

DOMINION RIFLEMEN WILL BE IN FORCE AT CONNAUGHT SHOOT

MEETING WILL DRAW SHOOTERS FROM ALL OVER

D. C. R. A. Contests Expected to be Best Since War

Ottawa, July 24—Canada's national rifle shooting meeting, opening August 17, familiarly known as the "D. C. R. A." promises this year to exceed any prize meeting held since the year 1918, or before the war, and it is expected that there will be an increase in attendance of competitors of more than 100 from all over the Dominion. Rifle shooting has shown great progress during the last year, and the summer shooting now under way shows a 100 per cent. increase in attendance at the various ranges over 1925. Last winter 477 teams took part in the indoor competitions as compared with 128 teams two years ago. Toronto reports 400 men shooting every Saturday, and similar reports come from all the large cities.

The "D. C. R. A." program this year has not been changed materially from that of last year, but any of the changes made will meet with general approval, particularly that portion which adds 15 prizes to the list of each of the important matches, ensuring for the new shoot a good chance of coming into the money more frequently than in the past. The Governor-General's match will be shot this year in the usual two stages, but the final stage will be at 800 and 900 yards, when 15 shots must be fired at each range. Both ranges of the Governor-General's match will be in the Grand Aggregate, and spectators will be permitted at all ranges of all the scheduled competitions in the aggregate.

KING'S MEDAL CONTEST

The King's Medal competition has been taken out of the middle of the week and will be held on Friday afternoon as a distinct event. The Goswold and Dunderdale matches will be conducted as team events, as they were in the old days at Rockcliffe, and will have no connection with the King's Medal match. The contest of the King's Medal calls for 4 practices. The first is for deliberate shooting at 400 yards. This will be followed by the fire with movement practice, which means that the competitor will start from 400 yards and the target will be exposed for 45 seconds for the target. The second stage is a 100 yard, when 15 shots must be fired at each range. The third stage is a 100 yard, when 15 shots must be fired at each range. The fourth stage is a 100 yard, when 15 shots must be fired at each range.

SOME ADDED FEATURES

An added feature in the King's Medal match will be a team competition, for teams of four men whose combined scores make the highest total. For this match General Sir Arthur Currie is offering a valuable trophy, and the competition for this should be very keen.

In the Service Reserve Match, the 45 Colt has been admitted on equal ground with the .455, as a concession.

Famous Cowes Week Now Attracting Attention of British Sportsmen

Amateur Nine Tours 6,000 Miles To Play

Although Canada has no two great professional baseball circuits like the United States its amateur nines appear, if anything, busier than those in that country. The Orlers, senior amateur champions of Toronto, recently completed a 6,000 mile tour which took them to the Pacific Coast. During the three weeks of the tour these amateurs played fourteen games, of which they won ten and lost four. They met the teams of Cooper, Cline, Winnipeg, Vancouver and Regina.

One of the chief objectives of the tour was to cement the ties of sports between the East and the West. The amateur baseball groups of Winnipeg and Vancouver financed the expedition with this end in view. Their trip aroused such enthusiasm that the Orlers were invited to repeat next summer and the Asahi all-Japanese team of Vancouver, is endeavoring to arrange a series in Japan.

The Orlers are proud of their record, which included such strenuous activity as three games in one day on Dominion Day in Winnipeg.

FREDERICTON BEATS DEVON TEAM, 6 TO 2

FREDERICTON, July 23—Fredericton Imperial beat Devon six to two in five innings of rather loose baseball this evening. Irvine was batted out of the box in the second inning by Fredericton.

Score by innings: R. H. E.
Fredericton..... 6 0 0 0 0 0
Devon..... 2 4 0 0 0 0
Batteries—Irvine, Keme and Dumphy; Garvie and Babbitt.

ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

are armed with the .45.

An Agg. Pool competition will run continuously throughout the week, and valuable prizes are offered daily, besides a valuable list for the aggregate of the week.

In addition to the above there is the usual attractive prize list of all classes of shooting for cadets, tyros and seniors, for which over \$12,000 is offered in cash prizes in addition to the \$100,000 worth of trophies. There will be shooting with the .22 rifle. Also, an interesting series of "revolver" matches, concluding with the military revolver championship, for which a gold medal is awarded, and a revolver team match.

What the "King's Prize" is to Blazey, the Governor-General's match is to Connaught Range, the supreme test of the rifleman's skill. While it is important to do good shooting in the Governor-General's contest, consistent scoring is required throughout the whole week in order to win a place on the Blazey team for next year, which after all, is the objective of most men who attend the meeting.

Col. D. R. Street will be executive officer, Lt. Col. R. J. Birdwhistell assistant executive officer, and Major R. O. Wheatley, chief range officer.

