

CHIEF OF POLICE AND MR. REID ARE MARKED BY HOSTILE HINDUS FOR ASSASSINATION AT FUNERAL

Three Believed to Have Been
Selected at New Westmin-
ster to Commit Double
Crime.

ARE COVERED BY GUNS OF PLAIN CLOTHES MEN

All Precautions Taken to Pro-
tect Lives of Officers Per-
forming Sacred Duty.

Because the strictest precau-
tions were taken by the police in
attendance at the funeral of the
late Inspector W. C. Hopkinson
on Saturday Chief of Police Mc-
Lennan and Superintendent Reid,
of the immigration department,
are still alive today. Had it not
been for the warning communi-
cated to these officials by loyal
Hindus, both of them might have
now been dead. Both knew when
they attended the funeral that
they were marked men and that
the hand of the Hindu assassin
league was stretched forth to
shoot them down. In spite of this
fact and their knowledge of the
danger they ran, the two officers
were present to pay their respects
to the memory of a comrade and a
friend.

Every Hindu who came onto the
street in the vicinity of the funeral
was immediately covered by the guns
of the plain-clothes officers. Each
officer carried two guns, one concealed
in each pocket. Every man's hands
gripped the guns, so that at the first
suspicious move on the part of any
Hindu, the weapons would have been
promptly and effectively used. There
were numbers of Hindus standing
about the door of the police station
and across the street when the funeral
cortege was forming, and all these
were closely watched for the expected
attempt at assassination. The police
had absolute proof that this attempt
would be made.

According to the information given
to the police by Hindus who have the
preservation of law and order at heart,
a meeting was held in New Westmin-



Chief of Police McLennan who was marked for assassination.

ster on Friday night at which a large
number of Hindus were present.
Three of their number were, it is
stated, selected by lot to shoot Super-
intendent Reid and Chief of Police
McLennan at the funeral.

Three men from New Westminster
known to be standing in front of the
station opposite the main entrance

when the chief and Superintendent
Reid came out. Plain clothes men
immediately stepped in front of the
three Hindus and, unobserved, covered
them with their guns, the muzzles of
which bulged against their coat poc-
kets. Every Hindu on the street was
similarly covered so that they were
rendered absolutely helpless.

AUSTRIANS DEFEATED BY THE MONTENEGRINS MAKING BIG CAPTURES

Enemy is Outflanked When
They Attempt Turning Move-
ment — Balkan Artillery
Repels Fierce Attacks.

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IRELAND TO MAINTAIN PLACE AS A FIGHTING NATION SAYS REDMOND

Irish Nationalist Leader Makes
Statement That Volunteers
Must be Absolutely at Dis-
posal of Government.

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HON. COLIN CAMPBELL IS DEAD AT WINNIPEG AFTER A LONG ILLNESS

Former Attorney-General of
Manitoba Passes Away Fol-
lowing Year and Half Suf-
fering From Paralysis.

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