

SOURCE 6

News film from the 1913 Derby race showing the death of Suffragette Emily Davison

(British Pathe: 1700.33)

HOW TO USE THIS SOURCE TO HELP YOU ANSWER THE BIG QUESTION :

Look carefully at this source and consider what it tells you about how the Suffragettes helped to achieve the vote for women in 1918. You should consider:

ASK YOURSELF:

- Approximately how long is this clip?
- How much of the clip is devoted to the Suffragette action?
- Does this suggest the news team did not think it was important?
- Emily Davison did not die at the course. She was taken to hospital and died later. Does this change your view of the clip?
- How do you think this event affected public opinion on the Suffragettes?

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