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Compiled by Mr. C. H. Urseth, of the Bella Coola Observatory.
Temperature: maximum on 20th, 77; mean maximum, 71.13. Minimum on 31st, 43; mean minimum, 50.74. Rainfall, .89 inches.

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Says Germany Had Better Sue For Peace

Summary of News from Seat of War

Sunday. Official despatch from the front says: "Last remnants of German cavalry have been defeated, and a large part of their automobile artillery and ammunition trains have been taken by the British. Huge numbers of their rank and file have been either captured or cut off."

British officer says, German forces in France have failed. Allies have them on the run in every direction. There will be no siege of Paris and the government can safely return from Bordeaux at once. British severely punish the Prussian guard. An entire Jaeger regiment of sharpshooters numbering nearly 3000 completely wiped out. British sustained very little loss.

Russians continue victorious. They have succeeded in driving in between the Austrian and German armies operating around Tomassow in Russian Poland, and have summoned the entire right wing to surrender.

Monday. Allies are driving General Von Buelow's army back towards the border. Germans are already two-thirds of the distance back to the Belgian frontier.

Correspondents confirm the story that Russian troops are in Belgium, and it is believed that these with the Belgians who are already on the offensive will fall upon the retreating German armies as soon as they cross the boundary line from France. More British troops are also believed to be with the Belgians and Russians.

The armies constituting the center of the German line of advance have been forced across the frontier and the entire French-Lorraine is now liberated.

Paris says the situation is believed to be well nigh hopeless from German standpoint. The Allies are hard on the heels of all three sections of great German force which invaded France.

French defeat the famous German Imperial guard near Sezanne, where a hundred years ago Napoleon won a great victory.

Two German detachments each comprising 1000 men were surrounded and refusing to surrender were wiped out to the last man. The crowning stroke by the Allies was their closing in like a pair of shears with Grand Morrine as the pivot. The Germans were caught between the blades and were crushed.

Flower of Austrian army caught in trap by the Russians in marshes of the river San is facing annihilation or surrender.

Tuesday. Allies continue to pursue the enemy across the border. British and French armies will prevent the enemy from taking up strong defensive positions near the frontier of Germany. It is believed that the next phase of the gigantic war will take place in German territory.

Official announcement from Berlin says that on the morning of September 13th the small German cruiser Hela was sunk by a torpedo from a hostile submarine. Almost the whole crew was saved.

Despatch from Ghent says the retreating German forces are being sorely pressed on all sides. The British are driving the routed right wing everywhere before them and are inflicting terrible losses. Each mile of its retreat is marked by numbers of dead and wounded, besides many abandoned pieces of artillery and baggage wagons. The invading army seems to have met its Moscow and Waterloo cannot be long delayed. The German right wing is shattered to atoms, it is simply a fugitive mob which flees night and day hoping to escape its pursuers.

Wednesday. General Hoefer of the Austrian general-staff announces that the Servian army which crossed the river Sav into Hungary was defeated with heavy loss in a big battle yesterday.

Despatches from Rome claim that Austrian Generals Dankl and Auffenberg have joined forces in Galicia, but in doing so lost over forty per cent. of their armies.

Paris advices say it is believed that another big battle is in progress north of the river Aisne and along the line from Craonne to the forests of Laigle. Result not known. A German defeat would leave the enemy in very serious position as recent heavy rains prevent the quick removal of heavy artillery. It is rumored that East Indian cavalry have arrived at the front and will go into action immediately.

Reports say that the German Emperor is about to proceed to East Prussia to take personal command against Russians.

Thursday. Belgian commission present the terrible charges of murder and rapine brought against Germans to President Wilson.

A message from Bordeaux says that the German people were completely stupefied on learning of the general retreat of the German armies, but were told officially that the movement was but a piece of pre-conceived strategy. It is reported that the German forces have been ordered to retreat to the right bank of the Rhine, evacuating France, Belgium and Luxemburg.

Official statement issued from Nish says the Montenegrins inflicted defeat on Austrians near Kouli Lovo in the direction of Krayayz Gatako on September 12th after desperate struggle.

Amiens dispatch says German right wing is now encircled by the Allies.

A Saxon officer, a prisoner at Troyes, admits that the Germans erred in depending on their numerical superiority. He says that near Malines the German artillery was annihilated by a Russian regiment. One battalion of the 28th German infantry annihilated the whole of a second battalion. In a letter to his wife he says Germany had better sue for peace.

