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**Hon. Mr. Martin Advises North Land Farmers to Specialize**

**Interesting, Helpful and Eloquent Addresses at Banquet to Associated Boards of Trade at Englehart on Wednesday Evening Last. Event Proves a Very Pleasing One in Every Way.**

The banquet given on Wednesday evening last by the Englehart Board of Trade to the delegates to the quarterly meeting of the Northern Ontario Associated Boards of Trade at Englehart last week was one of the finest functions of its kind held in the North. The Englehart people outdid themselves in hospitality.

Mr. C. W. Wright, President of the Englehart Board of Trade presided in very effective manner. His introductory address was an able and eloquent one, welcoming all to the hospitality of Englehart, and giving special honour to the distinguished guests of the evening: Hon. J. S. Martin, Minister of Agriculture for Ontario; Mr. Geo. Barr, Dominion Dairy Commissioner; Mr. John A. Rowlands, of Toronto; Mr. W. G. Wilson, M.P.P., and Mr. Mark Vaughan, M.P.P.

Mr. H. Weeks, Mayor of Englehart, in a neat but effective address, gave all the heartiest welcome for this time and for any time to the town of Englehart.

The dinner was prepared and served by the Englehart Daughters of the Empire, and did the highest credit to the ladies and to the town, both as regards the menu and the service. The tables were very attractively set, neat menu cards being among the features. These cards carried a review in brief of the advantages and outstanding features of the Town of Englehart.

The evening's programme included entertaining selections by the Drummers' Concert Party—Messrs. Jimmie Morrison, Scotty Pollock, and Joe Kelly; The humorous Scottish songs by Scotty Pollock convulsed the audience. Jimmy Morrison, in his original humorous line, made a big hit, and the evening's success owed much to the clever pianist and accompanist.

The addresses to the toast list were of a very high order. There was much of humor, but still more of sound sense and true patriotism. Brief but interesting and helpful addresses were given by Mr. Alex Dewar, President of the Associated Boards; Mr. J. Hough, of Charlton; Mr. John Clark, Englehart; Mr. F. Brown, Englehart; Mrs. Gray, Englehart; Rev. Fr. Lajoie; Mr. B. L. Cope, Smooth Rock Falls; and the special guests of the evening. Rev. Fr. Lajoie spoke earnestly and eloquently of the great possibilities of the North, the needs of the settlers, especially in the way of roads, and the necessity for all to work together for the good of the North Land. Mrs. Gray's reply to the expression of the appreciation felt for the good work of the ladies was most apt. The speeches of the visitors were brimming full of humour, wit and good stories. The President of the Associated Boards also made a speech of outstanding interest and effectiveness.

Of course, the special feature of interest was the address by Hon. John S. Martin. The Minister of Agriculture was given a regular ovation when he rose to reply to the toast of agriculture. He proved not only to be an expert on his subject, but also an eloquent speaker, and very evidently a real friend of the North. He said he was not an agriculturalist, but just a plain farmer. A farmer, he explained, was a man who made his money on the farm and spent it in the city, and an agriculturalist was one who made his money in the city and spent it on the farm.

Hon. Mr. Martin and party had just been on a trip through the North Land. From this and previous trips, he was impelled to urge that the North Land farmers specialize. He mentioned particularly dairying and poultry-keeping. All in the party, and perhaps, particularly, the two members, were enthusiastic about the country, expressing the belief that the North would shortly be the greatest agricultural part of the province.

Mr. Martin pointed out, however, that the farmers of the north would have to follow certain lines to achieve prosperity. He told them that looking over the agricultural districts of the rest of Canada one thing was very noticeable; that was that with the exception of the prairies where cropping was done on a large scale, grain farming did not bring prosperity to the farmer. Of course he had had to sell his wheat, but where coarse grains were used for feed there was a distinct prosperity shown in a few years. In other words dairy farming, both from the point of view of return and also because of the possibility of keeping the land fertile, was the most successful kind of farming. He urged the northern farmers immediately to go into dairy production. He told them also that, for the time being at least, he did not feel that cheese would be profitable in northern Ontario and that the efforts of the farmers at present should be devoted to butter.

He also warned them against going too quickly into thoroughbred stock. He felt that a good herd of high

grade cattle properly looked after was an ideal herd for the north under its present conditions. He felt so strongly that dairying, especially butter making, was the best thing for the development of this new country, that he had prepared a scheme by which the government would help the farmers to get on their feet in the dairy industry. The government would not build creameries at its own expense; that, he felt, did not work out in the best interests of the farmers. But what the government was prepared to do was to arrange with the farmers of any district where the government inspectors were satisfied that there was sufficient stock of the proper kind to make a creamery pay, for loans to the farmer to enable them to get started. If the farmers at a chosen centre would put up 10% of the cost, the government would put up the 90% and let the farmers pay this off over a number of years without interest.

There were two things necessary to have this put into operation: (1), the government must be satisfied that the number of cattle and the grade of cattle would make a creamery a success and (2), that the farmers showed a definite desire in a practical way to ensure its being a success.

In connection with the stock, Mr. Martin said that the government was prepared to assist the farmers in the purchasing of high grade cows. If any district wished to purchase a quantity of such stock, they could send a man down to the south and a government representative would go with this man and assist him in any way possible in the purchase of the proper grade of cattle. The government was ready also to help the farmer financially, requiring the farmer to pay 25% on the purchase price of stock, the balance being spread over three years.

