

and if dairymen consult their own interest, no efforts will be spared on their part to take advantage of any legitimate means whereby the quality may be still more improved, and Canadian cheese made to compare favorably in the markets of the world with that of any other country. These annual meetings will contribute largely to the accomplishment of this desirable end. There is no dairyman, however skilful, however practical, or however successful he may have been in the management of his factory, but must feel that, although he may know much, yet he has still much to learn; and we hope that the published reports of the Canadian Dairymen's Association may yet prove valuable authority to those engaged in this productive branch of industry. Cheese factories are spreading over a large area of our country, requiring a very large amount of capital to work them, and this capital to be successfully manipulated; also requiring a large amount of brain power wisely directed through a cultivated and well-ordered intellect; and this is largely aided by an association of ideas brought about by contact; hence the great necessity that dairymen should unite as a body, and co-operate in the dissemination of knowledge, thereby increasing their own gains and influence. In addition to the actual transactions of the Association, this report embraces several valuable articles taken from the American Dairymen's report, prominent among which is the very valuable address of Professor Gamgee, on diseases of cattle, and the influence of these diseases on milk. We ask a careful perusal of this very instructive address from every dairyman into whose hands this report may fall. Due credit has been given for all such articles so copied, and we trust that our American cousins will feel no unpleasantness towards us for thus making use of their knowledge. As we feel that we have advanced so far as to be able to report anything that has a tendency to improve this very great interest, we shall be most happy to reciprocate. Arrangements are in progress to report in the DAILY GLOBE the state and condition of the market; and in carrying this into successful operation, the Ex-

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