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## WINDERMERE.

### WILL HIRE PRISONERS OF WAR.

Prussians to Send Them Out in Squads of Ten to Farms.

The Prussian Ministry of War has issued regulations concerning the employment of prisoners of war as agricultural laborers. It prefers that the prisoners shall be hired out in

squads of from eighty to a hundred men, but is willing, in special circumstances, to permit squads of ten men to be hired. The farmers employing the men have to provide food and shelter for the prisoners, and to bear all the cost of guarding them. If the prisoners work in the vicinity of a regular prisoners' camp, the employers must pay the military authorities four cents a day for lodging and guards. If the prisoners are removed some distance from the camp the employer must pay their railroad fares.