

DRAGOONS CHARGE ON RIOTERS IN JOHANNESBURG

MANY CASUALTIES HAPPEN ON THE FOURTH—FRACAS AROUND FLAG OCCURS IN MOOSEJAW

BIG GERMAN FISH IMPORTER PAYING A VISIT TO RUPERT

HEAD OF THE LARGEST FISH IMPORTING COMPANIES OF EUROPE, WITH HEADQUARTERS AT BREMEN— MAY IMPORT FISH FROM HERE.

Among the passengers from Vancouver arriving on the Prince Rupert this morning was Mr. F. Hevenhuser, head of the largest fish importing firms of Germany, with headquarters at Bremen. His mission here is to make contacts for this season's catch, and he is accompanied by Mr. H. Josephs, manager of the company's cold storage plant at Astoria, Ore. The company has also a cold storage plant at Wrangell.

The visitors see great possibilities in the ever widening market in Germany for fish from the Pacific coast. There is an especial demand on the continent of Europe for mild cured salmon and frozen fish. The Bremen company last year made several experimental shipments of frozen halibut and this business may be extended when better facilities for direct shipments will be provided after the opening of the Panama Canal.

No less than forty carloads of frozen steelheads from this coast were marketed in Germany last year. The experiment was successful and it is proposed to make trial shipments of halibut and herring. Germany is the best market in Europe for pickled fish. The visit of the German fish magnate may result in a great increase of business with British Columbia canners and fish dealers, and particularly with those of Prince Rupert and the Skeena and Naas.

MILITANT ARRESTED

(Special to The Daily News.)
Bristol, July 5.—While King George was driving to open the Royal Agricultural Show here a woman believed to be a suffragette rushed up to his carriage and threw a petition to the King. She was arrested.

TORONTO NOT IN IT

Argonaut Rowing Club Defeated in First Heats

(Special to The Daily News.)
Henly, July 5.—The Toronto crews of the Argonaut Rowing Club were yesterday beaten in the first heats in all the events they entered. These were the singles, fours and eights.

ROYAL COMPLIMENT

King George Admires Canadian Farm Exhibits

(Special to The Daily News.)
Bristol, Eng., July 5.—After the formal opening of the International Agricultural show at Bristol yesterday, His Majesty took occasion to speak very highly of the Canadian farm exhibits.

WESTHOLME THEATRE CROWDED LAST NIGHT

Miss Ethel Gray Showed Marked Talent in Some Pretty Dances —Will Appear Tonight.

Miss Ethel Gray, in a varied program of skirt, Oriental and Spanish dances, made a decided hit with the large audience that filled the Westholme Theatre last night. Miss Gray recently returned from Seattle, where she had been training under Prof. Douglas, son of ex-Alderman Douglas of this city, and her appearance last night was the first since her return. All her dances were executed with pleasing gracefulness of movement and throughout the program she showed marked improvement since her last appearance here. Each dance received well merited applause and there was sufficient variety in their character to maintain interest. Miss Gray appeared in a number of appropriate and pretty costumes. Her work last night was such as to demonstrate unusual talent as a dancer and the very evident improvement since her last appearance reflects much credit upon both herself and her tutor, Prof. Douglas.

Little Florrie Gray also appeared to advantage in an American skirt dance, in which she was instructed by her sister. With only two weeks' training she showed marked precision in the various movements. In a pretty little song entitled "They Always Pick on Me," she simply brought down the house.

Both talented young ladies will appear at the Westholme again tonight, when Miss Ethel Gray will present a program of national dances which will include the Sailor's Hornpipe, an Irish jig and various Highland dances.

The excellent music by the augmented orchestra at the Westholme with a splendid program of pictures added to the numbers put on by the Gray girls makes an entertainment that is well worth several times the price of admission.

Finest for Obscenity.

For using obscene language Albert Granger was fined \$10 and costs this morning in the police court. James Donnelly had to pay \$5 and \$3 costs for being drunk and disorderly, and James Hart \$10 and costs for indecent exposure.

Pantorium Pioneer Cleaners. Phone 4.

BASEBALL

National League.

New York 5-9, Brooklyn 2-5.
St. Louis 3-12, Pittsburgh 3-8.
The first game was called in the eleventh inning.
Boston 2-4, Philadelphia 6-6.
Cincinnati 4-3, Chicago 0-5.

American League.

Washington 5-2, New York 0-5.
Philadelphia 6-5, Boston 2-3.
Chicago 1-2, St. Louis 6-1.

