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SPION KOP WON THIS YEAR'S DERBY

The Hot Favourite Tetratema, was Never in the Running.
London, June 2.—Captain G. Lord's Spion Kop won the classic Derby at Epsom Downs to-day.
Lord Derby's Archais was second and L. Neumann's Orpheus third. Nineteen horses ran.
The betting on the course follows: Spion Kop, 100 to 6; Archais, 10 to 1; Orpheus, 50 to 1.
The horses which ran were: Abbots Trace, Allenby, Prince Ittilus, Daylight Patrol, Dynamo, Firewood, He goes, Kerashos, Marshal Neil, Orpheus, Poltava, Polumetis, Sarchedon, Silvern, Spion Kop, Archais, Tetratema and Torelore.
Tetratema Favorite.
Major McCalmont's Tetratema was the favorite of 22 splendid entries that went to the starting barrier to-day in the greatest event of the British flat racing season—the Derby Stakes—over the historic course of Epsom Downs. Other thoroughbreds in the race that were fancied were Lord Derby's Archais, Daylight Patrol, Polumetis and He Goes.

THIS STAR WITNESS WAS MOST RECALCITRANT

New York, June 2.—Minnie, a bare-legged, red-jacketed, green caped monkey, subpoenaed as the star witness for the prosecution in a gambling case, successfully wrecked the dignity of the magistrate's court.
Minnie was supposed to show how she had aided her owner in conducting a corner lot game of chance by pulling out of a box the numbered balls on which the participants had placed bets. Instead Minnie leaped on the magistrate's desk, causing him to duck, drained a bottle of ink, buried at the attendant the glasses of water he handed her as a chaser, tore the coat of a detective ordered to arrest her, and finally departed from the court screaming.

PLANNING TO PROTECT RUSSIAN FOREIGN CREDITORS

Paris, June 2.—Representatives of Great Britain, Belgium, Denmark, Spain, Holland, Norway, Sweden and Switzerland will meet in conference here on June 10, to establish a common plan of action for the protection of the foreign creditors of Russia.
A mass meeting will be held in the Dominion Hall, Sunday, June 6th at 7.30 p.m. Speaker, Mr. J. S. Woods, worth, of Winnipeg, who will lecture on the Winnipeg Trials and Organized Labor. Everybody welcome.

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REGISTRATION NOW OPEN FOR PROVINCIAL VOTERS

Registration for the new provincial voters' list opened on Tuesday, and up to noon yesterday but two citizens had entered their names with Registrar S. McB. Smith at the local office of the Provincial Government.
The honor of being the first name on the new list fell to Mr. J. A. Macdonald of the Provincial Land Settlement Board.
For the first time in some years in British Columbia judges will be allowed to vote. The voters' lists now being compiled, already include the names of several members of the bench, who registered on Monday.

STORES MAY NOT PAY LUXURY TAX

Victoria, June 2.—Stores are not allowed to pay luxury taxes. All luxury taxes must be paid by the purchaser only and be shown separately on the invoice.
This was the order issued today by Dominion Inland Revenue officials on authority from Ottawa.
This order is aimed at large stores in Victoria and all over the country which have announced that they will pay the luxury taxes on practically all lines of goods. This practice, officials have discovered, is violating the law and will result in action being taken against the stores if it is continued.
Storekeepers said today that the order came as a surprise to them and will force them to change the whole system of bookkeeping that they have instituted for paying the taxes themselves.

STANDARD OIL CO.'S PUMPING STATION BURNS

Greely, Kas., June 2.—The Standard Oil Company's pumping station here, valued at more than \$1,000,000, was destroyed by fire late today.
The fire is still burning tonight and efforts are being directed toward keeping the flames from reaching the two, fifty thousand barrel storage tanks, both of which are practically full.
JONES—SIMS
A quiet wedding took place in Vancouver on May 27th, when Miss Margaret Sims, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Sims, Brechin, was united in marriage to Mr. David T. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Jones, also of Brechin. After a short honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Jones will take up their residence in Vancouver.
Meeting of Returned men in Young's Hall June 13, 7.30 p.m. It will be of advantage to all returned men to attend. 79-3t.

