

ALIENS FOR WESTERN COAL MINES INTERNED

Vancouver, May 26.—Internment of alien enemies on a wholesale scale has commenced in the coal mining district of Vancouver Island. Military officials reached Nanaimo from Victoria and 115 Austrians and Germans working in the South Dield, Cumberland and Nanaimo mines were taken out and placed on a special train bound for the internment camp.

The alien enemies were taken into the mines a year ago as strikebreakers when the coal pits were tied up by the Western Federation strike.

There are several hundred still employed and these are to be interned as rapidly as room can be made for them.