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**WEATHER REPORT FOR JUNE**

Compiled by Mr. C. H. Urseth, of the Bella Coola Observatory.
*Temperature*: Maximum, 64. Minimum, 42.
Highest Max. (14th) 82. Lowest Min. (11th) 30
Rainfall, 2.42.
Rainfall for the year (1916) 40.89 inches.

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## War News for the Week

Wednesday: Petrograd.—New Russian offensive resulted in the capture of six thousand more prisoners. Russians are advancing towards Zlochoff, Galicia, capturing the towns of Presovice, Zboroff and Korshodiv. Austro-German forces retreated westward across little Stripa river. Russian sweep now spreads to Turkish Caucasus and nears Turk stronghold. Russian co-operation with British menaces Mosul base. Galicia drive swelling in force, its pace dismayed the Germans, Brusiloff's attack described as "bloodiest of the war."

Berlin.--Russian troops have broken across heights on western bank of Stripa in Galicia, and succeeded in extending northward to gap made in Teutonic lines previous day. At Koniuchy, strong Russian attacks broke down under heavy losses.

London.--Nothing of importance on British western front. Gen. Allenby assuming command of Egyptian expeditionary forces. Aerial squadron attacked the headquarters of 4th Turkish army, one mile from walls of Jerusalem. Times predicts terrific struggle ahead of Russian armies as Lemberg is protected by lake, deep defiles and huge hills to retard advance. Spain appears to be in throes of revolution, may be only a matter of days for the fall of monarchy and a republic rise in its place.

Thursday: Paris.—Extremely violent fighting throughout night on Aisne front resulted in rout of attacking Germans with heavy losses. The crown prince, according to prisoners captured at Mort Homme, bent on taking revenge for last year's crushing defeats at Verdun. Lafayette aviation corps, composed of Americans, will shortly be transferred from French to American army. French capital goes wild in celebration of glorious Fourth, the arrival of American troops was cause of great rejoicing.

London.--Nothing to report except considerable artillery activity on both sides at numerous points on west front. Harwich raided by German airmen, twelve to fourteen bombs dropped on seaport town, eight persons killed and twenty injured. Fifteen vessels over 1600 tons victims of submarines last week. By order of King George the Stars and Stripes are flying beside the Union Jack on all government buildings today. Londoners celebrate America's Natal Day. China's republican army already for battle, refuse to support new monarchy.

Friday: Paris.—Heavy artillery fighting near Moronvilliers in Champagne and Hill 304 on Verdun front reported. How Germans got news of the movements of allied steamships is by information which passes through insurance agencies and Switzerland is the spy centre where it is easy for the Bosche to learn details.

Copenhagen.--Saxon soldiers not fighting out of love for royalty but love monarchial principles. Saxony suffering sadly from mistakes of incompetent bureaucracy, such were the declarations which the government was forced to hear from all parties except Conservatives, in debate in the Saxon diet yesterday. Lieut.-Gen. Von Stein, Prussian minister of war, looks for big allied drive in west.

London, July 6.—British made attack last night south-east of Hollebeke, near Ypres canal. British advanced their line six hundred yards and captured prisoners. Tuesday night bombing attacks carried out by naval air service machines on aerodromes at Ghistelles and Neumunster, also the seapiane sheds and a train at Seaaren. Several tons of bombs dropped, machines returned safely. Heat prevents activity in Mesopotamia. Under pressure of British advancing from Kilwa the Germans in East Africa evacuated the strongly held positions south of Ngaura river. Germans building new type of U-boats. Described in Danish military review as submarine cruisers, 5000 tons and 425 feet long, engines eighteen thousand horsepower with a speed of twenty-six knots on the surface and sixteen submerged. The new boats have thirty torpedo tubes and can launch 150 floating mines. Emperor Wilhelm has decided that all German men who have been made prisoners of war will receive iron cross on return home if they can prove they did not surrender voluntarily. Belief in a revolutionary outbreak in Spain by August if not earlier.

## Russians Make Big Captures

Petrograd, July 5.—In recent fighting of Sunday and Monday, three hundred officers, eighteen thousand men, twenty-nine guns and thirty-three machine guns, were captured by Russian troops. Pro-war and pro-Kerensky demonstrations headed by Russian and French officers, including a number of wounded soldiers, taking place in the streets today. For first time Russian national flag seen, it decorates pictures of Brusiloff and Kerensky. Fraternizing with enemy entirely ceased. Slightest attempt to leave trenches immediately stopped by artillery fire from rear.

## U. S. Transports Attacked at Sea

Washington, July 5.—War brought to America's gates. Transports carrying troops of the United States were attacked at sea. News of Admiral Gleaves' expedition revealed by spies. Destroyers flying the Stars sand Stripes beat off the Hun divers, sinking one. Forces landed in France without loss of man, ship or animal.

Athens, July 5—Greek troops affirm loyalty to Venizelos. Serbia expresses elation at happy turn of events.

Ottawa, July 5.—5750 men enlisted during month of June, British Columbia contributed 298. Canada's total enlistments from beginning of war now stands at 423,859.

Copenhagen, July 5.—Food rioters sentenced to long terms who participated in Dusseldorf troubles. Dock workers at Amsterdam strike, demanding better food supply.

East St. Louis, July 5- Riots quelled by National guardsmen. Disorders calmed down after two strenuous days.

## Russian Soldiers Beg for Place in Front Lines

Petrograd, July 6.—Austro-German forces in Galicia yesterday attacked Russian advanced posts at Breezany, but were repulsed by our artillery fire. Russian soldiers beg for places in front line. Policy of trusting to national spirit has good results, army's fighting value greatly strengthened. The troops have been reawakened, whole units volunteering for duty.

