

Secretary's Report.

HENERY ELMER, MONROE, WIS.

Mr. President and Members of the Association.

Another year is gone by and again I have the honor to submit the twelfth anual Report as Secretary of the Southern Wisconsin Cheesemaker's and Dairymen's Association.

The Business and purpose of our Association was also in the past year to educate the Cheesemaker and the Dairyman for better work in there respective line.

The Directors with the Officers held differnt Meetings for the benefit of the Associations.

We sent a Petition to Washington D. C. to free the Whey Butter from the 16 percent Moisture Ruling, but our Petition war not granted, for the reason, that Whey Butter can be made not to contain over 16 percent Moisture.

We also again petioned the State to increase our Appropriation from \$1000: to \$2000:, but so far no Result.

Petitions were also sent to our Representatives Honorable H. A. Cooper, Robert M. La Folette and Isaac Stephenson, to use their influence against the framed Law prohibiting Butter, Eggs and Cheese to be held in Cold Storages for longer then 90 days said Law was never passed.

Mr. Chris. Skenk of Lancaster, Wis. was again elected as traveling Instructor and by his Report which he will give later on, we will learn that he was a busy man indeel, and that he has done some splendid work.

To Mr. John Theiler, of New Glarus, Wis. being the lowest Bidder was awarded the Printing of the 1911 Preceedings.

The Comittee in another Meeting made preparations for our 12th. Annual Convention, agrees on Mon-

roe, Wis. to be the Place to hold the Convention. A splendid Program was prepared. We will have the best and most able Speakers to talk on the most important every-day Questions for the Cheese-Maker and the Dairyman, and we hope, that You will ask Questions and take part in the discussions.

Let us all be proud of our great Dairy State "Wisconsin", standing at the head of the whole World in the Dairy Industry. Join our Association, which has done so much for the dairy Industry in Southern Wisconsin and which will do more in the future. We want and need the help of everybody.

I would again advocate, that each of the Patrons of each Cheese Factory with the Cheese Maker, in Green- Iowa- La Fayette- Dane- and Rock Counties would at the end of every Season leave with the Treasurer of the Factory 50 cents and the Factory Treasurer could forward said Amount to the Secretary or Treasurer of our Association, with the Names of all the Patrons's and the Cheesemaker. Green County alone has 182 Cheese Factories with 2182 Patrons in all the above named 5 Counties we have about 540 Cheese Factories, figured at 7 Patrons to the Factory, and with the Cheese makers would make 4320 Members or \$2160:

This would give us ample funds, to employ another Instructor and to run our Conventions, therefore we would not need to bother the Business men every year. I wonder how many Cheese Factories are represented here to-day, that would be willing to adopt such a Plan? All we would need is a start, and I am sure after this Plan is started it would work like a charm. We will esteem it a favor, if during Nineteen Hundred and Twelve, we may count on your close corperation in forthering the best Interest of our Association.

Our Treasurer, Mr. Dallas E. Davis, will give us inside Information regarding our financial Standing.

In conclusion I wish to thank every member for

their donation and every Speaker for his help to make this Convention the best of all.

Treasurers Report.

Dallas E. Davis, Treasurer.

Treasurer's Report from May 8, 1911.

Cash on hand August 22, 1912: —	
Check fund	\$81.16
Certificate of deposit Feb. 1, 1912,	500.00
" " " Feb. 28, " ,	533.02
" " " Apr. 19, " ,	73.00
" " " Jan. 26, " ,	84.00
" " " Jan. 20, " ,	102.00
" " " Feb. 3, " ,	30.65
One dollar in cash	1.00
	Total
	1404.83

Receipts during year beginning May 8, 1911.

Received from Henry Elmer for memberships.	\$203.00
" " Carl Frehner " "	7.00
" " Emil Richard " "	4.00
" " Edward Wittwer & Bros. ,	15.00
" " John Waelti " "	37.00
" " Mike Thony " "	4.00
" " Christ Schenk " "	38.00
" " Gottfried Waelti " "	5.00
" " Brodhead Cheese & Coldstorage Co.	9.00
" " Aug. Regez	2.00
" " John Thailer	4.00
" " Membership tickets at Hall	81.00
" " Concert tickets at Hall	29.40
" " Int. Feb. 20, 1912	18.02
" " Int. Aug. 19, 1912	10.00
" " Int. Oct. 14, 1912	12.50
" " " State, Jan. 18, 1912	1,000.00