

PLOT PREMEDITATED AGAINST NEW CANAL?

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St. Catharines, May 16—A surprise raid on the homes of every alien in Thorold by two sergeants of Lt.-Col. Ptolmy's staff has resulted in the discovery of a large quantity of explosives, all of which have been seized. The bulk of the material consisted of fuses, shot and percussion caps, which gives rise to the theory that some attempt on the new canal was premeditated.