

# Secret Service Agents Uncovered a Plot of Enormous Proportions

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Welland Canal

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CANADIAN BORDER

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Representative

New York, Feb. 7.—The Herald this morning prints a lengthy story to the effect that the Canadian secret service has uncovered a plot of enormous proportions, the purpose of which was the invasion of Canada and the destruction of the Welland Canal.

Canadian secret service agents, working on this side of the border,

are reported by the Herald to have submitted these findings, among others to their government:

"In that two hundred thousand Mauser rifles had been secretly purchased by German agents and were being shipped to points along the Canadian border.

"That scores of Germany army officers recently have arrived in the United States in the guise of Belgian refugees, and from neutral ports of Europe, with the object of heading an armed force for the invasion of Canada.

"That one-third of the output of American munitions plants has been purchased by German agents masquerading as agents for allied governments, and that these war supplies for the greater part composed of rifles, are stored secretly."