Vienna, July 6.—Heavy sacrifices by Austro-Hungarian troops to regain the positions lately wrested from them by the Russians is reported.

Berlin, July 6.—Little fighting activity yesterday in eastern Galicia where Russians are conducting the offensive. On the fronts defended by Von Mackenzen and Archduke Joseph, in Roumania, greater local activity.

Athens, July 6.—Gen. Hara Lambis, war minister in Zeamis cabinet, appointed chief of general staff.

Buenos Aires, July 6.—Argentine government's note to Germany on the sinking of the vessels Orina and Toro, demands indemnity and assurance that no more of her ships be attacked.

New York, July 6.—The New York World's correspondent, Cyril Brown, until outbreak of war stationed at Berlin and now at Stockholm cables: "Although no hint comes from Germany of change in her war policy towards America imminent, very possible that Germany ere long will carry ruthless submarine warfare into American waters. Certainly a possibility must be reckoned with."

Montreal, July 6.—Dr. Guerin speaking at a meeting says conscription bill designed to divert attention from the Hon. Robert Rogers.

HUN TRENCH AFTER CANADIANS SWEEP THROUGH.

Above is shown a German trench after its capture by Canadian troops. The sergeant on the extreme left is examining papers found on the German prisoners. Next to the sergeant is a German soldier wearing a storm helmet. The man with a bandage is another German, who is obviously suffering great pain.

## *Jottings of Bella Coola and District*

J. D. Lutz, logging camp operator, and A. B. Root, B. C. land surveyor, of Vancover, after surveying some timber holdings on Burke channel, in which Mr. Lutz holds an interest, took passage south on the Camosun last Sunday night.

Mrs. Chas. Draney and children were passengers for Kimsquit on the mail steamer last week. They will spend two months at Kimsquit with Mr. Draney, who is manager of the Draney Fisheries cannery at that place.

The Misses Phyllis Gibson and Dorothy Clayton after spending a year at school in Victoria returned home, they were accompanied by Mrs. J. W. Macfarne, who will take up her residence here agin after an absence of twelve months.

Considerable wet weather was experienced during the week and farmers had to defer haymaking operations, which had been quite general, throughout the valley.

B. McPhee, logging superintendent for the Pacific Mills, paid a hurried call here this week. Mr. McPhee informed the Courier that the logs were coming in at a very satisfactory rate and the new mill is now operating at full capacity, turning out newsprint equal to anything on the market.

The steamer Camosun, plying between Vancouver and Bella Coola, came in somewhat belated this week. There were two reasons for this; one, was an exceptional large cargo of freight being handled at different ports of call en route. The second was that when the ship touched Vancouver on its return from here last week a strike was on, and deckhands, firemen, coal passers, all walked ashore. Their demand was a rise in pay, to which the operating company would not agree. However, ye old marriner, Capt. Brown, had made up his mind that the sailing of the ship on the regular schedule should not be interfered with for such a small thing as a crew, and if it had to be done he would take the Camosun north all alone. Having made up his mind to this and when the cargo was all on board, from the captain to cook working, the lines were cast off at Vancouver and with less than a corporal's guard of a mongrel crew aboard the ship wended its way north, picking up engine-room artificers, deckhands and freight handlers as the ship touched at the different ports of call, even with this the Camosun arrived here appreciably undermanned.

BELLA COOLA TO THE RESCUE.

While in port a picked crew were signed on. These comprised men who had seen more or less of seafaring life and in their days sailed the seven seas; served their time before the mast and are holders of the most ancient and honorable title of A. B. Again in this was also Poor Loo, who has had the pleasure and chagrin of handling the ropes and freight trucks in the old and almost forgotten Princess Louise, the Danube (now the Salvor), the Barbara Boscowitz (long since wrecked), and many other of the coasting vessels of over a quarter of a century ago. After discharging a large consignment of merchandise and cannery supplies the ship left, and to the ordinary landlubber it was quite apparent that the S. S. Camosun was now manned by the class of sailors that understood orders and knew their posts as well as their duty when at sea, men that would be fit to serve on a H. M. S. Queen Elizabeth.

Mr. R. L. Collard, a former resident of Bella Coola, who left here four years ago to take up his abode in the Peace River country, is here on a visit. In speaking of that section of Alberta, Mr. Collard claim, is perhaps one of the best grain growing sections in Canada, but transportation is the problem. The building of the Edmonton, Fort Dunvegan and British Columbia railway is doing a lot to assist in settling the country. While the work on this line is going on steadily, yet owing to war conditions and the difficulty of getting materials the construction of this line is not being rushed, besides there is also a shortage of railway labor in Canada at present. At any rate this line is building towards the B. C.

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### Church Notice

Sunday School - 10:45 a. m.
Church Service - 7:30 p. m.

Preacher for Sunday—Rev. W. H. Gibson.

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"Salus populi suprema est lex."

SATURDAY, JULY 7, 1917.


### *"Time."*

"Time—time is a hesitating and perplexed neutral. He has not yet decided on which side he is going to swing his terrible scythe. For, at the moment, that scythe is striking both sides with fearful havoc. The hour will come when it will be finally swung on one side or on the other.

"Time is the deadliest of all the neutral powers. Let us see that we enlist him among our allies. The only way to win time is not to lose time. You must not lose time in the Council chamber; you must not lose time in the departments which carry out the decrees of the Council, you must not lose time in the field, in the factory, or in the workshop.

