

PROMINENT FIGURES IN SPORT

Written Especially for the Daily News by the Sports Editor

THE EARL OF DERBY Who Achieved One of His Ambitions

Lord Derby had two ambitions as a youth—to win the Derby and become Prime Minister of Great Britain.

Born Edward George Villiers Stanley on April 4, 1865, the son of Lord Stanley of Preston, later a Governor-General of Canada, the Earl of Derby has had a long and distinguished political career and by no means the least prominent matter in his career has been his connection with the turf. In 1883 he and his father started a small stud. They were very lucky in their early purchases and both father and son won the first race in which they ran a horse. This was the foundation of a great turf career. He won the St. Leger stakes four times with Swynford in 1910.

Keysoe in 1919, Tranquil in 1924 and Fairway in 1928. Fairway was the favorite to win the Derby last year but finished ninth. Lord Derby won the One Thousand Guineas in 1918 with Ferry and in 1923 with Tranquil. He won the Two Thousand Guineas in 1926 with Colorado. Lord Derby headed the winning list of owners in 1928 with a total of \$300,000 for a grand total of \$2,500,000 in less than twenty years. After the war he always gave five per cent of his winnings to the British Legion of Ex-Service Men.

When Lord Derby replaced Lord Bertie as ambassador at Paris in 1918, the first act of hospitality the Parisians showed him was to elect him to the French Jockey Club.

FAMOUS PLAYER COACHES BRITISH DAVIS-CUP TEAM



Karel Kokesl, the famous Czecho-Slovakian tennis player, is preparing the British lawn tennis team for the Davis Cup series at the All-England Club, Wimbledon. He is here seen (left) giving F. H. D. Wiled a few wrinkles regarding the grip and position of his racket for a forehand drive.

Sport Chat

A new sport, pleasing and thrilling to indulge in, was introduced in England last season, and is already becoming popular. It is outboard motorboat racing. These light craft, steered in some cases by a pole and in others by a wheel, skim over the water at a rare speed, leaving a trail of fine spray behind. They are well-controlled boats, obeying the slightest whim of the helmsman, twisting and twirling, banking and cornering, and being 'brought to heel' as speedily as they shoot into racing speed.

The outboards are so light that they can be easily taken about on a trailer behind a motor-car; there are various types on view, and the engines, which are practically all U.S. made (though several British firms are now experimenting with them) range from the 249 c.c. to the latest 929 Elto 815 c.c. engine, one of which was tried out at Edgemoor. The speed at which the outboards travel is anything from 20 to 40 miles an hour, the world's record speed being 41.15 miles per hour.

NO RIVAL FOR CHICAGO TEAM HOCKEY LEAGUE

TORONTO, May 11.—Paddy Harmon's application for a franchise to operate a second hockey team in Chicago was killed before a meeting of the National Hockey League today. Frank Patrick, president of the Pacific Coast League, was said to be associated with Harmon in the plan for the projected team.

Harmon's application did not come before the meeting, as President Frank Calder explained that he consent of Major Frederick McLaughlin, president of the Black Hawks, was first necessary and that Major McLaughlin refused to give. Frank Patrick was not present at the meeting.

GLENAVON WINNER OF BELFAST CUP

League Soccer in Old Country Came to Close Today With Finals for Trophy

BELFAST, May 11.—League soccer came to an end for the season today with the final matches in the Belfast City Cup series. The cup was won by Glenavon.

PERCY WILLIAMS TO RACE IN VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER, May 11.—It is arranged that Percy Williams will race here on Dominion Day against several outside sprinters as part of the annual Dominion Day celebration.

HUDDERSFIELD WINS ENGLISH RUGBY CUP

Defeated Leeds in Final Today by Score of Two to Nil

HALIFAX, England, May 11.—Huddersfield won the Rugby League Cup today by beating Leeds 2 to 0.

FOOTBALL LINE-UPS

The Regiment team for Monday night in the first Senior football game of the season against the Thistles will consist of the following players: Brand; Ross and Norrington; Kelsey, Murray and A. Hodgkinson; Wilson, Russell, Hunt, Hadden and Fraser, with Walters and Underwood as spares. Players will be fitted with boots and other equipment at the Armory.

