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## Imperial Preference Comes Into Effect on September 1; Bill Regulating Labor Hours

### List of Articles Issued to which Preferential Rates Apply; Number of working Hours for workers must not Exceed 48 Hours per week Exclusive of Meal Times.

(Special to The News via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

London, August 22.—Imperial preference goes into effect September 1. The commissioner of customs has issued a list of articles produced in the British Empire to which the preferential rates apply.

A bill regulating the hours and wages of employment of workers, minimum wages to be paid and the appointment of a commission to regulate the same, contains an order that the number of working hours shall be exclusive of the intervals provided for meals and that any working week shall not exceed 48 hours.

Payment for overtime, it is provided, shall in no case be less than 25 per cent in excess of the normal time rate.

## PRICE FIXED FOR B. C. GROWN WHEAT

(Special by G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Ottawa, August 22.—The Dominion Government has fixed the cash prices for British Columbia wheat on a basis of being in storage in the Dominion Government elevator at Vancouver as to number 1 Northern at \$2.10 1/2 and No. 2, \$2.07 1/2.

## BROKE BOTH WRISTS

### Cyril Walker Fell into Hold of Venture When at Lowe Inlet.

While the hatches were being removed on board the Union steamship Venture on her arrival at Lowe Inlet on her trip north this week, Cyril F. Walker, a deckhand, fell into the hold, fracturing both wrists. He is a young man aged 17, and was admitted to the General Hospital here this morning on arrival of the steamer where his injuries were attended to.

## MEXICAN BANDITS HAVE BEEN CAPTURED

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

San Antonio, August 22.—Two Mexicans, believed to be members of the Rentarios bandits, have been captured by American troops south of Candleria.

"Bill Hart in evening clothes" but he still has the same old wallup in "Branding Broadway," Westholme tonight.

## CURRIE TELLS WHY FIGHT WAS KEPT UP TO END

### Was Acting Under Direct Orders From General Foch in Taking Mons.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Montreal, August 22.—Following a civic reception tendered General Sir Arthur Currie, General Sir Arthur Currie, General Armstrong and the officers of No. 4 district gave a banquet in honor of the newly appointed Inspector General.

In his address General Currie gave a series of reminiscences with explanations in regard to the last few days of the conflict. He pointed out why Canadian corps had persevered in the fight to the last moment taking and occupying Mons when the armistice had been signed and the enemy beaten. This, General Currie said, had been done under direct orders from Marshal Foch.

## NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA WILL CONSIDER PORT

### Representatives of That Company in Prince Rupert Were Impressed with Possibilities For Ocean Traffic.

Capt. Usaburo Osawa and Senji Imai, representatives of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, Japan's greatest steamship company, have been here investigating the possibilities of the port. They will report to their company on what they find here. One is the port captain for the company at Seattle and the other is his assistant. They were impressed with the harbor, the railway grade and also with the nearness of this point to the Orient. They pointed, however, to the lack of local cargoes.

While they could give no assurance that the big shipping company would consider this port in its general scheme of transportation, that being a matter for their head office to determine, they expressed the opinion that the port had great possibilities and that it was not unlikely their company might take advantage of them. They left for the south last night.

## NEW MATRON FOR HOSPITAL

### Miss Atkinson of Vancouver Received Appointment at Meeting Held Last Night.

There was a special meeting of the Board of Managers of the Prince Rupert General Hospital, with D. G. Stewart presiding, at which a matron was appointed to succeed Miss McGregor who is leaving soon. Miss Elizabeth Atkinson was chosen from eight applicants. She is a graduate of the Vancouver General Hospital and has had experience in California and also went overseas during the war.

Other applications for the position of matron were Miss Myrtle R. Mitchell, of Nelson; Miss Frances M. Frampton, Powell River; Miss May P. Turner, Victoria; Miss Amy F. Ebbutt, Nelson; Miss Theresa Clapin, Ottawa; Mrs. R. Pitts, Ottawa, and Miss Mary E. Stuart, Regina.

On the recommendation of the matron, Miss Florence A. Moore who has completed her training and passed her examinations was given her diploma and pin.

Tenders for the supplying of 200 tons of coal were opened and a committee composed of J. C. McLennan, Alderman McRae and D. G. Stewart was appointed to report next week.

## CONTROL SUGAR

Washington, Aug. 22.—Active control of sugar prices has been resumed by the Government. Sugar now should reach the consumer at approximately 11 cents a pound.

T. G. Garrett and J. E. Budden, both well known commercial men throughout the north, arrived from Anyox on the Grand Trunk steamer yesterday evening.

Mrs. W. H. Tobey and child returned to the city on last evening's train. For the past few weeks they have been visiting in the interior.

Among those returning to the city on the train last evening was Miss Ruby Taylor who has been visiting in Smithers for the past two weeks.

H. Belknap was a passenger for the south on the Grand Trunk steamer last night. He has gone on a brief business trip to Vancouver.

Ladysmith Coal. The best. Prince Rupert Coal Company, Phone 15.

## ALICE B

Will leave at 3 o'clock Saturday for Metlakatla. Don't miss this splendid trip. FARE \$1 RETURN.

## ENGLISH KING AND QUEEN VISITING WOUNDED.



THEIR MAJESTIES VISIT WOUNDED CANADIAN SOLDIERS AT CANADIAN HOSPITAL, ORPINGTON

The popularity of the English sovereign has been enhanced by his thoughtfulness in visiting the sick and wounded sailors and soldiers. Queen Mary has always been active in war work and is well loved by the English public.

