

BRITAIN WINS 100 METRES U. S. SECOND AND KERR THIRD

The Blue Ribbon Sprinting Event of the Olympic Games Captured by a South African Sprinter, Defeating the United States and Canadian Entries.

London, July 22.—The 100-metre final was won by Walker, South Africa, in 10 4-5 seconds; J. A. Rector, University of Virginia, was second; Kerr, Canada, third, and N. J. Cartmell, University of Pennsylvania, fourth.

London, July 22.—This is the first really fine day since the opening of the Olympic games, and the officials at the stadium looked for an attendance exceeding that of any previous day except Saturday.

The fine weather today is particularly fortunate, as the final in the 100 metres dash, in which the public takes the greatest interest, is on the programme. It should be a great contest. Those who qualified are: R. Kerr, Canada; F. E. Walker, South Africa, and J. A. Rector and N. J. Cartmell, United States.

The experts are wary about attempting to pick the winner of this event, although most of them predict that it will be either Kerr or Rector.

Another final today is in the 400 metres hurdle race, in which Hillman and Bacon, of the United States team, have opposed to them Burton and Tremor, of the United Kingdom. The sports this morning began with the running broad jump, which event will also reach its final today, and which is going on at the same time as the semi-final of the 200 metres flat race.

Kerr (Canadian) in Front.

London, July 22.—The first heat of the semi-finals of the 200 metres flat race, Kerr, Canada, beat Hamilton, United States. Time, 22 2-5 seconds. The second heat of the semi-finals of the 200 metres race was won by Cartmell, United States, with Sherman and Huff, Americans, second and third. Time, 22 3-5 seconds.

The third heat went to Cloghen, United States. Time, 22 3-5 seconds. Hawkins, United Kingdom, defeated his team mate Roche in the fourth heat by a yard in 22 2-5 seconds.

London, July 22.—In the first section of the running broad jump at (Continued on Page Nine.)

A Girl Executed By Beheading Father Mayor of Freiberg, Saxony

She Had Killed the Young Man Whom She Had Engaged to Marry.

Freiberg, Saxony, July 22.—Grete Beier, the 18-year old daughter of the mayor of Freiberg, was beheaded last night sometime between dark and daylight in punishment for the murder of the man to whom she was engaged to be married.

The executioner of this young woman reached the city last night. He carried a thin, long box containing the axe with which he did his work and brought with him also a handkerchief with a suit of evening clothes. The wearing of this garb is an official requirement of the sombre occasion. The preparations for the execution at the prison had been completed and the man did his work quickly and privately and departed from Freiberg as quietly as he came.

The executioner is an anonymous person who was sent down here from Dresden on the announcement that the King of Saxony had refused to pardon Grete Beier for her crime. The personality of this young girl,

who came of a good family, and her thoughtfully arranged murder of her fiancé, Herr Pfeiffer, a rich young civil engineer, attracted international attention. She was seemingly a happy and fun-loving girl.

At her trial she admitted, with the utmost simplicity, that she visited her fiancé's house one evening, gave him cyanide of potassium in a drink, she mixed for him and then to make sure of his death shot him in the mouth with his own revolver. She then dropped the weapon at the dead man's side, placed a forged will in her own favor on his desk, together with a note of good-bye, also forged, saying that she feared to lose her love through the revelation of a dishonorable treason.

In addition to these papers, the young girl also left behind a package of forged letters purporting to come from a woman in Italy, accusing Pfeiffer of desertion and threatening to tell Grete everything.

These forgeries were so skillfully done that they successfully deceived the police and coroner. Grete fell under suspicion a month after the crime through a love letter to an unworthy man, hinting at what she had done. This letter was found when the man was arrested for a misdemeanor.

Awakens to Find Face Burned. Rumor Says Husband To Blame

Sensational Story of Incident in Queen's Avenue Boarding House.

The local detectives are investigating a sensational rumor to the effect that on Sunday morning a man named Long threw carbolic acid in his wife's face in a Queen's avenue boarding-house. Mrs. Long and her husband have been separated for some months.

Boy Bitten by a Savage Dog Arm and Thigh Badly Lacerated

Animal Leaps Upon Lad Who Was Delivering Papers.

While delivering papers in the northeast end of the city last evening, John Gyde, a young lad, who lives with Mr. Henry Craknell, 511 Grosvenor street, was bitten by a large collie dog on the thigh and arm. The boy's injuries are very painful, and he will be laid up for several days. Dr. C. Reason cauterized the wounds, and looks for no serious consequences.

