body on the job of providing some thought material. Have somebody tell your people just how efficient or inefficient for citizenship the education in your neighborhood for the past fifteen years has been. Find out how many of your 'teen-age and twenty-age young people are systematically studying anything. Dig into the possibilities of a month's night school in your neighborhood a school for grown-ups, giving them practical and useful life material. Have you no ex-teacher who could put up the goods? Why haven't you a singing school? What can you do, what will you do for education in your community this New Year?

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Roderick McKenzie the Veteran Vice-President of the Canadian Council of Agriculture will deal with Dominion

The Spiritual Task

I know many people do not like the word. They are afraid of it. Afraid it may be too deep, or too high or too abstract for them, afraid it may involve them with various mysterious things they would prefer to avoid. Yet spiritual is the word. The great task before the Grain Growers is a spiritual task.

Let us get away from all "preachy" and "churchy" and theological associations of the term for the time. "Spiritual" has to do with the spirit of a man. The task of the next few years for the Grain Growers will be that of creating and extending in the hearts of our population "public spirit"; the spirit which leads men to look around them, to learn, to know, to think, to plan, to work for the common well being; the spirit which leads men to estimate in their own inner thinking the moral quality of conditions and projects and movements and laws, and to decide the relation of their own life to its environment by clear seeing, intelligence and moral principle. Only by such a spiritual revitalization of our populace can we hope for any real national progress.

Such a task is not in the realm of materialism, nor that of legislation, nor that of education merely, though it may have to do with all of these. It is specifically a spiritual task, the breathing of a new spirit, the creation of a new atmosphere, the imparting of new aspirations and new ideals and new standards. Other agencies may help in the work, but to a community organization such as ours the call comes with especial urgency. The door is open to us. We have the necessary personal contact. We have received for ourselves something of that spirit. It is our primary responsibility.

It is a bigger thing than building up a great organization—though laws may help. It is greater even than the age-long fight for economic and social justice—this great task of helping a nation to find and to save its soul—this remoulding in higher and pure form of the moral and spiritual conceptions of a people. This is why today we are calling to our service mor

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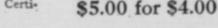
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