

TROUBLE MAKER AMONG ALIENS

Kerger, an Interned Alien, Sentenced to Serve One Month in Prison for Activities

A German named Kerger, who is interned with the alien enemies in Brandon, has been sentenced to one month's imprisonment. It is stated that he was attempting to make trouble among the prisoners.

The Kerger case is one of the most peculiar that have come to the notice of the prisoners of war department. Kerger himself has always been regarded as troublesome and reports appear to have quite justified this view. Then Mrs. Kerger happened.

She came from Ontario to Brandon, demanding to see her husband. For one night she was kept by the city. She went to the internment camp and vigorously proclaimed her views but was persuaded to leave.

The city officials, not knowing what to do, wired to General Otter, head of the department in Ottawa. The reply was that Mrs. Kerger was to be disposed of under the civil law; that is, treated as a vagrant. She has since been lost sight of.

Meanwhile Kerger himself has been trying to make trouble among his fellow prisoners and as a result is now serving a sentence of imprisonment.