Coast League.

Sacramento 7-7, Portland 7-4.
Los Angeles 7-4, San Francisco 3-6.
Oakland 8-4, Venice 4-8.

Northwestern League.

Tacoma 2-6, Victoria 0-1.
Vancouver 11-9, Seattle 7-5.
Portland 8, Spokane 6.

REPAIRS NEARLY MADE

Prince Albert Expected to Resume Schedule Next Week

The repairs to the G. T. P. ss Prince Albert, damaged some five or six weeks ago by running on a reef in Port Simpson harbor, are about completed and it is expected that it will resume its regular schedule between Vancouver, Prince Rupert and the Queen Charlotte Islands on July 11th.

INJURED KNEE

Slipped Down Companionway of Lillooet.

L. R. W. Beavis, first officer on the government steamer Lillooet, was brought to the hospital yesterday afternoon with an injured knee. Mr. Beavis slipped on the companionway of the steamer on Dominion Day, falling and hurting his knee. As it did not show much sign of improvement he came yesterday to the hospital for treatment.

L. O. L. 2310.

This lodge meets on Saturday next, July 12th, at 8 p. m. sharp in the K. of P. Hall, Helgerson Block. Visiting brethren welcome.

F. V. Clark, Rec. Sec.

Baptist Services.

In the absence of Rev. W. H. McLeod, Rev. Mr. Wright of Georgetown will preach in the Westholme Theatre at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 11 a. m. All are invited to these services.

St. Peter's Church, Seal Cove.

Evening service every Sunday at 7:30 o'clock.

Miss ETHEL GRAY

Will Appear TONIGHT

WESTHOLME Opera :: House

In a Complete Change of Program.

NATIONAL DANCES

Including the Sailors' Hornpipe, Irish Jig and Highland Dances.

Assisted by Miss Florrie Gray in the Latest Songs

First Class Musical Program by the Westholme Orchestra

HIGH CLASS MOVING PICTURES

Prices: Lower Floor 25c
Gallery 15c
Children 10c and 5c

COURT HOUSE BURNED

Aged Building at Three Rivers Damaged by Fire

(Special to The Daily News.)
Three Rivers, Que., July 5.—The court house here which has stood for nearly a hundred years was damaged yesterday to the extent of \$50,000 by fire.

GETS LIFE SENTENCE

Indian Outlaw Who Was Companion of Spintum

(Special to The Daily News.)
New Westminster, July 5.—Moses Paul, the Indian outlaw, who was the companion of Spintum, who was sentenced to death last week, has been convicted. He was given a life term in the penitentiary.

COL. LOWTHER RETURNS

Military Secretary of Duke Goes Back to England

(Special to The Daily News.)
Ottawa, July 5.—Colonel Lowther, the military secretary to the Duke of Connaught, is returning home in October, to assume the command of the Scots Guards Regiment.

CITY WATER SUPPLY IS DECIDEDLY GOOD

Its Purity Was Defended at Meeting of the Board of Hospital Directors.

At the monthly meeting of the board of directors of the general hospital, held yesterday afternoon, a letter from the provincial secretary, Hon. H. E. Young, was read expressing his acknowledgment and thanks for the gold key which had been presented to him by the hospital board as a souvenir of the opening of the new wing of the hospital, at which ceremony he had officiated.

Tenders for the hospital laundry work for the next six months from the Northern Laundry and the Pioneer Laundry were opened, the Northern Laundry being awarded the contract. The Northern Laundry offered a flat rate of \$60 a month for the general work, \$6.50 for the laundry of the graduate nurses and \$4.50 for that of the nurses in training. The Pioneer Laundry offered a flat rate of \$75 a month on general work, \$6.50 for graduate work and \$4.50 for undergraduates.

The employment of an extra maid by the house committee, at a salary of \$30 per month, was approved.

A letter from C. H. Handasyde was read, concerning the installation of three Pasteur filters. O. H. Nelson pointed out that the water was good but that any ordinary drinking water might be improved by filtration. He did not approve of uncalced-for condemnation of the water in order to promote the sale of the filter. The water was pure, save for the presence of a little harmless vegetable matter. In any case the connection with Shawatlans Falls would shortly be established.

The purchase of the filters was referred for consideration to the house committee. The cost would probably be over one hundred dollars.

