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AMATEURGARDENERS SHOULD GET ADVICE

"Tell me just when to plant," House Wife, a New York publica-says the amateur and when we tell tion.

him that the day and the hour, at "If we are to pull our allies him that the day and the hour, at least for the semi-tropicals, cannot be fixed, he gives us an indignant look and turns to Professor Hur-roo's infallible almanac. The fact is that nature is inconsistent and gives us warm weather earlier or later than she should. The best immediate plan for the is inconsistent and their women and children at waste and consumption of food stuffs to the minimum upon which we can maintain good health," Hoo-ver warns.

novice is to scout his neighborhood for a truck grower or an experienced home gardener and follow his ex-

imple. Don't imitate another nov-ce. Better ten days behind than thead of the season. If you are anxious to crowd ahead of the season. Ceres, select the warmest, most sheltered corner of the garden, where the soil is light and well "Each housewife outside the sheltered corner of the garden, meats. sheltered corner of the garden, meats. where the soil is light and well drained, and plant a preliminary row or two of corn and beans. If row or two of corn and beans these fail it will not matter, and if they win there will be some extra early stuff on the table. A coat of dark stable manure

spread on the surface of the early the slops is saving waste."

and a top dressing of nitrate of less every food precaution is taken soda at intervals of a fortnight af-ter the plants are up will provide "The day will never come when soda at intervals of a forthight at ter the plants are up will provide nutriment sooner than the bacteria in stable manure can elaborate it in The entire garden should be pre-pared about this time, whether for right, this can be done as a matter immediate or later planting. Plow or spade well under a well-distri-buted layer of stable manure. It of our people is the test of our

Quebec ports. The steam barge Conger Coal of s practically impossible to use too faith. Then spread lime, if requir- "First of all every American womuch. Then spread lime, if requir-ed, and harrow or rake it in. Com-man should if she has not already mercial fertilizer may be spread broad cast and raked in, and this saves labor but it is more usual to bohydrates and calories household put it along the plant rows or hills. Words. The man of the house will words. The man of the house will be a spread the fact that

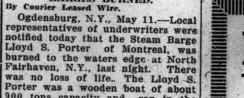
from a very mysterious malady. The symptoms are said to resemble those

"Every extra chicken, egg or ound of butter, every extra pig, is contribution to the common cause "To town dwellers, it is well to emember that everybody who is **Conservation vs. Waste!** not traveling should eat at home. large part of the food consumed in public places is superlative. Three meals a day are enough-every per N EVER in prveious times has the artisan reaped a richer reward for his labors than at present.

son who goes out to night suppers wasting just that much food. "The Government can and will do a great deal indirectly, such as the standardization of flour, the el imination of speculation or hoard ing, but when all is said and done it is the housewife who must his great problem. "Even if we have , the greatest harvest on record in 1917, we shall

no more than carry through. "In these five months we must once, even with a small sum. provide our allies with double the quantity of food which our appar-The Merchants Bank of Canada ent surplus permits. We can do this only by the most absolute, stringent

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when the necessity for saving was more urgent. If

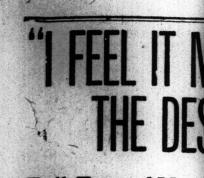
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Full Text of Mr. C by The Cou Government

The following is the official reportation from Hansard, of the speecemade by Mr. W. F. Cockshutt, M.P. in the Dominion House last week i connection with a resolution offere by Mr. Kyte, M.P., for the discussion of the high price of flour:--

Mr. Cockshutt rose to speak. Mr. Speaker: Before the hon. gen eman proceeds, I would remind th ouse that this motion is under Rul 39 and that the authorities are ver cit that the discussion on suc subject, which is introduced int House without notice. While is in the nature of a substantive mo-tion and is subject to the rule gov erning such, the authorities are ver clear that the rule should be applie with the utmost strictness and that argument should be confined closely to the question before the House which in this instance is:

As to the necessity of taking ac tion to prevent further undue ad-vance in the prices of flour in Cana-da and to reduce the same to an amount representing the prices of wheat received by the farmer plus the cost of milling and distribution but eliminating the increase due to stock manipulation.

Mr. W. F. Cockshutt (Brantford) I am not quite sure, Mr. Speaker whether the fact that I have risen in order to say a few words on this question is the occasion of your cau tion. I generally try to stick fairly closely to the text I undertake to speak upon, but I feel that it is a lit-tile unfortunate to be confined simply tie unfortunate to be confined simp to the question of flour when even hon. gentleman who has spoken hi overed a rather wide field. Howev I have a very few remarks to make and I shall endeavor as far as possi-ble to stick to the subject at issue. As far back as March 1, 1915, I in-troduced to this House the follow-

"That, in the opinion of this House the circumstances arising out of the present war are such as to justify the government of Canada in exe the government of Canada in exer cising supreme control over the quantity and destiny of our food ex-ports, thereby regulating the prices at which bread, meat and other food products shall be sold for home con-sumption, while at the same time di-pacting that our supplies food exercise ng that our surplus food exp

