

Ticket Agent Rowen Committed on Treason

Sequel to Arrest of 17 Austrians at Niagara Falls

James Rowena, a former employee of Mr. Louis Gurofsky, faced the serious charge of high treason before Magistrate Denison at the police court, Toronto yesterday. On concurrence by his counsel, Mr. T. Herbert Lennox, K.C., he was formally committed for trial at the assizes.

The details of the charge, which involves the death penalty, are familiar

to readers of the Evening Review. It is alleged that Rowena assisted Austrian reservists to get out of the country by endeavoring to pass them off as Roumanians.

"Anyone assisting any public enemy at war with his majesty in such war by any means whatsoever, is guilty, and the penalty is death," quoted Crown Attorney Corley from the statute, in asking for the commitment.