The Thistle team will consist of: Lambe; Haig and Erskine; G. Mitchell, Bappte and Woods; A. Mitchell, A. Macdonald, W. Mitchell, John Campbell and D. Jack, with Jack Campbell, Busanich, Stiles and W. Murray as reserves.

MRS. SWEENEY GOLF CHAMP

VICTORIA, May 11.—Mrs. S. C. Sweeney yesterday won the women's golf championship of B.C. by defeating Mrs. Hew Paterson of Victoria seven and six in the final eighteen holes.

ATHFORD WINS GREAT JUBILEE

KEMPTON PARK, England, May 11.—Athford, owned by W. Barnett, won the Great Jubilee today. Trevelin came second and Caballerot third.

BALDWIN NOMINATED

LONDON, May 11.—Premier Baldwin was today nominated for the Bewdley division.

TWO GREAT RIVAL SCULLERS MEET IN JUNE



During the first week of June Joe Wright Jr., Canadian champion sculler, will row against Ken Myers, reputed to be the best singles sculler in the United States, on the new regatta course on the Humber River near Toronto. Both athletes went to the Olympic Games at Amsterdam last summer when they represented their respective countries in the rowing events. The last time Myers and Wright met the former oarsman burned himself out by setting too hot a pace, but he has greatly improved since then and it is going to be a great race.

NEARLY QUARTER MILLION POUNDS OF HALIBUT SOLD TODAY

Halibut sales at the local Fish Exchange this morning aggregated 245,000 pounds, twelve American vessels selling a total of 177,500 pounds at from 12c and 6c to 13c and 7c while seven Canadian boats disposed of 67,500 pounds at 11.3c and 6c to 12c and 6c.

Arrivals and sales:

American
Viking, 7,000 pounds, Booth Fisheries, 12.9c and 7c.
Aleutian, 26,000 pounds, Pacific Fisheries, 12c and 6c.
Atlas, 16,000 pounds, Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co., 12.3c and 6c.

Democrat, 24,000 pounds, Royal Fish Co., 12.2c and 6c.
Ivanhoe, 10,000 pounds, Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co., 12c and 6c.

Sentinel, 27,000 pounds, Booth Fisheries, 12c and 6c.
Baltic, 14,000 pounds, Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co., 12.7c and 7c.

Happy, 11,000 pounds, and Eravo, 6,000 pounds, Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co., 13c and 7c.

Hi Gill, 8,500 pounds, Booth Fisheries, 13c and 7c.
Augusta, 12,000 pounds, Atlin Fisheries, 13c and 7c.

Teddy J., 16,000 pounds, Atlin Fisheries, 13c and 7c.

Canadian
Johanna, 20,000 pounds, Atlin Fisheries, 12c and 6c.
Pair of Jacks, to Pacific Fisheries at 11.4 and 6c.

Rose Spit, 10,500 pounds, Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co., 11.8c and 6c.

Atli, 8,000 pounds, Pacific Fisheries, 11c and 6c.
Kaen, 7,000 pounds, Booth Fisheries, 11.3c and 6c.

Brant, 6,000 pounds, Booth Fisheries, 11.3c and 6c.
Morris H., 7,000 pounds, Royal Fish Co., 11.5c and 6c.

VANCOUVER BUSINESS MEN TO PAY VISIT TO OWEN LAKE PROPERTY

Prof. J. M. Turnbull of the University of British Columbia arrived in the city on the Prince Rupert this morning from Vancouver and proceeded by train to the interior, where he will make an inspection of the Owen Lake mining property, for which he is consulting engineer. Accompanying Professor Turnbull were W. A. Castleton, Fred Dietrich, A. A. Ross and W. E. Wintemute, all well known Vancouver business men, who are interested in Owen Lake, as well as the Topley-Richfield mine.

