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WEATHER REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER
Compiled by Mr. C. H. Urseth, of the
Bella Coola Observatory.
Temperature: maximum on 1st, 73; mean
maximum, 60.4. Minimum on 29th, 43; mean
minimum, 46.8. Rainfall, 4.44 inches.

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Antwerp Besieged—Terrible Bombardment

Summary of News from Seat of War

Sunday. Thirty-five men alleged to be Austrian reservists arrested on scow in Vancouver harbor. Scow was bound for Seattle in tow of tug-boat from whence the men were promised transportation to Austria.

News from France indicates that if Allies cared to sacrifice large numbers of men they could finish German right wing in a single day's fighting. Prefer to let Germans wear themselves out meanwhile drawing circle closer about them.

Despatch from Sofia says King Charles of Roumania very ill. Must have quiet to save his life. This story is regarded as a ruse to end the popular agitation to have Roumania join forces against Germany.

Another Italian ship sunk by Austrian floating mine near Trieste. Fifty men lost.

Monday. Allies resume offensive taking trench after trench of the German line. In the centre enemy are retiring towards the North. Antwerp fort wipes out entire German regiment. Great battle being fought at Cracow. Czar leaves for the front. German official press admits the presence of cholera in Germany and Austria.

The armed merchantman Empress of Russia, formerly of the Canadian Pacific, drove ashore the German auxiliary cruiser Princess Alice off the Island of Cebu. The Princess Alice which was carrying \$10,000,000 for relief of Germans at Tsing Tau, fled, broken and shattered, within the three miles limit thereby escaping destruction.

German army between Eastern Prussian front and river Nieman in retreat abandoning large quantities of stores and ammunition.

Dominion government consents to the new enlistment of 2,500 men in British Columbia. They may have a permanent camp on Vancouver Island for the winter.

Tuesday. Four Servians are under arrest at Quesnel, B. C. One believed to have murdered an Austrian there on Saturday night. French cavalry execute daring raid, blowing up railway tunnel and retiring before being discovered. British lancers and French troops get between Imperial guards and their artillery and ammunition train. Cut off supplies and destroyed them, rendering big German guns temporarily useless.

Lieutenant-General Von Molke, head of the German general staff, removed from office by Kaiser, owing to a disagreement over a question of strategy.

Strong body of Indian troops have landed in East Africa to protect Uganda railway.

Berlin papers admit the desperate situation on firing line. One paper says "thirty-seven days fighting without rest, in water-filled trenches makes the strain unendurable. German troops cannot retire from firing line for rest. The French guns cannot be located. Severe weather is causing great sickness.

Wednesday. Czar is about to annul important restrictions against Jews giving them equal rights with other Russian subjects. Liberal measures on behalf of Finns have also been prepared.

French have mined all Austrian waters in the Adriatic.

Great Britain prohibits exportation of raw wool.

Serious epidemic of dysentery has broken out among Austrian troops.

Russians invade Hungary with intention of effecting a junction with the Servians who are advancing.

Japanese army occupies Shantung railroad in China. It is reported that the German cruiser Cormorant and two gun boats were sunk in Kiau Chau bay by the Japanese.

Official list published at Berlin gives German losses, killed and missing, up to September 1st as 117,000. Authorities admit loss to date to be over 300,000.

A London despatch says it is believed preparations are being made for an air raid on England. Count Zeppelin and staff now at Whelmshaven on the North Sea said in interview he would show England very soon. His large staff are working day and night.

British submarine has sunk German destroyer in estuary of river Ems in North Sea.

German offensive against Russians on river Neimen brought to end by complete check with heavy losses. Austrians lose 3000 prisoners and many machine guns to Russians in Poland.

Japanese forces have seized Caroline group, 680 small islands bought by Germany from Spain in 1889.

Thursday. Official despatch from Paris says enemy have made no progress on left wing. Fighting in the northern areas is developing favorably to us. Operations of opposing cavalry now extend to sea coast. On north between the Somme and the Oise the Allies have retaken positions previously vacated. On the centre the situation remains the same. On the heights of the Meuse between Verdun and St. Michael the enemy have drawn back north of Hatten. A German aeroplane dropped two bombs at nine this morning in the suburbs of St. Dennis, three persons were wounded and some property de-

German Troops Invest Antwerp

British Troops to Assist in Defence

Amsterdam, Oct. 8.—German troops are investing Antwerp. They crossed the river Nethe under cover of fire from heavy artillery. The German commander announced that bombardment would commence this morning unless the city surrendered. The condition of panic among the populace was greatly increased by the appearance of enemy's air-craft which dropped bombs, destroying seven houses and killing twenty people.

