

If we can help the people to understand these things and the principles which underlie them, and thus teach them how they can get more value for their money, we shall make our country more prosperous and better worth living in.

Mr. O'BRIEN—I would like to ask the Dairy Commissioner's opinion on the branding of cheese.

The CHAIRMAN—I think it might be well for us to call Prof. Robertson again, when he can enter into that subject much more fully than would be possible to-day.

Prof. ROBERTSON—Without discussing the general question there is one observation I may make. At Brockville the other day there seemed to be a feeling on the part of the dairymen that they would like to be represented by a deputation before this committee. I know also that the Honourable the Minister of Agriculture would gladly receive a deputation of these gentlemen. If it be decided to invite them to Ottawa, I think the Dairymen's Boards of Trade would be represented from Belleville, Kingston, Brockville, Montreal, London, Ingersoll, Listowel and other places.

*By Mr. Cochrane :*

Q. Are they the makers or buyers of cheese?—A. Nearly all of the members are the salesmen who represent the factories, and in the membership are also the men who buy cheese. I am given to understand that the Cheese and Butter Association of the Montreal Board of Trade, which represents the buyers, also wishes to be represented.

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Having examined the preceding transcript of my evidence, I find it correct.

JAS. W. ROBERTSON,

*Dairy Commissioner.*