

DISPUTES PAUL HAHN'S RIGHT

To Sue a Canadian, As He Is An Alien
Enemy.

The following Montreal despatch has reference to Paul Hahn, who used to appear as a cello soloist in Kingston some years ago:

Another Austrian case which has arisen in the local courts will be discussed in full before Justice Dugas next Monday.

Paul Hahn claims \$180 from Laird Tedford. The latter claims that Hahn, being an Austrian, has no right to sue. Since the opening of the war, Hahn, has been a peaceable alien, reporting regularly to the military authorities once a month. It is submitted on his behalf that he should be accorded all the rights of a full-fledged citizen in the matter of taking suit, and that he has a right to the full protection of British law.

Tedford claims that Hahn is an enemy alien, has never been interned, and has not the right to seek recourse before the British courts. An exception to the form as well as an inscription-in-law has been filed, asking that Hahn's suit against Tedford be suspended till the end of the war.