Seat of Government Removed to Ostend.

Three times were the Germans driven back with great loss before they crossed the Nethe. Antwerp must now submit to siege. Two steamers left early this morning with refugees and consuls. 100,000 fugitives are now in Holland. The Belgian government has been removed to Ostend. All attempts by the Germans to cross the Scheldt have been successfully repelled.

A London despatch says it is reported from Antwerp that British troops with heavy guns have arrived to take part in the defence of the city.

The Belgian army is marching into the city exhausted from hard fighting; the defence of the city is being left to the forts.

Fresh German troops amounting to five army corps are preparing to attack the city. It is believed that the German plan is to establish a second line of defence from Antwerp to Brussels and on to Namur and Metz.

Parts of the City in Flames

Despatch from Ostend dated October 9th describes the bombardment of Antwerp as terrible. The Germans are throwing incendiary bombs and many parts of the city are now in flames.

Cruiser Nurnberg Gets Comox Coal

Vancouver, Oct. 9.—According to the captain of the Norwegian steamer Henrik Ibsen, now at Tacoma, it was Comox coal which bunkered the Nurnberg at Honolulu. The Henrik Ibsen carried the coal, sailing from Comox on August 18. She discharged it at Honolulu and the Nurnberg got seven hundred tons of it.

stroyed.

Russian general staff reports the German army defeated on Neiman river, afterwards retreating to Eastern Prussia where it entrenched itself.

Friday. Casualty list of the British losses issued gives one officer killed, three died from wounds, six wounded and two missing. List also issued under dates of September 15, 16, 17; this includes 57 non-commissioned officers and men killed, five died from wounds, 270 wounded and 625 missing.

The Times correspondent south of the Aisne says that at one centre a most important British victory is now complete. Germans evacuated trenches leaving behind many dead. Battle of the Aisne not finished even now. A great wedge of the Allied forces is now being thrown forward.

Russians Continue Victorious

German Detachment Annihilated

Petrograd, Oct. 9.—Official despatches from general headquarters say that the fighting on the East Prussian frontier continued on October 7th with increased ferocity. In spite of heavy reinforcements the German attacks have been repulsed. In the region of Wirhalton and Philipoff in Russian Poland the Russian troops have captured Malaphezena by night assault.

West of Rachtka, the Russian forces, in a night attack, surrounded a large German detachment which was practically annihilated and three rapid-fire guns captured. Russian troops have also captured the town of Biala. In other regions the situation remains the same and there is nothing of importance to report.

The attack on the garrison at Prezemsyl continues in favor of the Russians who have captured by assault strong fortifications which constitute the principal position.

Brussels Is Starving

Thousands of People in Desperate Condition There

London, Oct. 9.—Seven hundred thousand persons in Brussels are facing starvation, according to Hugh Gibson, secretary of the American embassy there, who is in this city. The last apportionment of flour to the citizens of Brussels has been given out and other staples are all virtually consumed.

Efforts to get food from Antwerp have failed. Inasmuch as Brussels is in charge of the Germans, it is in effect German territory. Neutral nations could not undertake to supply food to Brussels, even if transportation facilities were normal.

France's Finances Easy

Bordeaux, Oct. 9.—Alexandre Ribot, minister of finance, informed the cabinet that the financial situation October 1, was entirely satisfactory as shown by the books of the treasury department and the Bank of France. He said there would be no new recourse to public loans.

Jottings of Bella Coola and District

Gospel Services

A series of SPECIAL GOSPEL SERVICES will be held in the MACKENZIE SCHOOL commencing tonight and continuing throughout next week. The meetings will commence at 7 o'clock each evening.

The services will be conducted by Capt. W. D. Stephenson and Mr. E. Whitehead, assisted by the local pastors and others.

A cordial welcome awaits everyone.

The S. S. Camosun arriving here on Sunday last brought the largest number of passengers to arrive by any one steamer for some time past. The passenger list for this port included the names of over twenty persons, among whom were the following: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Macfarlane, Miss Josie Fosbak, Messrs. C. Mills, C. Garrett, H. Evans, J. Nygaard, Robt. Jennings, and A. H. Tomlinson.

