

BRITISH CONSUL GENERAL PICKERSGILL SUCCUMBS

African Fever Contracted in Congo Free State Years Ago Undermines His Constitution, Finally Causing Death. His Long and Honorable Career Wins Government Favor

Suffer Defeat at the Hands of the Local Team.

Schwartz Makes Only Run in Game Through Norydye's Double Bagger.



THE LATE BRITISH CONSUL GENERAL, WHO DIED IN ALAMEDA YESTERDAY FROM AN ILLNESS CONTRACTED MANY YEARS AGO IN THE JUNGLES OF AFRICA WHILE IN THE QUEEN'S SERVICE.

W. CLAYTON PICKERSGILL, who for nearly three years has acted as the Consul representative of the British Government at the port, died early yesterday morning at a private sanatorium in Alameda. His death is ascribed by Dr. F. W. d'Evelyn, the attending physician, to African fever, contracted in the discharge of his duties in the Independent Congo State several years ago.

Early last May Mr. Pickersgill was taken sick with a recurrence of the malarial fever which he had contracted in the Congo. He partially recovered and took a trip to the Santa Cruz Mountains, hoping that the change of climate would further benefit him. About ten days ago he suffered a relapse and was hurried to Alameda. He lingered until 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning, his wife and eldest son being present at his bedside when he died.

As soon as the news of his death was received in this city, the flag on the Consulate General was lowered to half mast, as were also the flags on the British ships in the harbor. The British Consul General, the consular corps called at his late office to leave their condolences. The body will be removed to his late residence in San Rafael for the funeral, which will take place on Sunday afternoon. It is intended at present not to have any public ceremony, but Mr. Pickersgill was so well liked and was so closely allied with the English colony it is not improbable that his widow will consent to a funeral in the plans now proposed. The consular corps and captains of the British ships have expressed a desire to pay a last tribute of respect.

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REBECCAHUCOR AMATEUR OARSMEN MAKE FINE SHOWING ON THE SCHUYLKILL

Crews in Splendid Condition and Weather Favors Sport.

Philadelphia, July 10.—Under conditions that could not be improved upon the first day's races of the twenty-ninth annual regatta of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen were held on the Schuylkill River this afternoon, and the initial day's sport was in every way a success.

Fine weather, a smooth course and probably the largest crowd that ever witnessed the regatta events of a national regatta here were the inspiring causes of a good day's racing. All the crews seemed to be in fine condition. Winnipeg carried off the honors, winning two events, while Eylek and Vesper of Toronto, Philadelphia, Detroit and New York each won one race.

The race of the day was that between Detroit and Vesper of Philadelphia, in the senior pair-oared event, in which the latter won by a nose, and the surprise of the afternoon was the defeat of the Vesper senior four, composed of members of the world's champion crew, by the St. Louis four.

Another fine contest was the final intermediate eights, which was captured by the husky crew from Winnipeg. Ten Eylek and Lewis had no trouble in the senior doubles.

All of to-day's races were a mile and a half with a turn, with the exception of the eights, which were rowed straightaway for the same distance. Summary: Senior doubles, final—Wachuseta R. C. of Canada, first; Malta R. C. of Philadelphia, second; Columbia R. C. of Allegheny, third, Time, 8:39.

Intermediate doubles, first heat—Detroit R. C. of Canada, first; Philadelphia R. C. of Philadelphia, second; Philadelphia R. C. of Philadelphia, second, Time, 10:17.

Second heat—Won by Fairmount Rowing Club, Philadelphia; New York Athletic Club, second; Fairmount Rowing Club, New York, third, Time, 8:27.

Final heat—Winnipeg Rowing Club, Canada, first; Malta R. C. of Philadelphia, second; Fairmount Rowing Club, Philadelphia, third, Time, 7:54.

Association singles, first heat, two entries—Marsh of Detroit Rowing Club, first; James Bond Jr. of Bachelors Barge Club, Philadelphia, second, Time, 10:17.

Second heat—Titus disqualified for not turning his stake. Juvenal will row in the final. Senior four, final—Western R. C. of St. Louis, first; Vesper B. C. of Philadelphia, second, Time, 9:29.

Fashionable friendship, like an umbrella, is apt to turn wrong side out when exposed to a violent storm.

The Trust Problem. To a thoughtful mind, the trust problem is one of serious import. It must be firmly grasped with, for it creeps upon society before you are aware of its existence, in this respect much resembling the various disorders which attack the stomach, such as constipation, indigestion, dyspepsia, flatulency, and other ailments.

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BUFFALO, \$87.00. Aug. 22 and 23; Sept. 5 and 6.

MILWAUKEE, \$74.50. July 17 and 18.

CHICAGO, \$72.50. July 20 and 21.

LOUISVILLE, \$77.50. August 20 and 21.

CLEVELAND, \$82.50. Sept. 5 and 6.

THE COMFORTABLE WAY IS Santa Fe 641 Market Street.

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EPSON LAD THE WINNER. Rosebery's Bay Colt Captures Eclipse Stakes at Sandown.

LONDON, July 19.—Lord Rosebery's Epsom Lad won the Eclipse stakes of £10,000 at Sandown Park to-day. Epsom Lad is a bay colt by Ladus, out of Disorder. Sir Waldie Griffith's three-year-old colt Jan King won the second, while J. R. Keene's four-year-old bay colt Disguise II (Henry), was third. Thirteen horses ran. The distance was about a mile and an eighth.

