

Neil Budlong, Celia Sharon, B.A. Queen Win Race Honors

Beating through a continual down-fall of rain two Sydney owned horses and an Island horse, racing out of Truro, won the Old Home Week races yesterday afternoon at the Charlottetown Driving Park.

The afternoon's rain storm forced the postponement of last night's card. The card will be raced off this afternoon.

Neil Budlong, a strong, smooth pacer owned by Wellington MacNeill of Southport and reined by veteran driver Johnny Conroy was an easy winner of the 2:16 pace, taking all three heats by a comfortable margin.

Donald Rankin's Celia Sharon was equally as impressive in winning the three heats of the 2:19 trot. Cyril Smith drove Barbara Ann Queen to top honors in the 2:25 pace, winning the second and third heats after Bruce's Sister had won the opening heat.

The rain started falling about the time the first heat left the starting gate. It grew heavier about the fourth heat and continued raining throughout the remainder of the card.

The officials considered postponing the race after the sixth heat but decided to continue. Despite the rain and the resulting heavier track the horses continued to race in good times and provided several thrilling photo finishes. There were about 2000 fans present.

Bruce's Sister, a three year old mare, owned by George Brookings of Kensington and reined by Don MacNeill, paced a brilliant mile to win the first heat of the 2:25 Pace.

She shot into the lead at the three quarter pole after Jay's Hope had set the pace for the first part of the mile. Barbara Ann Queen moved up in the stretch but finished second by a nose.

Bruce's Sister set a new mark of 2:13 2-5. She lowered her mark by six seconds and her performance drew the compliments of the announcer and presiding judge Dr. F. C. Dougan.

Barbara Ann Queen nosed out Cover Up and Bruce's Sister to win the second heat. Yankee Joan went away on top followed by Barbara Ann Queen who went to top at the three-eighths pole.

Cover Up driver by James MacGregor moved to the front at the 5-8 pole and stayed out front until near the wire. Barbara Ann Queen nosed past Cover Up on the stretch with Bruce's Sister moving up to finish third.

Cyril Smith took Barbara Ann Queen up from third position to win the third and final heat with Bruce's Sister finishing second.

Celia Sharon was an easy winner in the first heat of the 2:19 Trot. She shot out of the pack on the upper turn and came down the stretch under the wire almost three lengths out front. Waymark was second.

She had a harder time in the second heat. For Now and Chet Lynn Clever raced with her to the wire. By For Now finished second but was placed third by the judges for interference in the stretch.

Celia Sharon came up from third position to edge past Chet Lynn Clever at the wire winning the final heat. By For Now and Peggy

Ellis were right with the leaders in the best photo finish of the afternoon.

By For Now went out to front at the half. A big, strong and tough trotter he hung onto the lead until about 30 yards from the wire. Chet Lynn Clever and Celia Sharon went past him with Peggy Ellis moving up very fast on the outside finishing fourth.

Neil Budlong lead from wire to wire in winning every heat of the 2:16 Pace. He paced beautifully for Johnny Conroy and at no time did he appear pressed by the rest of the field.

He won the first heat in 2:14 and paced the second heat in 2:14 1-5 although the track was quite wet and looked heavy. The time of his third mile was 2:15.

Miss Donna Mae was a surprise second in the first heat while Colonel Hansford was runner up in the second heat and Futuramic placed a good second in the final mile.

Summary
2:25 Pace
Barbara Ann Queen (C. Smith) 2 1 1
Bruce's Sister (MacNeill) 1 3 2
Cover Up (MacGregor) 3 2 4
Jay's Hope (Jay) 4 8 3
Ruby P. Dale (Simmonds) 7 4 7
Ann's Pride (Calbeck) 5 3 6
America's Ace (Cudmore) 6 6 dnf
Yankee Joan (MacRae) 8 7 5
Bellhop B. (Harrison) 9 9 8
Times: 2:13 2-5; 2:14; 2:16; Barbara Ann Queen owned by H. L. Monaghan, Sydney and driven by Cyril Smith; Bruce's Sister owned by George Brookings, Kensington and driven by Don MacNeill; pari-mutuels: First heat-\$5.40, \$3.50 \$3.60; \$3.70; \$3.20; \$3.50; Second heat-\$4.30; \$2.60; \$3.30; \$2.80; \$2.40; Third heat-\$4.50, \$2.40, \$2.90; \$2.60, \$2.90; \$5.10.

