

THINK VON LUETTWITZ WAS GRUNERT'S GUEST

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AT VERNON IN 1914

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Kerrisdale, B.C., April 4. — Belief is expressed here that Gen. von Luettwitz, whose name has figured in recent Berlin despatches as being in command of reactionary troops in Germany, is Rochus Baron von Luettwitz, who, with the Baroness and Mrs. Helena Edle von Roethorn, was the guest of Dr. Otto Grunert here when the war broke out, and who was, with the two women, arrested as an alien enemy on November 21, 1914, and subsequently interned at Vernon, B.C. At that time the Baron was described as a Captain of cavalry. When placed under arrest by Chief Constable Simpson, Luettwitz remarked: "I am your prisoner now, Chief, but next year you will be my prisoner." The Baron presented Sergt. W. Walker with a small ornamental box, with the remark, "Keep this box and produce it when the Germans take Canada; it will ensure your safety."