AMERICAN HORSE WON BIG ENGLISH RACE

Rank Outsider Crosses Line in 2,000 Guinea Stake Ahead of Favorites

London, May 6.—The two thousand guineas' stake for entire colts and fillies foaled in 1905 at Newmarket today was won by August Belmont's Norman III., by Octagon, out of Ninevah. A. F. Basset's Sir Archibald was second, and W. Hall Walker's White Eagle was third. Seventeen horses ran.

The "Guineas" is one of the classics of the English turf and it was won by Norman III. against a strong field which included King Edward's Perrier, the favorite for the Derby. The King and the Prince of Wales were present in the grand stand and in spite of the rain a great crowd of spectators turned out for the meeting in the expectation that His Majesty's horses would win. The betting on Norman III. was 25 to 1 against. The betting on Sir Archibald was 5 to 1 against on White Eagle, 100 to 7 against and Pierrier 5 to 4 against. When nearing the straight, Mr. Belmont's horse which was considered a rank outsider, took the lead from Mereute and rapidly drawing away, came in an easy winner, three lengths ahead of Sir Archibald, who was ¾ of a length in front of White Eagle.

Perrier who was a hot favorite at 5 to 4 against only got fifth place. The time was one minute 44 3-5 seconds. The win by Norman III. reverses the result of the race for Dewhurst plate of last year, when Perrier beat him running second to Richard Croker's Rhodera. Today's race was the centenary of the "Stakes" on twenty occasions the winner of this race subsequently has won the Derby. Norman III is entered for the Derby.

Michel Trapper Found Dead.

Michel, B.C., May 6.—The body of Henry Normandeau, a well known trapper, was found yesterday, lying face downward in a pool of water near Michel creek about a mile and a half from McGilvery. Provincial Constable Larsh, of Michel, was notified and went out to the scene of the accident at once accompanied by Coroner A. J. Murray. After careful investigation it was decided that Normandeau had come to his death by accident.

Accidental Death at Fernie.

Fernie, B.C., May 6.—John Cattell, aged 24, pipe fitter in the Coal Creek mines, was killed this morning by the falling of a donkey engine.

Japanese Liberated.

New Westminster, May 6.—Hamada, a Japanese charged with assisting Nanami, another Japanese, to forge a check for $302 on a Japanese contractor at Cloverdale, has been liberated for lack of evidence.

For Methodist Parsonage.

New Westminster, May 6.—A party of forty members of the West Methodist church gathered at the parsonage last night and practically cleared the lot on which the new home for the pastor has been erected. At the conclusion of the work the party gathered in the home of Rev. Mr. Magee and partook of refreshments furnished by the ladies. Later in the evening a purse of $50 was presented to Rev. Mr. Magnee by the members of the bee party.

DROWNS HIMSELF

W. G. Kennedy, Formerly Winnipeg Commercial Traveller, Ends Life at Vancouver

Vancouver, May 6.—W. G. Kennedy, who formerly worked for Thos. Ryan & Co., Winnipeg, committed suicide in Coal harbor last night. The caretaker of the Vancouver Yacht club heard a shout and a splash, and later found a hat and coat in a float. In the pocket of the latter was found a Commercial Travelers' Association card on which was Kennedy's name.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon the police, assisted by Caretaker Burgess of the Vancouver Yacht club, found the body of Kennedy. The body had drifted to the Georgia side of Coal harbor.

Kennedy was recently in jail for disorderly conduct. He has been living at the Hotel Vancouver, and has been drinking so heavily that he has not been in the dining room for two weeks. Because he had not paid his board he was told yesterday he must leave the hotel.

MORE BRIDGE TROUBLE

Several Vancouverites Still Fight Against Plan of the Granville Street Structure

Vancouver, May 6.—It is understood that, despite the issuance of orders for the commencing of work on the substructure of the Granville street bridge, the opponents of the present plan of construction are still actively in the field.

The line of action now being followed is the taking of a postcard plebiscite on the question of the reconsideration of the whole matter by the electorate, it being claimed that a more intelligent vote could now be registered on the subject. Should the protests against the present plan be sufficiently numerous a mass meeting for the discussion of the question will probably be called in City Hall and every effort made to induce the council to stay the progress of the bridge until another vote on the matter can be taken.

