

ARREST GERMAN SPY

Had Joined Vancouver Corps — Was Collecting Military Information.

Vernon, B.C., Aug. 16.—A German spy who enlisted in the ranks of the 54th regiment at Vancouver, by representing himself to be a Swiss reservist, anxious to fight on the side of the allies, has been arrested and will be made the subject of a court martial. The arrest was made quietly in the camp yesterday. Many of the man's comrades were unaware of the arrest or that the man was in any way under suspicion.

It is said that the authorities have evidence of the most incriminating nature to submit against the man, which will show not merely that he is a German under an assumed name and nationality, but that since his arrival at Vernon he has been collecting military information and offering it for sale to Germany through the medium of a neutral mail.