Rout of Austrian Army Is Complete

Russians Inflict Tremendous Losses

London, Sept. 17.—The official press bureau issues the following announcement: It is stated from a Russian official source that the rout of the Austrians in Galicia is complete, though full details are not being received. The Austrian loss since the taking of Lemburg is estimated at 250,000 killed and 100,000 wounded. Four hundred guns, many colors, and vast quantities of army stores have also been captured by the Russians.

The German reinforcements made a desperate effort to save the Austrian army but failed completely. Their loss has also been heavy. The Russians claim to have killed, in Galicia, five thousand Germans. At one point thirty-six pieces of German heavy artillery were captured and at another place a large number of pieces of siege artillery.

The Austrian army is in a serious plight and must soon surrender to save its utter annihilation.

Invasion by Australians

London, Sept. 17.—A dispatch from Sidney tells the story of the invading of Herbertshoe in the Bismark Archipelago, a German possession in the southern Pacific. The German loss is given as thirty killed and seventeen captured, and the colonial losses as nine killed, fifteen wounded.

October 8, Thanksgiving Day

Ottawa, Sept. 17.—Thursday, October 8th, has been chosen by the government as the date of Thanksgiving day. The proclamation appeared in the Canadian Gazette of Saturday last.

Still a British Admiral

London, Sept. 17—The Express states that the resignation of Emperor William from his office as admiral of the British fleet does not appear to have reached the authorities in London. The September navy list still includes his name among the honorary officers, and also that of Prince Henry of Prussia.

Hindu Immigration Proposal Received Warmly at Ottawa

Considerable Satisfaction in the Capital Over Suggested Method to Control Arrivals from India

Ottawa, Sept. 17.—There is considerable satisfaction with the report that the Indian council has proposed a plan for the control of the immigration of Hindus. The adoption of the Japanese arrangement would be, it is said, entirely satisfactory to Canada, and probably to Australia and South Africa, which have also had Hindu incidents.

The arrangement with Japan is that Japanese who reach Canada without passports may be refused admission; that the Japanese shall confine their issue of passports to merchants and students and to laborers to the number of 600 a year only.

If it became known throughout India that Hindus could enter Canada, Australia, New Zealand and South Africa, only when they have passports in their possession, there would be no more Komagata Maru incidents.

With passports required, the authorities in India would have in their own hands the control of the volume of emigration of Hindus to all British overseas dominions, and would limit departures to the numbers and classes of Hindus which Canada, Australia, South Africa and New Zealand would be willing to receive each year and able to assimilate.

At the time of the Komagata Maru trouble Canada urged the British government to find a way of dealing with the Asiatic immigration movement and the passport proposal is the result.

Destroyer of German Cruiser Hela Reaches Port

London, Sept. 17.—The British submarine E-9 reached Harwich today after having torpedoed the German cruiser Hela off Heligoland. The submarine was greeted with wild cheers on entering the harbor. She fired two torpedoes at the Hela, one striking her bow and the other hitting her amidships, whereupon the cruiser immediately burst into flames. Most of the crew of the stricken vessel were saved.

TO OUR READERS AND ADVERTISERS.

With this issue the Courier completes its second year. In order that the third year may be commenced with increased facilities, and as it requires considerable time to obtain the necessary additions to the printing plant, the management has decided to suspend publication for two weeks. Our readers are respectfully requested to understand that this suspension is as much in their interests as our own and is unavoidable.

Jottings of Bella Coola and District

S.S. Camosun docked here on Sunday morning with the usual large consignment of freight, besides a number of passengers.

Mr. M. B. Christensen the well known merchant of Hagensborg, returned last Sunday from a visit to his relatives in Washington.

Dr. W. J. Quinlan, dentist, returned to his headquarters in this town after a visit to Alert Bay and several other points to the south.

Mr. Conway, mining engineer of the Granby Smelter Co., arrived here by the last steamer from the south. The purpose of his visit is to look over the Saloomt mine with a view to purchase. Mr. Conway left town on Monday for the mine and the result of his investigation is being eagerly awaited.

Harry Kivett of Firvale left by the last south-bound steamer for Campbell River where he expects to be employed on survey work.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hall left on the last south-bound steamer. They expect to spend the winter in Washington.

S.S. Celtic called at the local cannery on Monday and loaded some two thousand cases of salmon. She is expected to return in the course of a few days with a large consignment of empty cans. This fact goes to show that the cannery intends to continue operations for some time yet.

The run of cohoe salmon continues satisfactory and there are not yet any signs of the run nearing its end.

