

HIGHLAND GAMES.

St. George's Field, at 2.30 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 30th.

PROGRAMME OF SPORTS:

1. 100 Yards' Dash (open), handicap.
2. Empire Relay Race.
3. 220 Yards' Dash (open), handicap.
4. Broad Jump.
5. Costume Obstacle Race.
6. Exhibition Dance.
7. School Relay (boys under 15).
8. Tug of War (1st round).
9. 1/4 Mile (open), handicap.
10. Tossing the Caber.
11. 1 Mile (open), handicap.
12. Putting the Shot.
13. Empire League Sixes.
14. 100 Yards' Dash (190 lbs. and over).
15. Tug of War (2nd round).
16. Girls' Race (under 16 years).
17. Throwing the Hammer.
18. Blindfold Backward Race.
19. Hop-Step-Leap.
20. Final Tug of War.
21. Boxing Exhibition.

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From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram
CAPE RACE, to-day.
Wind south, light, weather foggy. Steamer Canadian Sapper passed west yesterday afternoon; nothing in sight to-day. Bar. 30.25; ther. 64.

Baltic Rum-running Shows Large Profits.

STOCKHOLM.—Legislation in Sweden against drunkenness and consequent heavy taxation on liquor and beer has resulted in very high prices for liquor of every kind. So much so that smuggling of drink into Sweden has developed all along the coast, and it is asserted that about 5000 railons from the Baltic are landed and sold in Sweden every day. Recently a German ship was said to be anchored outside territorial waters with a cargo of spirits for sale. In order to establish the truth of this alleged rum-running, the correspondent of the Associated Press decided upon a personal investigation. With a friend he embarked on a six-ton cutter for the German boat, which was expected of Sandhamn, and after a pleasant sail in the moonlight came up with the vessel which was riding at anchor with the usual lights showing.

SELLING ON THE HIGH SEAS.

On halting the vessel we were requested to go aboard and were received cordially by the Captain. "Just waiting for somebody else," he said, "but you are very welcome anyhow." Asked down to the cabin, the visitors explained that they were neither buyers of alcohol nor in the service of the customs, but only wanted to learn something first hand about selling spirits on the high seas. The Captain was a young German, about 30 years old. "You take me for a smuggler," he said, "or bootlegger out for business beyond the law, but you are quite mistaken. My name is Ludwig Wolff, formerly of the German navy. I do business which cannot bear examination, and would not for anything in the world infringe on the privileges of Sweden. I am in international waters, and am entitled to trade here as much as I wish with anybody who wants to do business with me. I can offer you the purest and best whiskeys, English and American at about \$1.25 a quart. I have the best Danish schnaps at 8 krener a bottle, and many thousand bottles of German brandy."

BIG MONEY BEHIND IT.

Wolff, referring to himself, explained that he had been paid off from the navy when the armistice was declared, and of hoarding of the liquor trade with Norway, he decided to join in. "I am not dealing for my own account," he said. "This business is organized in Hamburg by big capitalists. Liquor in Germany is very cheap and Scandinavian currency very big and although we sell much cheaper than do registered dealers ashore, the profit for us is nearly 500 per cent." He added he expected to get rid of his present cargo within a week and return for more. He made ten trips last year to Norway, and with the same number to Sweden this year, he expects to clean up enough for a five-year rest.

Clergyman Now Have Small Families.

LONDON.—Clergymen no longer have large families, the members of the Neo-Malthusian Birth Control Society were told by Professor MacBride at a recent conference. Thirty years ago the clergy were reckoned among the most prolific members of the community, and rightly regarded as breeders of talent; but to-day road sweepers, dock laborers and people of that class indulge in large families, while clerical families consist of only one or two children. The Professor declared that every species of animal and plant, if allowed to exercise unchecked its natural powers of reproduction, would in a few years completely overrun the earth and crush out other forms of life.

Couldn't be a Scot.

An expedition was moving through reputedly unexplored African bush. They emerged one day from the dense tropical undergrowth into a small clearing, where they were astonished to see a pile of empty whisky bottles. "There's been a Scotsman here," remarked one of the party, himself a Scot, and proud to think that one of his nation had been first in this lonely spot. His pride was soon turned to anger, for another voice broke in: "Nonsense! If that had been a Scotsman he'd have taken the bottles back!"

Liked the Wobble.

Little Teddie was full of questions. Approaching the aged man on the pier again, he said: "What times does the tide come in, Mr. Fisherman?" The aged man looked at him wearily. "I've told you several times already, you young rascal," he said. "At 5.55." Then Little Teddie explained. "Yes, I heard you the first time, but I like to see your whiskers wobble when you say 5.55."

