

SALE OF EXPLOSIVES OR ARMS TO ALIENS STRICTLY FORBIDDEN

Calgary Alien on List to Report Had No Trouble in Buying Explosives

Calgary, Nov. 30. — Chief Cuddy warns dealers who handle explosives of any kind to be careful to whom they sell such goods at this time. A case, which was thoroughly investigated by Detective E. P. Schoeppe, of an alien, not even naturalized, who is on the list of aliens "who report, having bought a quantity of explosives without the slightest trouble, has just come to the notice of the police. The foreigner who cannot talk English, bought some cartridges from a local store, and owing to the serious trouble which might result from a foreigner having explosives in his possession, the police chief issues a warning to dealers in this material to be careful. On September 3rd, 1914, an order-in-council was passed for the prevention of the use or possession of firearms, ammunition, dynamite, gunpowder or any other dangerous explosive within Canada by alien enemies.

Section five of the order reads: "It shall be an offence for any person to give, sell, hire, lease or transfer possession of any firearms, ammunition, dynamite, gunpowder or other dangerous explosives to any alien enemy, and any person guilty of such offence shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding \$100 or to imprisonment for any term not exceeding one month."