

HELPING ENEMY

ACROSS THE BORDER.

Winnipeg is believed to be the western headquarters of an organization having for its object the spiriting of alien enemies across the American border. In that connection several citizens are under surveillance, and will be arrested.

Since the outbreak of the war it has come to the attention of the authorities that there was a large exodus of Austrians and Germans through Emerson. That in itself was not a matter for suspicion, but when trace of the aliens was lost shortly after their arrival at the southern town, an investigation was commenced. It resulted in Otto Geiler, a farmer of Ridgeville, being placed under arrest. Geiler claims to be a naturalized Canadian, and if the charges lodged against him can be substantiated, he is liable to be tried for treason, a serious crime involving the extreme penalty.