

# MAY USE INTERNED ENEMIES ON FARMS

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## One Way of Helping to Supply Shortage of Help on Prairies.

OTTAWA, April 8—In the House of Commons yesterday W. A. Buchanan asked the government about a report from Winnipeg that the government proposed to allow interned prisoners to be used as farm laborers. Mr. Buchanan asked if this were so what would be the system of placing the men and how would they be guarded.

Hon. Robert Rogers replied that General Sir William Otter had gone to Winnipeg to meet the commandants of the various internment camps and would report upon a plan regarding placing interned prisoners on farms to help look after the crop.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley asked if the government had appointed a director of the Canadian Northern Railway. Sir Robert Borden replied that the matter had not been considered.