2:19 Trot
Celia Sharon (Rankin) 1 1 1
Chet Lynn Clever (Kennedy) 9 2 2
Waymark (Seaman) 2 7 6
Winnie's Last (O'Meara) 3 4 5
Bye For Now (Govans) 5 3 3
Peggy Ellis (Stead) 8 5 4
Rajah Hanover (Moreside) 4 9 7
Pet Hanover (MacGregor) 6 6 8
Joandale (C. Smith) 7 8 dnf
Times: 2:15; 2:16; 2:17 3-5; Celia Sharon owned and driven by Donald Rankin, Sydney; pari-mutuels: First heat-\$11.90, \$5.20; \$4.60; \$2.60, \$7.80; \$5.50; Second heat-\$6.60, \$4.30, \$3.80; \$15.40; \$10.50; \$3.00; Third heat-\$3.60, \$3.80, \$2.50; \$8.20, \$4.40; \$2.90.

2:16 Pace
Neil Budlong (Conroy) 1 1 1
Colonel Hansford (Donovan) 5 3 2
Futuramic (MacDonald) 3 2 4
Miss Donna Mae (Bernard) 8 7 5
True Hal (Hennessey) 2 5 5
Fairgo (Kennedy) 4 4 7
Silk Hal (Llewellyn) 7 7 3
Miss Commando (Collins) 8 8 8
Times: 2:14 1-5; 2:15; Neil Budlong owned by Wellington MacNeill, Southport and driven by Johnny Conroy; pari-mutuels: First heat-\$4.70, \$2.60; \$9.90, \$10, \$3.10; Second heat-\$3.70, \$2.20, \$2.40; \$2.30, \$2.50; \$3.50; Third heat-\$2.50, \$2.20, \$2.30; \$2.60, \$2.80; \$4.80.

Famous U. K. Jockey Sir Gordon Richards Retires

By JOHN FARROW
WORTHING, England (AP)—Sir Gordon Richards, who rode 4,870 winners for queens and commoners to become the world's leading jockey, hung up his boots and saddle for good Tuesday.

"I shall never ride again in public," the tiny, 50-year-old jockey said as he relaxed in a soft chair at his Worthing bungalow where he is recovering from injuries suffered in a spill a month ago.

While Richards was hinting of retirement for months, his sudden announcement Tuesday caught an adoring British public by surprise.

The decision elevates an American, Johnny Longden, to first place among active riders. Longden, now riding on the United States west coast, is credited with more than 4,400 winners.

34-YEAR CAREER
After 34 years as a jockey, every minute of which I have enjoyed, it is naturally with no little regret that I make this announcement," Richards said.

Richards was thrown and crushed by the Queen's colt Abergeildie at Sandown track July 10. He dislocated a bone in his pelvis and was kept in hospital until July 30.

Earlier this season he suffered a concussion when his horse, Mighty Light, fell during the running of the Devises handicap at Salisbury May 19. This time he was out until June 11.

"My last accident has ended my riding career sooner than I had planned," Richards said. "I have made a good recovery and my doctors say I'll be walking normally in two or three weeks' time."

"But I could not be fit to ride in the races until mid-October at the earliest. There would be no point in striving to do that because the principal owners for whom I ride have by that time retired their best horses for the year."

KNIGHTED IN 1953
Sir Gordon, knighted June 1, 1953, has carried off Britain's champion jockey title 26 times. His last victory was on the Queen's horse Landau in the Rous memorial stakes at Ascot June 18.

He had a series of failures for 25 years in the English Derby at Epsom Downs before he finally won last year aboard Pinza.

