

URGE THAT ALIENS BE FORCED TO WORK

Refusal of Aliens to do Productive Work Arouses Ire of Win- nipeg Club

Winnipeg, Oct. 15.—“Whereas there are within the Dominion large numbers of alien enemies and others not friendly to the cause, for which our soldiers are fighting, who have repeatedly signified their refusal to work at any productive pursuits, even at exorbitant wages, therefore, be it resolved by the Kiwanis Club of Winnipeg, that the Dominion Government be strongly urged to take immediate steps, by legislative enactment, if necessary, to enlist the services of these aliens for wood cutting, lumbering, mining, agriculture and other such necessary productive industries.”

The above resolution urging the conscription of all alien labor was unanimously passed at a recent meeting of the Winnipeg branch of the Kiwanis Club.

Copies of the resolution were forwarded to Sir Robert Borden, the secretaries of all Kiwanis and Rotary clubs in Canada, the Canadian Club, the Dominion Council of Women, the Army and Navy Veterans of Canada, the Great War Veterans' Association and many heads of firms who are employing laborers in large numbers.

The Kiwanis Club has for some time been urging this move, and it is understood that a large number of local business men, as well as many patriotic societies, will endorse the resolution.