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OLYMPIC GAMES OPENED TODAY

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The Fifth Olympic Track and Field Events Inaugurated in London Today—King Edward Cheers at Sturdy Sons of Uncle Sam—Climatic Conditions and Strong Improvement of Other Athletes May Make Hard Fight for Americans.

Previous Olympic Records.
Athens, 1896—America, 3; England, 4; Greece, 1; Denmark, 1.
Paris, 1900—Twenty-three events—America, 17; England, 4; France, 1; Holland, 1.

St. Louis, 1904—Twenty-six events—America, 24; Canada, 1; Germany, 1.
Athens, 1906—America, 11; Ireland, 3; Germany, 2; Sweden, 2; Finland, 1; Greece, 1; England, 1; France, 1; Canada, 1; Austria, 1.

Olympic Games Begin.
London, July 13.—With the great stadium at Shepherd's Bush crowded almost to its full seating capacity, the flags of all nations waving, spectators cheering and King Edward looking down upon the animated scene from the royal box, the International Olympic games were inaugurated today. Two thousand and five hundred athletes from 20 countries will share in the competitions, and took part and a great ovation marked the beginning of the games. Uncle Sam's brawny band of red-blooded athletes played a prominent part and were lustily cheered, although it is the fondest hope of English sportsmen that their long record of victories may at last be overthrown.

There is nothing to mar the success of this week's great contest, except the poverty of the British Olympic council, which, headed by Lord Desborough, has worked faithfully but in vain to secure sufficient funds for properly entertaining the visiting athletes. Nearly all of the proposed excursions and receptions have been abandoned. The stingy attitude of the British people is denounced by the press as "the shame of England."

Never in the history of sport has there been gathered together such a galaxy of stars as that congregated today in the huge stadium—a structure more than a thousand feet long and 700 feet wide, built to accommodate a crowd of 70,000 persons. There is every indication, on form, that the sturdy sons of Uncle Sam will sweep the board and many are of the opinion that they will not only sweep the board, but take it back with them. There is many a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip, however, and to those who have been watching the tremendous interest that has been shown in athletics in Sweden, France and the British Isles since the Olympic games of 1906, with the resulting improvement, it looks as if the meet would not be so much of a cake walk for America as appears at first sight. The English climate must be taken into consideration. It has caused upsets in calculations before and may do so again.

On form, however, America should take all the races on the flat up to the mile, with that race in question, both the hurdle races and all the field events except the javelin throw.



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UNION BOTTLING WORKS

Drenching rain failed to mar the success of the opening. Among the notables present were the king and queen; the duke and duchess of Sparg; the crown prince and princess of Sweden; the duke of Argyle; the duke and duchess of Connaught and scores of other titled personages.
The American team of 90 was given an ovation. The team waved the stars and stripes at the king of England.

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