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THE PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND Provincial Rifle Association

Seventy-First
ANNUAL PRIZE MEET
To Be Held On
August 3rd and 4th, 1936
AT CHARLOTTETOWN

PROGRAMME

FIRST DAY—
MacKinnon Match ——— MacKinnon Cup and \$100.00
Green Shot Match ——— \$25.00
Moore & McLeod Match — R. C. N. V. R. Cup and \$100.00
City of Charlottetown Match — Pickard Cup and \$100.00

SECOND DAY—
Prowse Bros., Ltd., Match ——— Prowse Medal and \$100.00
Lieut.-Governor's Match ———
P. R. A. Gold and Silver Medals and \$100.00
Judson Tyro Match ——— \$30.00
Ladies Challenge Match ———
The Army and Navy Club Cup and \$57.00

TEAM MATCHES AND AGGREGATES—
British Consols Team Match ——— \$25.00
Nicholson Tyro Aggregate ——— Cash and Kind \$37.00
Grand Aggregate ———
Governor General's Silver and Bronze Medals
Ottawa Aggregate ———
Davison Cup, D. C. R. A. Silver and Bronze Medals
J. W. Johnson Aggregate ——— Johnson Trophy

FREE TRANSPORTATION AND TRAVELLING ALLOWANCE TO THE DOMINION OF CANADA RIFLE ASSOCIATION MEET BEING HELD IN OTTAWA, AUGUST 10th to 15th, 1936

WILL BE GIVEN TO 16 MEMBERS OF THE ASSOCIATION (INCLUDING 4 TYROS) WHO HAVE COMPETED IN THE OTTAWA AGGREGATE.

TWO DAYS OF REAL SPORT

SECRETARY'S OFFICE WILL BE OPEN AFTER-NOONS FROM 4 to 6 TO RECEIVE ENTRIES AND FEES UP TO AUGUST 1st.
Lieut.-Col. H. M. DAVISON, V.D., R.O.
President.

Capt. W. A. SMITH,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Invited To Lead English Cricket Team

LONDON, July 24—(CP) Cable—G. O. Allen, Australian-born skipper of England's cricket team against India, has been invited to lead the Mother Country against Australia in the test series starting early in December.

Born at Sydney 34 years ago, the Middlesex amateur has had considerable "test" experience. He is a fast bowler and hard hitter. R. W. V. Robins, also a veteran player and Middlesex amateur, has been invited.

Five professionals were asked today including Wally Hammond, Gloucestershire all-rounder; Maurice Leyland and Freddie Verity, representing Yorkshire; Joseph Hardstaff, Nottinghamshire, who had his first test tryout against South Africa last year, and L.B. Fisher, Surrey star who plays his first international game against India at Manchester, July 25, are also listed to start.

The first test will be played at Brisbane December 4, others being scheduled for Sydney December 18; Melbourne January 1; Adelaide January 29 and Melbourne February 26.

Sport Shorts

IRELAND IN OLYMPICS

REYKJAVIK—For the first time this island will send athletes to run and throw at the Olympic Games. In 1906 and 1912, Ireland sent one athlete, a wrestler. He reached the semi-finals in each instance.

INDIAN CRICKET GROUND

BOMBAY—A new era in Indian cricket was inaugurated when the governing body of Bombay laid the foundation stone of the Cricket Club of India. It is believed one of the finest grounds in the world.

A WIDE MARGIN

ALDERSHOT, England — In the Aldershot command unit team athletic championships here Corporal A. W. Kinnally beat the previous army pole vault record by 11 inches. He topped 12 feet, five inches.

CHINESE FOOTBALLERS DRAW

SINGAPORE — The biggest football crowd ever gathered in Singapore saw the Chinese Olympic Games team trounce a Singapore outfit 4-0. Official attendance was 25,000.

PITCHED WITH BROKEN ARM

RICHMOND, Va.—A pitcher here leads Association,

was being "nicked" quite freely along about the third inning of a ball game here. He stayed in because he was the only twirler the team had in uniform. After the game it was shown he had a broken arm.

Harlem's enthusiasts invaded a hotel lobby to acclaim their latest hero since the downfall of Joe Louis. Hundreds of negroes stampeded Ohio State's great negro star, Jesse Owens.

BOLD WORDS

BRISTOL, England — A shrewd cricket and rugby enthusiast, watching a boys' baseball game, told a reporter he would be surprised if baseball isn't the greatest national summer game in England "within ten years."

OLD-TIMER TRANSFERRED

EVERTOWN, England — Ben Williams, Everton football club right-back has been signed by Newport County. He has played 11 times for Wales, and captained the Welsh 1934 international champions.

RACING BOOM

BRISTOL, England — Speedway racing at Bristol is booming. At the Bristol and All-American match, 12,700 spectators turned out, the largest crowd ever seen on a West of England speedway track.