Tenders for the printing of one hundred copies of the annual report of the board were opened. The Journal was awarded the contract, on the lowest tender, \$24.50. The Prince Rupert Publishing Company tendered \$47.50 and A. O. Franks \$55.00. It was also decided to have a picture of the completed hospital in the report.

The question of more kitchen accommodation was raised. The engineer of the hospital suggested that room for this might be obtained by the removal of the water tank at the rear of the building, which was now unnecessary as the water supply was constant.

RITCHIE DEFEATS RIVERS FOR LIGHTWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP

TWENTY ROUND BOUT ENDED IN ELEVENTH BY KNOCKOUT DELIVERED BY RITCHIE—BETTING TEN TO EIGHT ON THE CHAMPION

San Francisco, July 5.—The battle for the lightweight championship yesterday afternoon drew an immense crowd. The purse offered is said to have been the largest ever offered in California and this no doubt assisted the advertising. Willie Ritchie was the favorite, inasmuch as he was not only the holder of the title but was fighting in his own town. But the little Mexican had many supporters. The odds were ten to eight on Ritchie a couple of days ago and were maintained until the men met in the ring when even betting soon became the rule.

The men stepped into the ring punctually at 1.30, each in the pink of condition. For the first two or three rounds of the 20-round bout both men appeared to be sparring cautiously when the little Mexican began to force the fighting and the fourth round was decidedly in his favor. Then Willie began to get in his best work, but the boxers seemed to be pretty evenly matched up

in the middle of the eleventh when Ritchie managed to land the knockout and was given the decision.

There was much interest in the measurements of the rival lightweights, which are here announced:

	Ritchie.	Rivers.
22 years....	Age....	21 years
5 ft. 7 in....	Height....	5 ft. 5 in.
69½ in....	Reach....	68½ in.
15 in....	Neck....	15½ in.
35½ in....	Chest (nor.)....	39 in.
37 in....	Chest (exp.)....	42 in.
28 in....	Waist....	30 in.
19 in....	Thigh....	20½ in.
13½ in....	Calf....	13 in.
8½ in....	Ankle....	8 in.
11¼ in....	Biceps....	12 in.
10 in....	Forearm....	10½ in.
7 in....	Wrist....	6½ in.

Los Angeles, July 5.—Leach Cross of New York, in the lightweight battle that took place here yesterday afternoon, knocked out Bud Anderson, of Vancouver, Wash., in the twelfth round of a hard contest.

ANARCHY IN JOHANNESBURG FOLLOWS STRIKE OF MINERS

BLOODY CONFLICTS OCCUR BETWEEN TROOPS AND RIOTERS —STRIKERS SEIZE POWER STATION AND LEAVE CITY IN DARKNESS.

(Special to The Daily News.)
Johannesburg, July 5.—Anarchy prevails here as a result of a general strike in the gold mines. The authorities ordered the troops to fire on the brigade who applied torches to the Star newspaper offices and other

buildings. The dragoons also charged, with the result that thirty rioters were taken to the hospital. The strikers seized the municipal power station and cut off the electric supply, leaving the whole city in darkness for hours, and they were at last dislodged by the troops.

PATRIOTIC SUNDAY

Special Presbyterian Service in Empress Theatre.

The Presbyterian Church will observe Patriotic Sunday tomorrow, July 6th. Special services will be conducted both morning and evening in the Empress Theatre. The choir have arranged a musical program of more than usual excellence for the evening service and Mr. W. R. Macdonald will preach an appropriate sermon on "True Patriotism." All are requested to co-operate in making the service a success.

VANCE IS PROMOTED

From Former City Accountant to Acting Mayor.

The Vancouver Province of July 3rd contains the following in regard to one of Prince Rupert's prominent men:

"Mr. W. D. Vance, acting mayor of Prince Rupert, has written to the Progress Club asking for a copy of its constitution and bylaws, as Prince Rupert is anxious to organize a progress club along similar lines. He also states that the proposed new club will be willing to co-operate in every way with the Vancouver organization."

Purser Robson Resigning.

Mr. Bert Robson, one of the best known pursers in the coast trade, has tendered his resignation to the Union Steamship Company, to take effect at the end of this month. He intends to go into the halibut business at Bella Coola. He has been on the Venture for the last two years and has a wide acquaintance up and down the coast.

SIR WILFRID TO TOUR TORONTO AND QUEBEC

Before Next Session Liberal Chief Will Address Series of Public Meetings.

