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FIVE KILLED BY TRAIN AT SASKATOON

VANCOUVER BOY WINS 100 METRES IN OLYMPIC GAMES

Hail and Windstorm Cuts Swathe Two Miles Wide and Forty Long; Much Damage in Ottawa District

Field Crops and Silos Flattened, Houses Unroofed and Outbuildings Shattered South of Canadian Capital.

OTTAWA, July 30.—A hail and windstorm in the district south of here late Saturday in half an hour beat many acres of ripening farm crops into the earth, unroofed houses and made barns and outbuildings a mess of kindling wood. Leaves and hail to a depth of six inches lay on the streets of North Gower. Peculiarly enough the city of Ottawa itself hardly felt the storm.

The storm cut a swath two miles wide and forty miles long in the farming country. Hundreds of thousands of dollars of damage was done and more than 100 fodder silos were flattened. The hail wrought destruction on the root and field crops. Some of the hail stones were the size of a hen's egg.

Three New Champions Produced and Two Former Records Broken on Track and Field, Amsterdam

AMSTERDAM, July 30.—The opening of the Olympic track and field competitions on Sunday was signalized by the production of three champions and the breaking of two Olympic records. Paavo Nurmi of Finland won the 10,000 metres final, clipping four and four-fifths seconds off the previous Olympic record. John Kuck of Kansas won the shot put with the world's record of 52 feet and 11-16 of an inch. Bob King of the United States won the high jump final with a leap of 6 feet 4 3-4 inches.

ATHLETIC ROUT IS COMPLETED

AMERICAN LEAGUE LEADERS SUBMITTED TO ANOTHER HUMILIATING DEFEAT AT CLEVELAND SUNDAY

NEW YORK, July 30.—The New York Yankees' humiliating defeat at Cleveland on Sunday completes a reverse which has brought the leaders of the American League down from a twelve game lead to seven games over the Philadelphia Athletics who, meantime, went straight ahead with their seventh straight win. The Mackmen have still a chance to lead the league after all.

In the National League, New York and Chicago Cubs fought to a standstill in a double-header while Cincinnati Reds strengthened their hold on second place by defeating Brooklyn Dodgers.

BIG ROBBERY IN WINNIPEG

BANDITS SEIZE \$30,000 FROM BANK MESSENGERS AND ESCAPE FROM CROWDED STREET

WINNIPEG, July 30.—While workers thronged the streets, five bandits held up two messengers of the Canadian Bank of Commerce—Robert Jones and Kenneth Nicholson—with sawed off shotguns and revolvers. They snatched bags containing \$30,000 and escaped in an automobile bearing an Illinois license plate.

BIG RUN OF PINKS ON SKEENA RIVER

Cannerymen Taking a Big Harvest of This Variety—Fish Are Also Jumping in Harbor

Reports continue to come on of an unprecedented run of pink salmon on the Skeena River. Canneries have been enlisting all the fishermen possible to participate in the harvest.

In the harbor many fish are jumping as they head for the streams.

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FISH ARRIVALS ARE VERY HEAVY

TOTAL OF 301,300 POUNDS OF HALIBUT SOLD AT EXCHANGE TODAY

PRICES FAIR

RECEIVED 10c AND 6c. WHILE AMERICANS GET UP TO 13c. AND 7c.

Halibut sales at the local fish exchange this morning were heavy, totaling 301,300 pounds. American boats sold 230,500 and Canadian boats, 10,800 lbs. Prices for American fish varied from 10c. to 5c., to 13.3c. and 7c. Canadian boats all got over 11c. for firsts and 6c. for seconds.

Sales were as follows:

American

Pacific, 50,000 lbs. to Pacific Fisheries at 10c. and 5c.

Kanaka, 50,000 lbs. to Canadian Fish & Cold Storage at 10.10 and 5c.

Coolidge, 36,000 lbs. to Booth Fisheries at 10c. and 5c.

Venus, 25,000 lbs. to Royal Fish Company at 10c. and 5c.

Augusta, 14,000 lbs. to Atlin Fisheries at 13.80 and 7c.

Sherman, 14,000 lbs. to Atlin Fisheries at 13.70 and 7c.

Teddy J., 13,000 lbs. to Pacific Fisheries at 13.60 and 7c.

Star, 9,000 lbs. to Booth Fisheries at 13.50 and 7c.

Flattery, 7,500 lbs. to Canadian Fish and Cold Storage at 12.70 and 7c.

Onah, 14,000 lbs. to Canadian Fish & Cold Storage at 13.70 and 7c.

Canadian

Balsac, 6,000 lbs. to Canadian Fish & Cold Storage at 11.60 and 6c.

Margaruite, 9,300 lbs. to Atlin Fisheries at 11.80 and 6c.

Katen, 10,000 lbs. to Atlin Fisheries at 11.80 and 6c.

Atlin, 14,000 lbs. to Pacific Fisheries at 11.70 and 6c.

P. Doreen, 13,000 lbs. Canadian Fish & Cold Storage at 11.60 and 6c.

E. Lipsett, 5,000 lbs. to Canadian Fish & Cold Storage at 11.40 and 6c.

Ingred H., 8,000 lbs. Canadian Fish & Cold Storage at 11.60 and 6c.