The association has provided interesting social amusement features, and the attraction each evening is the free entertainment in the big hangar on the ranges. Sixteen competitors from each of the provinces are given free transportation, and in addition a refund of one-fifth of the single fare is made by the Association to all who attend. The prospects for a record meeting are very bright and the week of August 17 should see Connaught Range the scene of the biggest gathering of rifle shots ever assembled in Canada in competition.

If All Were Temperamental Like Suzanne



Water Department and Royals Win League Games Last Night

Dalton Landed On For 16 Hits When Baptists Lose Exciting South-End Series On Short End of City League Score

The Royals came back on the South End last evening and defeated the old time rivals, St. John the Baptists, the final score counting eight for the winners and seven for the losers.

"Tack" Dalton was again on the mound for the Baptists but the Royals pounded him for 16 hits, while the best his team could do was collect seven. They fielded well, however.

The Royals apparently went on the rampage and were out to clean up their defeat of the night before. Dalton had three bingles out of five tips to the bat and had seven assists. His team was credited with four errors, while the Royals had three. "Tack" had two strikeouts of the game.

The game was one of the most exciting of the year. Paul worked for the last and had seven assists. His team was credited with four errors, while the Royals had three. "Tack" had two strikeouts of the game.

Water D.—A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Corrigan, 3b., 1 2 0 1 0 0
Sparks, c., 1 0 1 0 1 0
Gorman, ss., 1 0 1 2 0 0
A. Snodgrass, lb., 4 0 2 0 0 0
E. Snodgrass, rf., 1 1 2 0 0 0
Latham, cf., 4 0 1 2 0 0
Pearce..... 30 5 8 27 16 8

Score by innings:
St. John's..... 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Water Dept..... 1 0 1 2 0 0 1 0 0 0

St. John's Bapt.—A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
McCluskey, lf., 5 2 3 1 0 0
Knox, c., 4 1 1 0 0 0
Gillis, 3b., 5 2 1 1 0 0
Dalton, p., 6 1 8 0 7 0
Rogers, 2b., 4 0 2 0 0 0
Lemban, cf., 5 0 1 0 0 0
Payne, lb., 4 1 1 14 0 0
Lowe, rf., 4 0 1 0 0 0
McIntyre, ss., 4 0 1 1 2 0
41 7 13 27 18 4

Score by innings:
Royals..... 8 0 0 0 4 0 1 0 0 0
St. John Bapt..... 1 0 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 0

Summary—Earned runs, St. John the Baptists 8; Royals 4. Two base hits, Lowe, Lemban, H. McAlister, McGeekey. Three base hit, Dalton 2. Stolen bases, McGeekey, Harper & H. McAlister 2. Nixon, Gilles, Payne, Lowe. Double play, Rogers, unassisted. Base on balls, 4 by Dalton 3; Paul 6. Left on bases, St. John Baptists 8; Royals 13. Wild pitch, Dalton 2. Passed balls, Nixon 2. Time of game, 1 hour 45 minutes. Umpires, McDermott and Sproul. Score, Watling.

Next game Monday, Royals vs. Crescents.

The contest between the St. Rose's and Watermen was productive of some good baseball. Although the Fairville lads collected twelve hits off Hannah, they were unable to win. Hannah kept the safeties well scattered and the losers failed to come through when hits meant runs.

The Saints had six errors which account to some extent for their loss. The Watermen collected eight bingles from Fitzgerald. Gorman had a busy night at short, having no less than eleven chances, nine of which he accepted perfectly. P. Fitzgerald, catcher for the Fairville outfit, had four hits out of as many trips to the plate. A. Snodgrass kept up his batting average when he secured two safe ones. Bartlett knocked one for three sacks. Hannah had eight strike-outs and his opponent two.

Polo Tourney At Cobourg Next Month

King George to Participate With His Yacht "Britannia"

Polo teams from Montreal, Pittsburgh, Toronto, Buffalo and Rochester will compete in the annual polo tournament at Cobourg, Ontario, the first week in August. The tournament is held annually in connection with the Cobourg Horse Show. It had been intended to omit the horse show this year, but Sir Clifford Sifton and other Toronto fanatics were anxious to show their jumpers and hunters, so that at least several contests will be arranged.

At all events the polo tourney will be held, and the Montreal four is making a strong bid for the honors. The Montrealeers have been practicing daily in preparation for the event and have had a number of keen competitions with other teams so that its followers feel confident of a good showing. The team will be composed of W. W. Ogilvie, H. C. MacDougall, H. Gordon and S. Doherty.

King George and Queen Mary will live on board the "Victoria and Albert" and each day the King will race his great yacht the "Britannia". This year King George's "Britannia" has a taller mast and an entirely new suit of sails, and the design is expected to improve considerably her performance in light breezes—always a weak point with her and a strong one with competitors. Whether this will prejudice her reputation as one of the finest rough weather boats in the world is something which the experts are keenly debating.

