

Special Youth

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ries were somewhat above the number for the previous year, and in fact there has been a continual increase in number of entries every year since 1947, when the present directors took over the management.

"The Women's Institute display was much larger than the previous year and has been very capably managed by their committee," Mr. Kennedy reported. "As the number of their exhibits are increasing they will need more space and it is planned to enlarge the building and offer all the assistance possible to further this excellent part of our show."

"The cattle parade which has proved to be one of the great attractions of the show will be given greater consideration this year. It is planned to have the Thursday afternoon races over before 5 p. m. when the parade will take place. The Night Race that evening will be later starting so that there will be no horses on the track during the parade."

"The vaudeville acts last year were the best we could obtain in North America and this year the committee, under the chairmanship of Dr. Pierce, have already completed arrangements for a splendid program for the coming season."

Youth Day

"Arrangements are being made by the Department of Education and the Departments of Agriculture whereby school children will be given the privilege of attending on Agricultural Day, Tuesday, August 12th. There will be demonstrations, lectures and films on appropriate subjects, sponsored and conducted by the Department of Education and the Departments of Agriculture, both Provincial and Dominion."

"This is a new feature and we plan to cooperate and use all the facilities available to make this a great educational, as well as enjoyable, day for the children."

"Due to the poor facilities for poultry display in the past, which probably accounted for smaller entries, we are this year planning a larger and up to date building where other exhibits relating to the poultry industry may be better displayed."

Junior Farmers Activities

"The Provincial Exhibition is proud of the two departments of agriculture for the fine display and interest taken at the Junior Farmers meeting during September. Mr. J. D. Moore, Public Relations Officer of the Canadian Council of Boys & Girls Clubs, who was present stated it was the finest display he had seen at any Calf Club he had visited in Canada last year."

"The Exhibition Association is always willing to place our grounds at the disposal of any breed or farm organization."

Fat Stock Show

"This year the Exhibition Association inaugurated the first Fat Stock Show in P. E. I. This new venture proved to be such a great success that plans have been made for a much larger show next year. The success of this Show and Sale was in a large measure due to the fine cooperation of Canada Packers Ltd., Swift Canadian Co. Ltd., T. Eaton & Co. Ltd., Wellington MacNeill & Son and Mr."

H. S. MacEwen, and the many other buyers. "Again we must thank the Dominion and Provincial Departments of Agriculture, who made the show possible, for without their assistance and experience it would have been impossible to have made it such a success."

"The Exhibition Association are planning better and larger accommodations for future shows."

Horse Racing

"A cinder track was built around center field for the benefit of the horsemen, which gives them, at least, an advantage of three weeks for preparation for the early events. This is especially advantageous for the training of colts."

"The facilities at the Charlottetown track at present are not surpassed by any track in Eastern Canada. There are now wintered quarters for seventy-five horses, and a large number of horsemen have taken advantage of it in the past winter."

"Some very fine contests were witnessed on this up to date track, including the fastest mile paced in the Maritimes, this year by Argot Pointer owned by Mr. Horace Willis."

"Unfortunately the weather conditions were not too favorable during Old Home Week and some races had to be cancelled, which accounts for our lower attendance during the past year."

"This year we have a very attractive program, including a race for two-year olds and 3-year olds, which were owned and stabled in Canada during 1952. This is creating considerable interest among the futurity owners. There are also many early closing events with attractive purses, which should be a drawing card for Maritime horsemen."

"The job of Classifier and Race Secretary was especially well handled by Mr. E. Frank Acorn. We all know that no man can fill the position to the satisfaction of all. But the fact that very few could pick the winners shows how well the classifying was performed."

"The duties of Secy-Treas. of the Association were carried out very capably by Cmr. G. H. Buntain."

"Mr. Robert Chappell has been forced to give up driving and the training of his stable last year due to illness. We are glad that his stables have been resumed for this year, which is an indication that the public will see the genial Col. again teaming them down the stretch."

"This combined report of your President and general manager would not be complete without expressing our sincere thanks to the Cornwall-York Point and Meadow Bank Womens Institutes for the serving of high class meals during Old Home Week and Fat Stock Show and Sale, the Press, C. F. C. Y. and both the Provincial and Dominion governments for their assistance and cooperation."

"We were very sorry that the dean of the Maritime horsemen, Col. D. A. MacKinnon, D.S.O., was nursing was read and demonstrated by the president. Three pairs of children's wool stockings were donated to the Red Cross committee by Mrs. Alex MacPherson, Montague, a former resident of Union Road."

Mrs. George Mellish was appointed convenor of the committee in connection with the Canadian Conservation Association. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Fred Carver when roll call will be answered by an exchange of seeds or plants. At the close of the meeting lunch was served by the hostess.

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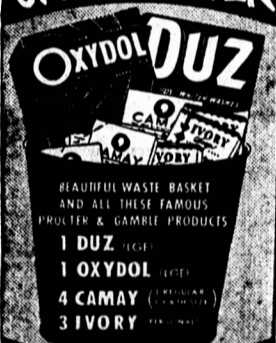
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