Young Gyde, who is an Advertiser boy, went into yard in the north end to deliver papers. As he did so, the

big collie rushed at him and grabbed him by the arm. The boy screamed and ran. The dog let go, and grabbed him again on the thigh.

The neighbors were aroused by the boy's screams, and the dog was driven off.

Dr. Reason was immediately summoned by telephone, and dressed the boy's injuries.

The arm is torn considerably, and the thigh is also quite badly bitten. The bites were cauterized.

There is no danger from rabies, as it is thought that the dog is not affected.

This is the second case of the kind in a week, Mrs. Bibbings being severely bitten some days ago.

SAVED HER SWEETHEART

Girl Nearly Lost Two Fingers in Preventing Suicide.

Detroit, July 22.—While preventing her sweetheart, Robert Coombs from committing suicide by cutting his throat, last night, Miss Flora Cook, of Toronto, was severely wounded on the left hand.

Coombs is a chef at the Hotel Oxford, and last night he returned to his room intoxicated. It is said, Miss Cook

took him to task and declared that she intended to leave him.

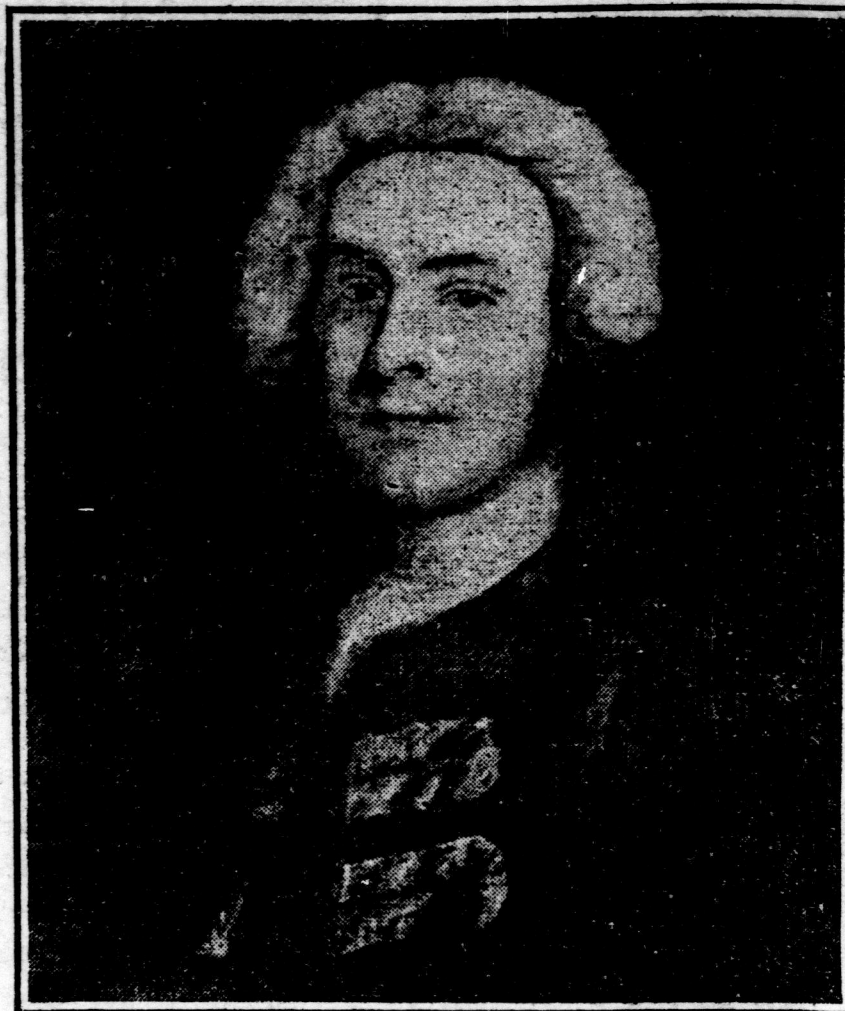
Coombs lost the outside door and attempted to draw it across his throat, when Miss Cook grabbed it.

The first two fingers on her left hand were nearly amputated. She was taken to Emergency Hospital, where her wounds were dressed, and Coombs locked up.

She will not prosecute.

PERCENTAGE TAX ON MINE.

Toronto, July 21.—The department of lands and mines has received a check for \$38,264, being the percentage due to the O'Brien mine for the three months ending June 30.



GENERAL WOLFE.

The Hero of the Plains of Abraham, Whose Famous Victory Decided the Destiny of Canada.