"Whoever tarries when he ought to be active—whether it is a statesman, a soldier, an official, a farmer, a worker, a rich man with his money—is simply helping the enemy to secure the aid of the most powerful factor in the war—time. Act, and act in time. That is our appeal to you."
—Right Hon. Lloyd George.

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"Time." Now is the time for members of the local Farmers' Institute to get busy and see that the Institute possesses a stumping machine to loan out to the members this Fall.

Hon. John Oliver, minister of agriculture, has authorized the purchase of a limited number of stumping machines to be supplied to Farmers' Institutes on a deferred payment system. This action on the part of the minister of agriculture is the outcome of a number of requests which have been received by the department from Farmers' Institutes. In giving the Farmers' Institutes this opportunity to purchase these machines the department assumes absolutely no responsibility and makes no recommendations regarding the comparative efficiency of the various types of machines on the marken. The deputy minister and superintendent of Institutes, Mr. Wm. B. Scott, has witnessed several demonstrations and at each one the results have been satisfactory.

The Department of Agriculture will supply application forms to any Farmers' Institute on request. These forms must be signed by the president, vice-president and directors and also by five members of the Institute. Freight charges on the machines must be paid by the Institute from the factory. Terms of payment for the machines are: one-third on delivery; one-third in one year and remaining third in two years. No interest will be charged on unpaid balances but interest at 10 per cent will be charged on overdue payments. Institutes that fail to make their payments promptly, will not receive their per capita grant on account of membership, but this sum will be dovoted towards the payments due. The Department recommends that all Institutes securing these machines adopt a plan whereby a fixed charged of so much per diem be paid by members who use the machine. By this means a fund will be provided towards paying the cost of the machine and the depreciation in value.

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### *Tariffs May Be Abolished With War.*

The German Socialists, who are right in the country and may be presumed to know something of the causes of the war, propose terms for bringing the struggle to an end and preventing a recurrence of the war which insist upon the abolition of the tariff as essential to international peace.

When this conflict is over protection will find itself discredited beyond rehabilitation in most of the countries of the world. Only the enormous taxation caused by the war it helped to bring about will save it from total extinction.

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The proposal that a woman cabinet minister or two be appointed in our government would receive more consideration were it not for the conviction in some quarters that our cabinet already contains more than a proportionate share of grandmothers.

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### *Astonishing!*

Astonishing, indeed, were the revelations of Sir Sam Hughes in the House of Commons recently respecting the operation of the voluntary system during the latter part of his term as minister of militia. The former head of the militia department makes the grayest of accusations against the prime minister when he alleges that Sir Robert Borden, at the urging of certain other members of the cabinet, had requested the minister to pursue recruiting less vigorously.

That Sir Sam has at least the courage of his convictions was shown when he gave the prime minister day and date for his allegation and offered to prove it by reading the premier's own letters to him on the subject. According to Sir Sam, the premier feared opposition to conscription then developing in Toronto and was prepared to sacrifice the country's needs to party exigencies. This alleged attitude of a few months ago affords a very interesting contrast to the motives professed by the leader of the government at this time, when he asserts that the position of the government in regard to compulsory service is inspired by the highest ideals of patriotism. Reading the statement of Sir Sam after the recent speech of Sir Geo. Foster gives the average Canadian a feeling of suspicion, not unmixed with alarm. This is accentuated by the bald assertion of the former minister that the inaction of the government, to which in large part he blames the alleged failure of the volunteer system, was caused by consideration of the interests of the profiteering firms who have fattened on the agony of the nation. This indictment was supplemented by the declaration of the former minister that all the other members of the cabinet were engaged in assisting in this work by their meddling, hindrance and intereference with him and his duties as head of the militia department. Whether intentional or not this interference was in the interests of the profiteers; this is the inference drawn from the ex-minister's statement.

## *Quit Your Meanness.*

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Hide the sounding board likewise;
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Anyone can criticise.

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Though it hurts your face to smile;
And seems awkward in beginning;
Be a booster for a while.

Let the blacksmith do the pounding;
That's the way he draws his pay;
You don't get a cent for hounding
Saint and sinner night and day.

Just for solid satisfaction,
Drop a kind word in the slot,
And I'll warrant you'll get action
In your effort on the spot.

Kindness every time beats kicking;
Mirth is better than a frown;
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LOCAL JOTTINGS—continued.

border and will enter this province through the Pine River pass, making for the coast over the most feasible route.

Mrs. B. Brynildsen is in receipt of a letter from her son, Birger, who is now in England. He is just out of the hospital where he, like the majority of the soldiers, has been down with the measles:

"I am quite well again and expect to go back to my regiment in a few days. I must tell you we had the pleasure (?) of seeing sixteen German aeroplanes pass right over our heads dropping bombs all around, which made a whistling sound as they fell; one does not know where they will land and we breathe a sigh of relief when once they explode. We know that one did not get us.

"One of the chaplains gave me a Vancouver paper the other day, it was five weeks old, but if you had seen me reading it you would think it was the evening paper just off the press. I have not had any news from home since I arrived here. When a soldier from any of the other Canadian units is brought into the hospital the first thing to know is where did he live in Canada and who does he know, and as a rule he does know somebody that someone else knows. I am looking forward to meeting some of the Bella Coola boys. Kindly remember me to all friends."

**Fishermen on Strike at Rivers Inlet.**

Owing to a strike of fishermen for higher prices, fishing at Rivers Inlet is being held up.

