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BRITISH TROOPS ORDERED OUT TO PREVENT RIOTS

FINE FRUIT AT CANNERY NEAR NAAS RIVER MOUTH

Gardening at Millbay Richly Repays Trouble—Fruit Ripening in Golden Sunshine—Goose Bay Mines and Smelter Going Rapidly Ahead—Big Payroll

While the Lakelse and Kitsum-Valleys are priding themselves on their fruit bearing possibilities, and while even northerly Ketchikan is advertising her whopper strawberries, there is a new country opening up in the Prince Rupert district which will rival the best of the fruit valleys in Northern British Columbia. This is the Naas Valley. So little has been said until lately about the Naas districts as fruit country that nearly every one sets the whole place down as merely a mining district. Recently the Upper Naas country was "discovered" as an agricultural land and the existence of ripening fruit in abundance there just now has been proved by prospectors.

Lower Naas Too
But as proving the undoubted fertility of the whole Naas Valley and its fruit growing possibilities. Crippen, who has just paid a visit to Mill Bay Cannery at the mouth of the Naas is enthusiastic over the fruit grown in a garden close to the cannery by Mr. Henry Doyle who owns the outfit. Every kind of soft fruit is growing and ripening to perfection in Mr. Doyle's garden. Raspberries, strawberries, currants, and all garden bits planted have thriven splendidly. That such results can be got in the coast district of the Naas Valley shows how excellent are the prospects for fruit growing and agriculture in the Upper Naas country towards which prospec-

tors are now turning their attention. No one would dream of combining fruit growing with salmon canning or copper gold smelting, any more than they would project an orchard property on Second avenue, Prince Rupert, but the fact that fruit can be grown successfully in the salmon canning and mining district of the Naas country as well as in Prince Rupert is excellent testimony to the climate of the whole district which has for too long been belied.

Goose Bay Progress
Mr. Crippen, after as he says, "browsing amongst the luscious berries" went on and paid a visit to the Goose Bay mines. Here, he says, the Granby Smelter Company have over 150 men at work. They have laid two miles of solid plank wagon road to the miles from the smelter site, and are pressing on at full speed with the development work. The smelter when in operation will employ thousands of men, and Goose Bay will be a thriving centre of industry. Coke will be brought in in large shipments, and the smelter product will keep the steamers busy once the plant is running. Considerable advantage will accrue to Prince Rupert accordingly. At present Mr. J. Graves, president of the Granby Smelter Company, T. James, general manager of the Tyee Smelter Company, and Mr. Sylvester are visiting the works at Goose Bay.

WILL CONSIDER INDIAN MISSIONS

Prominent Methodist Ministers Attending the Conference at Port Simpson.

Among the passengers aboard the Prince John which sailed for the North yesterday were the following ministers of the Methodist Church en route to Port Simpson to attend the Conference of Indian workers today:

Rev. Dr. Chown of Toronto, late Superintendent of the Social and Moral Reform Department of the Church; Rev. Thomas Ferrier, Superintendent of Indian Education throughout the Indian Methodist Missions of Canada, Rev. C. M. Tate, of the Victoria Indian Mission; Rev. Mr. Knott, Nanaimo; Rev. J. Rendle, Cape Mudge; Rev. Mr. Lee, Kispiox; Rev. A. M. Sanford, Vancouver District Chairman of Home Missions; Rev. Peter Kelly, Hartley Bay.

Mr. N. Cairns, Principal of the Chilliwack or Coqualeetza Indian Institute joined the party. Mr. Cairns is a specially valued worker among the young Indian graduates of that school. The Conference will also be attended by a large number of local workers in the mission field.

BASEBALL SCORES

Northwestern League
Vancouver 3, Portland 2.
Spokane 9, Tacoma 4.
Victoria 3, Seattle 1.
American League
Detroit 8, Chicago 1.
National League
Chicago 13, Boston 6.
Pittsburg 9, Brooklyn 0.
New York 6, Cincinnati 1.
Philadelphia 10, St. Louis 2.
Pacific Coast League
Vernon 8, Oakland 7.
San Francisco 8, Sacramento 1.
Los Angeles 4, Portland 3.

Two Chances More
At the end of this month the bi-weekly G. T. P. steamer service to Stewart will be discontinued. There are only two more Sundays now on which to make the popular week end trip.

ORATORICAL DISPLAY

Alderman Newton Still Speaking at Midnight in Nanaimo

A telegram received in the city sometime in the small hours this morning read to the effect that at midnight last night Alderman Newton was still on his feet after speaking for several hours and looked like continuing indefinitely.

CHURCH LEADERS VISIT RUPERT

Rev. Dr. E. A. Chown and Other Dignitaries Arrived by Rupert.

By the S.S. Prince Rupert yesterday arrived a party of Methodist Church dignitaries who are here to look over the sites for the new church building and future churches.

