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4 GOLD**

A 30-year-old Dutch housewife, Fanny Blankers-Koen, outshone everyone at the 1948 Olympics held in London. By winning the 100 metres, 200 metres and 80 metres hurdles, and running the last leg for Holland's victorious relay team, the 'Flying Dutchwoman' became the first and only female athlete ever to gain four gold medals in the same Games.



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