

CAMP IS BELIEVED SAFE.

Kapuskasing Not Menaced by Fire is Ottawa Opinion.

Ottawa, Aug. 3.—General Sir William Otter, officer in charge of internment operation, has no word as to the safety of the prisoners at Kapuskasing camp, 70 miles west of Cochrane. However, it is not believed the forest fires reached Kapuskasing. There is good water supply at the camp, and it is believed even if the place were threatened, those in charge could fight the flames.

Several weeks ago the camp was threatened but the guards and prisoners easily got the fire under control. Word has been received from Spirit Lake Camp, which is 140 miles east of Cochrane, but there is no danger of fire in that vicinity.

The officials in charge of Kapuskasing camp have been instructed to give every possible assistance to the refugees.