part of it, and the needs of the country will ensure a continuation of that line to James Bay in the near future. The Algoma Central Railway is expected to be completed as far as the town of Hearst during 1913, and a direct route from Sault Ste. Marie thereby made available.

Railways can, however, serve, directly, only a narrow fringe on either side of themselves, and, leading from them highways must be constructed by the Province.

In my judgment, dairying and stock raising should be capable of successful operation, and will eventually become general in this part of our Province, mixed farming being that which insures against the element of chance entering so largely into a district where any specialty is the sole support.