Another point brought out by Mr. Martin was that in spite of the general impression that the West was more fertile than Ontario, statistics showed that Ontario held the lead over all Canada in the amount produced per acre, and as long as the farmers followed sound principles in their work this superiority would continue.

Mr. Barr followed Mr. Martin along the same lines, adding a word of advice to the women on whom fell the larger part of the work in the caring for the creamery. In order to get the best results the farmer would have to do the two things necessary in butter-making: (1) keep the cream absolutely cold and (2) keep it absolutely clean. He urged on the farmers that they should give their wives proper facilities for looking after their farm work. He knew many farms where the men in the field had pretty nearly every machine that was ever built, yet the woman in the house and the dairy had nothing but a dishrag and a few tin pans.

**NEWS WANTED IN REGARD TO GIAETTI GUISEPPE**

Capt. Corthwaite has been asked by Headquarters to try and locate Giaetti Giuseppe, who is supposed to be somewhere in the Timmins district. His parents are very anxious to hear from him or about him. Anyone who knows anything about his whereabouts would be doing a kind action by communicating at one with Capt. Corthwaite of the Timmins Salvation Army.

**TAKEN BACK TO PERTH ON NON-SUPPORT CHARGE**

Last week a man named Solomon who had been in town for a few months was arrested on a charge of non-support, preferred by his wife who resides in Perth, Ontario. Chief of Police Griffiths, of Perth, came up last week for the prisoner, reaching here one evening at six o'clock and leaving the next morning at six o'clock with his prisoner.

**ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF STEALING SUITCASES**

Last week a young man from Ottawa district, who has been in Timmins for some four months past, was arrested on the charge of the theft of two suitcases from the station here. The suitcases belonged to a man who was a stranger here and had left the suitcases in the waiting room while he went to have a look about this town. When he returned to the station he found the suitcases gone, and so notified the police. The police had little to work upon, but made good use indeed of the clue or two available. So well, indeed, did they work that in a few hours they had recovered the one suitcase in a second-hand store. The suitcase and its contents of clothes, etc., had been sold for only half a dollar. The other suitcase was located in a rooming house in Moneta, and the young fellow suspected of the theft was also arrested. He admitted taking the suitcases, and will appear before Magistrate Atkinson to-morrow on the charge of theft.

**MANY FINE NUMBERS AT SUNDAY EVENING EVENT**

Pleasing Musical Event in New Empire Theatre Under Auspices of the Navy League.

There was a good attendance at the New Empire Theatre on Sunday evening after the church services for the concert given by the Premier Artists of Timmins for the benefit of the Navy League of Canada. Some weeks ago the same artists gave a recital in the Ukrainian Hall that delighted all the music lovers present. The hot weather on Sunday no doubt interfered with the attendance, but despite the weather, there was a fairly well-filled hall.

Dr. McInnis, Mayor of Timmins, who was expected to preside for the occasion, was unable to be present, and Mr. Will Richards announced the various numbers, as well as making a brief introductory address in which he referred in very fitting way to the excellence of the cause represented by the Navy League.

The programme was one of special merit and found very general favour.

The following were the numbers in the order as given:—  
Pianoforte solo, "River Idyll," by Miss B. Meredith.  
Trio, by Mrs. Acton, Mr. Will Richards, Mr. Piper.  
Solo, "The Sailor's Grave," by Mr. Piper.

Cornet solo, "Queen of the Earth," by Master Carl Johns.

Duet, "The Spider and the Fly," by Mrs. Acton and Mr. Will Richards.

Mandolin solo, by Mr. Reach.  
Cornet solo, by Mr. Jas. Lloyd.  
Solo, "Revenge," by Mr. Will Richards.

Solo, "Break of Day," by Mrs. Acton.  
Cornet duet, by Mr. Lloyd and Master Johns.

Pianoforte solo, "Woodland Rambles," by Miss B. Meredith.

Duet, "Excelsior," by Mr. Richards and Mr. Piper.  
Cornet solo, by Mr. James Lloyd.

Mr. Emery was the accompanist for the evening and his good work assisted materially in the success of the programme.

Practically every number on the programme was encored and merited the recall given.

The trio, Mrs. Acton and Messrs. Richards and Piper, were particularly popular, their number being specially effective.

The duet by Mrs. Acton and Mr. Richards was another specially good number. Special mention should also be made of the duet, "Excelsior," by Messrs. Richards and Piper, this being a very pleasing number very effectively given.

In solo work, Mrs. Acton, soprano, Mr. Piper, tenor, and Mr. Richards, baritone, gave selections that were much appreciated for the musical talent and vocal training evidenced. Mrs. Acton's rendition of "Break of Day" was one of the outstanding numbers on the programme. Miss B. Meredith delighted all with her clever work at the piano, her selections being given in a way that showed decided talent.

Master Carl Johns added to his growing reputation as a cornet soloist of special ability. Mr. Lloyd's cornet solos were among the specially outstanding numbers on a good programme. The audience was delighted with Mr. Lloyd and Master Johns in their cornet duet. Mr. Reach, on the mandolin, also won very general approval by his skillfully rendered selections.

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