

ANNOUNCEMENT OF Cymbria Park Races

TO BE HELD ON Saturday, August 14th Over Cymbria Trotting Park, situated near Oyster Bed Bridge.

The meeting will consist of a Free-for-all, purse of \$25.00 Three-minute class, purse of 20.00 Green Race, purse of 15.00

In all sixty dollars will be hung out for competition over this beautiful track, where winners may be sure of their money, and all fair play.

Grand Picnic

The A. O. H. Society of this city, will hold a grand picnic, on the beautiful grounds, near Hickey's Wharf, East River, on

Monday, August 16th.

The steamer Southport will leave Prince Street Wharf at 9 o'clock, a. m. and at 2 o'clock p. m. on that day.

Dancing, and all the usual amusements will be provided, and in addition there will be several athletic events.

A well stocked refreshment saloon will be provided, also a tea table.

The League of the Cross Band will be in attendance, and a good time is guaranteed to all who may attend.

No intoxicating drinks will be allowed at or near the grounds. Tickets 25c. By Order of Committee.

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Rather than carry over a few Bicycles we will sell them at next year's prices.

ALSO REFRIGERATORS DODD & ROGERS

LATEST NEWS BY WIRE AND MAIL

LACRINE, Aug. 11.—Mr. H. M. Molson, of the Molson's Bank, Montreal, while attempting to remove an obstruction in the naphtha tube of the Idle Hour launch at five o'clock last evening, inhaled the naphtha fumes.

TORONTO, August 11.—Work on the Knapp roller boat at the Polson Company's shipyard is progressing steadily and favorably.

VICTORIA, B. C., August 11.—The steamer Topeka which arrived here last evening, reports that the steamer Mexico, on August 5th, while going into Dixon's, the entrance from Sitka, during a heavy fog, at full speed, struck West Devil's rock.

WASHINGTON, August 11.—Only 32 vessels last year made the long trip from Atlantic to Pacific by way of Cape Horn, once the route of very considerable domestic traffic.

BERLIN, August 11.—A special despatch has been received here which says that a great fire has destroyed the greater part of the Russian town of Matislav, west of Moghilef, in the Government of Moeheley, on the river Sozh, an affluent of the Dnieper.

OTTAWA, Aug. 11.—The Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries received yesterday a letter from Sir Louis H. Davies. In it the Minister intimates that with Sir Wilfrid Laurier he has been enabled to take action in several lines which will be of direct benefit to Canada.

SYDNEY, C. B., Aug. 11.—A valuable find in the historic fortress of Lunenburg was made yesterday. A party from Sydney Mines, digging for money and relics, dug through a large tunnel, and upon exploration found a depth of 60 feet, and travelled about 75 feet, coming to an obstruction in a wall blown up, probably by powder.

NEW YORK, August 11.—A Washington despatch to the Times says: An effort is in progress by influential friends of Secretary Sherman to induce him to leave Washington and go to some quiet resort where he can rest until fall, and it is the belief in administration circles that he will go out of the cabinet soon after the November elections.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 11.—According to advices from Japan received by the SS. Peru, the Japanese press are unanimous in approving the principle of a supposed submission of the Hawaiian difficulty to arbitration.

State to Japan's first protest it appears that the determination of America on the subject is very firm. The Japanese Government, however, has not relied on the attitude of other countries from the outset, and this policy will be adhered to to the last.

LONDON, Aug. 11.—Some of the papers here give prominence to the position taken by Secretary Scherman, and print long special quotations from the statements made by him in an interview on the death of Senor Canovas, currently alluding to his recent anti-British outbursts.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—The Klondike fever has leved its tribute on Washington. Mr. Studds, the Washington agent of the great railroads here, says that the demand for through tickets to the Pacific by gold seekers is unprecedentedly heavy.

PERSONAL

Mr. S. D. Scott, editor of the St. John Sun, has returned from British Columbia.

Mr. John T. Sullivan and Rose Coghlan-Sullivan were passengers on the Halifax to Boston this afternoon.

Mrs. John T. Murphy, of South Shore, left by the Halifax today for Halifax, N. S., where she will reside.

Mr. Coady, of Newton, Mass., who has been spending a week or two in Charlottetown, with relatives, left for home today.

Mr. Frank Krim and sister, of Boston, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hermans for two or three weeks past, will leave for home tomorrow morning.

A. Cameron, principal of Yarmouth Academy, says he thinks Bridgewater just the place for a future meeting of the Summer School of Science.—Bulletin.

Mr. J. W. Hughes, having been summarily dismissed from the service of the Government, under "the spoils system," has established a provision trade in Ottawa.

Mrs. Brown, of Niagara Falls, and Mrs. H. Shaffer, of Moncton, are visiting their friends and relatives on the Island, and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Coffin, of Brighton Cottage.

Seaside Hotel: Aug 1—Wm H Hall Montreal; Mrs McKay, Rustico; Miss Helen McKay, Miss Dawson, Miss Helen Dawson, Miss May Dawson, Charlottetown; W L Leslie, Montreal; J B Deiner, Boston; Miss Bertie McCallum, Benj Rogers, jr, Charlottetown.

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NOTICE.—All persons owing for poll tax had better attend to the same, as after the 15th day of August executions will be issued.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS

BACK AGAIN.—The U. S. cruiser Marblehead arrived in port last evening.

POLICE COURT.—At the police court this morning one man for being drunk was fined one dollar.

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION.—Don't forget it. Monday night on Str. Jacques Cartier. A right good time for 25 cents.

WINDOW BROKEN.—While a drunken crowd were fighting on Queen St. last night about 11.30, a window pane of Mr. M. Stevenson's store was broken.

S. O. E.—The Sons of England have engaged Worth's Band for their excursion to New Glasgow on Monday. Good music always adds to the pleasure of an excursion so come and enjoy yourself.

KLONDIKE.—Respectable young men desirous of setting out for the Klondike Gold Fields, in time for spring opening, are requested to correspond with the undersigned.

PICNICS.—The A. O. H. picnic on Monday next at Hickey's Wharf, East River and that at St. Ann's, Lot 65, to be held on Wednesday the 18th, inst., both promise to be very enjoyable affairs.

ARRIVAL OF EXCURSIONISTS.—The steamer St. Olaf, with about two hundred excursionists from Pictou and New Glasgow, N. S., arrived here at 1 p. m. to-day.

A GOOD HAY CROP.—Mr. Wm. Ross, of Nine Mile Creek, dyked in ten acres of marsh land on his farm last fall.

AN OLD AND WELL TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success.

GREAT EVENTS.—One by one they come and go. This year is full of them. Queen's Birthday, Queen's Diamond Jubilee, our own Dominion Day, the two elections; and now for a pleasant event in the month of August, on the 23rd, 24th and 25th of this month Haszard and Moore will hold a grand "Sweet Pea Competition" at their Bookstore Sunnyside.

RAILWAY MEN'S Y. M. C. A.—The Railway Men's Annual Convention which will be held in this city on the 27th and 29th inst., is now being arranged for.

TODAY'S BLOW.—The fresh breeze which blew all morning caused quite a lot of damage amongst the sail and row boats moored off the western end of the town.

SHIP NEWS. Port of Charlottetown. ENTERED. Aug. 12—Mary D. Lawson, Wallace; Sea Breeze, McDonald, Newcastle; ss. Electra, McLaren, Montague; Etoile du Matin, Davies, Harbour au Bouche.

CLEARED. Aug. 12—Minnie May, Burke, Sydney; Mary D. Lawson, Wallace; ss. Electra, McLaren, Montague; Etoile du Matin, Davies, Pictou; Sea Breeze, McDonald, do; Ripple, Cruickshank, do; A. J. McKean, Silver, do; Mary Star of the Sea, Lantagne, North Sydney.

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WASHING GOODS American and Scotch WASHING GOODS. Stanley Bros., The Always Busy Store.

"A Capital Little Book." on P. E. I. This is what a gentleman in Ottawa has to say about "Prince Edward Island—Illustrated," a copy of which he sent for some time ago.

RACES AT AVONDALE. There will be a race for horses in the 235 class and a green race at Prairie Track (one of the best tracks on the Island), Avondale, Lot 49, on THURSDAY, August 19. A liberal purse will be provided.