Among the civic authorities, the view is taken that the bridge project has now reached a stage where it is practically impossible to call a halt. This view was stated by Mayor Bethune on Monday night when Ald. Calland asked His Worship if he would favor a resubmission to the electorate in case a request for such action was preferred by a petition numbering more than a majority of those recorded as voting for the bridge by-law.

It is pointed out that the city has already acquired the land from the C. P.R. for the construction of the bridge, according to Engineer Waddell's plans which have now been prepared in every detail, and that the contract for the substructure work has been let and the order to start work given. In this latter field it is said that the position to halt the work might lead to serious legal complications with the contractors.

PRINCE RUPERT WATER

Residents Protest Against Granting of Record to Private Power and Light Company

Prince Rupert, May 6.—In November the Grand Trunk Pacific installed a water system here, bringing the supply from a dam on Hays Creek on the mountain side, a mile and a half distant and 300 feet above the town.

The supply is quite sufficient to meet the requirements of the town at present, but when the place has a population of 5,000 it will be totally inadequate.

The Upper and Lower Shawatlans Lakes, two of the finest fresh-water lakes on the coast, five miles distant from the town, will be the natural source of supply, but now it appears that records of 3,000 miners' inches of water from the Upper and 5,000 miners' inches from the Lower Shawatlans Lake were granted to a company incorporated on June 30, 1906, and known as the Prince Rupert Power and Light Company, Limited, thus cutting off the water supply of the city-to-be unless the city buys it from the above company at its own terms.

A largely signed petition from the business men and residents of Prince Rupert has been forwarded to the provincial government protesting against the grant.

Lutheran Conference.

New Westminster, May 6.—The annual conference of the Norwegian Lutheran church of the Pacific coast, opened in this city today, sessions being held both at St. Paul's church in this city and in the Lutheran church on the south side of the river.

Japanese Unions.

Vancouver, May 6.—Now that Japanese domestic servants have successfully organized, it is probable that the next move will be to form unions of mill workers, loggers and miners, all Japanese. A meeting of the new Japanese servants' union was held last night, when several speakers declared that the next move should be to continue the organization into other branches of trade. One of the speakers said that it was plain to him that even those capitalists who welcomed Japanese labor to the Pacific coast are not influenced by personal fondness for the Orientals, but by the desire for cheap labor. Rev. A. Sasaki, Japanese Buddhist clergyman, declared that his countrymen should be careful to maintain a proper degree of self-appreciation and self-love.

Thawed Dynamite in Stove.

Kaslo, May 6.—What might have been an accident with a tragic ending, occurred on Monday morning, when Alfred Johnson, who had some stump hoisting to do, placed a stick and a half of dynamite in the oven of a kitchen stove to thaw out. After the powder had become warmed up a little it exploded, and, as is always the case, a somewhat unexpected proceeding. The explosion was attended by dire results for the stove and the kitchen in which it was located and some physical damage to the person of Mr. Johnson. The stove was entirely demolished and the kitchen shattered. Johnson's nerves were shattered, too, but his injuries very fortunately were not serious. It is a matter for hearty congratulation that some member of the family was not killed.

GIANT BALLOON

Aeronauts Make Successful Flight With Largest Gas Receptacle in America

North Adams, Mass., May 5.—In his new balloon, the "Conqueror," A. Holland Forbes, of New York, made an ascension from Hero park, in this city, today. It was the first flight of the balloon, which is the largest in America, having a capacity of 85,000 cubic feet of gas. Mr. Forbes piloted the balloon and was accompanied by the builder and M. F. Rittenhouse, all of New York.

The balloon made a splendid getaway, rising to a great height, and then sailing rapidly eastward before a brisk westerly wind.

A message received tonight says the balloon landed safely at 4:45 p. m. at Canton, Conn., about 75 miles south of North Adams. Mr. Stevens expects to return here in time to make an ascension with M. H. Arnold in the balloon North Adams No. 1, tomorrow.

BLACK HAND WORK

Italian Boy Incited to Murder—Cuts Throats of Five People Who Were Asleep

New York, May 6.—A sixteen-year-old boy, known only as Carmello, and employed in a barber shop in Brooklyn, early today cut the throats of his employer, Antonio Peraso, Mrs. Peraso and three barbers, while they lay asleep in Peraso's apartment at 107 Fulton street. The wounds of Peraso and his wife are believed to be mortal, while those of the barbers are serious but probably not fatal. The boy escaped.

