

AUSTRIANS ASK FOR WORK

Ottawa, May 2.—Nine hundred Austrians resident in Port Arthur and Fort William have petitioned the Prime Minister asking employment for them. Because of their nationality they assert they are refused work. In return for it they pledge faithful labor.

The petitioners say they left Austria because of conditions there and came to Canada because of regarding it as a better country to live in. In its development they wish to assist. They want work to that end and also to overcome the indignity of accepting charity.