Mr. Levi Lauritson left for the south on Sunday's steamer after a week's visit to his father Mr. P. Lauritson of Hagensborg.

Mr. F. Renworth, well known hereabouts as the erstwhile representative of Ames Holden & Co., has spent the last two weeks in the valley. Mr. Renworth now represents the Great West Life Insurance Co., and judging by the success which has attended his efforts in this place he is going to make good.

The local exhibition of farm products was cancelled at a late moment, but we understand that an effort will be made to hold a small exhibition on October 30th, which date is the anniversary of the landing of the Norwegian colonists in Bella Coola.

Shushartie Bay

(FROM OUR RESIDENT CORRESPONDENT)

The annual fair at Cape Scott was held on Friday, September 18th. The weather was not all that could be desired, a few heavy showers falling in the early part of the day; but this condition in no way affected the success of the occasion. The exhibits were all of a very high order and came from all parts of the North Island. Such an array was very gratifying, showing, as it did, the remarkable results attained by the neighboring farmers in the cultivation of garden stuff. Among the prize-winners were Messrs. T. Wadey and F. Fingley in the bachelors competition for the best loaf of bread. In the needlework competition Miss Sybil Bragg won the first prize with an excellent piece of fabric. The number of ladies at the ensuing soiree proved a very attractive feature; they included the Misses Dolly Bragg, Gwen Pearce, E. Cox and L. Vick. Miss Wadey and Miss D. McQueen. Mrs. Smeltikoff gave some very pleasing recitations and Mrs. McQueen sang one or two delightful songs. Mr. Webster, assisted by Mr. G. Bassett, provided musically or 'dreamy' as suited the number on the dance program; the floor was in excellent condition. Altogether, the evening progressed with a decided elan. Before the close a collection was made for the war fund.

Mr. M. Manson, M. P. P., in company with Mr. Clements, the Dominion representative, visited Shushartie Bay on Wednesday the 23rd ult.

Mr. E. R. A. Russell, treasurer of the Bella Coola Red Cross fund, has received acknowledgment of the first contribution to the Vancouver Society in a letter which reads in part as follows:

Dear Sir,—I am in receipt of your letter of September 12th enclosing bank draft for \$211.80 being a contribution on behalf of the residents in your locality.

We gratefully appreciate the very generous donation which you have sent us. This handsome contribution is all the more gratifying since it is spontaneous.

Yours faithfully,
ISRAEL I. RUBINOWITZ,
Sec.-Treas. Vancouver Red Cross Society.

The local branch of the W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlton on Wednesday last, when plans for the immediate future were freely discussed.

Timber inspector W. McCrae visited this place during the week for the purpose of issuing hand-lodging licenses.

The newly organized Ladies Aid Society met at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Bavis on Tuesday afternoon. The attendance was excellent and augers well for the success of the effort. The energies of the society are being directed towards raising funds for the building of a church in the town, and it is expected that a sale of work will be held early in January next.

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Fishing in local and neighboring waters is now over and that the season has been a satisfactory one will be seen by the following:

At Bella Coola the total pack amounted to over 25,000 cases, while the combined pack of the two canneries at Kimsquit totaled about the same amount. Namu cannery handled the immense pack of 40,000 cases.

At Rivers Inlet the pack of the various canneries are reported as follows: Beaver cannery, 19,000 cases; Good Hope, 18,000; Brunswick, 15,000; Kildala, 18,000; Wadhams, 18,000; Rivers (Continued on last page.)

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"Salus populi suprema est lex."

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Notice to Our Readers

We desire to remind our readers that, the Courier having completed its second year, the subscriptions of our early subscribers are due for renewal.

The management wishes to thank our numerous readers for their support during the past years and trusts to a continuance of the same in the future.

The subscription rate remains at \$1 per year, payable strictly in advance.

Britain's Food Supply.

The great, and perhaps natural, fear that should Great Britain become involved in a European war her populace would soon be feeling the pangs of hunger has been effectively expelled by the present struggle. Her stores of food-stuffs are much above the average. Imports of grain have been largely in excess of normal because so many continental ports have been closed. Up to the present time forty-eight cargoes of grain destined for continental ports have been landed in England.

The ocean tracks to Canada and the United States are now open and a regular steamer service between Archangel on the White Sea and London has been established, which will enable Russia to continue her shipments of butter and eggs to England.

