



# OLD HOME WEEK

## - AUGUST 11 to 16 -

**6 NIGHTS--3 AFTERNOONS HARNESS RACING**  
**LIVESTOCK SHOW -- JUDGING COMPETITION -- HANDICRAFT -- VAUDEVILLE**  
**IN JONES PAVILION -- LYNCH'S 1958 MIDWAY**  
**"THE COMPLETE SHOW FOR ALL THE FAMILY"**



### OPENING NIGHT

The Official Opening of the 1958 Provincial Exhibition and Old Home Week will take place in the Jones Livestock Arena at 7 p.m. Tuesday evening. This year the show will be opened by His Hon. Lt.-Gov. Walter Hyndman, other speakers will be Premier Matheson, Hon. Eugene Cullen Minister of Agriculture and His Worship Mayor Edwin C. Johnston, Mayor of Charlottetown.

### ADMISSION TO GROUNDS

The Vaudeville programme will again be staged in the Jones Livestock Pavilion (Coliseum). The admission of 25c will give patrons access to the main grounds including the Vaudeville Show, the cattle, horses, swine, sheep and poultry exhibits, the Women's Institute Display and the Bill Lynch Midway. There will also be numerous industrial, merchantile and agricultural display booths. The main building will be opened to patrons at all times.

It is hoped in this way to streamline the racing program and at the same time assure a full vaudeville program, regardless of the weather, both afternoon and evening. Racing will follow.

The Jones Pavilion is a popular meeting place for visitors to the Exhibition. The Jones Pavilion will seat approximately 4,000 people comfortably.

### ADMISSION TO RACE TRACK

The admission to the race track will be \$1.00 per performance for adults and 50c for children. It is proposed to have six night racing cards and at least three afternoon cards.

### HARNESS HORSE RACING

For thrills, competition, entertainment and crowds there are few athletic events in the Dominion to equal the Old Home Week harness racing program. Islanders and racing fans from across the continent join together during the week to make Charlottetown the mecca of the harness racing sport.

This year's program bids well to be the largest and most competitive ever staged here. The leading horses in the Maritimes and many from outside these seaside provinces will be racing over a lightning fast track which has produced some of the fastest miles in the Maritimes this year.

A very large number of mainland entries have been received and everything indicates that the mainland entries will exceed those of past years.

There will be six nights and four, possibly five afternoons of racing. Some of the highlights will be:

#### MONDAY NIGHT

**FREE-FOR-ALL NO. 1**  
**and JR. FREE-FOR-ALL DIV.**  
**A. A. TROT**

#### TUESDAY

**JUNIOR FREE-FOR-ALL DIV.**

#### FRIDAY

**FREE-FOR-ALL NO. 2**

The Old Home Week program climaxes the racing season in these seaside provinces. Records will be broken, long shots will come through to enjoy their moments of glory in the winners circle and receive the applause of the crowd in the colorful racing program that has been developed into a marvellous spectacle.

**DR. J. P. LANTZ, President**

**H. J. KENNEDY, Vice-Pres. & Manager**

### VAUDEVILLE PROGRAM

A full program of entertainment will again be staged in the Jones Livestock Pavilion, afternoon 1 p.m. to 2.15 p.m. and evening 7 p.m. to 8.15 p.m. each day, Old Home Week.

The Vaudeville Program is well balanced and promises to provide a thrilling spectacle for the young and old alike.  
**AMONG THE ACTS THIS YEAR ARE:—**

#### SILS SISTERS

These young ladies display a profound sense of balance and body control in their performance of breathtaking acrobatics within two revolving hoops thirty feet above the ground.

#### LACY TROUPE

An amazing group of European performers consisting of four women and a man. They perform an unusual array of acrobatic feats while balancing on large rolling globes. Not content with level places, they seesaw and walk the globes up difficult slanting ramps.

#### KENNY AND MAY

An oriental duo who execute feats of hand balancing, foot juggling and amazing contortions in a dashing skillful style that defies comparison.

#### CIMSE'S TRAINED SCOTTISH COLLIES

A smart modern presentation of cleverly educated collies and two curvaceous young ladies. They perform many interesting routines interspersed with acrobatics by the young ladies.

#### THE TUCKERS

A trio consisting of two men and a woman who give an amazing rendition of the most difficult twists, turns and somersaults on the trampoline.

#### LOU BOGERT

A very colorful and exceptional production of foot juggling. Making use of barrels and a bizarre array of equipment, Lou Bogert keeps them in constant motion on his feet.