J. McCrae, provincial timber inspector, called here on Wednesday. He said the saw-mills in his district are all undesirous of increasing their supply of logs. The hand logger will therefore be at a loss for employment.

A Fish Story.

It is with considerable trepidation that we record the following fish story: One day last week A. E. Hall, J. Hoage and Harry Burt of the "Crossing" took each his rod and line and made for the Kahylst River, which is famous for its brook trout. The party returned to the Crossing the next day with no less than seven hundred and thirty-two fish.

For several days the main diet of the people of the Crossing and Firvale was brook trout.

Did this story appear in a less reputable paper than the Courier one might easily be excused for resorting to the proverbial grain of salt. But we know each of these young men and we know the Kahylst River and find no difficulty in accepting it as the truth and nothing but the truth.

On Tuesday last the editor of this paper had the extreme pleasure of a visit to the government experimental plot at Aytoun ranch, and under the guidance of Mr. S. Le C. Grant made a complete inspection of the premises.

The variety of crops, and the distinctly visible effects of the various kinds of fertilizers upon the growth and yield is both interesting and instructive. Anyone interested in agriculture or horticulture is missing much if he neglects to visit the experimental plot.

Mr. Grant, as the government appointee in charge of the station is the right man in the right place. His heart is in his work and only by indefatigable efforts and the greatest care and attention to the minuest details has he attained such pronounced success.

Besides the experimental station Mr. Grant owns and operates an extensive farm, where produce is grown that would astonish any person not acquainted with conditions at this place.

The editor was extremely sorry to hear from Mr. Grant that owing to the lack of a proper steamer service he finds it impossible to send an exhibit to the exhibition at Prince Rupert. It will be remembered how last year Mr. Grant brought back no less than fifteen first prizes to Bella Coola, out of twenty-one secured by local farmers. It was rumored some time ago that a Grand Trunk steamer would probably call here for the Bella Coola exhibits, and it was anticipated that this valley would have the opportunity of sending an exhibit fairly and justly representative of what the place is capable of producing. Our hopes

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Sunday School - - 11 a.m.
Church Service - 7:30 p.m.

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Germany's Food Supply.

Little credence can be put in the reports coming from Europe from time to time regarding the shortage of food in the German army. It may be that in one or two instances the most advanced forces have not been supplied with the expected regularity. But it is highly probable that the time is drawing near when, to avoid starvation in his country, the Kaiser will be compelled to order his fleet out to give battle with the British fleet in the hope of lifting the blockade from German ports and making possible the entry of food to Germany.

At the commencement of the war, Emperor Wilhelm was credited with the statement that Germany had a supply of food sufficient for a year. Known facts regarding Germany's food sources make such a condition highly incredible, however. While both Germany and Austria grow large grain crops, Germany imports about ninety million bushels of wheat annually for current consumption. The bulk of the importations for this year were on the sea en route to her when war was declared, and nearly all of this was promptly seized by British cruisers. Her supplies from Russia were cut off, and Austria, whose crops this year are reported as being very light, will require all she can secure for her own use.

It is highly improbable that Germany has sufficient supplies in hand to last more than a few months. To secure food for the country it will then be necessary for the Kaiser's navy to risk all in a sea fight. The German public who have paid for the navy will demand some service in return for their money.

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British Columbia's gift to the Motherland is to take the form of 25,000 cases of canned salmon. A wise choice which will be greatly appreciated.

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A contemporary remarks that with the Kaiser eliminated from the contest for the Noble peace prize, Mrs. Pankhurst's chances are much improved.

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Toronto lawyers have organized a corps known as "The Devil's Own." We pity the enemy on whom they inflict their fierce charges.

Retribution.

Sons of the Fatherland
Arm ye and make a stand,
I do command it:
Your Kaiser feels this gloom,
We must have elbow-room,
And with the cannon's boom
I will demand it.

Forests of Great Ardennes,
Furs from each Russian glen,
Ermines and sables:
Gold from the hostile ranks,
Treasure from plundered banks
While our great fame outflanks
Wireless and cables.

God, who will bless our arm
And keep us free from harm,
He's the Creator:
And when between us we
Have conquered land and sea,
And taken fair Paris,
I'll be Dictator.

This is no idle boast,
For with this mighty host,
Myself, and Prussia:
Backed by our gallant fleet,
When our great armies meet,
Our arms are sure to beat
The World, and Russia.

Loose then the dogs of war,
Stop not for Belgian gore,
She will surrender—
Speed, like the light'ning speed
Belgium alone will bleed,
There's none to mark her need,
None dare defend her.

Shines Belgium's glory now,
England! thy solemn vow—
A scrap of paper
German's would trample down,
Gives thee a world's renown;
Shines in thy laurel crown
A lighted taper.

Then Britain's bull-dog pup
She gets her dander up;
So, I defied her:
On then, my warrior's bold,
Break through the Belgian fold,
On to our foes of old,
France lies beside her.

Oh! luckless human things,
Your double eagle wings
Clipped in the flying;
Tell of an awful plight;
Homes wrecked, in flames alight,
And through the day and night,
Groans of the dying.

Louvain may in ashes be,
Lost to posterity
It's priceless treasure:
But from the East to West,
In war's unyielding test,
Vengeance is being pressed
Measure, for measure.

Where is your boasted fleet
Freedom would gladly meet?
Why is she hiding?
Those great huge hulks of steel
Why do they hang round Kiel?
Surely, their pride's to reel
On high seas riding?

Why don't they take a tack
From Kiel to Skagerrack?
Then on to Dover!
Skulking round forts and rivers
Gives Jack a kind of shivers:
Your hope of glory withers
E'en as a Rover.

Ah, Kaiser Wilhelm you
Sought, with your murderous
War's stern solution. [few,
It comes, a festering sore,
Putrid with human gore,
Calling for evermore
For Retribution.

—S. Le C. GRANT.

It is stated that no political contests will be held in Great Britain during the war. In the event of a vacancy the candidate of the party that last represented the constituency will be returned unopposed.

Bump the Sharks.

The government should put the quietus on any dealer who sells at war prices what he bought at peace figures.—Guelph Mercury.

In spite of heavy frosts at Valcartier, none of the soldiers have complained of cold feet.

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To conserve the supply of meat the carnivorous animals in Hagenbeck's menagerie at Hamburg are to be slaughtered. The carcases will probably be served as Hamburg steaks.

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On behalf of the Imperial Government the Viceroy of India has accepted three hundred-bed hospital ships, to be named Loyalty, which have been offered by a number of ruling chiefs.

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The French and German waiters returning as reservists should charge well.—Columbia State.

Increased Activities in the Canadian Cotton Mills

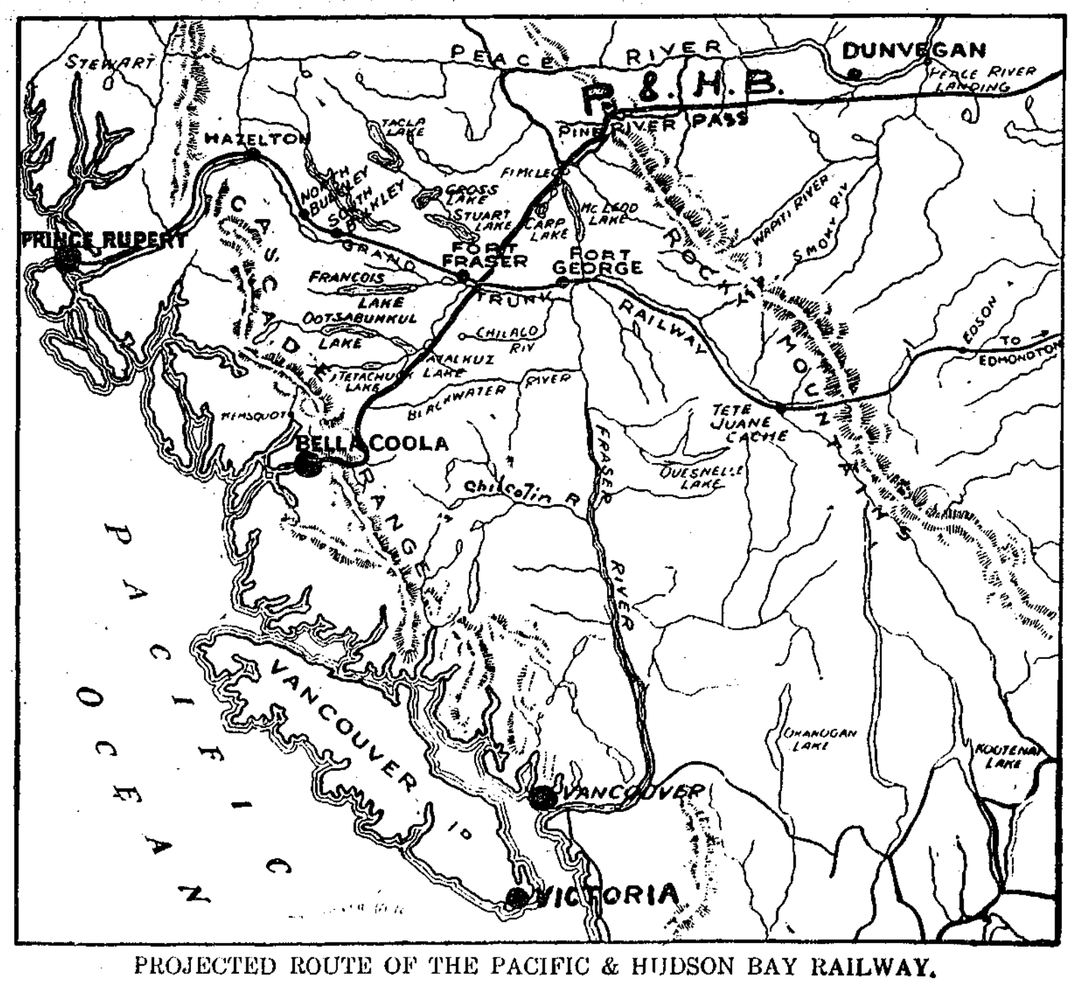
The war in Europe is causing greatly increased activity in the cotton industry in Canada. Cotton factories that were running on short time for months previous to the breaking out of hostilities are now being operated at full capacity. In many plants the employees are working overtime three or four nights a week, while in some plants night and day shifts are being employed. Although much of the overtime and double shifts are due to rush orders from the Government, conditions in the cotton industry are such as to justify the belief that practically all employees of Canadian cotton mills are assured of continued employment at full time.