The stocks of meat in London warehouses at the present time are estimated, to be 60 per cent. above the average. The wheat, maize, and barley stocks are 150 per cent., 200 per cent., and 600 per cent., respectively, above the average.

More than 6,000,000 gallons of petroleum, not intended for England, found their way there because of the closing of continental ports.

So long as Great Britain has her great navy and her Dominions over-seas, she will never be brought to face starvation.

The Science of Death-Dealing.

In the past, war has been sufficiently prodigal in its squandering of life and gold, but until recent times the science of death-dealing was scarcely out of its cradle. During the last generation the science of warfare has been so revolutionized as to remove it as far from the day of Sedan as Sedan was removed from Agincourt.

An expert states that the artillery of today is at least 116 times more deadly than that which

slaughtered thousands at Sedan and Gravelotte. For example, in 1870 shrapnel fire only scattered 37 death-dealing missiles. Now it scatters 340. Forty years ago, a bomb weighing 70 pounds burst into 42 fragments. Today, when charged with peroxilene, it breaks up into 1200 pieces. It is estimated that such a bomb would effectually destroy every living thing within a radius of 200 yards of the point of explosion. So terrible in its power of slaughter is the modern cannon that, if a body of 10,000 had to traverse a mile and a half under fire from a single battery, they would be exposed to 1450 rounds before they could cross the zone of fire. The bursting of the shells from that single battery would scatter 275,000 bullets (more than 27 for each man) over the area through which the men must pass.

The modern rifle has a range of two to three miles, and such power of penetration that its bullet will easily pass through a dozen men before its force is spent. Such, too, is its speed of flight that there is no longer any need to sight the gun so as to drop your bullet at any particular range. You aim straight at your object and the bullet goes straight to its mark. Today, the soldier can fire twelve times as many shots per minute as he was able to do a generation ago. As recently as the Russo-Turkish war a soldier could only carry 84 cartridges into action; now he can carry, roughly, four times that number without adding to his burden.

An Elaborate System Which Failed.

As remarkable as the German invasion of France has been the absolute lack of success of the elaborate German secret service system. In anticipation of the war which she intended to make, and 'the day' when she should start upon her campaign to become the ruling nation of the world, Germany has for many years maintained a most complete system for the collecting of information respecting the positions and military strength of other nations. She has had secret agents in every country

in the world. There have been hordes of them in England, in Ireland, in Canada, in British South Africa, in India, and elsewhere throughout the Empire.

It has been practically admitted, through German threats and boasts, that it was upon information supplied by the secret emissaries, these men who for years have been spying upon us, watching our every move, that Germany chose the present time to launch her long cherished campaign. Her secret agents said that Ireland was on the verge of open rebellion, only awaiting an opportunity to throw off the English 'yoke.' Canada was represented as being anxious to break ties with the Empire and declare her independence, or to attach herself to the United States. Spies in India said it would be an easy task to stir up rebellion there, while in South Africa the Boers were expected to side against Great Britain.

How miserably these spies have failed in their task, and what a hornet's nest they have brought about the ears of their 'Fatherland.'

We of Britain can hardly understand how such a mistaken calculation of our loyalty could have been made.

The secret of the great mistake lay in the fact that, unaccustomed to freedom himself, the German secret agent no doubt took our quarrelsome party efforts to still further improve our system as indicating that we were being suppressed and burdened with a yoke. He could not understand that it was our very liberty which permitted these efforts on our part.

This mistake was, after all, perhaps only a natural one. But it will prove a costly one for Germany. Her knowledge of the benefit of British freedom will be dearly purchased.

"Exterminate the Treacherous British."

A ROYAL AND IMPERIAL COMMAND.

"It is my Royal and Imperial command that you concentrate all your energies for the immediate present, upon one single purpose. You are to address all

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This order will be read with a thrill of pride by every Britisher the world over. It is gratifying to know that the Kaiser considered the 'contemptible' little British army of such importance that it must be wiped out at any cost and 'without delay.' It is pleasing to see how he recognized that it would certainly require all the skill and valor of his troops to effect the purpose.