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TROUBLE BREWING AROUND POTSDAM

Prince August Wilhelm is Playing Chief Part in Troop Concentration in Germany.
Berlin, June 2.—The Tageblatt publishes with reservations, sensational reports of the concentration of Bavarian troops in the neighborhood of Potsdam. Prince August Wilhelm of Prussia, son of the former Emperor, is playing a conspicuous part in the movement.
It also publishes a rumor that the authorities intend on Sunday to arrest all pacifists and a number of prominent Leftists. The Tageblatt fears that despite the disinclination of all parties to indulge in disorders, there are still groups seeking thereby to bring further calamity to Germany.

ELECTED MODERATOR

Ottawa, June 2.—Prof. James Ballantyne, of Knox College, Toronto, was tonight elected Moderator of the Presbyterian General Assembly.

ASK GOVERNMENT TO RENEW CONTROL

Of Canadian Wheat Crop Through the Activities of the Wheat Board Winnipeg, June 2.—(Can. Press).—Asserting that the Canadian wheat board can not exercise control over the 1920 crop unless its authority is renewed by the present session of parliament, the executive committee of the Canadian Council of Agriculture tonight telegraphed the Dominion Government, urging that the necessary steps be taken to have Government control of the wheat crop continued for at least another year.

MERCHANTS UNITED WON

The Merchants United have found their stride, and are now winning matches with the greatest regularity. Yesterday their victory over the team from whom they took camp to the tune of two goals to one after a really splendid game.

NAVY LEAGUE COUNCIL MEETING IN TORONTO

Toronto, June 2.—The Dominion Council of the Navy League of Canada opened its second annual meeting here today and will have a two-day session. Commodore Jarvis was in the chair, and among those present were A. C. Flumerfelt, of British Columbia, and J. A. Irvine, of Alberta.
J. C. Hopkinson, of the educational committee, urged more propaganda in the schools and said books were being prepared for the use of young children, telling the story of the navy. They would be translated into French for use in the Quebec schools, he said.

AMERICAN TIMBER LANDS DECIMATED

America is Today Using Her Timber Four Times as Fast as She Can Grow It.
Washington, June 2.—The high cost of newspaper paper is due in no small measure to the decimation of the forests in the east. Secretary Meredith informed the Senate today, when transmitting a report by the forest service on the scarcity of timber in the eastern States.
This is by no means the only cause of high prices, said the secretary later, but the fact remains that three fifths of the original timber of the United States has gone, and they are using the timber four times as fast as they are growing it.

EMPIRE DAY CELEBRATION

A meeting of the General Committee of the 24th of May Celebration will be held in the Board of Trade room, on Friday, at 7.30 p.m. for the purpose of receiving the financial statement and of winding up the business of the celebration.
A. T. NEEN, Secy.

BENEFIT DANCE AT PROBERT'S HALL

A benefit dance will be held in Probert's Hall, on Wednesday night, June 9th. The dance has been organized to relieve a necessitous case and the organizers are very anxious to make it a success. Bennie's orchestra will supply the music, and refreshments will be served. There will be a jolly good time for all, and the admission is only one dollar per couple. The ladies of Nanaimo River District are supplying the refreshments to help the good cause along. Dancing commences at 9 p.m.

A high class recital, followed by choice refreshments, at St. Andrew's Church, Friday night. Admission 50 cents.

MANY ATTACKS ON BARRACKS IN IRELAND

The Raiding Parties in Most Instances, However, Were Repulsed, Without Any Great Damage Having Been Done—Few Casualties Are Reported.

Traloe, Ireland, June 2.—The raiders today, after a two-hour fight with the police at Fenit, County Kerry, saturated the barracks with oil and burned it. The raiders decamped on the appearance of some naval men from a torpedo boat destroyer. One constable was wounded during the fighting.

Belfast, June 2.—A concerted attack was made on the Crossgar Barracks, County Down, 21 miles from Belfast, this morning.
Efforts were made from the houses on both sides of the barracks, to blow up the building, but these failed after two hours, during which shots were exchanged between the attacking party and the police.

Finally, the assailants withdrew. Sgt. Fitzpatrick was shot through the lung, and is in a critical condition.
Clare, King's County, Ireland, June 2.—The police barracks here and at Geashill, were furiously attacked early today without success. Fusillades from the attacking party lasted for several hours. The roadways leading to both villages were blocked with trees, while the nearby railway line was torn up. No casualties are reported. Military and police reinforcements have arrived.