## PEND MILLION A MONTH STILL WAR PURPOSES

### Estimated Expenditure for Coming Year is Set at Over Three Times the Income.

Ottawa, Aug. 22.—The estimated expenditure for the fiscal year totals about \$820,000,000. The estimated revenue for the same period is approximately \$200,000,000. The difference, the government states, must be made up by borrowing, and the borrowing must be done at home.

On the war Canada is still spending at the rate of about \$10,000,000 a month, or a million a day.

## ESDUD HERE

### Bought Material for New Wharf at Masset and Left for Islands.

The steam tug Esdud arrived in Vancouver this morning with two large scow loads of piles and dock material for the new wharf at Masset. The bracing and piles are all crosscut and work will be proceeded with at once. It took nine days for the tug to make the trip to this point with the heavy tow.

The tug remained in port only a short time and started off across the straits with the contractor, T. Muse, on board.

## FISH ARRIVALS

### Twelve Boats With Catches up For Sale at Exchange this Morning.

The following fishing boats had their catches up for sale at the fish exchange this morning:—Suzara, 5,000 lbs.; Restitution, 4,000; Brothers, 9,000; Lincoln, 4,000; Swift Sure, 16,000; Baymen, 6,000; Nidaros, 10,000; Luce, Teton, 5,000; Ringleader, 4,000; Nornen, 5,000; Minnie V., 4,000, and the Clara N., 10,000 pounds.

## EMPRESS

BEAUTIFUL GLADYS LESLIE

'A Nymph of the Foothills'

The Great Houdini

'The Master Mystery'

Pathe British Canadian Gazette and Universal Screen Magazine

Admission 15 and 30 cents Two Shows, 7:15 and 9.

## BIG CROWDS WELCOME PRINCE AT QUEBEC

### Given Enthusiastic Reception at Capital of French Canadian Province.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Quebec, August 22.—French Canada's capital city showed its loyalty to the Empire yesterday by tendering the Prince of Wales a very hearty reception. Enthusiastic crowds took part.

## BASEBALL TOMORROW

### Auditors Will Play Draughtsmen At Acropolis Hill Grounds.

Tomorrow afternoon on the Acropolis Grounds the auditing department plays the draughting department at a game of baseball. Both teams are of the drydock staff. The batteries for the game are Clementson and Dravis against Butter and Behnen. The captains promise a good game and many of the officials will have a position. J. H. Pillsbury will umpire.

Large quantities of lumber brought over from the Queen Charlotte Islands are being unloaded from scows at the coal wharf today.

Just arrived, men's dancing pumps. Family Shoe Store. 11

B. C. Undertakers. Phone 41.

## POLICE HAVE ABANDONED THE UNION

### Strike at Liverpool Ends by "Bobbies" Relinquishing Their Claim and Dockers Also Return.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Liverpool, Aug. 22.—The police strikers have passed a resolution stating that they realize their mistake in claiming the right to organize. Another resolution they passed undertook to abandon the National Union of Police officers.

The dock strike in sympathy with the police has been abandoned.

Ed. W. Hawkins came up from Surf Inlet today and is registered at the Prince Rupert Hotel.

## CHINAMAN HAD LIQUOR IN HIS POSSESSION

### Was Fined \$100.50 This Morning By Magistrate McMordie.

In the police court this morning before Magistrate McMordie, Chew Kee, a Chinaman, was fined \$100.50 for having liquor in his possession in a place other than in a private dwelling. The man was arrested last evening as he got off the Prince George about half past eight. He had seven bottles of Chinese whiskey on his person. Constable Leek made the haul last evening while on patrol duty on the waterfront.

Miss Aldous, brother of Dick Aldous of the Acme Importers, arrived on the train last evening, on a visit. She was accompanied by Mrs. Hoffman who is leaving for Victoria where she will meet Mr. Hoffman who is a prominent banker at Winnipeg, but who is now returning from Japan.

## W. S. HART in "Branding Broadway"

Think of it, he wears a dress suit. This time the husky westerner tears right into New York's roughest. 1 Reel Cartoon Comedy 1 Reel Scenic

## WESTHOLME TONIGHT

Shows, 7 and 9.15 Admission, 30c and 15c

## GROWTH OF BRITAIN'S ARMY INDICATED BY FIGURES PUBLISHED

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

London, August 22.—Great Britain's standing army with reserve and territorial forces on August 4, 1914, numbered 733,514 according to figures given out here. This army grew during the war until on November 11, 1918, when the armistice was signed, it numbered 8,654,467, including the colonial forces.

## BIG COAL SEAMS AT SPITZBERGEN

### Estimated to Contain 5,000,000 Tons of Coal to the Square Mile.

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

London, August 22.—Big coal seams, estimated to contain 5,000,000 tons to the square mile on the surface, have been located in the island of Spitzbergen by the Scottish expedition.

## STORM AT FORMOSA DESTROYS TAITO CITY

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

San Francisco, August 22.—Word has been received here of a terrible storm which destroyed the city of Taito on the Island of Formosa. That part of the world is subject to tremendous typhoons but this seems to have been an unusual type.

Taito is the principal centre on the island.

## MARTIAL LAW IS IN FORCE IN HUNGARY

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.)

Copenhagen, Aug. 22.—Owing to the disturbed condition of the country martial law has been proclaimed throughout the whole of Hungary.

## Public Meeting

Will be held in the Council Chamber at 8 p. m. on

Friday, August 22.

The meeting will be addressed by SERGEANT MAJOR JIMMIE ROBINSON, D.C.M., and his subject will be "Repatriation."