Lord Roberts Not Coming Can't Change Programme

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Quebec, July 22.—It has been definitely decided that Lord Roberts cannot visit London. Mayor Stevely and others did their utmost to secure the presence of the general at the Forest City during the Old Boys' celebration, but it was found impossible for his lordship to change his programme.

The Indomitable, with the Prince of Wales aboard, passed Riviere du Loup at 8 o'clock this morning. He will reach Quebec about 2:30, but will not land until 4 o'clock.

A One Dollar Old Boys' Ticket Gives Seat for Four Entertainments

Membership Tickets at That Price Until Friday Night.

In order to keep faith with the citizens, the Old Boys will sell them membership tickets for one dollar up to Friday night, when they will be withdrawn to make provision for visitors. The membership ticket gives you a reserved seat for four entertainments in the grand stand in Queen's

Park—that is, for one dollar you get a reserved seat for Monday afternoon, Monday night, Tuesday night and Wednesday afternoon. When one considers that in New Orleans you pay three and four dollars for a seat along the route of the Mardi Gras the offer of the Old Boys is a most generous one. This is the only occasion the Old Boys ever charged for an entertainment.

Cleveland Old Boys have chartered a boat and will leave Cleveland Saturday, coming via Port Stanley.

TIMBER DEAL JUST A STORY

Nothing in Yellow Yarn Put Into Circulation by the Conservative Press.

Ottawa, July 21.—The labor department has received an application from the employees of the Cobalt Central Mine for a board of arbitration under the Lemieux act, to adjudicate on matters in dispute with the company in reference to wages and hours of labor. One hundred and five are affected.

Telegraph wire received here this morning by Mr. R. T. Borden and Hon. Clifford Sifton announcing the dissolution of the Saskatchewan Legislature. Elections will be held Aug. 17.

The story published in the Conservative press this morning to the effect that a big timber limit deal involving timber on twelve million acres is on with the Government in connection with timber areas in Keewatin is denied by the officials of the department of the interior. No action looking to the disposal of any such large area has been taken nor is it contemplated. The story is based on unsubstantial rumors.

SWIMMING POND FOR NORTH END BOYS

Another swimming pond will be opened in the north end at the corner of Adelaide and St. James streets.

Application has been made to the city to have a gate put on the property, and Ald. Ferguson, who is acting mayor, gave instructions to Acting City Engineer Kirkpatrick to have the gate made and erected at once.

There has been a great demand for the place, and it is expected that it will be well patronized by the youngsters.

CANADA'S CROPS AND LIVE STOCK

Figures From Census Office—A Great Grain Crop—Decline in Hog Raising.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, July 22.—The census and statistics office in connection with the department of agriculture, in the July monthly bulletin of condition of crops and live stock in Canada, estimate the average yield of fall wheat in Ontario at 25 bushels per acre, and oats from 35 to 40 bushels per acre.

The average for the Province of Hay and clover crops is estimated at about 11.2 tons per acre.

The bulletin says that correspondents of the department throughout the Province say that everywhere farmers are reported as giving up the hog industry, which, it is stated, at present is ceasing to pay owing to the high price of feeding materials, and the low prices ruling for pork. The number of swine in the Province is reported as 1,947,193, as compared with 2,049,668 last year. All other descriptions of live stock have increased considerably in number over 1907.

CRAZY PASSENGER

Creates a Scene on G. T. R. Train Near Niagara.

Niagara Falls, July 21.—The passengers on No. 8 Grand Trunk express this morning had an exciting time between St. Catharines and the Falls. Francesco Sabello, ticketed through to France, became violently insane, tearing off his clothing and stabbing himself with a big jackknife, in the abdomen, inflicting nine wounds, one very severe.

The passengers, not being armed, did not interfere. He was secured by the train hands. The company's physician here attended him. He had American naturalization papers, which secured his admission to American territory, where the authorities took of him.

HAD A SPLASHY JOYOUS TIME

Hundreds of Small Boys Take Advantage of Free Baths—Girls' Day Friday.

The opening of the sulphur baths to the boys of the city was a great success this morning. Over 400 youngsters were in line with tickets, and all had the time of their lives. Prof. Butterworth was in attendance and looked after the youngsters, giving them lessons in swimming. The boys were quick to grasp the suggestions, and many became excellent swimmers with but little coaching.

Taken in Sections.

The opening was advertised for 9 o'clock, but long before that time the youngsters were on the job. A long line of them stood for a considerable period clamoring for the doors to open.

They were taken in sections. The first bunch contained about 100 boys and they had a fine time. There were not enough trunks to go round, but the boys were not dismayed, knowing full well that no policeman could molest them, they took the plunge as Adam would have done it, and had just as much fun.

