

DEMAND INTERNMENT OF THE ENEMY ALIENS

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Winnipeg, May 2.—Demanding the immediate internment of the enemy alien population of Manitoba, their deportation, and the confiscation of their money and property over \$75 in favor of the widows and orphans of the soldiers, a delegation of between two hundred and three hundred members of the G. W. V. A. appeared before Premier T. C. Norris in the Legislative Chamber of the Parliament Buildings.

Premier Norris replied at length, dealing with the different jurisdictions of the Dominion and Provincial Governments, and made an announcement that was greeted with cheers, when he informed the veterans, that private employment agencies would cease to exist in Manitoba from June 1. The licenses then expired, he said, would not be renewed.

In regard to deportation and confiscation of alien property, the Premier stated he would make strong representations to Sir Thomas White, Acting Premier of the Dominion, and the Department of Justice at Ottawa, regarding the views of the veterans on the questions. These, he pointed out, were entirely matters for the Dominion, and must be dealt with in a natural way.