Richards said he planned to retire to the life of a farmer.

Richards, who has won more than \$5,600,000 for owners, does not mean to forsake the track. He intends to concentrate on training and has taken over a stable at Beckhampston, Wiltshire.

BLOWTORCH EXPLODES

TORONTO (CP)—Two workmen were taken to hospital when a blow torch exploded and sprayed them with burning gasoline while they were working in a house during the week-end. Burned about the face and arms was E. Szoftak, 41; Adam Pickney, 33, was burned on the arms.

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IN THE CORNER



It has been written and said a good many times that Dr. F. C. Dougan's announcing goes a long way in the making of a horse race for the fans. Occasionally something happens to make us more mindful of the fact. For example yesterday afternoon during the last heat there was some little trouble with the mike which prevented the Doctor from announcing the positions of the horses until they headed into the back stretch the first time around. We'll bet there were more people gazing at the stands to see what happened than there were watching the process of the race at that particular point.

The Doctor has a remarkable ability for distinguishing horses and drivers. The ease with which he calls off new horses is something at which we shall never cease to marvel. Today for example he will be announcing the progress of at least fifty different horses. Some of them will be horses which he has not seen before or seen only a very few times. Yet he'll appear as familiar with those horses as most hockey fans do with the players on their hockey team at the end of the season.

It has been said that when it comes to knowledge about racing horses and their background Dr. Dougan and Col. D. A. MacKinnon rank in a class away off by themselves. Be that as it may we'll say that racing people owe a lot to both men. They have contributed much to the game.

Colonel MacKinnon in horse racing is comparable to Connie Mack in baseball. He has been a leader and organizer in the sport since its early days here. Records speak for themselves and the name of Colonel MacKinnon in the record books will always sing out in clear type. The Colonel is still setting records. Practically every week he takes part in a race here and just last week he reined Feather Duster to a dash victory. In addition to active participation Col. MacKinnon has found time to help the game from various other angles. Each week he writes a sports column "Down the Back Stretch." This is one of the most popular sports newspaper features in the Maritimes and is regarded as the Maritime Horsemen's weekly bible.

Getting away from horse racing and over to hockey there was a report out of Antigonish last night to the effect that Stellarton, New Glasgow, Truro and Antigonish were interested in joining Halifax and Charlottetown in a six team League. For at the Sunday meeting of the M.M.H.L. in New Glasgow reported that Stellarton appeared very anxious to join up in an Allan Cup League outside the APC Circuit.

There seems to be a trend in hockey towards what is called regional hockey. This is each area puts more emphasis upon winning local championships than it does upon winning National honors. A six league such as the one mentioned above would be classed Allan Cup Hockey but would probably devote most of its energies towards winning the Maritime title with advance in Allan Cup competition a second thought. Such a programme would possibly involve a drastic cut on the number of imports and depend to a large part on local players. Over a period of years it might prove the answer to the hockey problem in the Maritimes.

NAIROBI, Kenya (Reuters)—A gang of 50 Mau Mau terrorists raided a farm near here Monday night, and killed eight workers. Two other Africans were injured and several women beaten. The raiders dragged one body outside the hut and tried to burn it, police said.

Bannister Defeats Landy



Dr. Roger Bannister of England decisively answers the question of who is the swiftest runner as he leads Australia's John Landy home across the finish line in the mile final in the British Empire Games at Vancouver. (CP Photo).

First Round of Women's Golf Open Played In Rain

Canadian Press Staff Writer
DARTMOUTH, N. S. (CP)—Marlene Stewart and a platoon of pursuing favorites advanced steadily Tuesday in the first round of the Canadian women's open golf championships amid unrelenting rains that submerged the 1st green of Brightwood Golf Club.

The 32 players who qualified Monday for a crack at the vacant open title in brilliant sunshine led off Tuesday in a driving rainstorm and sloshed around fairways mired by water that refused to drain off Marlene, who managed to convey the impression that the rain mattered not at all, spent most of the afternoon in water up to her ankles to defeat Mrs. David B. Collison of Vancouver 10 and 8.