After one hour's swim, the first bunch were turned loose and the second contingent had the baths. They were just as happy, and just as good swimmers as the other fellows. Most of them, however, needed the attention of Prof. Butterworth, and they had a fine time.

Too Good To Hurry.

In the meantime a long line of swimmers became tired of waiting, and for minutes the cry was heard from a hundred lusty throats, "Hurry up, hurry up." The other fellows did not hurry up, however, but stayed the limit.

Ald. Armstrong and Parks Commissioner Pearce represented the Playground committee and remained a couple of hours watching the boys swim. The girls will have Wednesday to themselves. Mr. McGuire, who has charge of the playgrounds has the tickets, and will give them to those making application. Prof. Butterworth will be in attendance.

YOUNG INDIAN CURRIE DOWN FOR A YEAR

He Confessed to Burglary of a Store At Melbourne.

Thomas Currie, the self-confessed Indian burglar, was sentenced today to serve one year in the Central Prison by Judge Elliott, in the county judges' criminal court.

Currie, who is 29 years of age, recently entered the store of Thomas Hussey at Melbourne, and stole a number of razors, baseballs and tape-lines.

After being arrested Currie was also identified as being the man who had entered the home of Mr. George Sponenburgh, of Melbourne, early one morning, and had been frightened away before he could steal anything.

Mr. John Macpherson appeared on behalf of the prisoner, and made an eloquent plea on the ground of the first offence.

Currie's mother and an uncle also appeared in court.

A NEW JUDGE

Mr. J. J. Kehoe Appointed to Judicial District of Sudbury.

Ottawa, July 22.—Mr. J. J. Kehoe, Sault Ste. Marie, one of the best-known lawyers of Northern Ontario, has been appointed judge of the new judicial district of Sudbury. Mr. Kehoe was the Liberal candidate at the last general election against Mr. Boyce, M. P. for Algoma.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—FINE AND WARM.

FORECASTS.

Toronto, July 22—8 a.m.

Today—Moderate, variable winds; fine and warm.

Thursday—Light winds; fine and warm.

Local Temperatures.

The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 3 p.m. yesterday were: Highest, 79°; lowest, 62°.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations. 8 a.m. Min. Weather.

Calgary 56 54 Clear

Winnipeg 54 50 Cloudy

Port Arthur 60 59 Fair

Parry Sound 66 58 Fair

Toronto 64 56 Fair

Ottawa 64 62 Cloudy

Montreal 70 66 Fair

Quebec 66 60 Rain

Father Point 62 58 Cloudy

The first column in the above table records the temperatures at 8 o'clock this morning, and the second column records the minimum temperatures during the 24 hours previous.

WEATHER NOTES.

This morning the pressure is lowest over the lower St. Lawrence valley, and highest to the northward of Nova Scotia and to the westward of the great lakes.

Rain fell yesterday in Southern and Eastern Ontario, and is now falling over the west, and great heat prevails in British Columbia.

YESTERDAY'S TEMPERATURES.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 42-74; Victoria, 54-82; Vancouver, 55-84; Kamloops, 62-102; Calgary, 52-78; Edmonton, 44-82; Prince Albert, 54-78; Qu'Appelle, 50-72; Winnipeg, 48-70; Port Arthur, 52-78; Parry Sound, 58-80; Toronto, 62-72; Ottawa, 60-72; Montreal, 62-74; Quebec, 54-82; St. Johns, 56-74; Halifax, 52-78.

SEVENTH REGIMENT MARCHED TO MEET PRINCE OF WALES

London's Corps to Act as Special Guard To His Royal Highness—Quebec Thronged by Immense Crowd Hard to Handle—Dynamite Outrage Frustrated.

[From Our Own Man.]

Quebec, July 22.—This is the first big day of the tercentenary celebration, and it is a busy one for the Seventh Regiment and all others in camp. At 1:30 the troops formed in division, and marched down to wharf 4, as the Prince of Wales was booked to arrive at about 2 o'clock. The Thirtieth, Hamilton, was chosen as the first guard of honor.

The Seventh will furnish a hundred men for the special guard Friday night. Capt. McCrimmon will be in command, Capt. Becher first lieutenant, Capt. Hunt second lieutenant, and Capt. Frank Andrews will carry the colors. The city is alive with troops today. Infantrymen line all the streets, and mounted police and cavalrymen are galloping everywhere.

Quebec's Big Crowds.

