

Smuggling Aliens.

Brockville, Aug. 16.—The first step towards breaking up the traffic of smuggling Austrians and Germans across the St. Lawrence River at this point to the United States was taken by the arrest of George Marks, a local character well known to the police. Last Saturday four Austrians, three men and a woman, were caught at Morristown, N.Y., after being landed from this side. They were held by the United States authorities until, when Inspector Foster, of the Dominion Immigration service brought them from Canton, N.Y., to Brockville. The Austrians at once identified Marks as the man who rowed them over, and said he received \$20 for his services. The woman hails from Montreal and the men from Ottawa, and it is most likely that all four will be interned. Marks is held awaiting a preliminary hearing.