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The result of the Derby and Oak stakes this year, at Epsom, has proved fatal to more sporting characters of every description, from the nobleman to the groom, than has ever been recollected either before or since the days of the celebrated Eclipse. Considerably above three hundred thousand pounds, we are informed (and from persons whose acquaintance with such events renders their intelligence indiagnatible), have been won and lost on this important speculation, and those who, to use the phraseology of the turf, have been for a considerable time amongst the betting men deemed knowing ones, are now, through a reverse of fortune, become defaulters.

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The cause which has produced this unexpected change in affairs can be attributed only to their taking that side in betting, hitherto generally successful, annealy of the field. The betting on the Derby stakes was five to two against the Duke of Portland's colt, Tiresia, by Sooth-sayer, out of Pledge; IT started; and two to one sgainst Mr Thornhill's bay filly, by Soud, out of Goosander; Il started. On the Oak stakes, therefore, from the unexpected success of these two horses, those who bet the odds against them, as favourites, notwithstanding they had so great a number of well-known good ones to oppose them, became very unsuccessful. We may therefore truly say, that the odds for the Dorby and Oak stakes, did not prove to numerous adveturers this year so advantageous, or particularly even, as heretofore, according to custom, the first Monday after every great stakes (such as those of Newmarket, Epsom, York, Doncastro, Henrich Monday after every great stakes (such as those of Newmarket, Epsom, York, Doncastro, and matters of disputes, are adjusted at the Grand Mart, at Tattersall's. Monday last, therefore, was the settling day for the Derby and Oaks at Epsom of the preceding week, when every sund precaution was taken by the proprisors (Messrs Tattersall) to preclude, if possible, injuries from pickopcekts. The business of the day commenced at the usual time of opening the betting-room, and although it was well known that the tide of fortune had not been projitious to some, it is impossible to imagine the bustle and confusion which took place. Defaulters of every description were found, from L10 to upward of L10,000. It generally happens on a settling day, that the little betting men, losers, are not much looked after, and if they absent themselves from the room in future, their debts are thus existly flujudated; but the case is different when the grandees and higher order of the trule of the sporting character, of great noto-riety, who has lost considerab

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150.

The sum collected for showing the Commis-sioner's tables, after deducting expence of collec-tion, amounted to L.17 16s. 3d. of which L.10 have been paid to the Charity Workhouse of this city, and the balance, L.7 16s. 3d., to the

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(From a Correspondent.)

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Edinourgh, 7th Jone 1899. W. L.

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On the 8th cutrent, Mrs Carayran of Ardmillan, of a

son.
On the 1st current, in Stanley Place, Shrewsbury, the Lady
of the Rev. RICHARD MASSEY, of a son, being her 22d child.
At Dublin, the Hon. Mrs A. HELY HUTCHINSON, of a

aughter.

MARRIED

At Blackford, on the 3d current, William Morr, E-q.

Mary Elizabeth, daughter of John Forbes of Black-

At Brackford, on the 3d entered. WILLIAM MORR. Evg. MARY ELIZARTH, daughter of John Forbes of Bluckford. Evg. At Parkhouse, on the 7th current, Arcia. Young, Esq. writer, Glispow, to Charstina, second daughter of Roter Walkinshow, Egg. of Parkhouse, on the 7th current, Althoughter of the Rev. Notations, minister of Stair, to Mary, and the stair of the Stair, to Mary, and the stair of Stair, to Mary, and the stair of the Stair, the Stair of Stair, to Mary, and the stair of Stair, and the stair of Stair, the stair of Stair

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