

Farming Possibilities of Graham Island

VEGETABLE AND TRUCK FARMING can be carried on most successfully; potatoes, turnips, beets, onions, parsnips, carrots, cabbage, lettuce, peas, beans, etc., of the finest quality being raised on **Graham Island** at the present time.

FRUIT GROWING is at the present time in the experimental stage, with every indication of success. Several young orchards, not yet old enough to bear, show a splendid growth, with promise of bounteous yield.

SMALL FRUITS ON GRAHAM ISLAND find themselves in the element most conducive to growth and yield. Strawberries, raspberries, currants, gooseberries, etc., grow profusely. A glimpse of the thickets of wild berries in "berry season" is conclusive proof of the "berry" productiveness of the land.

GRAINS can be raised and ripen readily. With careful cultivation, oats and barley, which compare favorably with those grown in other parts of British Columbia, can be harvested.

HAY does remarkably well, all sorts of grasses and clover growing very quickly, the delightful summer weather affording the best "curing" conditions.

DAIRYING is destined to be one of the important industries of **Graham Island**. "I have not seen a more suitable country for dairying anywhere in the Province," says Noel Humphreys, B. C. L. S., in his report as published in "Official Bulletin No. 22 (obtainable from the Provincial Bureau of Information, Victoria, B. C.)