Quebec appears unable to handle the crowds. There were numerous rows last night, caused by people who attempted to take food by force from

cafes, where the proprietors said they were cleaned out. Many visitors went hungry to bed. A break in the 30-inch water main caused great inconvenience from Monday night till Tuesday afternoon. One small main is in operation, but it would not force water into the city, and the hotels were tied up. No tea or coffee could be served in the Chateau Frontenac and other places, and people were furious. Londoners here claim it is an object lesson for the people of London.

A Sensational Story.

There was a sensational story today of an attempt to dynamite the grandstand during the grand pageant on Monday. Capt. Coles, of London, and Capt. Hurley, of the Seventy-fourth, Buffalo, who is a guest of the Seventh, were with a number of other Londoners in the stand, when Capt. Hurley dropped his walking-stick between the seats. A programme boy went down for the cane, and on returning notified (Continued on Page Nine.)

Local Officials Fear Car Famine When Great Crop Begins Moving

Enormous Number Needed and Other Departments Will Be Drained.

In view of the great volume of business which they will be called upon to handle shortly, there is some fear being expressed among railroad officials regarding a shortage of cars. An official stated today that it is not unlikely that a car famine will result. Many of the American roads are feeling the effects of a car shortage already, and are getting new cars built as quickly as possible. The railroads

handling the grain trade will require an enormous number of cars, and this is certain to drain the other departments. It is well known that when the recent slump in business came a number of the roads did not do much repair work on their cars, but as quickly as they became unit for use instead of running them to the shops, placed them in sidings, where they have remained ever since. In the United States the opening of the mills and the unexpected call for cars from all sides, has caught a number of the railroads unawares, and there is a great rush of work in many of the repair shops. Railroad men are looking for similar conditions to prevail here as soon as they start to handle the harvest.

Getting Ready for the Big Fair

The committees of the Western Fair are already very busy getting things in shape for the big exhibition to be held here in September. Last week several hundred of the large Western

Fair signs were sent out. They will be placed in conspicuous places all over the province. These signs are always splendidly designed and suggestive of things pertaining strictly to a high-class agricultural fair.

Car Jumps the Track and Hits Pole

Car no. 98, of the Oxford line left the tracks at the corner of Main and Hamilton streets and the Hamilton road last night about 11 o'clock and was considerably damaged.

The car was running west at a fast rate when it jumped and ran along the road striking the north curbing and a telephone pole.

The fender was badly twisted and the front steps broken off. The passengers on the car were shaken out of their seats when the pole was struck, but luckily no person was seriously injured. The car was replaced on the rails and taken to the barns with difficulty.

Will Not Have to Pay \$29,240,000

Chicago, July 22.—The Standard Oil Company decision, by which the company was fined \$29,240,000 by Judge Landis of the United States district court, was unanimously reversed by the United States court of appeals today. The case was remanded for new trial.

The decision handed down today by the United States court of appeals was on the appeal made by the Standard Oil Company, of Indiana, from the verdict rendered April 15, 1907, by which the company was found guilty of accepting rebates and was later fined by Judge Landis, of the United States district court \$29,240,000, the maximum under the counts of the indictment.

"BOBS" IS INVITED TO IRISHMEN'S PICNIC

Famous General Asked To Attend the Outing at Port on Aug. 6.

Nothing daunted by the fact that it will be impossible for Lord Roberts to visit London during his stay in Canada, the Irish Benevolent Society have sent an invitation to "Bobs" to attend the great Irish picnic to be held on Thursday, Aug. 6.

The great, little general, as is well known, is an Irishman, and it is thought that he cannot resist the invitation of his compatriots to attend the greatest of all picnics in this district.

President Stephen Grant and Secretary John Loughlin have forwarded the invitation, and it is expected that it will reach him today. A definite answer is expected within a day or two.

In the meantime the Irishmen are going ahead rapidly with the preparations for the event. Some very new and original features have been added and it is said that the picnic will be the greatest in the history of the society.

TURKEY'S TROUBLES

Whole Ochrida District in Revolt—Two Villages Burned.

Constantinople, July 22.—It is reported from Monastir that the whole Ochrida district has declared in favor of the revolutionary movement, and that Greek bands are committing serious depredations in the village near Monastir. Twenty-five Bulgarians were killed at Ribarska and 30 at Belpicia, both villages being burned.

LURED TO HER DEATH

Handsome Young Woman Murdered in a New York Park.

New York, July 22.—Lured to a lonely summer house in the centre of Irving Square Park in the Williamsburg section of Brooklyn early today by an unknown man, the police believe, a tastefully-gowned, handsome young woman of 24, was shot through the head, and left to die alone.

Although it is believed she resided not far from the scene of the crime, a search of many hours failed to reveal any trace of her identity.