

# GERMANS IN CANADA

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It is only to be expected that Germans who are British subjects will be loyal to Canada and to the Empire. They have enjoyed all the privileges and advantages of British citizenship. They have been influential in the agricultural, industrial and political life of Canada. They exhibit as much of thrift and prudence as any other element of the population. The German as we know him in Canada has been patriotic and efficient. His British fellow citizens, therefore, during this testing period treat him with consideration and respect and short of loyalty to the supreme interests involved endeavor to avoid any baneful legacies for the time of peace which will come again. If we remember that in proportion to population we have in Canada an element of Germanic origin as strong as that in the United States we will understand how well the mass of Germans have behaved and how deep is the general sentiment of loyalty amongst the German people to Canada and British institutions.