VICTIMS OF COUP

A Military Guard Were Disarmed, and Lost all Their Rifles and Ammunition Besides Two Lewis Guns, Without a Shot Being Fired.

Dublin, June 2.—Ireland is quite justifiably chuckling over the incident of disarming the Dublin military guard yesterday.
The coup was brilliantly executed. The Lancashire soldiers were caught absolutely unprepared with their rifles stacked and the army authorities can offer no excuse beyond the incredible slackness of the soldiers concerned.

Although the republican movement is richer in arms by this daring raid, thoughtful Irishmen are acutely aware that the incident may have distressing results. Up till now individual soldiers have been inclined to treat the "Irish War" in a jocular spirit and have contrived to maintain friendly relations with the inhabitants.

JUNIOR FOOTBALL TEAM WAS PICKED LAST NIGHT

A meeting of the Junior Football League was held last night, for the purpose of making final arrangements for the game with the Vancouver Province team on Saturday. There was a good attendance of members, and much interest was displayed in the coming match, which will prove a real test of the capabilities of our junior players.

The team which will do duty for Nanaimo, as finally chosen last night is as follows: Goal, J. Watson; backs, Spencer and Edmunds; half backs, Spruston, McCourt, Moore; forwards, Milbarn, Davis, Sandland, Knight, T. Baird. Reserves: Johnston, Cain and Courtney.
Mr. J. Quinn will referee, and the linesman will be Mr. S. Bennie.
Committees were appointed also at this meeting, to welcome the visitors on their arrival, and to see that they are well looked after, and to arrange for a social time in the evening. The former committee is composed of Messrs. Thornycroft, Wilson and Barry, and the latter of Messrs. Barry, Wilson, Sutton and Westwood.

TRIAL YACHT RACES COMMENCE TODAY

Newport, June 2.—The sloops Resolute and Vanitie, aspirants for the honor of defending the America Cup against the Shamrock IV., will begin a series of elimination races tomorrow.

Everything is in readiness for the first race to be held off the mouth of Narragansett Bay, over the regulation cup race course of 50 miles and, according to the regatta committee of the New York Yacht Club, the initial contest will be to windward and return.

WANT THE DUTY ON STOCK REMOVED

Calgary, June 2.—The Cattlemen's Protective Association is enlisting the support of all stock breeders of the Ass'n. to secure the removal of duty on sheep and cattle into the farms.

MAJOR MUTTER DIED AT SOMENOS

One of the oldest and best known residents of the Cowichan District has passed away.

J. M. Mutter, one of the best-known residents of the Cowichan district and former superintendent of the Provincial Jail in Victoria, died at his home in Somenos on Monday night. The funeral will take place Thursday afternoon from the family residence, Rev. Canon Leakey officiating and the Rev. A. F. Munro assisting at the grave side.

James Mitchell Mutter was born April 8, 1845 at Glasgow, Scotland, the eldest son of James Mutter, J.P. for the County of Argyle and Agnes, his wife, only child of George Cruickshanks, of Glasgow and Banffshire, Scotland.

He became Justice of the Peace for the County of Argyleshire and for years was on the staff of the Argyle and Butte Artillery. He gained his majority in 1891.

In the same year he set sail for Canada, with his wife and family, coming direct to British Columbia. Purchasing a farm of considerable extent from the late James Kerr, he settled in Somenos district and was one of the first farmers to bring pedigreed South Down sheep into the district. He was the founder of the Cowichan Creamery, and, with the late Captain Barkley, he started the Cowichan Flock Masters' Association. He held the office of president of the Cowichan Agricultural Association for many years and was president of the B.C. Dairymen's Association.

Major Mutter entered the Legislature by acclamation for the Cowichan-Alberni riding at the general election of July 1894, and sat in the House during the regimes of Hon. Theodore Davis and Hon. J. H. Turner. After sitting through the seventh parliament he retired to his farm later he received the appointment of Justice of the Peace for the Cowichan district.

He is survived by his widow, three sons, J. Islay Mutter, A. Allan Mutter and George W. Mutter; three daughters, Mrs. H. B. Greaves, of Victoria; Miss A. Blanche Mutter of Somenos, and Mrs. Stanley Lamb, of Quamichan Lake and seventeen grandchildren. Two of the latter, Harry Pearson Graves, who was killed in action, and James Greaves, who lost one arm, both served in France.

