



1913 DERBY

TRANSCRIPT OF THE REPORT OF PS 4NR FRANK BUNN RELATING THE EVENTS AT EPSOM ON DERBY DAY JUNE 4 1913.

"I beg to report that at 3.10pm 4th inst. I was on duty at Tattenham Corner near the tan path whilst the race for the Derby Cup was being run. Several horses passed by when a woman, supposed Emily Davison, ran out from under the fence and held her hands up in front of HM King's horse, whereby she was knocked down and rendered unconscious. Dr. Lane of Banstead attended to the woman and directed her removal to the Cottage Hospital, Epsom, where she was taken in a private motor car No. LA7959 owned by J B V Faber Esq., Manor House, Ewell, who placed same at disposal of police. Mrs Warburg of 2 Craven Hill, Paddington, W rendered great assistance to the injured woman and accompanied her in the motor car to hospital, she formerly having been a nurse. She was seen by the House Surgeon, Dr Peacock, and detained. The Doctor stated she was suffering from concussion and was unconscious. On her jacket being removed I found 2 Suffragette flags, 1½ yards long by ¾ yards wide, each consisting of green, white and purple stripes, folded up and pinned to the back of her jacket, on the inside. On person, 1 purse containing 3/8¾d., 1 return half railway ticket from Epsom Race Course to Victoria No 0315, 2 postal order counterfoils No. 790/435593 for 2/6, 'crossed' written in ink thereon, one 20H/924704 for 716 E.Gore 1/4/13 written in ink thereon, one insurance ticket dated May 10th 1913 on G.E. railway to and from New Oxford Street, 8 ½d stamps, 1 key, 1 helpers pass for Suffragette Summer Festival, Empress Rooms, High Street, Kensington for 4th June 1913, 1 small memo book, 1 race card, some envelopes and writing paper, 1 handkerchief Emily Davison Mrs. E.W. D8 88. The jockey, Herbert Jones, age 28, of Egerton House, Newmarket, was thrown from the horse and rendered unconscious. Dr. Percy John Spencer, 'Casa Pedro', Mellison Road, Tooting, attended to him and he was removed on police ambulance to Ambulance Room on course by Inspr. Whitebread and P.C. 85'NR' Johnson. Dr. Coultard, Race Course Doctor and Dr Spencer there examined him and stated he was suffering from abrasion on left of face, abrasion over left eye and shoulder, contusion of left elbow and shock. Mr. Jones recovered consciousness and was left in charge of the doctors. Mr. W. Fenn of Egerton House, Newmarket, with whom he resides took charge of him, stating he would have him removed to the Great Eastern Hotel, Liverpool Street on the evening of the 4th inst. and remove him home on the 5th inst. The horse which pitched over onto its head stopped on the course and was handed over to Mr. George Prince, Egerton House, Newmarket by PS 35'T' Lewis. It received slight cuts to the face and body and injury to its off fore hoof. No other personal injury, No expenses incurred by police. **Witnessed by PC 59'NR' Eady stationed at Waltham Abbey** who was standing on the opposite side of the course and saw the woman, as the horses approached the spot, get under the fence and face them and extend her arms toward them. No other damage or personal injury".

Frank Bunn PS 4'NR'