



The people of Great Britain are making a heroic food fight against the submarine and the world shortage of supplies. Lord Rhondda has told them frankly what is inevitable unless production is increased. Every available space of land is being utilized to grow food and all classes and ages are doing their utmost. This picture, which was sent to the Canada Food Board by the British Ministry of Food, shows how the disused burial ground at the back of the little painted Chapel of the Ascension, near the Marble Arch, which comprises about $3\frac{1}{2}$ acres, has been taken over by the Church Army City Gardens Department for war-time conversion into plots for vegetable-growing by humble wage-earners.

PLANNING FOR MORE WHEAT.

Impressive Poster Issued by Ontario Agricultural Department.

The Ontario Department of Agriculture has issued and has distributed widely a poster emphasizing the need of increased production of wheat. It states that in 1917 Ontario, on 183,000 acres, produced 3,700,000 bushels of spring wheat. "In 1918 Ontario should produce, on 500,000 acres, 10,000,000 bushels to meet the need. Five acres of Spring wheat more on every Ontario farm will more than accomplish this." The three essentials are good seed, thorough soil preparation and early sowing.

SCHOOLS TO GROW VEGETABLES.

The Minister of Education of British Columbia has promised that his Department will promote the garden movement throughout all the schools of the Province.

THOUSANDS OF LICENSES.

Trades are Being Brought Under this System of Regulation.

The licensing system of the Canada Food Board is being extended as rapidly as practicable to all dealers in foodstuffs. By April 1st it is expected that considerably more than 100,000 application forms will have been sent out, covering a large number of the food industries and trades. Close to 5,000 licenses have been issued to date, and this number will be greatly added to as the retail trades are brought under license control.

SUFFICIENT SEED OATS FOR ALL.

Mr. A. E. Wilson, Dominion Seed Commissioner, in an interview in Regina said that "sufficient oats are available to the Dominion Seed Purchasing Commission to provide seed for all sections of the Dominion."