LIPSON SAILS TO SEE YACHT RACES

London, June 2.—(Can. Press).—Crowds of well wishers sang "For he's a jolly good fellow" as Sir Thomas Lipson departed by train for Liverpool this morning, to embark for New York to attend the international yacht races, in which his Shamrock IV. will endeavor to win the America Cup from the American defender Resolute or Vanitie.
Sir Thomas, before his departure, said that he had every confidence in the Shamrock IV., adding, "We'll soon know."

BASEBALL RESULTS

American League
St. Louis 3, Chicago 7.
Cleveland 3, Detroit 5.
New York 8 1/2, Washington 1-7.
National League
Philadelphia 6, Brooklyn 4.
Pittsburg 2, St. Louis 6.
Boston 9, New York 1.
Chicago 3, Cincinnati 5.
Pacific International League
Tacoma 8, Vancouver 6.
Spokane 4, Victoria 6.
Yakima 6, Seattle 4.

Weather Forecast for Today

Light to moderate winds. Continued fine and warm.

THE YUKON RIVER IS NOW FREE OF ICE

Dawson, Y. T., June 2.—The Yukon River is now entirely free from ice from Lake La Barge northward. The weather is unusually warm, but it is expected it will be several days before Lake La Barge is clear.

Advices from the interior of Alaska, say that the restrictions there against travel, because of influenza, are being lifted tonight. There were no new cases in the last thirteen days.

The first arrivals from Mayo Camp, bringing highly favorable reports of the silver prospects in the Kenohill district.

RED CROSS SOCIETY GAVE MOST ENJOYABLE DANCE

The dance given in the Agricultural Hall last night by the local branch of the Red Cross Society, in aid of the War Memorial Fund, was quite successful. During the past few years Nanaimo has come to look to the Red Cross Society for success in all their undertakings, and this faith was never better justified than was the case last night.

The Agricultural Hall does not lend itself at the best of times to artistic decoration, but the ladies who were responsible for this part of the arrangements last night, certainly made the most of their opportunities and the hall, especially when the floor was crowded with eager dancers, has never looked brighter or gayer. Jensen's orchestra provided the music, and dainty refreshments were served by members of the Red Cross during the evening. Under all circumstances it is not to be wondered at that the guests declined to leave until quite an early hour this morning.

A BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Doris Jones entertained a number of her young friends at the home of her mother, 120 Wallace Street, last night, on the occasion of her fifteenth birthday. The young ladies were the recipients of many gifts accompanied by a host of good wishes. A very pleasant and merry evening was spent in games and dancing, interspersed with music, and full justice was done to a most bountiful supper. About thirty were present and the merriment was kept up till an early hour this morning.

VITAL STATISTICS

The office of the Government Agent, where the vital statistics are compiled, had a most gratifying state of affairs to report for the month of May, the birth rate being higher than usual, while the number of deaths was the smallest in any one month which has been recorded for many years. The births totalled 26, the marriages 9, and deaths but 3.

CAN NOW CONSIDER THE LUXURY TAX

The Budget Debate being Concluded, the House will get down to consideration in Committee of the Taxation Proposals.

Ottawa, June 2.—(Can. Press).—The formal budget debate out of the way, consideration of the budget resolutions in committee will open with the least possible delay. Here, in all probability, discussion will be protracted, covering possibly a week or so. Provisions made in regard to income tax and business profits tax are expected to go through without a debate.

The luxury taxes will be subjected to some changes, it is thought, particularly with a view to making their administration more workable. Since the budget was brought down, the minister of finance has been in constant receipt of representations with regard to the luxury taxes and the sales tax. Important points have been brought out and notice will, no doubt, be taken of some of the suggestions.

HOME RULE BILL AGAIN CONSIDERED

In the House of Commons, and Many Amendments Were Offered.

London, June 2.—The Commons which resumed on Tuesday afternoon after a brief Whitsuntide holiday, today further considered the Home Rule Bill in committee.

Numerous amendments, principally with regard to the powers reserved to the Imperial Parliament, were offered. Sir Edward Carson again took occasion to say that he was convinced Ireland was heading for a separation through this Bill. The precedent North America had set, ought to have been more closely followed.

At question time Mr. Bonar Law, said that no decisions had been made at the Hythe conference. He also announced that the Government intended to introduce a Haugr Bill and to pass it at this session.

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