The canners arranged in the early part of this year to give 20 cents per fish for cannery gear and 32 1-2 cents per fish for independent gear, this being an advance of five cents upon the preceeding year. The white fishermen considered this was not an adequate price considering the present high selling price and are now striking for 25 and 37 1-2 cents per fish. The managers have so far met their demands half way and offered 22 1-2 and 33 cents, which up to the present, the strikers do not seem disposed to accept, even though it constitutes a rise of 50 per cent on last year's price: consequently, so far, the canneries are idle, and also the men.

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What's in a name? "Hohen" in German means "high," and "zoll" means tax; hence "Hohenzollern" means high taxes.

## Land Notices

**VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT**

DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.

TAKE NOTICE that Oliver Handy, of Chezacut, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 120 chains west and 60 chains south of Mile Post 33, 124th Meridian, thence north twenty chains, thence east forty chains, thence south twenty chains, thence west forty chains to point of commencement.

OLIVER HANDY.

Dated May 25, 1917.

June 23--Aug. 18

**VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT**

DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.

Take Notice that Gilbert Axford, of Chezacut, B.C, occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted twenty chains north of the northwest corner of Lot 1077, Range 3, Coast District, thence north twenty chains, thence east twenty chains, thence south twenty chains, thence west twenty chains to point of commencement.

GILBERT AXFORD.

Dated, May 19, 1917.

**VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT**

DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.

TAKE NOTICE that Gilbert Axford, of Chezacut, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted forty chains east and forty chains south from the southeast corner of Lot 1077, Range 3, Coast District, thence east twenty chains, thence south twenty chains, thence west twenty chains, thence north twenty chains to point of commencement.

GILBERT AXFORD.

Dated, May 19, 1917.

June 23--Aug. 18

**VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT**

DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.

Take Notice that Earl Neece, of Alexis Creek, B.C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about one mile distant and in a westerly direction from Mile Post 42, 124th Meridian, thence north twenty chains, thence west twenty chains, thence south twenty chains, thence east twenty chains to point of commencement.

EARL NEECE.

Dated, March 17, 1917.

**VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT**

DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.

TAKE NOTICE that Earl Neece, of Alexis Creek, B.C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about two miles distant and in a westerly direction from the 43rd Mile Post, 124th meridian, thence south twenty chains, thence west twenty chains, thence north twenty chains, thence east twenty chains to point of commencement.

EARL NEECE.

Dated, March 17, 1917.

J'ne 2--July 28.

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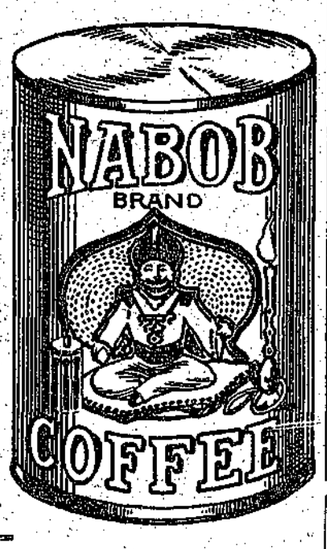


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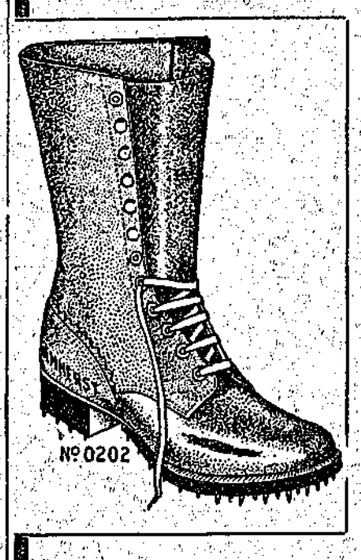


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### BACK IN "BLIGHTY."

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"I was doing fine until taken sick. We had been sleeping in wet dug-outs and I had been wet through and hadn't even had my boots and puttees off for five days, I stuck it as long as I could and tried to shake it off, but I could not eat anything and after four days fasting went down all of a heap. I saw Ingvald Urseth when we were in rest billets at a place called Capigny."

The above extracts are from a letter by Pte. H. L. Harris and received by Rev. W. H. Gibson.


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Rainfall, 2.42.
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## War News for the Week

Wednesday: Petrograd.—New Russian offensive resulted in e capture of six thousand more prisoners. Russians are advancg towards Zlochoff, Galicia, capturing the towns of Presovice, boroff and Korshodiv. Austro-German forces retreated westard across little Stripa river. Russian sweep now spreads to urkish Caucasus and nears Turk stronghold. Russian co-operaon with British menaces Mosul base. Galicia drive swelling in rce, its pace dismayed the Germans, Brusiloff's attack described "bloodiest of the war."

Berlin.--Russian troops have broken across heights on western ank of Stripa in Galicia, and succeeded in extending northward gap made in Teutonic lines previous day. At Koniuchy, strong ussian attacks broke down under heavy losses.

London.--Nothing of importance on British western front. Gen. llenby assuming command of Egyptian expeditionary forces. erial squadron attacked the headquarters of 4th Turkish army, e mile from walls of Jerusalem. Times predicts terrific struggle ead of Russian armies as Lemberg is protected by lake, deep efiles and huge hills to retard advance. Spain appears to be in roes of revolution, may be only a matter of days for the fall of onarchy and a republic rise in its place.

Thursday: Paris.—Extremely violent fighting throughout ght on Aisne front resulted in rout of attacking Germans with eavy losses. The crown prince, according to prisoners captured t Mort Homme, bent on taking revenge for last year's crushing efeats at Verdun. Lafayette aviation corps, composed of Ameriins, will shortly be transferred from French to American army. rench capital goes wild in celebration of glorious Fourth, the arival of American troops was cause of great rejoicing.