They were a game bunch who walked wearily in little groups of two off the 18th green and into the clubhouse, wearing bathing caps and sodden slacks and shorts. Balls driven 200 yards or more smacked into the muck and stayed there. The green of the first hole was half under water.

MONTREAL (CP)—M. J. Coldwell, national leader of the CCF party, sailed for Liverpool Tuesday aboard the Canadian Pacific Liner, Empress of Scotland. Mr. Coldwell will make a combined business and vacation tour of Europe and the Middle East during his three-month overseas visit.

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Baseball Results

By THE CANADIAN PRESS
National League
Brooklyn 000 011 100—3 8 1
Philadelphia 330 000 002—6 8 1

Podres, Darnell (2) Meyer (8) and Campanella; Simmons, Roberts (8) and Lopata. W-Simmons; L—Podres. HRs Bkn-Robinson; Pha-Lopata.

Chicago 100 000 000—1 5 0
Cincinnati 000 020 002—2 3 1
Pollet, Klippstein (7) and Garagiola; Valentine and Semnick. L—Pollet. HR Chi-Baumholtz.

New York 011 000 000—2 4 0
Pittsburgh 000 000 010—1 3 2
Antonelli, Grissom (5) and Westrum; Littlefield, Hetti (9) and Shepard. W-Antonelli; L-Littlefield. Milwaukee 213 401 000—11 10 6
St. Louis 000 000 000—0 3 0
Wilson and Crandall; Raschl, Wade (4) Presko (7) and Sarni. L-Raschl. HRs Mil-Aaron, Adcock, Crandall, Mathews.

American League
Second
Washington 000 000 000—0 4 1
Boston 003 001 002—4 8 1
Porterfield, Pascual (8) and FitzGerald; Parnell and Wilber. L—Porterfield.

Philadelphia 100 001 000—2 10 2
New York 003 002 000—5 8 1
Bishop, Fricano (6) and W. Shantz; Grim and Berra. L-Bishop. Baltimore 000 012 000—3 8 1
Chicago 000 000 001—1 8 2
Kretlow, Chakales (9) and Courtney; Keegan, Martin (7) Strahs (9) and Sawatski. W-Kretlow; L—Keegan. HR Bal-Kennedy.

Cleveland 000 000 000—5 0 0
Detroit 000 100 032—4 11 1
Wynn and Hegan; Garver and House. HR Det-Belard.

International League
Havana 000 000 003—3 5 1
Montreal 000 111 202—5 11 1
Melton, Sanchez (7), Iott (7) and Noble; Roebuck and C. Thompson. L-Melton. HR-Hav: Noble; Mil: Nelson.

First
Rochester 000 000 1—1 9 1
Buffalo 000 000 0—0 3 1
Jackson and Riggan; Erickson and Lakeman.

Second
Rochester 010 000 000—1 3 0
Buffalo 200 000 012—3 7 2
Markell, Stathos (8) and Burbrink; Johnson and Lakeman.

Toronto 015 002 000—8 8 0
Syracuse 600 311 122—14 18 0
Blake, Powell (1) Lombardi (4) Shore (4) Hahn (6) and Griffin; Williams, Lovenguth (3) and Lonnett.

Richmond at Ottawa postponed, rain.

Parnell Pitches Brilliant Game

BOSTON (AP)—Mel Parnell, making only his sixth appearance since he was injured against the Nationals April 24, pitched a brilliant four-hit shutout Tuesday night as Boston defeated Washington 4-0.

Parnell, whose longest mound stint since his pitching wrist was broken by a thrown ball had been 3 1-3 innings, needed only Jackie Jensen's two-run double in the third inning to complete his first game of the season.

The Red Sox lefthander allowed only Clyde Volmer to get as far as second base when the Washington rightfielder doubled.

Boston tagged Bob Porterfield for eight hits and all its runs before Camillo Pascual came on in relief in the eighth, with Ted Williams and Billy Goodman getting two hits each.

