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### FARMERS' CONGRESS

In Boston Addressed By Prof. Robertson.

#### WHAT CANADA'S DOING

For Her Farmer's, Dairymen And Poultry Raisers—A Good Account.

Boston Oct 6. For about half an hour yesterday forenoon the session of the Farmer's, National Congress in Horticultural Hall resembled a very earnest and partisan town meeting. There was more enthusiasm displayed in the afternoon over the address of Hon James W. Robertson of Ottawa, the dominion commissioner of agriculture than over any other address thus far given. He made an admirable speech on the Canadian department of



It is warm and weary work that the woman has to undergo who cooks the year 'round for a big family. Thousands of women whose husbands are only in moderate circumstances have to bear this hardship uncomplainingly. If a woman is in thoroughly good health it does not come so hard, but when, as is frequently the case, the poor woman is suffering from the pains, nervousness, debility and ill-health that are a result of weakness and disease of the distinctly feminine organism, the task is too much. Under these circumstances, unless the right remedy is used, the poor woman will soon break down completely and fill an early grave. Over 90,000 women have testified to the marvelous merits of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Many of their names, addresses, photographs and experiences have been published by permission in Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser. The "Favorite Prescription" cures all weakness and disease of the delicate and important organs that bear maternity's burdens. It makes them well and strong. It builds up the nervous system. It makes weak, sickly, nervous, fretful women strong, healthy, amiable wives. All medicine dealers sell it.

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agriculture, and he opened the eyes of the American farmers to the way such a government as Canada's can help the individual farmer. The feelings of superiority which were evident in the audience and which were expressed in the laughter at what seemed the audacious statements of the Canadian commissioner, entirely vanished before the address was half finished, and before the end they were bestowing liberal applause of approval on the commissioner, while at the close he was given a vote of thanks and elected to honorary membership. He spoke with a Scottish accent and with a peculiar epigrammatic way, oftentimes making a point with a sentence of a single word.

He said in part: "I come to this Farmers' National Congress bringing the greetings of the dominion government and I also bring the good will of your brother farmers who live on the northern boundary of your country on the east half of the continent, and who bid you godspeed in your work of increasing the income and improving the homes of the farming population. In Canada more than half of the people follow farming for a living. Agriculture is our main national industry. Now, the government endeavors to help the farmer, not by giving him money, but by increasing his abilities; not by giving something for nothing, but by making the farmer give something in service for whatever he gets in substance."

"Common humanity is alike wherever you find it; the form of government is different. That is your misfortune. Government is a result of the experience of the people in trying to better their material condition. We in Canada are a part of an empire, and we own our part of it—a daughter in the mother's house, but mistress in our own—a good daughter and a good mistress. It is our aim to make Canada a desirable country to live in. Our idea is to give every one the opportunity to make the most of self."

"Our government is closely interested in these three questions: How does the farmer get his living, what are his abilities and what are his opportunities?"

"We have in Canada a very large country, of varied climate, varied soil, and a varied market. The climate gives the most luxuriant growth, with a higher flavor and greater substance. The wheat of our northwest has a higher percent of gluten than any other in the world. In Manitoba there is an average wheat crop of 25 bushels to the acre. In Ontario it is 24 bushels, in the United States it is 14 1/2. Our northern climate produces the finest live stock, splendid grass, and beautiful clover, but of course in January we have a deal of weather."

"I know countries that have richer soil and nearer markets that have remained stupidly poor for 30 centuries. Take Egypt for example. The prosperity of the people rests on intelligence more than on soil, more on skill than on climate, and more on organization than on markets. We believe that intelligence, skill and organization will help a people on poor land to become prosperous and powerful, while without hawners of wood and drawers of water."

"We believe that in the development of education the more imparting of information does not amount to much. I know men who know so much they are always tired and generally tiresome. Intelligence means more than knowing things, and knowledge is not power. It may be the means of making power. A hone may be the means of making a knife sharp, but a hone is not sharpness. BELIEVE IN THE NEW PAPER. "Our department in diffusing information believes in the newspapers, not

in printing our bull-tins and circulars, but in creating public opinion. I have spent a whole day with one editor telling him the farmers in his locality raised the largest crops or the best live stock; and today the press of Canada is a unit in praising the farmers. We have got millions of dollars with Canada through praising the people. Praise uplifts humanity. This work is for the government. Praise of the people is a source of power. The benefit comes in an uplifted people."

