

## **HINDUS LEAVING EVERETT TO-DAY**

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Express Regret at Being Forced Out of Town--Some  
Returning to British Columbia, Others Are Going  
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Everett, Nov. 5.--Every Hindu who owns a medal sported it to-day as the Asiatics walked the streets in the safety of daylight making preparations to leave for British Columbia and Portland, where they intend seeking new and friendly pastures. Tall, erect, decorated with medals for signal bravery while in the British military service in India, the Hindus went down under mob rule with colors flying, bowing to the inevitable, uncomplaining, voicing no expression of anger against their enemies, speaking nothing but regret that the white man to whose free country they came refuses to permit them an opportunity to make a living.

Several were in favor of staying a few days more and were inclined to be belligerent. One bombastic Hindu told the police today if he had been given ten guns Saturday he would have brought the whole mob handcuffed to the station. He became indignant when the police laughed at him.

That the attack made by the mob Saturday night was not altogether an innocent demonstration is learned to-day from the fact that at least five shots were fired through the Hindu quarters at the Weldauer-Lansdown mill. The man behind the gun was careless, for he left the empty shells on the ground. These shells have been collected and carefully saved, and it is said they are the ammunition used by the militia. The assertion is further made that shortly before the firing a man was seen sneaking from Company K Armory carrying a rifle.