Mr. Crerar's Good Work

In taking up the question of increased production of food, the Prime Minister said, that Hon. T. A. Crerar, "has worked at that problem with the greatest possible industry and with very great ability." He had taken up the subject with the provincial governments, and had secured thorough cooperation on their part. Sir Robert quoted a memorandum which he had asked Mr. Crerar to submit, in which the announcement was made that, with the approval of the government, cash assistance has been promised to the various provinces as follows: Ontario, \$60,000; Quebec, \$60,000; Nova Scotia, \$30,000; Quebec, \$60,000; Nova Scotia, \$70,000; Prince Edward Island, \$5,000; British Columbia, \$15,000; Manitoba, \$25,000; Columbia, \$15,000; Manitoba, \$25,000; Baskatchewan, \$35,000; and Alberta, \$25,000. This money is to be expended in a general way, in accordance with the memorandum submitted and agreed to by the Prime Minister.

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Robert, "that the thanks and congratulations of the house, and the country, will be extended to the minister of agri-



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culture, for the good work which he has carried on. In connection with this I should inform the house that the super-intendent-general of Indian affairs has also taken into account, the very urgent need for increased production during the present year, and has taken effective action.' Sir Robert here outlined the plan to make use of the various Indian reserves to increase the production of grain and livestock.

GERMANS OPEN OFFENSIVE

An offensive on a scale hitherto unknown during the war was opened by the German armies on a 50 mile front in the Cambrai region on March 21. It is believed that the Germans have 97 divisions engaged with a total of about 1,200,000 men. A bombardment of unprecedented severity was folowed by an attack of waves of infantry in which the enemy succeeded in one place in breaking through the British system of defenses. German reports announce the fall of Peronne, Han and Chauny, with a capture of 30,000 prisoners and 600 guns. Germans troops penetrated beyond the Somme but were driven back. British, Prench and American troops are engaged.

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It is believed that the central powers have thrown their entire reserve into the offensive. Although reports reports received at time of writing are fragmentary, it is recognized that the situation is serious and that if the German onslaught is not held up a rapid movement toward Paris will result. Developments of the next few days will probably have a decisive bearing on the outcome of the war. Hindenburg has outcome of the war. Hindenburg has boasted that he will be in Paris by April 1. British official reports, though admitting the serious nature of the operations, indicate that the Allied military authorities believe they can withstand the German advance. The stand the German advance. The slaughter of both sides is unprecedented in history, the Germans evidently being undeterred by the heaviest sacrifices of men. The Germans furnished a commen. The Germans furnished a com-plete surprise by throwing shells into Paris from a gun located exactly 76 miles from the Paris City Hall. Hither-

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prohibition, shipbuilding and other matters which have engaged the attention of the ministers.

Dealing with Sir Wilfrid's references to the inclusion of Liberals in the cabinet he said that such was the purpose of the move to organize a Union government, and intimated that the number of Liberal ministers was likely to be increased in order to provide cound. ber of Liberal ministers was likely to be increased, in order to provide equal representation for both parties. "The present government," the Prime Minis-ter went on to say, "was formed for the purpose of giving a just representa-tion to all those elements of the popula-tion who are animated by a sincere desire to throw the full efforts of Can-ada into the way. It was formed desire to throw the full efforts of Canada into the war. It was formed, further, with the idea of giving a just representation to the great industry of agriculture and to the habor organizations of the country. That purpose, I think, has been immeasurably well carried out; and with all respect to Hon. gentlemen opposite, I venture to think that the great Liberal party of Canada is well represented on the treasury's benches of Canada today." Sir Robert denied that there had been

Sir Robert denied that there had been any violation of the elegtoral laws in connection with the last general election. "I have been" he said, "in this House for nearly 22 years, I have passed through six general elections, and I never passed through an election the methods of which were not discussed and criticised at the first session of the following preliment by the party following parliament by the party which lost. But I have never heard anyone go so far as my right hon. friend had gone today. I want to tell him that I issued a statement which was circulated through the press of Camada, near and far, asking that the returning officers should select enumer ators of both political parties and that equal representation should be given to all'interests in the country. That is the first time such a course was ever pursued in Canada. The leader of the

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