

# WAR PRISONERS WILL OPEN UP NEW ONTARIO

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Prisoners of war are to be used for clearing up the forests of Northern Ontario, and for opening up farm land which will relieve the unemployed situation for another year. The arrangement is one between the Federal and Provincial Governments, the announcement of Hon. W. H. Hearst being as follows:

"At the present time the Dominion Government has a large number of prisoners of war, whose labor it is anxious to utilize. Accordingly, arrangements are being made to set these prisoners to work at once in clearing up land so that it will be ready for cultivation next season. A number of these prisoners will be sent from Kingston next week, and more will follow from Port Arthur

'and other points, later on. It will be observed that the work they will accomplish will be work that would not otherwise be undertaken.'