TRAINING THEM YOUNG

PLYMOUTH — More than 5,000 schoolboys are receiving expert instruction in the art of swimming and life-saving every week at the corporation bathing places.

SOCCER TRANSFER

HARTLEPOOL, England — S. English, former Glasgow Rangers and Liverpool centre-forward, has been signed by Hartlepool's United Football Club from Queen of South. He played for Ireland against Scotland in 1933.

TENNIS ROMANCE

BIRMINGHAM, England—(CP)—Miss Freda James, British Wimbledon Cup player who won the women's doubles titles at Wimbledon for the second year in succession with Miss Kay Stammers, is engaged to S. H. Hammett, also a net star.

OLYMPIAN GETS PAY

DURBAN, South Africa—(CP)—J. L. Coleman, South Africa's Olympic marathoner, will be paid when he is competing in Berlin. A railway guard, he has exhausted all the leave due him, but a point was stretched.

STANDARDIZE TABLES

LONDON—(CP)—Introduction of a standard miniature table six feet in length, and standardized pocket-openings have been added to the laws of English billiards by the Billiards Association.



DOWN THE BACK STRETCH

BILL Cummings gave a couple of his charges some fast trips on Thursday. With High Toby at the pole and Star G. on the outside the pair raced a mile in 2:13 flat. The next mile was in 2:14 with the last half in 1:04 1-2 and the last quarter a shade better than 31 seconds. Both drivers seemed just bugging and the writer looks for these horses to put up a fine performance at Summerside next Wednesday.

The same morning Heatherbell, out to go a mile in 2:10, was tied up at 2:12 and the next mile dropped back two seconds.

We all like to step on the gas a bit, but we should use discretion as to when and where we are on high. For instance automobiles have a habit of going around to the horse stables at the Charlottetown Driving Park track at a swift rate and in doing so they kick up a lot of dust which makes it uncomfortable for the horsemen stabled there and also disturbs the horses considerably. The other day an autist thoughtlessly sped around the track with a swift rush and noise of his car frightened Leta Kalmuck, who was looking out of her stall door and she jumped back and injured her knee. This is a valuable mare and while it is likely the trouble will yield to treatment before any actual harm is done, yet it might be the means of curtailing her speed. Surely this hint will be sufficient to cause a change for the better.

There was a large contingent of friends and supporters of Peter Worthy in from Hunter River Wednesday to see their trotting representative perform. While the time was not fast in the event—2:20 1-2—and Peter's summary was 4-3-2, yet quite a number of experienced horsemen seem to think he has a future. Anyhow, he has one characteristic of a race horse and that is the will and ability to finish strong.

Jackie Volo, owned and driven by Well McNeill, came within a measurable distance of the record for Maritime breeds at Wednesday's matinee, when he paced a mile in 2:19 3-4. As well as I can remember the best effort of a Maritime bred three-year-old is 2:17 1-4, made by Devilst, bred and owned by Lt.-Colonel J. S. Jenkins, D.S.O., in an exhibition mile at Charlottetown several years ago, driven by Peter Conroy.

Claire Napoleon, 2:12, has been placed in training with the veteran Tom Holmes. Owner Nell Walker has brought her along very carefully and she is up to a mile around 2:15, as her summary in Wednesday's matinee will show. Tom is particularly good with pacers as was evidenced by the way he handled Sampson, Hal, 2:02 1-2, when he had him in tow.

Johnny Murray must have been on pins and needles Wednesday, as he was hay-making and could not attend the matinee races. No one looks to see a race better than he does and the fact that his Captain Cope was taking part made it all the more regrettable. However, his dad—aged 82—and youngest sister were right on deck to see the little trotter step it off.

Allie Burnham, 2:08 1-4, owned by Max Ferguson, Stanley Bridge, was a surprise, fighting it out each heat right to the wire and being 2-2, inches back in 2:14 1-2 and 2:14. He has only been at the track about two weeks and previously received nothing but farm and road work. It looks to the writer as though Pomp Bailey has a star pace to go to the back to the form he displayed three years ago on the Bay State Circuit when he winged the ovals there in 2:10 1-4 to 2:10 on several occasions.

Claude McMillan's three-year-old trotter Millie Kalmuck looks like one of the improving kind, and it would not be surprising if by the time the Futurities are here that she will be able to equal or better Devilst's Maritime bred three-year-old trotting record of 2:17 1-4.

Summerside races on Wednesday is the next big event for the horsemen and their friends. The entertainment committee having it in hand have been around to see the various horsemen and are assured of a big entry list with the very best of competition in each class.

