

# MAY ESTABLISH DETENTION CAMPS

## Canada Will Likely Take Action Regarding Ger- mans and Austrians

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OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 22.—The officials of the Justice and Immigration Departments are making careful investigation as to the condition and character of Germans and Austrians in Canada, with a view of taking any necessary steps of precautionary measures in regard to them. No definite decision has yet been reached as to what action will be taken with regard to unemployed Austrians or Germans, but it is probable that several detention camps will be established, similar to the one already established at Fort Henry, Kingston.

Deportations of undesirable immigrants to Great Britain and France are still being made, but in the case of Austrians and Germans this is quite impossible to enforce the deportation regulations at present. It is probable that there will be hundreds of suspicious German and Austrian immigrants of recent years who have not yet become naturalized Canadian citizens, gathered at central points, and kept under government supervision this winter. They may be kept employed at some sort of governmental work so as to defray cost of their maintenance.