LITTLE JAPANESE GIRL DEAD AFTER A BRIEF ILLNESS

Victim of a sudden onset of pneumonia, Tame Nishio, 9-year-old daughter of A. Nishio, Seal Cove barber, and Mrs. Nishio, succumbed at 1:30 yesterday afternoon in the Prince Rupert General Hospital. She had been ill only about 24 hours.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon, arrangements being in the hands of the B. C. Undertakers.

FINAL SCOTTISH DANCE OF SEASON

Very Enjoyable Affair Last Night in I.O.D.E. Hall Was Largely Attended

The concluding Scottish dance of the season was held last night by St. Andrew's Society in the I.O.D.E. Hall. There was a good attendance and the affair was thoroughly enjoyable.

Music was by an orchestra consisting of Mrs. James Black, John Bremner, J. B. McKay and James Watt. Delicious refreshments were served.

Howard Steen was master of ceremonies and convener.

DUCHESS DIES

LONDON, May 11.—The dowager Duchess of Abercorn, aged 80, died last night.

STOCK QUOTATIONS

The following quotations were bid and asked:

Bayview, 3 1/2, 3 3/4.
Big Missouri, 1.45, Nil.
Cork Province, 10, 11.
Cotton Belt, Nil, 54.
Dunwell, Nil, 23.
Duthie, 50, 60.
George Copper, 6.00, 6.90.
Georgia River, 30, 33.
Goconda, Nil, 1.55.
Grandview, 40, 41.
Independence, 8, 9.
Indian, 4, 5.
Inter. Coal & Coke, 39, 41.
Kootenay Florence, 14, 16.
Kootenay King, 41, 41 1/2.
L. & L., 3 1/4, 3 1/2.
Lucky Jim, Nil, 15.
Mohawk, 4, 4 1/2.
Morton Woolsey, 5 1/2, 5 3/4.
Marmot River Gold, 5, 5 1/2.
Marmot Metals, 5, 6.
National Silver, 15 1/2, 16.
Noble Five, Nil, 58.
Oregon Copper, 41, 42.
Pend Oreille, 5.25, 5.50.
Pioneer Gold, Nil, 1.50.
Premier, 1.80, 1.85.
Porter-Idaho, 46, 52.
Reeves Macdonald, 1.55, 1.58.
Ruth-Hope, 33, 37.
Silver Crest, 7, 8.
Silvercup, 28, 30.
Silverado, 85, Nil.
Silversmith, 14, Nil.
Slocan Rambler, 13, Nil.
Snowflake, 47, 48.
Snuloch, 2.10, Nil.
Terminus, 5, 5 1/2.
Topley Richfield, 30, 31.
Wellington, Nil, 9.
Whitewater, 75, 77.
Woodbine, 6, 6 1/4.

Oils, Calgary

Dallas, 2.30, Nil.
Great West, 75, Nil.
Mercury, 1.67 1/2, Nil.
Mid West, 1.10, Nil.
Okalta Com., 550.00, Nil.
Regent, 85, Nil.
Turner Valley, 1.60, Nil.
Richfield, 1.40, Nil.
Stockmens, 41, Nil.
Advance, 13.50, 14.00.
A. P. Consolidated, 5.02, 5.05.
Calmont, 5.75, 5.80.
Dalhousie, 5.05, 5.50.
Devenish, 1.52, 1.55.
Fabyon Pete, 10, 10 1/2.
Home, 23.00, 23.25.
Illinois-Alberta, Nil, 1.75.
Mayland, 12.25, 13.00.
McDoug Segur, Nil, 6.75.
McLead, 5.40, 5.50.
New McDoug Segur, Nil, 3.40.
Royallite, Nil, 171.00.
Vulcan, Nil, 2.05.
Hargal, 2.15, 2.20.
Freehold, 1.80, 1.85.
Sterling Pacific, 2.30, 2.45.
United, 13.25, Nil.
New Valley, Nil, 1.50.

Eastern Stocks

Sherritt-Gordon, 8.05, Nil.
Noranda, 57.60, Nil.

TORONTO STOCKS

(Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co.)
Falcon Bridge, 12.10.
Hudson Bay, 18.00.
Hollinger, 6.85.
Nickel, 52.25.
Mandy, 1.10.
Newbec, 56 1/2.
Noranda, 57.50.
Sudbury Basin, 8.75.
Sherritt-Gordon, 8.00.
Teck Hughes, 9.15.
Lakeshore, 26.30.
McIntyre, 18.00.

