Newspaper

Imagine that you are living in Canada during any one of the following discriminatory incidences: the Chinese head tax, Komagata Maru, or residential schools. You have just witnessed an important scene that occurred and are sympathetic towards the individuals who have been negatively impacted. You are determined to convince readers of your newspaper that a serious injustice has occurred. Create a front page newspaper article that describes the five W's: when did the scene take place, where did it take place, who were the people involved, why did it happen and what happened? Persuade your audience that the Canadian government was wrong to act the way it did. While planning your newspaper, be sure to conduct research so you can thoroughly and accurately inform your readers. Your newspaper must also include a headline, a quote from a witness (using your creativity to imagine what they saw, smelled, touched, tasted, or heard) and a drawing all with a clear message that is consistent with the opinions you express in the article.

Choose a Discriminatory Incident:

- The head tax
- Komagata Maru
- Residential schools

	Emerging / Developing	Proficient	Extending			
Significance		Assesses significance with a broad and clear understanding.				
Evidence		Evaluates evidence to select a wide range of credible supporting material.				
Cause & Consequence		Analyzes cause and consequence with accurate and detailed reasoning.				
Ethical Judgement		Communicates an ethical judgement in a meaningful and purposeful manner.				

Self-Assessment:

Teacher-Assessment: