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Paris, Sept. 9.—The Allies are now abundantly supplied with war munitions, not to mention the stream of shells pouring to the front each day. They have adequate reserves. These deaths and a large number of prisoners, with the continued great activity of the Anglo-French artillery, convince Paris that something is about to happen on the western front.

### THREE DEATHS FROM HEAT IN PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia, Sept. 10.—Excessive heat and humidity caused three deaths and a large number of prostrations here yesterday. It was the latest September 9 since 1884, when the mercury reaching a maximum of about to happen on the western front.

## Week's War News

Venice, Sept. 10.—The Crown Prince Humbert passed through Venice today en route to the front, to stand the eleven birthday with King Victor Emmanuel.

Geneva, Sept. 10.—Two French aviators were killed at DeFingen, Alsace, when their machine struck barb ed wire entanglements as they were making a landing. Bombs aboard the aeroplane exploded. The aviators were buried by the Germans with military honors.

Paris, Sept. 9.—French dirigibles bombarded the railway station at Nesle, 15 miles southwest of St. Quentin, during the night. French aviators showered bombs on the station at Chalons, a railway junction in the rear of the German Crown Prince's army. Fifty bombs were hurled on the Chalons station, and it is reported that great damage was done.

London, Sept. 9.—The opposition of England labor has defeated the attempt for compulsory enlistment in the British armies, at least for the near future.

Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 9.—Cleveland and Canton, Ohio, capitalists closed a contract today for \$80,000,000, to supply Russia with 4,000,000 rifles. Final details of the contract were completed in New York.

London, Sept. 10.—Lloyd Robert Cecil, under secretary for foreign affairs, in a speech at Croydon last night, expressed the firm belief that the Dardanelles expedition was near a great success, which would have an enormous effect in all parts of the world.

Paris, Sept. 9.—A German air raid on Paris, the first in many months, and French attacks on railway stations held by the Germans, featured today's official reports. German aeroplanes bombarded the suburbs of Paris at an early hour today. The Government will permit announcement as to the casualties as soon as full details are received.

Athens, Sept. 9.—The treaty between Turkey and Bulgaria, by which Turkey ceded a strip of territory to Bulgaria, will be signed this week, if it has not already been signed, according to despatches received here today. Signing of the pact, it is believed here, means the definite defeat of the Allies' attempts to win Bulgaria's participation in the war before next spring.

London, Sept. 9.—Two separate air raids on the "Eastern Counties" of England occurred during last night. It was officially announced. The casualties totalled 106, according to the official press bureau. The raid, which lasted for a little more than 24 hours, Zeppelins raided "Eastern Counties" on Tuesday night. The press bureau last night announced an air invasion earlier in the evening, but gave no news as to the casualties. The air raid announced today is the third.

### A. J. SPALDING DEAD

San Diego, Calif., Sept. 10.—A. G. Spalding, a sporting goods manufacturer, died at his home here late last night. Mr. Spalding was referred to as the father of baseball. He organized and managed the first world's tour of the Chicago and All-American baseball teams.

### ZEPPELIN FALLS; CREW KILLED

London, Sept. 10.—An Amsterdam despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company says: "A Zeppelin, which left Brussels in the direction of Antwerp on Tuesday evening and returned on Wednesday morning, lost a propeller while flying over Stockholm. Near Brussels it fell and was entirely destroyed by an explosion and the fire which followed. The members of the crew were killed."

### SPAIN SUPPLIES HUN SUBMARINES

Bordeaux, Sept. 10.—In explanation of the activity of German submarines in the Bay of Biscay, the assertion is made by the Petit Gironde that a steamer registered at Bilbao, Spain, left that port recently with three hundred barrels of benzine. Where the cargo was unloaded is unknown, but soon after the steamer left port empty barrels were seen floating on the sea. The newspaper declares the same steamer took fifty barrels of benzine to a submarine at Concha De Arredo last June. Private advices received at Bilbao state that agents have been scouring the north of Spain for gasoline, which had been sent to Bay of Biscay ports.

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### Anomalies of The Present War

At the outbreak of the present war, many people of experience were convinced that fighting would be conducted at exceptionally long range, the armies being miles apart and hardly visible to each other, even in large bodies, by the naked eye alone. High covering range infantry rifles and ordinance of from five to fifteen miles range made it seem nearly certain that one army could not advance openly toward the other to any point within the range of fire. The great development of the aeroplane and other air craft made surprise attacks in force next to impossible. So, although it seemed certain that this war would be fought out at long range, but one very important element entered into this war as it has entered no other war, before, and completely reversed the situation. Instead of it being fought at far greater range than any previous wars, it is to a very great extent, being fought out at a far shorter range than any previous wars, except those of distinctly ancient times.

Before the war had been many weeks did the supporters of their science to a point where it brought the contending armies literally face to face at distances measured by yards or even feet instead of miles. The science of trench digging has been developed to such an extent that each army worms its way through the ground toward the other, invisibly, until their foremost trenches paralleled the enemy at only a few yards. When such points are reached, the man in the firing trench of each side resort to the only practicable kind of warfare—the ancient and antiquated warfare of throwing bombs at one another by hand or by catapult, as circumstances require. A more deadly game, though of the same idea, as angry school boys "stinging" one another, bomb throwers, of course, must be more exposed than other trench men because they must see where to throw and must get sufficiently above surface to throw the bombs. To protect them in such exposed positions, ancient methods are again resorted to. They wear small rounded and tapered steel helmets which will successfully turn many bullets, shrapnel balls, and shell fragments which would mean certain death without them. They also wear large tempered and tapered steel breast and stomach plates arranged and supported in much the same manner as an umpire's pad, only it stops rifle balls instead of base balls.

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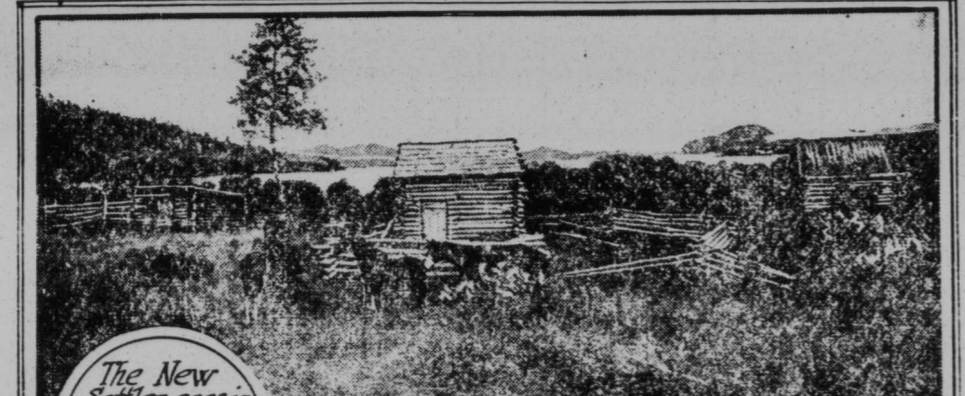
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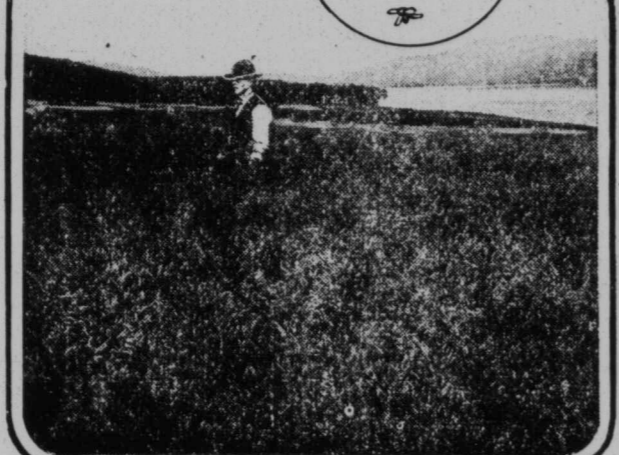
Typical Hay Field, with Mountains in Background.

### STRIKING FACTS IN GOVT. REPORT

Building of Grand Trunk Pacific Line Reveals Many Fertile Valleys in B.C.

"The 'Back to the Land' movement is taking place steadily but surely throughout the province of British Columbia and if this movement is directed along right lines we shall soon be supplying our own markets and eventually exporting."

Such is the declaration made by Mr. W. E. Scott, Deputy Minister of Agriculture in the British Columbia Government. This official, with Mr. W. T. McDonald, Live Stock Commissioner has just returned from an extended tour through the central portion of the province for the purpose of examining and reporting upon the new country along the Grand Trunk Pacific Transcontinental Line, now open for through passenger service. In his report, the Deputy Minister says: "There have been many opinions expressed about the lands in Central British Columbia contiguous to the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific. Our observations led us conclusively to the opinion that this part of the province assured as a stock raising and mixed farming country. After leaving Prince Rupert, on the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, there is practically no land suitable for agricultural purposes until Terrace is reached, 100 miles from Prince Rupert. Here the Kitsum Kalem and Lakelse Valleys extend on each side of the Skeena River. There is probably an area of 250,000 acres of land in these two valleys suitable for agriculture. Considerable development has been effected lately in the Kitsum Kalem Valley. The clearing here, in comparison with our coast districts, is comparatively light. The soil is very productive and is well suited for general mixed farming purposes. Dairy, poultry raising and small fruit and vegetable growing may be prosecuted successfully. The district is particularly well suited for growing strawberries and other small fruits, the quality of the berries being very high and realizing good prices on the Prince Rupert market. Our next stop was at Smithers, in the centre of the famous Bulkley Valley. A very large amount of development work has been undertaken during the past year in this magnificent



A Sample of the Oats Grown on these Valley Lands

valley. The quality of a large proportion of the land is all that could be desired, and very good crops are raised thereon. Crops of oats promising to run 1-0 bushels to the acre were seen, and all prospects were most encouraging. Farmers are realizing that the time has arrived when they should develop their lands, and land-clearing operations are in evidence on all sides. "It is difficult to estimate the amount of land suitable for agriculture in this wonderful valley, but it runs into many hundreds of thousands of acres. Nechaco Valley. "Proceeding along the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific, Fraser Lake is reached. A considerable number of settlers have gone into this district lately and are proceeding to clear land and develop their holdings. The next stop was at Vanderhoof, in the centre of the famous Nechacho Valley. We were immensely impressed with the enormous extent of good land in the Nechacho Valley, most of which can be cleared at a very low cost indeed. A large number of settlers have gone in there, and on all sides one sees signs of activity. Settlers' log houses are springing up in every direction, and considerable energy is being shown by most of them in clearing their lands and getting them into crops. Fields

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