

LAST FOR SOME TIME

Convict at Portsmouth Gets German Army Pension

Kingston, June 24 —A day or so ago S. J. Rodger, of this city, acting for the Netherlands Government, paid to Karl Kessler, a convict in the Portsmouth penitentiary, the equivalent of about \$300, being his pension from the German Army, of which he had been a member for many years. Accompanying the pension was the intimation from the German authorities that this would probably be the last instalment which Kessler would receive for some time, owing to the fact that money was becoming short in Germany.

Kessler was among the Germans interned in Fort Henry early in the war and gave considerable trouble to the guards finally assaulting one of them, so severely that he was landed behind the bars at Portsmouth for his offence. He has still some time to serve there.