

LOOKED UPON AS SPY

A SOLDIER BEING HELD IN BARRIEFIELD CAMP,

When Intoxicated He Told What Germany Would Do to the Allies— His Case Being Enquired Into.

There is a man in one of the units in Barriefield camp who is suspected of being a German spy, and his downfall came through imbibing too freely. Some time ago this man crossed from the United States to Brockville, but was immediately deported as an undesirable. A few weeks later he was successful in evading the immigration officers, and he promptly enlisted for overseas service with the infantry.

No suspicion was attached to the man up to a few days ago, when he came to the city, and had to be carried back to the camp. In the guard room he kept telling his companions what Germany could and was going to do, and that there was no hope for the Allies. Then some one "smashed him" so thoroughly that the foreigner did not wake up until next morning.

When brought up before his commanding officer, he denied all knowledge of having expressed pro-German views, but nevertheless he was kept as a prisoner. It is understood that the case has been submitted to both the American and Canadian governments, who are considering what action will be taken, but in the meantime he is looked upon as being the first spy in Barriefield camp.