London.--Nothing to report except considerable artillery activity both sides at numerous points on west front. Harwich raided y German airmen, twelve to fourteen bombs dropped on seaport own, eight persons killed and twenty injured. Fifteen vessels ver 1600 tons victims of submarines last week. By order of King eorge the Stars and Stripes are flying beside the Union Jack on ll government buildings today. Londoners celebrate America's atal Day. China's republican army already for battle, refuse o support new monarchy.

Friday: Paris.—Heavy artillery fighting near Moronvilliers in hampagne and Hill 304 on Verdun front reported. How Germns got news of the movements of allied steamships is by information which passes through insurance agencies and Switzerland s the spy centre where it is easy for the Bosche to learn details.

Copenhagen.--Saxon soldiers not fighting out of love for royalty ut love monarchial principles. Saxony suffering sadly from misakes of incompetent bureaucracy, such were the declarations which he government was forced to hear from all parties except Conervatives, in debate in the Saxn diet yesterday. Lieut.-Gen. Von Stein, Prussian minister of war, looks for big allied drive n west.

London, July 6.—British made ttack last night south-east of Hollebeke, near Ypres canal. British advanced their line six hundred yards and captured prisoners. Tuesday night bombing attacks carried out by naval air service machines on aerodromes at Ghistelles and Neumunster, also the seaplane sheds and a train at Seaaren. Several tons of bombs dropped, machines returned safely. Heat prevents activity in Mesopotamia. Under pressure of British advancing from Kilwa the Germans in East Africa evacuated the strongly held positions south of Ngaura river. Germans building new type of U-boats. Described in Danish military review as submarine cruisers, 5000 tons and 425 feet long, engines eighteen thousand horsepower with a speed of twenty-six knots on the surface and sixteen submerged. The new boats have thirty torpedo tubes and can launch 150 floating mines. Emperor Wilhelm has decided that all German men who have been made prisoners of war will receive iron cross on return home if they can prove they did not surrender voluntarily. Belief in a revolutionary outbreak in Spain by August if not earlier.

## Russians Make Big Captures

Petrograd, July 5.—In recent fighting of Sunday and Monday, three hundred officers, eighteen thousand men, twenty-nine guns and thirty-three machine guns, were captured by Russian troops. Pro-war and pro-Kerensky demonstrations headed by Russian and French officers, including a number of wounded soldiers, taking place in the streets today. For first time Russian national flag seen, it decorates pictures of Brusiloff and Kerensky. Fraternizing with enemy entirely ceased. Slightest attempt to leave trenches immediately stopped by artillery fire from rear.

## U. S. Transports Attacked at Sea

Washington, July 5.—War brought to America's gates. Transports carrying troops of the United States were attacked at sea. News of Admiral Gleaves' expedition revealed by spies. Destroyers flying the Stars sand Stripes beat off the Hun divers, sinking one. Forces landed in France without loss of man, ship or animal.

Athens, July 5—Greek troops affirm loyalty to Venizelos. Serbia expresses elation at happy turn of events.

Ottawa, July 5.—5750 men enlisted during month of June, British Columbia contributed 298. Canada's total enlistments from beginning of war now stands at 423,859.

Copenhagen, July 5.—Food rioters sentenced to long terms who participated in Dusseldorf troubles. Dock workers at Amsterdam strike, demanding better food supply.

East St. Louis, July 5- Riots quelled by National guardsmen. Disorders calmed down after two strenuous days.

## Russian Soldiers Beg for Place in Front Lines

Petrograd, July 6.—Austro-German forces in Galicia yesterday attacked Russian advanced posts at Breezany, but were repulsed by our artillery fire. Russian soldiers beg for places in front line. Policy of trusting to national spirit has good results, army's fighting value greatly strengthened. The troops have been reawakened, whole units volunteering for duty.

Vienna, July 6.—Heavy sacrifices by Austro-Hungarian troops to regain the positions lately wrested from them by the Russians is reported.

Berlin, July 6.—Little fighting activity yesterday in eastern Galicia where Russians are conducting the offensive. On the fronts defended by Von Mackenzen and Archduke Joseph, in Roumania, greater local activity.

Athens, July 6.—Gen. Hara Lambis, war minister in Zeamis cabinet, appointed chief of general staff.

Buenos Aires, July 6.—Argentine government's note to Germany on the sinking of the vessels Orina and Toro, demands indemnity and assurance that no more of her ships be attacked.

New York, July 6.—The New York World's correspondent, Cyril Brown, until outbreak of war stationed at Berlin and now at Stockholm cables: "Although no hint comes from Germany of change in her war policy towards America imminent, very possible that Germany ere long will carry ruthless submarine warfare into American waters. Certainly a possibility must be reckoned with."

Montreal, July 6.—Dr. Guerin speaking at a meeting says conscription bill designed to divert attention from the Hon. Robert Rogers.

HUN TRENCH AFTER CANADIANS SWEEP THROUGH.

Above is shown a German trench after its capture by Canadian troops. The sergeant on the extreme left is examining papers found on the German prisoners. Next to the sergeant is a German soldier wearing a storm helmet. The man with a bandage is another German, who is obviously suffering great pain.

## *Jottings of Bella Coola and District*

J. D. Lutz, logging camp operator, and A. B. Root, B. C. land surveyor, of Vancover, after surveying some timber holdings on Burke channel, in which Mr. Lutz holds an interest, took passage south on the Camosun last Sunday night.

