

## Demonstration Car is an Exhibition on Wheels.

Products of Fertile New Ontario Districts an Eloquent Testimony  
of the North as a Great Agricultural Area. Government Car  
is Now Touring Ontario. Thousands are Struck by  
Excellence of the Display of Grains and  
Vegetables.

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An "agricultural exhibition on wheels" is the term applied to the Northern Ontario demonstration car now touring Ontario, and which will be in Ottawa November 16 and 18. The car has been out since early in September, starting from Englehart, where it was stocked with the products of the Temiskaming district. Products of the Sault Ste. Marie district, Algoma and Manitoulin were later taken on. The demonstration car was visited by a representative of the *Canadian Citizen*, while the car was on its way eastward from Toronto last week. It was a visit worth while and one that should be taken by any one who feels any way sceptical concerning the possibilities of New Ontario as an agricultural country. The car is in charge of Mr. George Palmer, director of colonization for the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway, which is owned and operated by the Ontario Government. Mr. Palmer is assisted by Mr. G. H. Farmer, of Sault Ste. Marie, a progressive farmer and institute worker of the north shore district. Both men know the country and understand the conditions thoroughly and are therefore in a position to give first hand information. Mr. Palmer lives at Englehart and has spent five years in New Ontario. Mr. Farmer has lived at the Soo for thirty years. Both men are enthusiastic regarding the future and judging by the splendid exhibits in the car they have good reason so to be.

It is interesting to stand aside after the car has been opened for inspection, at points where it is advertised to stop, and listen to the varied expressions of the visitors. One man will come in, eager to see some particular exhibit. His first expression will be "Yes! it's true alright." Then he will go on to relate that his brother, or cousin, or some friend had written to him about the big crops he had this year in New Ontario, and that he wanted to see the quality for himself by visiting the car. Some of the finest