Ottawa, July 4.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier intends to tour Ontario and Quebec and address a series of meetings in each province before the next session of parliament opens. The meetings will probably begin during the latter part of August and continue during September. Sir Wilfrid will spend the next months at the capital and holidaying with friends, probably in the mountains of the New England States. His residence at Arthabaska-ville is being enlarged and greatly improved this summer, and the Liberal leader hopes to spend quietly there a considerable part of the succeeding summers.

GRAND TRUNK PROMOTIONS

Several Officials Assume New Positions.

C. E. Dewey, who was recently appointed freight traffic manager of the Grand Trunk Railway System to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of C. A. Hays, is succeeded by A. E. Rosevear, formerly assistant to the vice president. Mr. Rosevear becomes general freight agent of the G. T. P. and of the G. T. P. Coast Steamship Co. He has jurisdiction from Port Arthur west.

The weather report at 5 o'clock this morning read: Barometer, 30.049; maximum temperature, 65; minimum temperature, 52; precipitation, .16 inch.

CELEBRATION OF THE FOURTH WAS ATTENDED BY DISASTERS

AMERICAN FLAGS WERE CENTRE OF MOOSEJAW RIOT— TRAIN CRASHED INTO BUS AT PHILADELPHIA— FATAL MOTOR ACCIDENTS.

(Special to The Daily News.)
Moosejaw, July 5.—Several attempts to display American flags were yesterday resulted in a free fight and a small riot. Fearing more serious trouble, the police prevented the parade of fifty Americans.

Philadelphia, July 5.—Death and injury put an end to the "Glorious Fourth's" celebration in the Quaker town last night. The Scranton Flyer, on the Philadelphia & Reading Railway, crashed into a wagon crowded with celebrators of the holiday, killing five and injuring three others.

Medford, Ore., July 5.—Donna was killed yesterday while driving a mile auto race, which

was one of the features of the holiday. His car turned turtle and he was instantly killed.

Columbus, O., July 5.—Hearty Knight, who is well known here and in Indianapolis, was instantly killed yesterday and Mechanician Milton was fatally hurt when Knight's car blew up a tire and turned turtle on the eleventh lap of a two hundred mile auto race.

St. Louis, July 5.—Twenty fires causing injury to no less than twenty-nine persons marred the celebration of the Fourth here.

Ogden, Ore., July 5.—Four were killed here in a collision of electric trains running specially for the celebration of the Fourth.

MACKENZIE & MANN CONTRADICT RUMOR

That Canadian Northern and Its Branches May Be Acquired by Government.

(Special to The Daily News.)
Winnipeg, July 5.—Both Sir William Mackenzie and Sir Donald Mann were interviewed last evening in regard to the report that the Canadian Northern would probably be acquired by the government, and both stated, in effect, that there was not a word of truth in the report.

The report in question was put out by the Canadian Associated Press upon what it had reason to believe was reliable authority, and a synopsis of it was published in the despatches of The Daily News yesterday. The full report deals with the details of the suggested transaction to the extent of two columns, and in the course of it says that while ministers who will remain in the capital do not credit the report that the government seriously contemplates taking over the Canadian Northern system, the story is not denied, and seems to have come from a well informed source. The rumor was mentioned in American newspapers as far back as two weeks ago, and several conferences between C. N. R. officials and members of the cabinet, combined with the hurried trip of the minister of finance to England, may have caused partial confirmation of the report. Whatever move is on foot, it is

Griffiths' Big Contract.

Montreal, July 1.—Norton Griffiths & Co., the Anglo-Canadian firm of engineers and contractors, have just secured their first big public contract from the Australian government which involves an expenditure of \$15,000,000 upon a large railway construction scheme. No details are forthcoming yet, but it is known that the work will employ a large number of hands for some years to come.

Brings In Fine Cattle.

L. McInnis, of the McInnis ranch in the Bulkley Valley, arrived this morning on the Prince Rupert with about ten head of new stock for his ranch. An opportunity having presented itself to sell all his butcherable stock at a good profit he did so, and immediately went outside to purchase a few head of improved stock, which he has the intention of adding to from time to time during the summer.

Find it through a Daily News "Want Ad."

certain that strenuous denials will come from the Mackenzie & Mann interests, and also from the government, for premature publication of the detailed plans for the acquisition of the railway would make the task of adjustment between such diverse interests difficult and perhaps impossible. The story of the proposed acquisition of the C. N. R. was published in several eastern papers Thursday, and also in New York financial papers.