Mrs. Chas. Draney and children were passengers for Kimsquit on the mail steamer last week. They will spend two months at Kimsquit with Mr. Draney, who is manager of the Draney Fisheries cannery at that place.

The Misses Phyllis Gibson and Dorothy Clayton after spending a year at school in Victoria returned home, they were accompanied by Mrs. J. W. Macfarne, who will take up her residence here agin after an absence of twelve months.

Considerable wet weather was experienced during the week and farmers had to defer haymaking operations, which had been quite general, throughout the valley.

B. McPhee, logging superintendent for the Pacific Mills, paid a hurried call here this week. Mr. McPhee informed the Courier that the logs were coming in at a very satisfactory rate and the new mill is now operating at full capacity, turning out newsprint equal to anything on the market.

The steamer Camosun, plying between Vancouver and Bella Coola, came in somewhat belated this week. There were two reasons for this; one, was an exceptional large cargo of freight being handled at different ports of call en route. The second was that when the ship touched Vancouver on its return from here last week a strike was on, and deckhands, firemen, coal passers, all walked ashore. Their demand was a rise in pay, to which the operating company would not agree. However, ye old marriner, Capt. Brown, had made up his mind that the sailing of the ship on the regular schedule should not be interfered with for such a small thing as a crew, and if it had to be done he would take the Camosun north all alone. Having made up his mind to this and when the cargo was all on board, from the captain to cook working, the lines were cast off at Vancouver and with less than a corporal's guard of a mongrel crew aboard the ship wended its way north, picking up engine-room artificers, deckhands and freight handlers as the ship touched at the different ports of call, even with this the Camosun arrived here appreciably undermanned.

BELLA COOLA TO THE RESCUE.

While in port a picked crew were signed on. These comprised men who had seen more or less of seafaring life and in their days sailed the seven seas; served their time before the mast and are holders of the most ancient and honorable title of A. B. Again in this was also Poor Loo, who has had the pleasure and chagrin of handling the ropes and freight trucks in the old and almost forgotten Princess Louise, the Danube (now the Salvor), the Barbara Boscowitz (long since wrecked), and many other of the coasting vessels of over a quarter of a century ago. After discharging a large consignment of merchandise and cannery supplies the ship left, and to the ordinary landlubber it was quite apparent that the S. S. Camosun was now manned by the class of sailors that understood orders and knew their posts as well as their duty when at sea, men that would be fit to serve on a H. M. S. Queen Elizabeth.

Mr. R. L. Collard, a former resident of Bella Coola, who left here four years ago to take up his abode in the Peace River country, is here on a visit. In speaking of that section of Alberta, Mr. Collard claim, is perhaps one of the best grain growing sections in Canada, but transportation is the problem. The building of the Edmonton, Fort Dunvegan and British Columbia railway is doing a lot to assist in settling the country. While the work on this line is going on steadily, yet owing to war conditions and the difficulty of getting materials the construction of this line is not being rushed, besides there is also a shortage of railway labor in Canada at present. At any rate this line is building towards the B. C.

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SATURDAY, JULY 7, 1917.


### *"Time."*

"Time—time is a hesitating and perplexed neutral. He has not yet decided on which side he is going to swing his terrible scythe. For, at the moment, that scythe is striking both sides with fearful havoc. The hour will come when it will be finally swung on one side or on the other.

"Time is the deadliest of all the neutral powers. Let us see that we enlist him among our allies. The only way to win time is not to lose time. You must not lose time in the Council chamber; you must not lose time in the departments which carry out the decrees of the Council, you must not lose time in the field; in the factory, or in the workshop.

"Whoever tarries when he ought to be active—whether it is a statesman, a soldier, an official, a farmer, a worker, a rich man with his money- is simply helping the enemy to secure the aid of the most powerful factor in the war—time. Act, and act in time. That is our appeal to you."
—Right Hon. Lloyd George.

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"Time." Now is the time for members of the local Farmers' Institute to get busy and see that the Institute possesses a stumping machine to loan out to the members this Fall.

Hon. John Oliver, minister of agriculture, has authorized the purchase of a limited number of stumping machines to be supplied to Farmers' Institutes on a deferred payment system. This action on the part of the minister of agriculture is the outcome of a number of requests which have been received by the department from Farmers' Institutes. In giving the Farmers' Institutes this opportunity to purchase these machines the department assumes absolutely no responsibility and makes no recommendations regarding the comparative efficiency of the various types of machines on the marken. The deputy minister and superintendent of Institutes, Mr. Wm. B. Scott, has witnessed several demonstrations and at each one the results have been satisfactory.

The Department of Agriculture will supply application forms to any Farmers' Institute on request. These forms must be signed by the president, vice-president and directors and also by five members of the Institute. Freight charges on the machines must be paid by the Institute from the factory. Terms of payment for the machines are: one-third on delivery; one-third in one year and remaining third in two years. No interest will be charged on unpaid balances but interest at 10 per cent will be charged on overdue payments. Institutes that fail to make their payments promptly, will not receive their per capita grant on account of membership, but this sum will be dovoted towards the payments due. The Department recommends that all Institutes securing these machines adopt a plan whereby a fixed charged of so much per diem be paid by members who use the machine. By this means a fund will be provided towards paying the cost of the machine and the depreciation in value.

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### *Tariffs May Be Abolished With War.*

The German Socialists, who are right in the country and may be presumed to know something of the causes of the war, propose terms for bringing the struggle to an end and preventing a recurrence of the war which insist upon the abolition of the tariff as essential to international peace.

When this conflict is over protection will find itself discredited beyond rehabilitation in most of the countries of the world. Only the enormous taxation caused by the war it helped to bring about will save it from total extinction.