The party includes Rev. Dr. E. A. Chown, Methodist general superintendent for the West, Rev. Dr. T. E. E. Shore, president of the Methodist Home Missions Office, Toronto; Rev. Mr. Roberts, president of the Victoria Conference, Rev. Mr. Sandford, Vancouver; Rev. Mr. Tate, Indian Mission Superintendent, Victoria; Rev. R. W. Lee of Kispiox (returning from south), and other important churchmen.

The party was met by a delegation of the Methodists of Prince Rupert. Rev. C. Sing and Mr. H. C. Breckenridge welcoming them on behalf of the congregation.

Probably the address to which you will soon be having you mail forwarded is to be found in some one of the furnished room ads today.

ARMED SOLDIERS PATROL BRITISH RAILWAY LINES

Strike Situation Has Reached a Crisis—Government Announces Its Intention to Maintain Law and Order at the Point of the Bayonet if Necessary

(Canadian Press Despatch)
London, August 17.—England today is an armed camp again. Soldiers armed with rifles loaded with ball cartridge are patrolling the railway lines north and south of London, while the cavalry squadrons are assembled at the stations in the danger zone, ready to ride to battle with the strikers on the outbreak of any further riots.

Situation Critical
Meetings with a view to settling the controversy between the railway companies and their employees were held yesterday at the Board of Trade, but when they were adjourned late last night the situation remained as far from being solved as when they began.

The railway managers declare that they had been promised protection in running trains and will not yield to the men. The representatives of the railwaymen's union declared the strike will take place at the expiration of their ultimatum tomorrow morning.

Will Enforce Order
In the house of Commons yesterday Winston Spencer Churchill, the Home Secretary, declared that the non-unionists were entitled by law to work without molestation, and would be protected in the exercise of their rights.
The Chancellor of the Exchequer

David Lloyd George, also declared that the Government was determined to protect the railways and the food supplies at all costs and would not depart in the smallest degree from its determination to protect life and property.

Military Prepare
At Aldershot the military authorities are taking every precaution to insure the working of the railways if a strike is called. Every soldier in the Aldershot command has been placed under orders for duty. All the soldiers are being armed with rifles and supplied with ball ammunition. They will be stationed along the railway lines north and south of London. The cavalry will be employed at the stations and also will patrol the lines so as to be able to get quickly to any point of danger.

Trains will be worked by flag signals. It is estimated that twenty-five thousand men from Aldershot will be prepared to move in a few hours. Similar precautions have been taken at all the military stations in Great Britain.

A hundred and one descendants are left by Robert Fryer, who has just died at Yarmouth, Norfolk, at the age of ninety-five.

Benefit the Housewife
Nothing is more convenient and appetising in the home at this time of the year than cold boiled ham, the Cudahy Brand. It can be had at the Ideal Provision House, Phone 190.

Giving Away Dollars
Buried in some of the boxes of chocolates displayed in the window of the Palace of Sweets, Third avenue, is a one dollar bill. The boxes of chocolates are 75 cents but if you find a dollar bill in one of the boxes it is yours.
If you want money apply P. O. Box 953.

FOUR MONTHS FOR THEFT

E. McLean Must Go Down Below in Charge of Police

Edward McLean was sentenced this morning to a term of four months imprisonment at New Westminister for stealing a watch, a pair of scissors, some handkerchiefs, and about three dollars from Jane Wells, an Indian woman living in Prince Rupert. Accused said he had taken the things while he was drunk. The woman said other property had been missed also.

FORGERY CHARGE TODAY ACCUSED ON \$2000 BAIL

Frederick V. Clark, Young Man Well Known in Prince Rupert Implicated in Awkward Case—About \$90 Involved Belonging to His Partner C. Wormald

Charged with having forged the receipt to a post office order for eighteen pounds sterling (\$90) issued at Newcastle on Tyne, England, and payable to Charles S. Wormald here, Frederick V. Clark, an employee of Mr. George Frizzell at Port Essington appeared this morning before Magistrate McMullin.
Accused was admitted to bail of \$2000, and his case was remanded until Monday at the request of Mr. Alex Manson, counsel for the defence.
City Solicitor Peters appeared for the prosecution and Postmaster McIntosh was present with others to give evidence.
Mr. Manson mentioned to the court that accused who is quite a young man, is very well known

in Prince Rupert. A number of prominent business men of the city including several aldermen are ready to stand surety for him.
Accused has been a resident of Prince Rupert for over a year and is very popular with all whom he has come in contact. Previous to working for Mr. Frizzell he was employed by the P. Burns Company on Centre street.
On hearing of his unfortunate position Mr. Frizzell at once offered to stand surety and amongst others who offered to go bail was Sergeant "Pat" Phillipson.
Accused was Secretary and in fact, organiser of the Sons of England Society in this city. Charles Wormald was his partner.