How these orders were carried out will ever form one of the brightest pages in the history of British arms. Instead of being wiped out the 'contemptible' little British army seems to have done considerable wiping out among the flower of the Kaiser's army. The Germans themselves have borne tribute to the British soldier. The British Tommy has ways of his own which the Germans cannot understand. He will emerge from a bayonet charge and presently may be met whistling himself off down the road to some other point where his services are required. 'Whistle?' wrote one bewildered German. These British fellows whistle whether they give us the bayonet or the water bottle. They are such cheerful devils."

The Kaiser's troops, over a quarter million strong, were ordered to wipe out Gen. French's contemptible little army. We know how they hurled reinforcement after reinforcement at the thin line of khaki clad men and we know with what disastrous results to themselves. We know how that little British army saved France, and how the German horde has today the poor satisfaction of still being opposed by the same troops, undismayed, themselves doing the greater part of the wiping out process.

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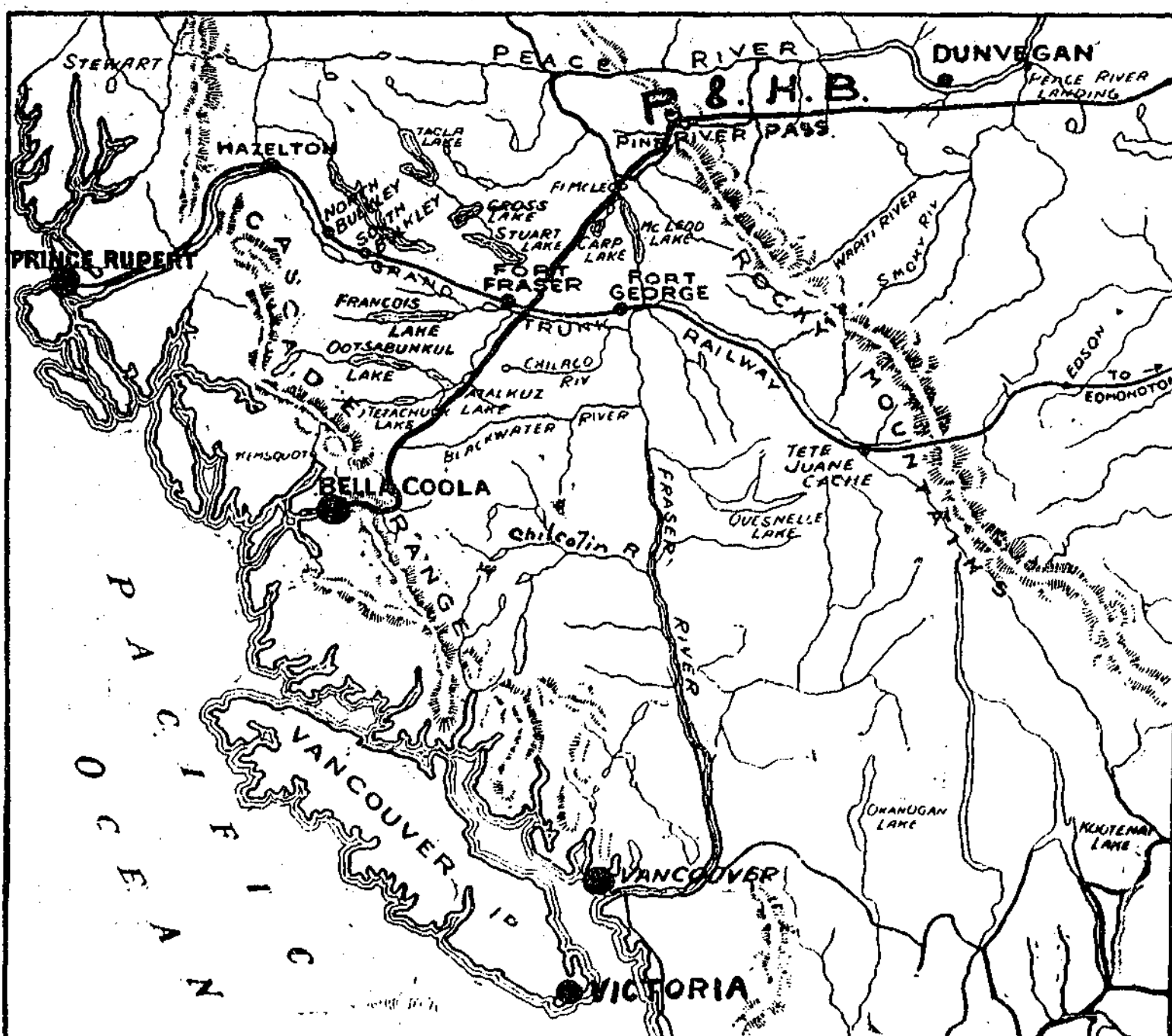
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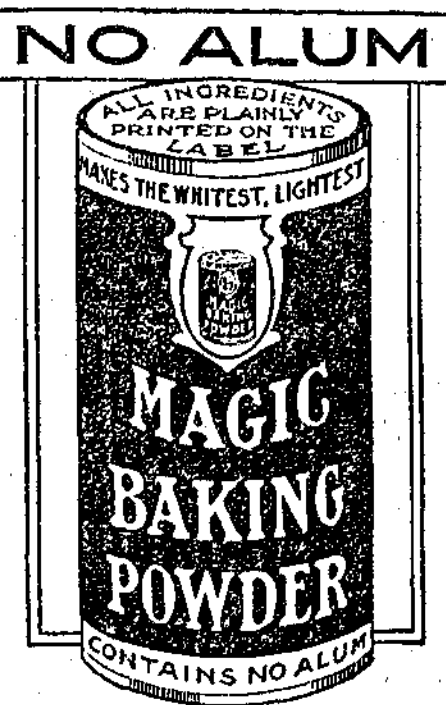
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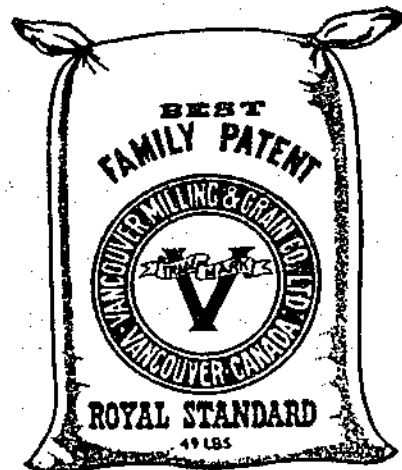
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The Kaiser's Holy War.
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"No matter how long the campaign and how great the sacrifice it may entail, we know that the true and lasting interests of the toilers and wage earners in Germany can only be served by the victory of the Allied armies.