The imports of manufactured cotton into Canada has been running at about 60 per cent. of the consumption in this country. While the largest importations have come from the United Kingdom there have been substantial imports from Germany, France and Switzerland. The shutting off of imports from Germany and the curtailment of imports from France and Switzerland means that much of the cotton that has been imported into Canada from these countries will now have to be made in this country. The Canadian cotton mills are also being called upon to supply a portion of the trade that formerly went to the United Kingdom. This is due to the increased cost of cotton imported from the United Kingdom owing to increased freight rates, exchange, and insurance, and to uncertainty on the part of many dealers regarding delay or loss in shipment.

The condition of stocks in the retail trade in Canada at the commencement of hostilities was another factor in bringing about the increased demand upon the Canadian cotton mills. For some time previous to the breaking out of the war the consumption of cotton in Canada had been very much under normal. Unsatisfactory business conditions had resulted in dealers allowing their stocks to run down. Many dealers who did place orders for future needs made their orders subject to later instructions as to delivery. It is a significant and most encouraging fact that since the commencement of hostilities most of such orders have been released for immediate shipment. The release of those orders, together with the receipt of new orders from regular customers who had delayed ordering because of the uncertainty of the crop and business conditions generally, and orders from other dealers who had formerly ordered abroad, are giving the cotton industry in Canada a great impetus at this time.

The putting of cotton to new uses to replace other imported raw materials that cannot be secured is still another reason for the increased activities in the cotton industry in this country. It has been customary to use jute in the making of sugar bags and flour bags for export purposes. Jute, in its raw state, comes from India, and, as a rule, is manufactured in the United Kingdom. The holding up of several shipments of jute has resulted in a dearth of jute in Canada and the substitution of heavy cotton for jute in the manufacture of flour and sugar bags. If the importation of jute continues to be impossible or is materially curtailed, it may be necessary to use heavy cotton instead of jute in the making of oil cloth. Other possible uses for cotton are being investigated by Canadian manufacturers and as one of them puts it, "new uses are being discovered every day."

Thus the outlook for the cotton industry in Canada is brighter today than it has been for some time. It is true some manufacturers are a trifle uneasy regarding the supply of dye-stuffs and chemicals, which have come in the past from Germany, but the general opinion is that with some re-adjustments and perhaps some changes in shades, sufficient dye-stuffs and chemicals to meet the Canadian demand will be secured. Everything points to a busy winter for all the Canadian cotton mills and to continued employment for their 14,000 employees.