The police have a theory that the boy was an agent of a "Black Hand" gang which had been demanding money of Peraso under the threat of doing him injury, and that the blackmailers placed the boy in the shop in order to punish Peraso for his refusal to satisfy their demands. Carmello used a pair of scissors and a razor in his attack upon the barber and his employees. Frank Stratfino, Michel Roberto and Jos. MacRoe, the three barbers, were first attacked by the boy.

ENDED WITH SUICIDE

Insane Man Shoots Himself After Killing Two Persons and Badly Wounding One

Washington Court House, Ohio, May 6.—H. Devaney, aged 43, a well known horseman and driver of John Hancock, last night shot and killed Lida Byrd, aged 22, a colored girl, and shot her mother inflicting a probably fatal wound. He then ran across the town to the barn of Silas Shakelford, where he took refuge, refusing to come out. Shakelford went in after him and was shot and killed by Devaney. Later Devaney committed suicide.

It was thought Devaney was insane. Following the shooting of the two women the authorities organized a posse and a company of the fourth regiment, and the Ohio National guard was called out, permission having been given by Governor Harris. The officers surrounded the barn and threatened to burn it. Finally some persons ventured up to the barn door and there saw Shakelford's body. Under cover, they removed it to the outside. Nothing was then seen of Devaney but several shots having been heard, it was supposed that Devaney had committed suicide, and upon going into the barn the officers found his body he having shot himself in the head.

WORKS CLOSED DOWN

The Vancouver Portland Cement Company Ceases Operations for a Short Time

Owing to the failure of the Vancouver Portland Cement company to find an export market for its surplus cement and because of the great stock on hand, more than filling all the available stock houses, the company decided to temporarily close down its works at Tod inlet on Monday last. The number of men employed is about 200. The company has been producing much more cement than there is demand for, having a considerable amount more than is necessary to supply all the local and provincial demand for some months, and has been endeavoring to find an export market for its product. Owing to the overproduction of the California mills and the cheap water haul which allows of the California product being placed on the market in Seattle and Portland much more cheaply than the local product could be sold, in consideration of the duty, the demand outside has been small, and, in consequence the works ceased operations on Monday for from six weeks to three months. Work has been found for the majority of those who will lose employment by the temporary closing of the works.

OLYMPIC TRYOUTS TO BE HELD IN VANCOUVER

Programme Will Embrace Entire List of Events to Take Place at London

The British Columbia Amateur Athletic union Tuesday night decided to accept the task of holding the Olympic tryouts for this province and the big meet will be held at Brockton Point, Vancouver, a week from next Saturday. The programme will embrace the entire list of events to be held at London this year, comprising twenty-five events in all, but it is hardly likely that there will be entries in all of these. There will be no medals or trophies hung up for the victors, but there is the prospect of a trip to Toronto or Montreal for the Canadian trials in June, with the further possibility of a jaunt to London at the expense of the Olympic committee as the reward for the successful competitors.

Any amateur athletes in British Columbia or Canada, for that matter, will be eligible to compete, but they must be registered amateurs. Certificates of registration in the P. N. A. A. A. and the C. A. A. U. will be accepted by the British Columbia union for this meet owing to the short time which would be allowed the club if only registration in the British Columbia union was allowed. An entrance fee of fifty cents will be charged each contestant in any event, with an extra fee of twenty-five cents for every other event he enters. The time for receiving entries will expire on May 13, which is the best The committee can do under the circumstances.

The showing of the competitors in the various events will depend whether they go to Toronto or not, for besides winning they will have to show class. A meeting of the committee in charge of the meet will be held on May 16, immediately after the conclusion of the events, when the athletes to be sent to the Canadian trials will be decided upon.

Chief Chamberlain, president of the union, was in the chair at Tuesday night's meeting, and there was a representative attendance. J. H. Senkler, representative in British Columbia for the Canadian Olympic committee, was present and explained to the meeting his ideas of the proposed competitions. George A. Smith of the Y. M. C. A., the C. A. A. U. commissioner in the province, was also on hand and lent his assistance. Committees were appointed to look after the various details, officials were named and practically all the preliminary arrangements were completed.

It was decided to hold the Marathon race the same day as the other trials. The full twenty-five miles will be covered. The course will be around Stanley park, the runners going over the park course three times. Then they will put in about seven miles on the Brockton Point track as well. The course through the park is six miles one hundred and forty yards long.