The Malayan or sun bear found on the Malay archipelago is about 4 1/2 feet in length.

St. Peters Defeat Souris In Kings Co. Semi-Finals

St. Peters Rovers won the right to enter the finale in the Kings County Baseball League by defeating Souris three straight in the best of five semi-final series. St. Peters won the first game 11-4, with O'Brien the winning pitcher and MacEwen the loser.

The second game, on August 1, was won by the close score of 4-3. Handrahan pitched for the winners and Snelsek went the distance for the losers.

The third and final game was won by the score of 6-7 on Sunday August 8. The Rovers overcame a 4-2 lead by Souris, at the end of the second to tie the game at 7-7 and forced the game into overtime.

McEwen for Souris was relieved by Snelsek during the tenth, with O'Brien going the full distance. Handrahan scored the winning run for the Rovers on a hit by O'Brien off Snelsek.

St. Peters will now go on to meet the winner of the Morrell-Georgetown semi-final series which is still being played.

Provincial Ladies Golf Tournament Next Week

The annual Provincial Ladies' Golf Tournament for the Dr. J. C. Simpson trophy will be held next week it was announced here yesterday.

The first round will be played at Summerside on Wednesday, August 18 with the second round to be played at Charlottetown on Saturday, August 21.

The tournament is open to all women golfers from the Charlottetown, Summerside and Green Gables Clubs. Officials expect a considerable number of entries and those wishing to enter should forward their applications to Miss Blanche Hogg, Summerside, or Mrs. F. M. Cannon, Charlottetown. Entries should be in not later than Monday, August 16.

The defending champion is Mrs. W. E. Cotton. It is not known whether she will take part in this year's competitions.

Describes Work At Bird Sanctuary

"Raccoons are responsible for 90 per cent of the ravages on duck eggs in our marshes," Mr. Harvey Moore told members of Queen's County Fish and Game Association at a well attended meeting held in Pownall Hall on Monday evening.

Later in the meeting a resolution was passed authorizing President Tom Gellar to meet with Mr. Lincoln Dewar of the Provincial Federation of Agriculture and approach the Government, if agreeable, suggesting an increase of the bounty paid for both raccoons and foxes to \$5.00.

Mr. Moore, who owns the well-known bird sanctuary on the Commercial Road between Montague and Murray River told of his experience over several years. He related how two hundred geese had been at the Sanctuary last fall and that 21 have been there for the most part of the summer. One pair have hatched a family and the two goslings would appear to mark a record for wild goose hatching here, Mr. Moore said.

More than 1400 ducks wintered on the reservation and quite a few Mallards were observed there during the spring. The ducks, which have been away for some time, are beginning to arrive back. Mr. Moore reported having banded 700 by hand last year without having to resort to trapping.

Considerable activity was experienced at the sanctuary during the open weeks in which it was thrown open to trout fishing, when 3100 speckled beauties were taken. The trout ranged from 8 to 12 inches in length and a few were up to two pounds in weight. Mr. Moore said he was unable to explain how only two rainbow trout, about a foot long were caught during the open dates, he having released more than a thousand fingerlings in the sanctuary two years ago.

Mr. Moore observed a hearty vote of thanks for his interesting talk which was followed by a question period in which many members took part.

The meeting was concluded by a film showing of dog training to hunting in which Pointers and Setters performed brilliantly. Ducks, geese and mallards being brought down under ideal shooting conditions in the Southern States were also shown. Mr. Tom Benson was at the controls of the film display on loan from the National Film Board.

FIRE DAMAGE HIGH

BELLEVILLE, Ont. (CP)—A general-alarm fire caused an estimated \$150,000 worth of damage to the three-story east Robertson block on downtown Front street Sunday. Firemen expressed belief the blaze started in a dancehall on the third floor. The city's 38 firefighters succeeded in confining the fire to the floor but smoke and water damaged the 10 second-storey offices and six street-level floors.



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