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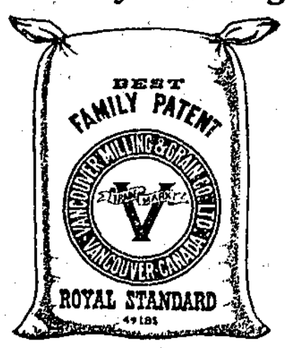

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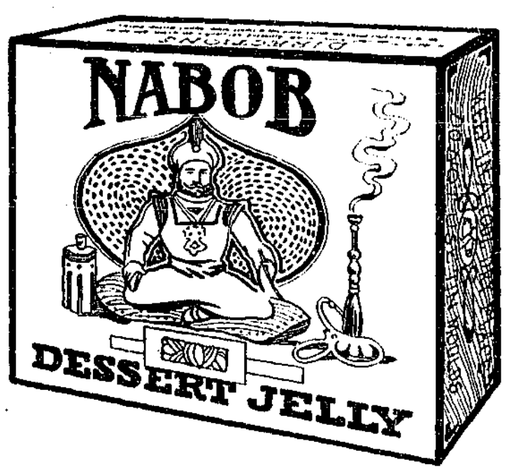

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"Soil?" snapped the colonel. "What's that got to do with it?"

"Well, I thought if it was clay I might make bricks in me spare time."—Everybody's.

The Yellow Peril.

That New York newspaper which has private information that every night a Zeppelin airship flits out into the North sea and that when it returns there is one less English battleship afloat must be anxious for an indefinite prolongation of the war. In the nineteen days so far it has sunk nineteen English vessels. If the kaiser can stretch out hostilities say for 150 days the English navy will be wiped out, while that of Germany will be still intact and will be supreme upon the seas. With such awful maritime doings going on it is no wonder that the English censorship is so strict.—Philadelphia Record.

PLAIN PEOPLE PAY.

If those who own the land of a country were compelled to pay the expense of defending it, war would soon cease.—Winnipeg Voice.

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Commencing at a post planted alongside the stake post of Timber Limit No. 2883 on the east shore of Goose Bay, Rivers Inlet, B. C., thence east twenty chains, thence north twenty chains, thence west twenty chains, thence south twenty chains to the point of commencement the S. W. corner, and containing 40 acres, more or less.

JOHN LINTON TOUGH.

Date, July 31, 1914. Aug. 15--Oct. 30.

VANCOUVER LAND DISTRICT

DISTRICT OF COAST—RANGE III.

TAKE NOTICE that Jesse McVene Graham, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation hotel proprietress, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of Lot 181, thence south twenty chains, thence west twenty chains, thence north twenty chains more or less to sea-shore, thence meandering along shore to point of commencement, and containing 40 acres, more or less.

JESSIE McVENE GRAHAM.

Date, July 15, 1914. Per A. H. HOGAN, Agent.
Aug. 1--Sept. 26.

Census of Belligerents.

The populations of the nations involved in the war are as follows: Britain, 45,370,530; France, 39,610,509; Belgium, 7,571,387; Russia, 171,059,900; Germany, 64,925,993; Austria, 28,995,844; Hungary, 20,886,487; Servia, 2,911,701; Montenegro, 516,000.

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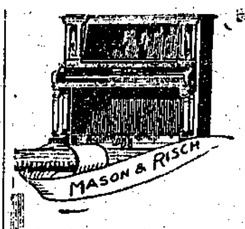

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in this regard, however, are not to be realized. Mr. Grant stated that he would endeavor to send a few samples from the experimental plot as a non-competitive exhibit. It certainly cannot be expected that our farmers would be content to send their produce to Vancouver there to be transhipped to Prince Rupert. The stuff would doubtless arrive in bad condition and would consequently make a very poor showing.

Prince Rupert Exhibition Will Take Place as Advertised

Prince Rupert, Sep. 18.—It has been definitely decided to hold the Exhibition of the Northern British Columbia Agricultural and Industrial Association as advertised, September 30th and October 1st and 2nd.

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Amongst the chief attractions will be the Association Football Cup Competition for which there are already entered the five teams of the Prince Rupert Football League, under the auspices of which league the competition will take place. Any team in Northern British Columbia is eligible for this competition and teams from Terrace, Smithers and Hazelton are expected to compete.

It has been found necessary to cut out the live-stock classes and some others; the following is a complete list of those cancelled: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 15, 22, 23, 28, 33, 34, 35, 36. In class 25, sections 3, 4, 5 are cut out and in class 35, sections 28 to 38 are retained for the children. In class 24 all prizes will be reduced to half what is shown in the prize list. By comparing these figures with the prize list it will be seen that all the important classes are kept in.

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