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BIG TIME ABOUT SMALL BOYS QUARREL

"Tempest in a Teapot" at Police Court Today

Mrs. Dill of St. David Street Objects to the Manner in Which Sergt. Campbell Arrested Two Boys for Fighting.

Fred Dill and George Byrne the two boys arrested yesterday afternoon by Sergeant Campbell and Officer Howell for fighting at the corner of Union and St. David streets were acquitted of the charge by Judge Ritchie this morning.

The quarrel a telephone message was received at Central Police Station purporting to be from William Knodell declaring that a terrific fight and stabbing affray was in progress at the corner afore-mentioned and both Campbell and Howell responded.

They went into the Dill dwelling and arrested both youngsters, who were then reconciled and playing together.

Mrs. Mary Dill the mother of Fred said she witnessed the latter part of the encounter and she saw but one other spectator. The disagreement originated in a previous argument between the Byrne boy and her younger son, who she said was inclined to be impertinent.

When the police entered her residence she told Sergeant Campbell there was no necessity for the arrest but she says he pushed her aside and threatened to arrest her too if she made any further remonstrances.

AMERICAN FLEET TO GET WARM WELCOME

With the U. S. Fleet in Australian Waters Enthusiastic Editors are Already Picturing an Alliance Against Japan.

London, Aug. 10.—Few of the morning newspapers comment on the arrival of the American fleet in New Zealand waters and these chiefly to regret that no British fleet is present to join in welcoming the visitors.

Christchurch, N. Z., Aug. 10.—The newspapers here cordially welcome the arrival in New Zealand waters of the United States Atlantic Fleet.

Melbourne, Aug. 10.—Referring to the refusal of the New Zealand authorities to action a rifle match between teams made up of sailors from the American battleships and the Dominion volunteers on the ground of the regulations forbidding the landing of armed parties of foreigners.

She was a member of the Church of England and a widow supporting herself. Mrs. Dill said she was desirous of securing reparation for the manner Sergeant Campbell made the arrests and the Judge stated that the arrests were unwarranted as a summons or a warrant would have been equally as serviceable.

It developed that Mr. Knodell was not the person that telephoned to the police station and that he was a stranger in the neighborhood.

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FOUR DEAD AS RESULT OF A TELEMET FIRE IN NEW YORK EARLY TODAY

Victims are all Children Members of One Family--Ten Other Persons Were Seriously Burned or Injured--Scores Carried From Blazing Building.

New York, Aug. 10.—Four children of one family dead, and ten other persons seriously burned or injured in the record of a fire that early today swept through a tenement in east 122nd street.

The dead; the children of Zinzenco Sausse, janitor of the house, were Rosa, 10 years old, Luigi S. Antonio, 4 and Rococco 8 months; Frank Sausse, son of the janitor is dying in Harlem from burns and Zinzenco Sausse the janitor and his wife Cecilia are both suffering from severe burns about the face and body.

He escaped from a second story window to escape the flames. Salvators Logofori had his right hip dislocated and a number of others were more or less seriously injured either by burns or from contusions or lacerations caused by leaping from windows.

Shortly after midnight the flames were first discovered by a passerby who summoned aid by firing off a pistol which was followed by many other shots which attracted by rowdies to the scene thus adding to the confusion.

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GENERAL BOOTH HAS CATARACTS

Venerable Head of the Salvation Army Has Trouble With His Eyes.

London, Aug. 10.—An officer of the Salvation Army confirms the report that he has been cured for some time that General Booth is suffering from cataracts on both eyes.

"The general has not yet taken to wearing glasses," said the officer, "and can see without them, but he cannot read anything but large type and he has to hold that close to his eyes."

London, Aug. 10.—In the course of an address delivered at an informal meeting of the members of the Yokohama City Assembly, Mayor Mitsuhashi dealt with the forthcoming visit of the United States fleet in terms of cordiality.

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KING AND KAISER WILL MEET AT MARIENBAD

King Edward Leaves London This Afternoon--Will Meet Kaiser William and Meeting May be of Important Nature.

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C.P.R. PREPARING TO BREAK THE STRIKE

Accommodations Being Made for 1000 Men at Winnipeg

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RUSSIAN SPY IS ARRESTED

He Attempted to Sell Sketches of Japanese Naval Stations and was Caught.

Tokyo, Aug. 10.—Further news regarding the arrest of Ishi Yama Shinichiro, the alleged Russian spy, is that on July 20 Ishi yama had an interview with Mr. Suzuki, the interpreter of the Russian Embassy in Tokio and told the latter that he would like to sell to the embassy some sketches representing the inside of the Japanese naval stations in the Pacific.

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THE TIMES NEW REPORTER THE CROP KILLER. MR. BINKS IS PUZZLED. THE WEATHER. Light to moderate winds, fine and warm today and on Tuesday.