

## ALIEN ENEMIES LET LOOSE BY GOVERNMENT ARE STILL AT LARGE

**Foreigners Taken From Internment Camps to Work in Island Mines Evade Officers and Seek Escape to U. S.**

NANAIMO, Sept. 12.—Thus far the authorities have succeeded in rounding up only 35 of the alien enemy coal miners, who were released from the internment camp so they might be put to work in the mines of Vancouver Island. It was said that more than fifty of them came to the mines in this vicinity. It is believed many got wind of the fact that the scheme to employ them had been made public and they would be re-interned, and are in hiding awaiting an opportunity to get across the line. Thus far 30 of the men have been taken at Cumberland, three here and two in South Wellington.

### **Bowser Is Blamed.**

While there is little excitement here over the matter, opinion expressed is that if the authorities had not taken quick action the people would themselves. Premier Bowser is blamed and responsibility is laid at his door for it is argued that the aliens could not possibly have been brought here and put to work without his consent.