

AUSTRIANS TOLD TO GO ELSEWHERE

Party From Saskatchewan Not Allowed to Establish Colony in Okanagan Valley.

KELOWNA, B. C., Nov. 13.—Several Austrian families from Weyburn, Sask., who arrived here on Monday, decided to return to Saskatchewan, owing to the intimation of the Great War Veterans here and at other points that they were not wanted in the Okanagan Valley.

On Tuesday morning the unwelcome guests returned and again attempted to land, but the scene of the day before was repeated and they continued on their fruitless journey. On Tuesday afternoon they came south down the lake again and were given a similar reception.

Yesterday the boat, this time with Inspector King and several Mounted Police aboard, and six hours late on account of its perplexities and waiting for its officials, came along again. It was explained to the Austrians, who were twenty-seven in number, that the veterans would not allow an alien colony to be formed in the Okanagan. The veterans suggested to the visitors that they should explain their position to the crowd on the wharf in the presence of the police, but in view of the menacing attitude of the people, they could not be induced to leave the boat and agreed to go back to Weyburn, having already been the guests of the S.S. Sicamous for three days.