Nuba, 5,500 lbs. to Booth Fisheries at 11.50 and 6c.

PROSPECTING AT STEWART AHEAD 1927

More Claims Filed in Half Year Than in Whole of last Season

STEWART, July 30.—The increase in the number of claims recorded here is the surest indication of the renewed interest in mining in this district. For the first six months of the present year over eight hundred claims have been recorded as against a total for the whole of 1927 of 691. And yet last year's figures here led all other districts in the province as indicated by the recently issued mining report. Judging from the number of prospectors in the hills, the total this year should be at least double that of last season.

THREE HUNDRED ARE HOMELESS AS FLOOD SWEEPS KANSAS TOWN

HAYS, KANSAS, July 30.—Three hundred families are homeless as a result of heavy rains which flooded a creek and inundated part of the town and the teachers' college.



BISLEY COMPETITORS: A line of crack shots in army rifle shooting competition at Bisley Camp, England, aiming for the bullseye with the sailors keeping score.

Percy Williams Beats World's Best Sprinters to Capture Big Event on Track at Amsterdam Sports Sunday

AMSTERDAM, July 30.—Percy Williams of Vancouver beat the world's greatest sprinters at the Olympic Games by winning the 100-yard metre final in 10 4-5 seconds. Jack London of London was second and Wykoff, the American favorite, was fourth.

The four hundred metre hurdles event was won by Lord David Burghley of Cambridge. Gushel and Taylor, Americans, were second and third.

Dr. H. O. Callaghan of Ireland, won the hammer throwing contest.

Fanny Rosenfeld of Toronto led the field in the 100-metre sprint for women semi-finals. Ethel Smith Myrtle, a cook of Toronto, also qualified for the finals. Fanny Robinson was the only American woman to qualify.

Bumper Wheat Crop Expected and Harvesting to Commence on the Prairies Within Very Short Time

WINNIPEG, July 30.—Present reports from districts served by the Canadian National line would indicate that Western Canada is about to commence harvesting one of the greatest crops in the history of the country. While few local districts report showers during the past week the weather has generally been fair and warm with the result that all grains have made excellent progress, towards maturity. Many districts throughout the west report rye cutting as general and a number of districts in north and central Manitoba will commence cutting barley the first week in August.

With the exception of a small area in the North Battleford, Saskatchewan district which reports slight damage from hail there have been no losses from any source during the past week and notwithstanding that there has been excessive moisture in some districts previously, with the hot weather of the past week which has created some fear that rust would develop, there does not seem to be any effects at the present time from this menace in any part of the country.

Harvesting wheat is expected to commence in Manitoba about the 12th to 15th of August with Saskatchewan and Alberta from 5 to 10 days later and while interest is generally centered on the prospects of the wheat crop the coarse grain also promises to exceed previous years by a large margin.

With optimism running high among the farmers throughout the country with the excellent prospects for harvesting a bumper crop they are now considering the problem of help, for to handle the crop in many districts com-

FRANCE WINS TENNIS CUP

AUTEUILLE, France, July 30.—Henri Cochet defeated William T. Tilden in the deciding match of the men's singles series by straight sets 9-7, 8-6, 6-4. This gives France three out of four matches and assures that country of retention of the Davis Cup.

Henri Cochet and Jean Borotra defeated Tilden and Hunter in the doubles 6-4, 6-7, 7-5, 6-2, 4-6, on Sunday.

Automobiles Crash with Fatal Results at Level Crossing Prairie Town

College Professor and Student, Baby Girl and Two Men Lost Lives in Collision

SASKATOON, July 30.—Five were killed and five injured in a level crossing accident Saturday night when a Canadian National train and two taxi cabs collided near the Fair Grounds here. The dead are Steve Dzube; Professor Karstena, Lutheran College, Saskatoon; one unknown man; Baby June Nelson, grand daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson, acrobats, and H. Hartig, a student at the Lutheran College. The injured are Mr. and Mrs. Adam Hopfinger, Saskatoon, Mrs. H. Nelson, Troupe, and Albert Morrison.

TRAMPS KILLED IN TRAIN CRASH

EIGHT UNIDENTIFIED MEN, BEATING THEIR WAY, LOSE LIVES IN WYOMING

GUERNEY, WYOMING, July 30.—Eight unidentified men were burned to death in a train wreck on Burlington railroad here on Sunday. The dead men were beating their way in empty cars and were trapped when gasoline from wrecked tank cars ignited. The bodies were badly burned.

AMERICANS CLEAN UP IN CANADIAN TENNIS TOURNEY

TORONTO, July 30.—Miss Olive Wade of Toronto, capturing the junior singles from Miss Mary Greet of Kansas City, was the only Canadian winner in the Canadian tennis championships on Saturday. Americans took all the other titles.

LAWYERS HURT IN COLLISION

U. S. BAR ASSOCIATION SPECIAL COLLIDES WITH LIMITED IN CALIFORNIA

SAN FRANCISCO, July 30.—Twenty-eight persons on an American Bar Association's special train from Seattle were injured and taken to hospital when the southbound Cascade Limited ran into the rear of the special at Cortena on Sunday. Some are hurt seriously.

NEW YORKERS HURT

NEW YORK, July 30.—Twenty-five persons were injured, two critically, in the collision of two elevated trains on Sunday night.

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