"But that is not the chief work of the agricultural department. We have found agencies to show how to do the best work. For instance, there are 500 cheese factories in one district; we not only issue a bulletin on the subject, but we send a man, an expert, to go to a factory and talk all day to an audience of one man. That cheese maker becomes converted, and he by his superior methods preaches it all through the district. We help a little boy by showing him once how to do a thing."

"We went to the province of Prince Edward Island, 123 miles long by from three to 14 miles wide, and we asked: 'Why don't you go into cooperative dairying?' Put up a building costing \$400 and we'll loan you machinery costing \$1000. We'll send you an expert cheese maker and make all your cheese for 24 cents a pound."

"That was in 1792. The Island's export of cheese amounted to \$3,680. The next year there were 11 dairies. The year after 18. And then the government withdrew. Last year the exports of cheese aggregated \$360,000, an increase of 10,000 percent in seven years. By the assistance of the government we have altered the whole attitude of the province along that line."

"Another thing we did. We asked last year why not fatten chickens? Lots of people in England have good money to pay for fat chickens, and want to pay the price. So we fattened chickens and sent them to England and they bought at wholesale \$1.76 a pair, and a cable message came back to send 500 cases a week. We have 11 government stations doing that this year, and next year we pull out of the business. It is not a small thing. It means the girl can have a quarter's music lessons and that the boys will go to school a month longer in the winter."

"I am tired of hearing people say a man has no education because he can't talk grammatically. I think it is a small part of a man to talk. I think sometimes it is a weakness. But I think we in Canada are 50 years behind the times in England in the matter of real education, in training all the faculties to improve one's abilities. But we have found that we could do more by demon-

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It is a recognized fact among those suffering from asthma that the longer they use the temporary relief asthma remedies which require to be burned, the worse they become, until it loses its effect entirely. Clarke's Kola Compound is not among this class, but will permanently cure the worst case of asthma in from 60 to 90 days. Mr. F. J. Paton, proprietor of Paton's Music Store, Vancouver, B. C., writes: "I have been a great sufferer from asthma in its worst form for over 15 years, and had consulted many physicians both in England and Canada, but obtained no relief. A friend of mine who had been cured by the Kola Compound advised me to try it, and three bottles have entirely cured me; it is now over two years since my recovery and asthma has not troubled me since; and previous to taking Clarke's Kola Compound I had many nights had to sit up nearly all night. It is truly a wonderful remedy, and it affords me much pleasure in attesting my appreciation of anything so worthy. Clarke's Kola Compound is sold by all druggists. Free sample bottle sent to any person. Mention this paper. Address The Griffiths & Macpherson Co., 124 Church Street, Toronto, or Vancouver, B. C., sole Canadian agents."

stration than by issuing circulars. We have sown a quarter-acre on the road to a market where every farmer in the county could see it, using the best selected seed; and then alongside, of that we have sown a quarter-acre with the common seed of the locality. In a little while every farmer in the county is using selected seed. We give information in that way, so that the farmer will not only have the information, but so that it will change the habit of his life."

"The government gets the people to cooperate. We do believe in the in the government and the people working together. In the Northwest Territory we found the farmers selling their butter for 8 cents a pound. We told them to build creameries, that we would lend them machinery and take a mortgage on it. This year they are selling their butter for 19 1/2 and 20 cents."

"We asked why they did not send butter to England. There was no cold there, they said. The steamship companies said it would not pay to install it. We said we would pay the difference between the ordinary and the extra cost. That took butter from a small territory near the steamship terminus. When we asked the farmers in the distance to send their butter to England they said it was impossible because the railroads had no cold storage. The railroad companies said they would require cars two-thirds full in order to pay for the extra cost. We said 'Go ahead, and we'll pay the deficit.'"

"In a little while those cars were running to Montreal loaded. It didn't cost the government much. The gov-

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