the City. Stull scored his team's only run in the second inning.

Alfred Coady turned in a strong game at first base for the winners and John Walsh played well at third. Billy MacDonald made a nice running catch off Ray MacCloskey for the City's best defensive play.

The B.Y.C. will now meet the R.C.A.F. in the second round of the play-offs.

Last night's game was handled by Bill Murphy with Verne Blanchard on first and Ivan Connors on third.

Lineups: Coady 1b; Weatherbe ss; Arsenault 2b; Burge lf; MacCloskey rf; Tulle c; Kays cf; Walsh 3b; Thistle p; Campbell c; Roche cf.

City: Haughey 1b; Pryor ss; Williams 3b; S. Stull 2b; p; R. Stull p; 2b; N. MacNeivin cf; D. Ryan c; G. Scantlebury lf; D. White rf; MacAuley cf; Devine 1b; MacDonald rf.

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## THRILLBOWL RACE TRACK

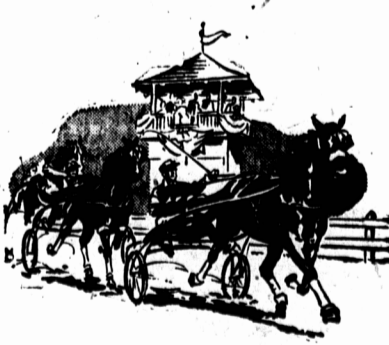
Yes, Siree! Here's What You Have Been Waiting For! The Island's first daylight stock car racing! Where everyone sees every spill and every thrill.

The promoters, Mr. B. N. Hopley and Mr. C. J. Fraser have spared no effort or expense to create the Montague Thrillbowl, which is the best track for stock car racing on the Island, and they have also provided space by extensive grading where everyone can get an excellent view of the track at all times.

Our first race will be held on Wednesday afternoon, August 19th, and will be under the capable management of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Bryenton, who are among those responsible for bringing this thrilling new sport to P.E.I. Rest assured that you will see a show which should be the best the Island has seen, since you have daylight vision, and all the best cars and drivers which the Island can provide.

Be sure to watch the papers for further announcements of this race, and reserve this date for the biggest thrill of your life.

## Stock Car and Horse Racing Summerside Raceway



STOCK CAR RACES!  
Saturday, Aug. 8  
STARTING AT 8 P.M.

Admission: Adults \$1.00. Up to 8 years FREE. 8 to 16, 50c.

1st Race—2 Dashes preliminary Stock Cars  
2nd Race—5 Dashes of Horse Racing  
Semi Final 12 laps. Final Free For All 20 laps.

All for One Admission Price.

## YEO THEATRE

MONTAGUE MON. — TUE. 10-11

### MY COUSIN RACHEL

Olivia deHavilland, Richard Burton  
BANK NITES — FREE — \$20.00

## ATTENTION HORSEMEN

The Draw for Monday Night's Racing Aug. 10 for:

THE FREE FOR ALL PACE.  
2:25 TROT.  
3 YEAR OLD.

Declaration Saturday at 2:00 P.M.

| RACE 1 & 4  | 2nd RACE   | RACE 3 & 5   |
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| LENA'S BOB, 1 & 2, owned by Blair Bernard, driven by E. Gougen.             | FLICKA McELWYN, 7, owned by Sobey's Stables, driven by George Sobey.     | LILLY MARLENE, 1 and 3, owned by Rhodes Warren, driven by Campbell.                |
| SIR FRANCIS DRAKE, 2 & 4, owned by Cliff MacDougall, driven by Len O'Meara. | WHIRLAWAY, 2, driven by Laurie O'Brien.                                  | HILDA MAC, 2 & 4, owned by John Harkness, driven by Ensor Bowness.                 |
| ARIONWAY, 3 & 6, owned and driven by Harold Cudmore.                        | KITTEN, 8, owned by Forrest Phillips, driven by Albert Phillips.         | EVA BUDLONG, 3 & 7, owned by Geo. Hughes, driven by Harold Sten.                   |
| BUDDY BUDLONG, 4 & 1, owned by George Brookings, driven by Don MacNeill.    | MONA CLEGG, 1, owned by Harlan D. Redding, Maile, driven by Earl Semple. | MISS PLAYFAIR, 4 & 8, owned by C. Dystart, driven by E. Gougen.                    |
| TIM O. SHANKO, 5 & 5, owned and driven by Blair Bernard.                    | LADY DALE, 3, owned and driven by R. H. Phillips.                        | LITTLE DELBERT, 5 & 5, owned by James O'Brien, driven by Earl Semple.              |
| WINNIE'S LAST, 6 & 7, owned and driven by R. C. Shea.                       | TOMMY MORGAN, 6, owned and driven by Don MacNeill.                       | SHINOLA, 6 & 2, owned by Messrs. Sobey and Hessel, driven by Geo. Sobey.           |
| JIMMY A., 7 & 3, owned and driven by Edgar Reeves.                          | ROBERT BRUCE, 5, owned by George Brookings.                              | LOU KALMUCK, 7 & 1, owned by Edgar Bryanton, driven by Don MacNeill.               |
|   | NOREEN GRATTAN, 4, owned by Sobey's Stables, driven by George Sobey.     | MASON'S 49, 8 & 6, owned and driven by Larry J. O'Brien. Also eligible: RUBY DALE. |
|   | Also Eligible: CAPT MORGAN—ANITA BUDLONG.                                |  |