After they got away Epsom Lad led for the first quarter mile, when Epsom Lad took up the running. A quarter mile further on Disguise II assumed the lead and from this point he carried the finest race ever seen. Close to home Epsom Lad, accompanied by Jan, came again and from this point he carried the finest race ever seen. Close to home Epsom Lad, accompanied by Jan, came again and from this point he carried the finest race ever seen.

Lord Carnarvon's chestnut gelding Frank Ash (Mabey), the better second, led for two-thirds of the race. W. C. Whitney's St. Albans (L. Reiff), won the twenty-third renewal of the great Kingdon two-year-old race for 500 sovereigns.

J. R. Keene's Virginia Earle (Henry) won the Surbiton handicap.

Trotting Races at Detroit. DETROIT, Mich., July 15.—With a fine track, good weather and scarcely any wind to hinder the trotters and pacers, the closing day of the Detroit Driving Club race meet at Grosse Pointe was uneventful. The Colvation Chamber of Commerce stakes of \$100, two in three heats, for 2:34 pacers, was a favorite with the start and Stanton Wilkes, a chestnut stallion, was the winner all the way in the first and third heats. He lost the second to Ed. Marshall, a bad break at the three-quarters pole.

First race, 2:34 class, pacing, purse \$1000.—Stanton Wilkes won the first heat in 2:34.2, 2:34.2. Cabot won the second heat in 2:34. King Wilkes, Myrtle, Fred H. Pletty, Miller, Knox and Ed. Marshall. Second race, 2:34 class, pacing, purse \$1000.—New Richmond won the second, third and fourth heats in 2:34. Cabot won the first heat in 2:34. Billy H., Dainty Queen, John R. Potts, Xava, Unahmed and James Cassin. Third race, 2:34 class, pacing, purse \$1000.—Harold H. won three straight heats. Best time, 2:34.2. Cabot won the first heat in 2:34. Billy H., Dainty Queen, John R. Potts, Xava, Unahmed and James Cassin. Fourth race, 2:34 class, trotting, purse \$1000.—Coralia Belle won two straight heats in 2:34.2. Ed. Marshall, Stanton Wilkes, Fred H. Pletty, Miller, Knox and Ed. Marshall. Fifth race, 2:34 class, trotting, purse \$1000.—Coralia Belle won two straight heats in 2:34.2. Ed. Marshall, Stanton Wilkes, Fred H. Pletty, Miller, Knox and Ed. Marshall.

Philadelphia Breaks a Record. SALT LAKE, July 19.—On the Salt Lake saucer track to-night Charles Turville of Philadelphia, paced by a motor, broke the world's record for a mile, covering the distance in 1:31.5. The previous record of 1:31.4 was made by John Nelson at Los Angeles.

Champion Defeats Johnny Nelson. WASHINGTON, July 19.—Albert Champion of France defeated Johnny Nelson of Chicago by one lap in a twenty-mile motor paced bicycle race at the Coliseum track to-night. Time 42:38.

Surrey Men Wins King's Medal. LONDON, July 19.—In the rifle shooting contests held at Blisley to-day under the auspices of the National Rifle Association the King's Medal was won by a member of the Surrey Volunteers, with a score of 199.

Gardner and Carter Matched. The board of directors of the National Sporting Club last night matched George Gardner to box twenty rounds with "Kid" Carter during the latter part of August. The men will meet at 165 pounds, straight knock-out of Greenberry rules, which is peculiarly to the liking of each. Both are known as fighters of the rushing order, who when they meet will start from Brooklyn immediately.

Will Open New Coursing Park. The directors of the Melrose Coursing Club will open their grounds at Melrose on the 27th inst. with a ninety-six dog stake. The total purse will be \$600. The drawing will take place Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. Arrangements for the opening day were concluded last night at a meeting in Oakland.

Melro Park Postoffice Robbed. MELRO PARK, July 19.—The Melro Park postoffice was entered by burglars early this morning and robbed of about \$500. The safe was blown open with some powerful explosive and completely wrecked.

REQUESTS GRAND JURY TO AID COLLECT A BILL

James Mulcahy Makes Complaint Against Action of Board of Education.

The Grand Jury was petitioned at yesterday's session by James Mulcahy to investigate the refusal of the Board of Education to enforce rule number 142, which provides that "any employee of the School Department who willfully fails or neglects to pay out of her just debts having the ability to do so shall be subject to suspension or dismissal from the department."

In his petition to the Grand Jury Mulcahy alleges that he secured a judgment against Mary Gannon, a teacher in the Harrison School, on a promissory note for \$100. The judgment has never been satisfied.

Mulcahy, who is a builder, states that Gannon is under a judgment in his favor of enforcing the rule in Mrs. Gannon's case, if she refused to pay the debt. Casperly said that the School Department could not be turned into a collection agency. Denman told Mulcahy to bring his judgment to the board, which he did, but his action has been taken by the directors.

When the horse a man bets on comes in last he begins to realize that time is money.

Runs responsible for—Thomas I. Three-base hit—Hartwell. Two-base hits, Devereaux, Brockhoff, Sacritt, Hitt, McCucken, Hutchinson. First base on errors—Los Angeles. Sacramento 2, First base, called balls, 2; Second base, 1; Third base, 1; Fourth base, 1; Total, 5.

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