

AGAINST ENEMY ALIENS

B.C. Miners Won't Work With Germans or Austrians

Fernie, B.C., June 8.—Six hundred of the miners employed here attended the mass meeting this afternoon, which was the outcome of the British, Russian, Italian, Montenegrin, and Belgian miners refusing this morning to go to work while Austrians and Germans were employed in the Coal Creek Mines of the Crows Nest Pass Coal Company.

Thomas Uphill, miners' secretary and mayor of this city, acted as chairman. From fifteen to twenty speakers addressed the gathering from various angles, but all attempts to reconcile the Britishers to, allowing the aliens while remaining peaceable, to return to their positions, met with cries of derision. A motion was carried, calling for the dismissal of the objectionable men.