WOULD FORM NEW LEAGUE

Paddy Harmon Threatens to Start Up Independent of National Hockey Body

CHICAGO, May 11.—Hockey will be played in a new \$7,000,000 stadium here next season in spite of the National Hockey League's refusal to grant him a franchise, Paddy Harmon said today. Harmon said he was considering the organization of a new league or participation in the organization of a new loop which would include Windsor and Detroit members of the Canadian Professional League last season with teams from Buffalo, Cleveland, Cincinnati and Chicago.

QUITE WELL

Vocalist—I'm afraid I didn't do very well.

Wireless Announcer—Oh, that's all right. As a matter of fact, through an error you were announced as "Farmyard Imitations."—The Countryman.

♦ DR. FREELAND IS WINNER OF THE PREAKNESS ♦
♦ PIMLICO RACE TRACK ♦
♦ Maryland, May 11:—Walter G. Salmon's Dr. Freeland won the Preakness \$50,000 ♦
♦ added money feature of the Eastern racing season here ♦
♦ on Friday. Minotaur was second and African third. ♦

BIG LEAGUE BASEBALL IS INTERESTING

Stampede For Leadership Indicates Yankees Showing Form

NEW YORK, May 11.—The stampede for the leadership in the American League is now on in earnest and the wise ones are again looking for the Yankees to take a commanding lead by the end of May. Yesterday the Yankees batted Detroit for their eighth straight victory, featured by homers from the bats of Ruth and Meusel. At the same time the Athletics were falling before an onslaught from Cleveland by a nine to nothing score and dropped back a game and a half behind New York.

In the National League Cincinnati defeated Boston by bunching hits, Critz hitting a homer with one on and Bell cracked another.

Pittsburgh beat Philadelphia by heavy hitting, the Phillies scoring seven runs in the opening inning and the Pirates six runs in the eighth. Klein for Philadelphia and Grantham for Pittsburgh team, each hit homers.

BASEBALL SCORES

National League
Chicago 11, New York 4.
St. Louis 4, Brooklyn 0.
Cincinnati 5, Boston 3.
Pittsburgh 13, Philadelphia 9.
American League
New York 10, Detroit 5.
Philadelphia 0, Cleveland 9.
Washington 4, Chicago 2.
Boston 3, St. Louis 4.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDINGS

	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	13	6	.684
St. Louis	13	7	.650
Boston	9	8	.529
Pittsburgh	9	8	.529
Cincinnati	8	11	.421
Philadelphia	7	10	.412
New York	6	9	.400
Brooklyn	6	12	.333

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDINGS

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	13	4	.765
Philadelphia	12	6	.667
St. Louis	12	8	.600
Detroit	12	11	.522
Cleveland	10	11	.476
Washington	6	11	.353
Chicago	7	13	.350
Boston	5	13	.278



KILLED SELF AND CHILDREN

Woman Says She Is Unworthy of Husband and Commits Suicide

SASKATOON, May 11.—Leaving a note for her husband, W. A. Wilson, traveller for an oil company, stating that she was unworthy of him and asking his forgiveness for her act, Mrs. Muriel Wilson took her four children, ranging in ages from nine years to five months, to the banks of the Saskatchewan River two miles from the city Friday afternoon and killed them by strangulation and then committed suicide by hanging herself. The deaths were discovered at five o'clock this morning after an all night search.

When Wilson returned home last evening he found the note saying his wife was taking the children in the family car. The bodies of the children were found scattered along the river bank and the mother's body hanging from a tree, she having mounted an apple box and kicked it away. The automobile was found close by.

FORMER LOCAL SCHOOL PRINCIPAL RECEIVES DEGREE WITH HONORS

Word has been received in the city that D. H. Hartness, formerly principal of Booth Memorial School here, won his Bachelor of Arts degree with first-class honors in chemistry at the recent convocation of the University of British Columbia at Vancouver.



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