The following officials were appointed for the meet:

Referees—J. H. Senkler, J. A. Fullerton, Jas. Findlay.

Judges—Track, J. E. Miller, Rev. J. S. Henderson; field, Chief Chamberlin, F. R. McD. Russell.

Starter—C. J. Marshall.

Clerks of course—H Gowen, D. Anderson, G. Little.

Timekeepers—B. F. Armstrong, G. F. Trorey and four others to be appointed.

Announcer—W. F. Findlay.

Programme committee—H. Gowen, J. T. Hewitt, A. P. Garvey, W. F. Findlay.

Marathon race committee—H. W. Kent, Al. Larwill, Dr. Gatewood and two others to be appointed.

Scorers in charge of G. S. Smith and P. Bradley.

The following is the programme of Olympic events:

100 metres flat (109.3 yards).
200 metres flat (218.6 yards).
800 metres flat (874.4 yards).
110 metres hurdle (120.2 yards).
3200 metres steeplechase (3497.6 yards).
Five mile run (eight kilometres.).
Standing broad jump.
Standing high jump.
Running broad jump.
Pole jump.
Throwing the hammer.
Putting the weight.
3500 metres walk (3825 yards).
Javelin—1, free style; 2, with the javelin held in the middle.
400 metres flat (437.2 yards).
400 metres hurdle (437.2 yards).
1500 metres flat (1639.5 yards).
Discus—1, free style; 2, as at Athens.
Running high jump.
Hop, step and jump.
Ten miles walk (16 kilometres).
Marathon race, fifteen miles (24 kilometres).
Tug-of-war (teams of eight).
Three-mile team race (4.8 kilometres). Five to run, three to count.
Relay race, 1600 metres (1749.8 yards). (Teams of four, with four reserves), two at 200 metres (218.726 yards), one at 400 metres (437.452 yards), one at 800 metres (874.904 yards).

1. The competition shall be held under the laws and rules of the Canadian Amateur Athletic union.

2. An entry fee of fifty cents will be charged in each event, more than one event, twenty-five cents for each additional one.

3. All entries must be in the hands of the secretary, A. E. Boak, P. O. box 655, by 12 o'clock noon on May 12.

4. At the request of the Canadian Olympic committee, trial meets will be held in Halifax, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Calgary and Vancouver. The best men in each meet will compete in final games in Montreal and Toronto on June 6. In their selection of athletes to represent Canada in England, the Olympic committee will be guided by the results of these two final meets.

RECORD FOOTBALL CROWDS

Half a Million Spectators Were Present at Matches on April 18

Something like half a million spectators witnessed Association football matches on Saturday, April 18th. The attendances were divided as follows:

	Spectators.
England vs. Scotland	121,452
First League matches	150,000
Second League matches	100,000
Southern League matches	7,500
Other games	9,000
Total	476,452

The figures for the international match which was played at Glasgow constitute a record for any kind of football match in the United Kingdom. The receipts are officially announced at £7,300, about £2,000 of which accrued from the grand stands.

Other notable attendances at football matches are as follows:

Scotland vs. England, Glasgow 1906—102,741.

Einglish Cup finals, Crystal Palace—Tottenham Hotspur, vs. Sheffield United, 1904—110,820; Aston villa vs. Newcastle, 1905—101,117.

English Cup semi-final—Wolverhampton Wanderers vs. Southhampton, at Chelsea, 1908—46,000 (about £2,200).

English Cup Tie—Fulham vs. Manchester United 1908—41,000 (about £2,200).

English league matches—Chelsea vs. woolwich Arsenal, 1908—about 65,000.

The Merry Widow

It's "The Merry Widow" this,
And "The Merry Widow" that;
It's "The Merry Widow" kiss,
And "The Merry Widow" hat.

It's "The Merry Widow" craze,
And "The Merry Widow" dance;
It's "The Merry Widow" plays,
And "The Merry Widow" glance.

And if I die to-morrow,
Why, let [illegible] real loud,
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—St. Louis Chronicle.

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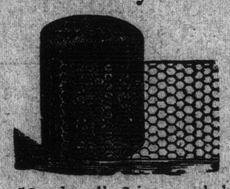

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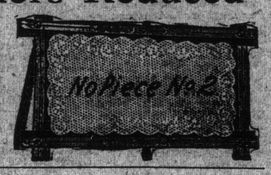

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