NEW COLD STORAGE PLANT TO BE BUILT IN THE CITY

Joint Stock Company With Capital of \$200,000 is Being Formed --- Will Have Cold Storage Plant, Ice Works, Saw Mill and Big Store for Employes Use---Profit Sharing Scheme to be Put in Practice---Work to Commence Very Soon

Within a few days all arrangements will be completed to establish another cold storage plant in Prince Rupert. Already a site has been selected, plans for development drawn up, and officers selected for the new company.
Capital of \$200,000
Mr. H. C. Breckenridge who is the prime mover in the enterprise will be president of the company which will be capitalised at \$200,000. An extensive cold storage plant will be built on the waterfront, making its own ice. It is proposed also to instal an up to date saw mill for the purpose of cutting lumber for the various buildings required by the company.
A Novel Feature
A novel feature of the new company will be the installation

at various points along the coast and up the river of coolers for storing fish. These will be close to the fishing grounds, and the fishermen instead of having to bring their catches into the city, will be able to unload them at the coolers. The company's steamer will then be able to make the trip round the coolers, bringing the cargo in cold storage in her hold to the main plant.
Profit Sharing Scheme
The stock of the company which will be divided into 2,000 shares of \$100 each. It is proposed that after a certain sum is reached as profit for the stock holders that the surplus will be divided between the shareholders and the employees of the company, thus making the

fishermen sharers in the company's profits.
Will Run Store Also
For the benefit of the men employed at the fishing stations a large store will be run, supplying the men with goods and supplies at a low cost and making the new concern as co-operative and self supporting as possible.
To Start Work Soon
As soon as the necessary preliminaries are completed, which will probably be within a few days, work will be rushed on the plant. It is expected that it will be shipping before the New England Company's plant at Seal Cove is completed. Messrs. Shaw, Duduward and others are associated with Mr. Breckenridge in the new enterprise.

TELEGRAPH RATE IS NOW REDUCED

Rate to Hazelton from Prince Rupert is Now Seventy-five Cents.

Under instructions from Superintendent Gaiien, the telegraph rate on the Dominion Government telegraph line between Prince Rupert and Hazelton has been reduced from one dollar to seventy-five cents for ten words commencing from today.
For messages exceeding ten words the excess rate will be five cents a word instead of ten cents

as formerly. The concession is one that is appreciated by the business men of the city.

THANK YOU, CHIEF!

Police Chief Vickers Provides a Comfortable Press Table Today.
By courtesy of Chief Vickers a comfortable press table was installed in the police court room. Prince Rupert is gradually coming to that progressive stage in municipal advancement when the press is recognised as a useful power for the public good to be helped and not hindered in its usually trying work.

FLEET OF SIXTEEN SHIPS TO ENTER PACIFIC TRADE

Prepare For the Great Pacific Traffic Which Will Follow the Opening of Panama Canal, The Harrison Line are Building Fleet of New Vessels

(Special to the Daily News)
Vancouver, August 17.—The prospects of the increased trade between the Pacific Coast and Europe and the Pacific Coast and the Atlantic States is making itself felt here in shipping circles. It is announced that, to cope with the greatest increase of traffic expected from the opening of the Panama Canal in 1915, the Harrison Line has at present in course of construction eleven new communication freight and passenger steamers for the Pacific Coast route. In addition to these it is stated that five more steamships have been ordered.
With the opening of the canal, the monthly service between Antwerp, Liverpool and Vancouver will be shortened materially and

in the near future a fortnightly service is to be expected. The Pacific Coast agents of the Harrison Line are Balfour, Guthrie & Co.
It is reported that the opening of the canal will cause the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company, which has for almost seventy years run a service to the West Indies from the United Kingdom, to send its boats right through to the Pacific Coast, inaugurating another service between the United Kingdom and Vancouver.
P. R. Indoor Baseball League.
Royal Blue Ribbons v. Brotherhood Crescents at the Auditorium to-night, August 17th. Game called at 8.45 sharp. Admission 25 cents.

TROOPS BIVOUACKED IN THE STREETS OF LIVERPOOL

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Liverpool, England, August 17.—Armed soldiers with fixed bayonets bivouacked in the streets of Liverpool last night, following the attempts of the mob of rioters to release some of their number from Walton Jail.
Their orders are not to fire over the heads of rioters in the future, as this endangers innocent persons, but if it becomes necessary to shoot, to pick out the apparent ringleaders of the mob and shoot them down.
All Liverpool was in an uproar last night over the riots. Motor wagons which were conveying print paper to the newspaper offices were attacked, street car windows were smashed and another attempt was made to release prisoners from vans conveying them to Walton Jail.
The police and soldiers, however, were present in force, the troops with bayonets fixed. The crowd was not so daring as on Tuesday night and did not compel the military to fire.