"The Kaiser, having ruined the innocent and deceived Belgium, is now despoiling France and drenching the land with the blood of his victims.

"It must, therefore, be plain to all honest men, without distinction of race or creed or party, that there can be no settlement of the existing disruptions, no lasting peace or security for the rights of man and no protection of democracy from brigandage and death until the Imperial domination of Prussia within Germany is crushed, disarmed and swept away forever.

"Then, and then only, will Bavaria, Wurttemberg, Saxony and Hanover be rescued and Poland liberated from the grip of the Monarch who, by his conduct, has forfeited the allegiance of his subjects, and by his boasted defiance of all international treaties and conventions, has embarked on a career of crime unparalleled in ancient or modern history."

This appeal is signed by Karl Bernstein, Emil Gott, Franz Gaussen, Jacob Mamelsdorff, Gustav Ochs and Ernest Schuster.

A majority of our American cousins now figure that did Germany have any chance of emerging from the present struggle successful they would have to exchange one shop-worn Monroe doctrine for about two hundred assorted battle craft. And this in spite of the efforts of pro-German papers in the States to picture Germany as the friend of freedom and culture.—Ottawa Journal.

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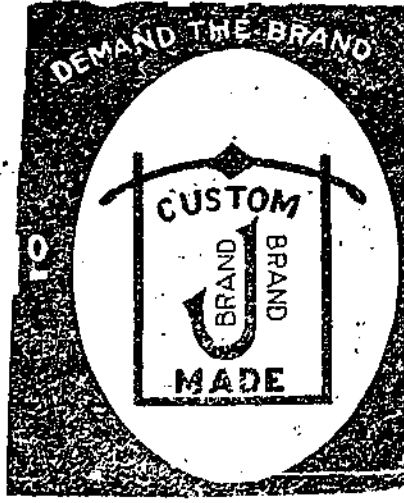
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Fishery-overseer G. Saugstad and officers R. Saugstad and E. Wheeler have returned from Rivers Inlet with the power boat Merlin which will now be laid up for the winter.

Fishery-officer John Widsten, in charge of Bella Coola and Kimsquit waters, has also finished his season's work and has gone on to his ranch at Hagensborg.

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