

PROCLAMATION

The Riot Act has been read and remains in full force and effect in Winnipeg.

Riotous assembly of crowds, riotous attack on persons or property, riotous damaging of property are indictable offences, and all persons guilty of same are liable to imprisonment.

Assembling in crowds, congregating and standing on the streets is dangerous, and you do so at your own risk.

The riots of Saturday were a direct challenge to constituted authority, and were promptly and vigorously suppressed and my Proclamation strictly enforced.

CITIZENS—All lawlessness and intimidation must cease.

Those of you who wish to return to your work can do so without fear of molestation, and if you are in the slightest way interfered with or intimidated, notify at once the Mayor or Chief of Police and the offenders will be traced down by the Royal North-West Mounted Police and City Police, if it takes years to do so.

Any foreigners who make any threats of any kind or in any way intimidate or worry would-be workers in the slightest degree can expect immediate deportation to Russia or wherever they come from. We intend to purge the city of any lawless element and prosecute to the full rigor of the law. On the other hand, all law-abiding citizens can feel free to go about their business in the full realization that British law will protect them to the limit. No further open-air meetings, either in parks, streets or public places, will be permitted until further notice.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

CHARLES F. GRAY, Mayor.

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