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The proposal that a woman cabinet minister or two be appointed in our government would receive more consideration were it not for the conviction in some quarters that our cabinet already contains more than a proportionate share of grandmothers.

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### *Astonishing!*

Astonishing, indeed, were the revelations of Sir Sam Hughes in the House of Commons recently respecting the operation of the voluntary system during the latter part of his term as minister of militia. The former head of the militia department makes the gravest of accusations against the prime minister when he alleges that Sir Robert Borden, at the urging of certain other members of the cabinet, had requested the minister to pursue recruiting less vigorously.

That Sir Sam has at least the courage of his convictions was shown when he gave the prime minister day and date for his allegation and offered to prove it by reading the premier's own letters to him on the subject. According to Sir Sam, the premier feared opposition to conscription then developing in Toronto and was prepared to sacrifice the country's needs to party exigencies. This alleged attitude of a few months ago affords a very interesting contrast to the motives professed by the leader of the government at this time, when he asserts that the position of the government in regard to compulsory service is inspired by the highest ideals of patriotism. Reading the statement of Sir Sam after the recent speech of Sir Geo. Foster gives the average Canadian a feeling of suspicion, not unmixed with alarm. This is accentuated by the bald assertion of the former minister that the inaction of the government, to which in large part he blames the alleged failure of the volunteer system, was caused by consideration of the interests of the profiteering firms who have fattened on the agony of the nation. This indictment was supplemented by the declaration of the former minister that all the other members of the cabinet were engaged in assisting in this work by their meddling, hindrance and intereference with him and his duties as head of the militia department. Whether intentional or not this interference was in the interests of the profiteers; this is the inference drawn from the ex-minister's statement.

### No Quitter.

Uncle Sam is not a quitter; he is slow to shed his coat, slow to draw his lethal weapons and demand another's goat. But when once the fuss is started, though the scrap be fierce and rough, Uncle Sam will go the limit and will never say "Enough!" When the war captains thunder, and the brazen bugles blare, Uncle Sam will join the scrimmage, with his coattails in the air, he will swing his shining sabre, he will whirl his deadly brand, till the Hohens cease their zollern, and the Kaiser has been canned. You will see his banners flying as today you see them flung, till he fetches home the bacon and the last dog has been hung. Though he's slow to indignation—as his neighbor's long have felt—he can whip an anaconda when he tightens up his belt; oh, he'll scrap and keep on scrap-

## *Quit Your Meanness.*

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Hide the sounding board likewise;
Anyone can be a knocker;
Anyone can criticise.

Cultivate a manner winning;
Though it hurts your face to smile;
And seems awkward in beginning;
Be a booster for a while.

Let the blacksmith do the pounding;
That's the way he draws his pay;
You don't get a cent for hounding
Saint and sinner night and day.

Just for solid satisfaction,
Drop a kind word in the slot,
And I'll warrant you'll get action
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ng, never think to end the rap, till the foe is shot to pieces d goes tumbling off the map; 'll conduct his redhot riot on e sea and on the land, till the hens cease from zollern, and e kaiser has been canned.—alt Mason.

### A SEAFARING NATION.

In proportion to its population orway is the greatest seafar- nation in the world. On nuary 1, 1916, its mercantile rine consisted of 3,486 vessels, th a tonnage of 2,756,391, or average of more than one ton each inhabitant and practi- ly the whole fleet is owned by rwegian citizens.

To share a thing with a friend to add to its weight and sub- nce.

LOCAL JOTTINGS—continued.

border and will enter this province through the Pine River pass, making for the coast over the most feasible route.

Mrs. B. Brynildsen is in receipt of a letter from her son, Birger, who is now in England. He is just out of the hospital where he, like the majority of the soldiers, has been down with the measles.

"I am quite well again and expect to go back to my regiment in a few days. I must tell you we had the pleasure (?) of seeing sixteen German aeroplanes pass right over our heads dropping bombs all around, which made a whistling sound as they fell; one does not know where they will land and we breathe a sigh of relief when once they explode. We know that one did not get us.

"One of the chaplains gave me a Vancouver paper the other day, it was five weeks old, but if you had seen me reading it you would think it was the evening paper just off the press. I have not had any news from home since I arrived here. When a soldier from any of the other Canadian units is brought into the hospital the first thing to know is where did he live in Canada and who does he know, and as a rule he does know somebody that someone else knows. I am looking forward to meeting some of the Bella Coola boys. Kindly remember me to all friends."

### Fishermen on Strike at Rivers Inlet.

Owing to a strike of fishermen for higher prices, fishing at Rivers Inlet is being held up.

The canners arranged in the early part of this year to give 20 cents per fish for cannery gear and 32 1-2 cents per fish for independent gear, this being an advance of five cents upon the preceeding year. The white fishermen considered this was not an adequate price considering the present high selling price and are now striking for 25 and 37 1-2 cents per fish. The managers have so far met their demands half way and offered 22 1-2 and 33 cents, which up to the present, the strikers do not seem disposed to accept, even though it constitutes a rise of 50 per cent on last year's price: consequently, so far, the canneries are idle, and also the men.

### SYNOPSIS OF COAL MINING REGULATIONS

COAL MINING RIGHTS of the Dominion, in MANITOBA, SASKATCHEWAN and ALBERTA, the YUKON TERRITORY, the NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES and in a portion of the PROVINCE of BRITISH COLUMBIA, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 an acre. Not more than 2,560 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal subdivisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of $5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of $10.00 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of the Interior.