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Babies and Old Men Swell New York's Fatalities.

New York.—Babies who were too young to realize danger, and old men who couldn't move quickly enough to avoid it, swelled the total of accidental deaths to 3,483 in New York City last year, health department reports reveal. This represents a decrease of 460 from the accidental deaths of 1919. Only 987 of the victims were females. Even among infants the death rate for the males was by far the higher, probably, according to the health officer, boy-babies often come to death through inquisitiveness and a natural tendency to seek adventure. "The most important cause of accidental death from a numerical standpoint is the automobile," the report continues. "Last year 849 persons were killed in this city as the result of automobile accidents. This is equivalent to a ratio of almost 15 per 100,000 of population and represents a net increase of one per 100 since 1919."

REGULATIONS SAVE LIFE.

We must not lose sight however of the fact that the number of fatal street accidents has not kept pace with the increase in the number of vehicles using the streets. It is the same ratio between accidents and vehicles obtained to-day as in previous years, so that in reality a big saving in life has been effected through regulation of traffic and the closing of streets for play during certain hours of the day. Almost 12 persons per 100,000—numbering 684—died in falls, says the report; 103 from scaffolds and buildings and 138 from fire escapes and windows. "Certainly there was a needless loss of life," says the health department. "Almost one-third of these deaths occurred among children under five years of age. In other words, among little children who were allowed to go out on fire escapes or to lean out of windows. Surely this indicates gross negligence and calls for active propaganda to educate parents not to permit little tots to engage in such hazardous forms of play."

German Propaganda.

The German propagandist is still abroad in the land. Small and cheap printed pamphlets are sent broad in the mails with demands that they be read and circulated everywhere. These are "made in Germany," published in Bremen, and sent anonymously to the homes and offices of persons whose names presumably appear in the mailing lists of distributing companies. How the circulation is financed does not appear.

Here is "The Monstrous Lie," written by O. Harwitz, and published by "The National League, 'Save the Honour.'" The "monstrous lie" is the common affirmation that Germany was responsible for the war. The nature of the pamphlet is clear from this paragraph: "The European tension of the last decade was like a powder barrel into which no spark must fall. But France worked for 43 years on making a fuse, Russia lighted the fuse through the hand of Serbia, and England threw it with full and clear deliberation into the powder-barrel, in order to rule supreme in the world-market."

And here is "England's War Guilt," by the same author, described on this title page as "Minister of the Bremen Cathedral and President of the National League for the Vindication of Germany's Honour." This time the argument is that England needed to cement the British empire with blood, that the empire was falling apart and the war therefore "could only appear a state necessity to every thinking Englishman," that "as Prussia could only unify Germany through spilling the blood of all the German races, so England could only cement all the states that belonged to the British empire through the spilt blood of them all."

A larger booklet and a more dignified publication, and coming to us from a person whom we know and not anonymously, is "The Counter-charge," dealing "with the matter of war criminals from the German side," by Dr. August Gallinger of the University of Munich. With many citations from documents and the testimony of many witnesses, this volume charges France and England with violation of all the rules of war and the principles of common humanity in their treatment of German prisoners. Clemenceau was a "brave" and "conscious liar." The entire "wanted justice for all," but "by means of the most detestable methods the German has been branded as a criminal by having invented crimes laid at his door," and the allied nations "have throttled justice in cold blood."

In our judgment the defenders of Germany will do better to abandon every method of propaganda, anonymous or otherwise, for many years to come. It will be well for them to say little and "say wood." They have stripped themselves as a people for the long and hard climb back to the higher levels of industrial and political prosperity. They should concentrate on that upward struggle. To rehearse the old war questions now will only keep the fires of animosity hot and do the German course

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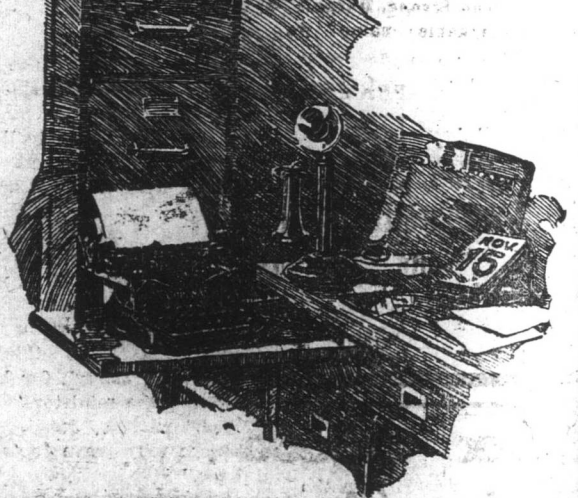
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