Covey week of the year, for he is a favorite of sailing, especially in racing yachts. For Queen Mary, it is perhaps the unhappiest week of the year, as she is a notoriously bad sailor, and never ventures off the "Victoria and Albert," which is kept moored in one of the smoothest spots of the Bay.

McADAM TEAM TO PLAY TWO GAMES

Will Play Alerts This Afternoon and St. Peter's This Evening

It was announced last evening that the McAdam Junction baseball team will be here today for two games on St. Peter's park in an Independent Amateur offering. In the afternoon the visitors will line up against the newly reorganized Alerts and a good game is anticipated. The Alerts in new hands have shown great improvement and they turned the tables on St. Peter's Thursday night. The choice for hurling will be between Parke and Beatty.

In the evening the St. Peter's will oppose McAdam. King will pitch for the Saints and Joe Dever will be behind the bat.

The management assures two good games for today. The McAdam boys have been playing good ball this summer and come here with the reputation of being a fast moving outfit.

Beavers Climb Out Of Cellar Position

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The Beavers moved out of last place in the Intermediate League last night when they defeated the Glenwoods on the Allison grounds by a score of 11 to 6. The winners put the game on ice in the third inning when they secured six runs. The losers staged a comeback in the six but good relief pitching by Beatty saved the day. "Swamp" Southern was the individual star of the game. He had three hits and came through with a beautiful one hand catch.

Score by innings:
Glenwoods..... 0 0 2 0 0 3 0 0 0 0
Beavers..... 11 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

The batteries for the winners—Burrette, Beatty and Jones; for the losers, Hart and Tracy.

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For three days in the week—Mondays, Thursdays and Saturdays—the touring bus will be used for special trips and general sight-seeing. It will also be available for privately-conducted outing parties, or picnicking events. Following is the schedule for the Moncton and Fredericton routes:

Leave For Moncton	Leave For Fredericton
Tuesday 9 a. m. Daylight	Wednesday 9 a. m. Daylight
Friday 9 a. m. Daylight	Sunday 9 a. m. Daylight
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BERMAIN STREET

TRIO WILL ATTEMPT TO SWIM CHANNEL

BOULOGNE, France, July 23—A trio attempt to swim the English Channel is planned by Omer Perreault, of Montreal, Isak Helmy, of Egypt, and Miss Jeanne Sion, of France.

They will make the start together at 9 o'clock next Monday evening, weather conditions permitting.

NOT THIS TEAM

Captain Edmond Gibbons, of the original "St. Peter's Midgets" baseball team, gave out the following information last evening:

"It was noted in evening press that the St. Peter's Midgets were defeated by the North End Juniors. This is not so as they (St. Peter's) did not play any game on Friday. Our team is still undefeated."

The Young Alerts defeated the Young Rocklands in a baseball game on the Barrack Green last evening by a score of 16 to 12. Batteries for the winners were Rourke, McCarren and Green; for the losers, Hennebry and Woodley.

DAN CLANCY IS THE CLEAN-UP BATTER

BANGOR, Me., July 23—Dan Clancy, well known baseball player, who has played on many teams in the province, began the season with Lewiston in the New England League but has jumped to Bangor-Brewer in the Maine League, where he is clean-up man in the batting order and does it often. Clancy is playing against some of his old teammates, as he was for the past two seasons with Ben House's Bar Harbor team. Clancy is sometimes shifted to first base as a change from the outfield and can go in as a relief pitcher.

JUNIOR BASEBALL

The Young Tigers defeated the Young Rocklands in a baseball game last night on the Y. M. C. A. diamond, the final count being 12 to 8. The batteries for the winners were Long and McCarthy, and for the losers, Wall and Boyce.

How To Swim



WHEN one is learning the dog-paddle stroke, the arms and legs are uncoordinated perfectly, there will never be any real swimming. The muscular smoothness of the body when swimming with as little exertion as possible, except when there is necessity for unusual speed, should move in perfect coordination with legs—right arm and left leg.

It is also useful in perfecting the scissor kick of the legs, which is as follows:

Box score and summary:

St. Rose's—A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
McMurray, lf., 4 0 1 2 0 0
Sherwood, ss., 5 0 2 0 3 2
P. Fitzgerald, c., 4 1 2 4 0 1
Doherty, 2b., 4 0 1 3 1 0
O'Toole, 3b., 4 1 2 3 0 0
Murphy, cf., 5 0 2 4 0 0
Britt, lb., 4 1 1 7 0 1
Nelson, rf., 4 0 1 1 0 1
C. Fitzgerald, p., 4 0 0 6 1 0
38 8 12 24 9 5