N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.—30690.

What's in a name? "Hohen" in German means "high," and "zoll" means tax; hence "Hohenzollern" means high taxes.

## Land Notices

### VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT

DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.

TAKE NOTICE that Oliver Handy, of Chezacut, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 120 chains west and 60 chains south of Mile Post 33, 124th Meridian, thence north twenty chains, thence east forty chains, thence south twenty chains, thence west forty chains to point of commencement.

OLIVER HANDY.

Dated May 25, 1917.

June 23--Aug. 18

### VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT

DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.

Take Notice that Gilbert Axford, of Chezacut, B.C, occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted twenty chains north of the northwest corner of Lot 1077, Range 3, Coast District, thence north twenty chains, thence east twenty chains, thence south twenty chains, thence west twenty chains to point of commencement.

GILBERT AXFORD.

Dated, May 19, 1917.

### VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT

DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.

TAKE NOTICE that Gilbert Axford, of Chezacut, B. C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted forty chains east and forty chains south from the southeast corner of Lot 1077, Range 3, Coast District, thence east twenty chains, thence south twenty chains, thence west twenty chains, thence north twenty chains to point of commencement.

GILBERT AXFORD.

Dated, May 19, 1917.

June 23--Aug. 18

### VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT

DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.

Take Notice that Earl Neece, of Alexis Creek. B.C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about one mile distant and in a westerly direction from Mile Post 42, 124th Meridian, thence north twenty chains, thence west twenty chains, thence south twenty chains, thence east twenty chains to point of commencement.

EARL NEECE.

Dated, March 17, 1917.

### VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT

DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.

TAKE NOTICE that Earl Neece, of Alexis Creek, B.C., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about two miles distant and in a westerly direction from the 43rd Mile Post, 124th meridian, thence south twenty chains, thence west twenty chains, thence north twenty chains, thence east twenty chains to point of commencement.

EARL NEECE.

Dated, March 17, 1917.

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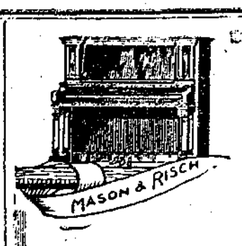


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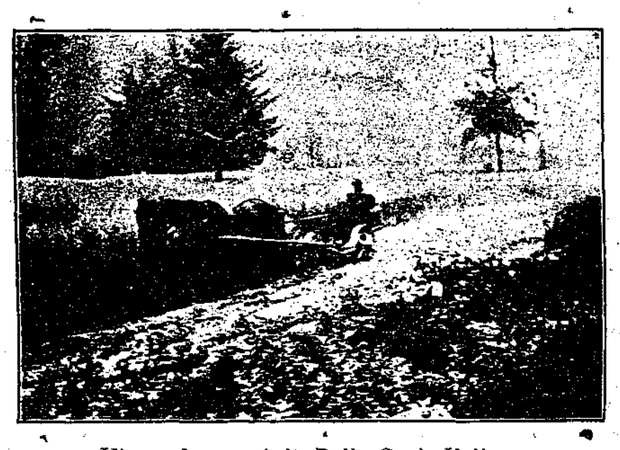

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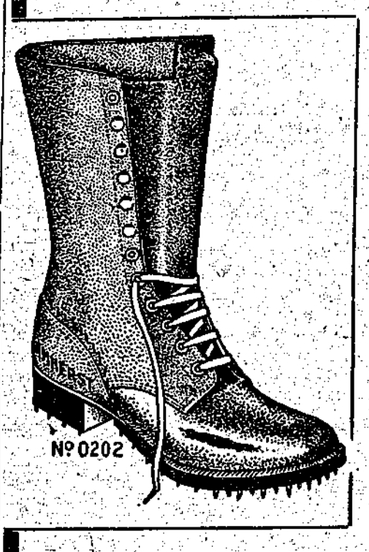


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### BULLET IN HEART.

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### BACK IN "BLIGHTY."

"Here I am back in 'blighty' again, and am not sorry about it either. I am getting along fine now and able to jog around a little, but I had a pretty rough time of it in the line and getting down to Boulogne. The trouble was pleurisy in the left side. However, I've fallen on velvet alright. This is a beautiful place. An old country mansion. It is not run by the military and we get splendidly treated in every way. The hospital stands in beautiful grounds and, of course, we are free to roam all over the place. I tell you Mr. Gibson, I'm here till they kick me out. I consider myself very lucky to be sent over here, but they are keeping the hospitals in France as clear as possible. I was in France only about ten weeks; just joined the battalion in time to get in on the Vimy Ridge affair. That was a terrible fight, and the Canadians lost heavily; but what Fritz's losses must have been we have only a vague idea. Hundreds of Germans were buried in their dug-outs. I shall never forget the terrible sights the morning after we drove Fritz off the ridge. And the ridge itself! It's really true that there was not a square yard that was not turned up by shell fire. It was a matter of worming your way along narrow ridges in between the shell holes, many of which were full of water stained very red. The dead were laying around in heaps, and not all Germans either. Our artillery is simply wonderful, and when they open up in grim earnest with a barrage before the infantry go over it is hard to imagine how anything could possibly survive."

"I was doing fine until taken sick. We had been sleeping in wet dug-outs and I had been wet through and hadn't even had my boots and puttees off for five days, I stuck it as long as I could and tried to shake it off, but I could not eat anything and after four days fasting went down all of a heap. I saw Ingvald Urseth when we were in rest billets at a place called Capigny."

The above extracts are from a letter by Pte. H. L. Harris and received by Rev. W. H. Gibson.


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