#### THE BARONS

A versatile acrobatic trio, consisting of two lovely young ladies and a young man. The latter spins the girls by his feet while lying on his back. These world-famous artists execute extremely difficult manoeuvres in a skillful style that defies comparison.

#### NORMAN DUO

This duo presents routines of head-balancing and hand-stands on the perch pole which is delicately balanced on the shoulders of the male member of the duo. Combining daring skill and beauty, this beautifully coordinated spectacle is truly without equal.

### MUCH TO SEE AND ENJOY

From the Jones Livestock Pavilion, to the Midway, to the W. I. Building and the Cattle Barns there will be much to see and enjoy in the 1958 Exhibition. See the judging of the Maritimes' finest livestock and compare your choice with those of the highly experienced judges. Your eyes will be opened when you see the top types of Maritime Stock raisers led out for review. See too, the top flight vaudeville program staged afternoon and evening in the Coliseum.

Music of afternoon and evening performances will be furnished by Les Alexander and his associates.

Admission to the grounds through the main gate will be 25 cents. Children under 12 years of age accompanied by parents will be admitted free.

### SPECIAL THANKS

The Directors of the Provincial Exhibition Association wish to take this opportunity to thank the Mayor and the City Council for their cooperation in proclaiming the Charlottetown Natal Day to fall on Wednesday of "OLD HOME WEEK", thus enabling the citizens of Charlottetown and the Island as a whole to attend the Fair.

### LIVESTOCK

The greatest cattle, horse and swine shows in the history of the Provincial Exhibition will be presented this year. Never have so many cattle entries been received and officials fear there may be difficulty in finding accommodation for the entire classes. The horse and swine entries are also well above the number of past years.

There will be plenty of fun and not a little excitement in the Jones Pavilion where the judging is scheduled to take place. Horses will be judged on Monday and any unfinished classes completed on Tuesday. Cattle will be judged on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, any unfinished classes finished on Friday.

Judging takes place as follows: Monday—Horses; Tuesday—Angus, Ayrshires and Guernseys; Wednesday—Shorthorns, Hereford and Holsteins; Thursday—Red Polls, Dual Purpose Shorthorns and Jerseys; and Friday—Any unfinished judging and additional program to be announced later.

It is expected large crowds will flock to the judging rings and show circle where the cream of Maritime livestock goes on parade.

Once again we take pride in the fact that our encouragement coupled with that of the Dominion and Provincial Governments, has brought our standard of quality so high that we are known throughout the length and breadth of the American continent as among the best producers of special types of horses, cattle, sheep, swine and poultry.

We want every one to take an interest and lend encouragement to this important side of our Old Home Week Program. Our exhibitors are in no small way contributing to the prosperity of the Garden of the Gulf.

We invite and urge the public to visit the numerous Livestock barns which will be crowded to capacity with livestock valued at many hundreds of thousands of dollars.

### POULTRY

The Exhibition recognizes the growing interest in and importance of the Poultry Industry. Again this year, the exhibits promise to be outstanding and should be viewed by crowds of poultry enthusiasts. The best of the live ones will be on display in the special Poultry Building. Interest in this aspect of the Fair extends from one end of the Province to the other, small expense.

### BILL LYNCH'S 1958 MIDWAY

The Midway has been a popular part of the Exhibition and Old Home Week down through the years. It is a mecca for the younger fry and a source of great entertainment for older folk. Bill Lynch and his retinue of entertainers need no introduction to Island audiences. They are part and parcel of the Big Fair and always welcome.

Coming by special trip of the Car Ferry—the greatest collection of feature shows ever offered in the Maritimes—Specialists from leading circuses—Latest rides and old favourites should provide a barrel of fun for everyone.

Here is where you will find entertainment for the whole family at

### EATS IN PLENTY

Delicious Hamburgers, Wieners, Sandwiches, Pies, Cakes, Tea and Coffee—available in booths and Horse Shoe Bar. Meals will be served in the Main Restaurant.

Mrs. Maurice Burgoyne will be your catering hostess in the Exhibition concessions.

### WOMEN'S INSTITUTES

One of the most popular Show-Buildings on the Grounds is that run by the Women's Institutes. Be sure and include this outstanding show place in your visit to the Exhibition. There will be hundreds of exhibits, an indication of the steady mounting interest in this part of the "Old Home Week" program. Exhibits will include handicraft and home-cooking and preserving, etc. In addition there will be a display of flowers in attractively arranged booths. One-third more space in the building has been allocated to the Women's Institute to accommodate their entries.

**G. H. BUNTAIN, Secretary Treasurer**

**E. FRANK ACORN, Race Secretary**