The 2:17 Class will be a battle

royal between Star G. 2:09, McEwlyn the Great 2:09 and others, while the 2:15 trot should result in a new track trotting record when High Toby 2:11 1-4, Lusty Pisco 2:07 1-4, Mack's 2:09, and Helen 2:02 get in their stride. The 2:29 Class will have between ten to fifteen starters and perhaps will develop a surprise like Soviet on Dominion Day. The three-year-old will see in action Guy Ann and Hixox, the latter much improved over July 1st form. Mac Steele also has a dandy three-year-old trotter in his stable owned by Captain John L. Read, that was a mile in 2:20 at Summerside track this week.

There will be Grand Circuit racing at Old Orchard, Maine, track starting Monday. It is a great summer resort town and at this season of the year there are thousands of visitors there and the Circuit meeting is expected to bring many thousands more.

Miss Budlong, 3:10, is the first performer that we have noticed as taking a record sired by the Cape Breton free-for-all Calumet Budlong, 2:02 3-4. By the way, he was an extra good horse on Wednesday when he lowered the track record of 2:06 1-4 to 2:08. Last season he suffered from lameness but was fixed and believed at this year is as good as a dollar. Being sound he is a very dangerous horse to go up against as he paced miles in 2:03 1-4 over a half-mile track in 1934.

Gibson White, son of the veteran trainer Ben White, has the smallest horse racing in Jack Orr, 2:04 1-4. He is only fourteen hands high but is every inch a horse. Last year he was the leading two-year-old pacer and this year is giving a good account of himself on the Grand Circuit in the three-year-old events.

Hanover's Bertha, 1:59 1-2, has a two-year-old daughter that looks as though she will follow in her mother's footsteps. Shirley Hanover took a record of 2:06 1-2 last week and came the last half of her mile in 1:01 1-2.

An epidemic of coughing has struck the runners at the Suffolk Downs track near Boston, Mass. The management deny that an epidemic is sweeping the barns, but the fact that a great many substitute races had to be given appears as evidence that the rumor is correct.

A total of \$11,428,324 has been wagered on the 240 races run off in thirty days, which included last Saturday. The average for each day is \$382,777, truly an almost unbelievable amount showing that there is lots of dough in the U.S.A.

The many friends of "Red" Hanafin will regret that he met with injuries in a collision on the race track at Lewiston, Mass., last week. "Red" will be recalled as driving the John E. Kelly horse here four years ago. The writer can pay a tribute to him, as he took quite a measure to prevent piling his horse on top of me and thereby injured his own chance for the heat. "Red" is well liked wherever he goes. Older fans will remember that he was the driver up behind College Swift, 2:11 1-4, in that famous race in September 1920 with Dick C., 2:14 1-4, which went four heats and was carried over for a fifth the next day.

Governor Louis J. Brann of Maine likes the harness horses, and during the recent meeting at Topsham entertained more than 50 owners and drivers at luncheon.

Last Monday when the races got under way at Goshen, N.Y., there was not a vacant stall at either the half-mile or mile tracks there, and horses had to be stabled in neighbors' barns and even in garages.

Signal Senator is a real race horse and owner H. M. Sweeney was handed a bargain when he bought him a year ago last spring. Several of us had the chance but the story that he went to his knees frightened us off. In Sweeney's hands he has taken a record of 2:10 and has beaten horses that cost five times as much. At Sydney his miles in 2:11, 2:12 1-2 and 2:12 were ripping good, and wonder of wonders, it was Joe the Great that was 2-2-2. Joe will be remembered as having set up a two-year-old record of 2:24 1-2 in 1931 and it was that record that Guy Ann lowered last August to 2:24 1-4 at the Provincial Exhibition and later on in the Futurities to 2:24.

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Provincial Rifle Assn. Prize Meet

Annual Matches Will Be Held At Local Rifle Range August 3rd-4th.

The seventy-first Annual Prize Meet of the Prince Edward Island Rifle Association will be held on Monday and Tuesday, August 3rd and 4th at Kensington Rifle Range, Charlottetown. Marksmen are daily

getting in practice and it is anticipated that this will be one of the most successful meets held in years. The Prize List of the Provincial Association has in the past years always compared favorably with that of the other provinces, and this year it will be even more generous.

This year in addition to the usual matches there has been added a "Green Shot Match" this match is open to all riflemen who have never competed in the annual prize meet of any provincial rifle association. Green shots are given further concessions in all other matches in the Meet. The "Green Shot Match" will fill a long felt need and should prove a great inducement to the less experienced shot who may have considered the Annual Prize Meet just a little out of his class. It is expected that

GREEK MINISTERS IN OLYMPICS

ATHENS—Two Greek ministers will represent their country in the Olympic Games fencing tournament. They are Constantine Nicolopoulos, undersecretary of state for communications, champion, and Aristotele Valaoritis, undersecretary of state for finance, a close second.

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HE WILL PROBABLY ASK TO GO ON HIS VACATION TOMORROW—

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THAT'S YOUR SON ALL RIGHT—