

WOOD PULP.

BY J. J. MCKINNON, AT PRESENT IN THE EMPLOY OF THE ST. JOHN SULPHITE COMPANY.

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J. J. McKinnon, who has had a large experience in the manufacture of sulphite pulp in the United States, writes to the Sun:

The question of developing the pulp and paper industry in Canada to a greater extent than hitherto attained is attracting a great deal of attention at the present time, especially when we come to consider that Canada possesses indisputable advantages for the prosecution of this industry, the most important being the ease with which suitable wood can be procured, and the unlimited area of spruce that exists in this country.

Canadian pulps are making their way gradually into favor among British consumers, because they have the advantage in quality over the Scandinavian pulp that is imported. The Canadian article should take the place of the American in the British and European markets, and even in their own markets. The chief point in the latter connection is to consider the ever-growing consumption of paper in the United States. Besides this there are a great many different articles in the manufacture of which pulp is used. In regard to American competition, I must say that the United States cannot compete with Canada in pulp manufacture, for the simple reason that wood costing \$3 per cord and even less in Canada, is costing to-day in the United States from \$6 to \$7.50 per cord. The forests of the United States are fast becoming depleted, yet we are committing the folly of allowing the Americans to take our logs and pulp wood to their own country, and our Canadian workmen are working in their mills, supplied with Canadian lumber, to benefit the Americans, who sell us paper and export pulp to Great Britain.

The manufacture of pulp and paper is one of the most important industries that can be fostered in the Dominion, and more particularly in the maritime provinces, where the conditions are so favorable. We have a great field before us, and it is full time to decide whether we shall take the lead in the pulp and paper industry or allow the Americans to come in and take our wood the way they have been doing and are doing, and then ship us back the manufactured product. The mere fact that a great number of our young men have to go to the United States to seek employment in pulp and paper mills, manufacturing our wood into pulp and paper, that should be manufactured in our own country and shipped to the United States at a good profit, keeping our young men at home and giving them profitable employment, should be a sufficient inducement to encourage us in the enterprise.

British capitalists and paper manufacturers are now turning their attention to Canada for investment opportunities. They want to procure suitable wood pulp for their many mills, but as yet they appear a little timid, and it is our duty to overcome this timidity and take advantage of these openings and afford the persons referred to the necessary encouragement to make their ventures successful. Then they will start in sound enterprises such as the wood pulp and paper industries.

I consider it necessary for the prosperity of the country that Canada should impose an export duty on pulp wood, and in this way foster the pulp and paper industry, and encourage capitalists to invest and build up this great source of revenue, that will give the stockholders a handsome profit on their investments, and give employment to thousands of our young men who are at present obliged to seek employment in the United States. I hope that the time is not far distant when the sound of pulp and paper mill whistles will be heard all over this fair dominion, and more especially around the wooded districts of these provinces. The country will get the full benefit of this industry as the workmen will keep their families here and spend their money here, and thousands of happy homes will spring up. We can manufacture first-class sulphite pulp into this country at \$16 per ton, while it will cost the American mills \$24. Good sulphite fibre, such as we can make here, is worth from £9 to £10 per ton in England, and it is taking a better place in the market than it did, for buyers like the good spruce fibre.

There is in the neighborhood of 400,000 tons of pulp imported yearly into England for paper manufacturing alone, but whether it commands a high or low price depends on quality and cleanness. The latter quality in a great many cases is wanting in some of our exports, and it will be necessary for our future pulp makers to give more care in having their pulp properly screened, and make a good strong fibre. If this were done, there would be a greatly increased volume of business developed and higher prices obtained.

We should make a great effort to manufacture all our own paper, for a country that sells all its raw material and buys the finished product will never grow intelligent and rich. The more industries we

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have the more we will develop the Canadian brain, and the best crop you can raise in any country is a crop of good men and good women, who are closely interested in the development of the land to which they owe allegiance and which permits their energies to have a free scope in improving their material prosperity.

PERISHED IN THE FLAMES.

ALMS HOUSE AT CHATHAM BURNED TO THE GROUND.

CHATHAM, April 15.—Keeper Templeton was aroused at the almshouse at 12.15 this morning by an alarm of fire given by herself. She rushed into the dormitories at once to look after the inmates—thirty men, women and children. He opened the fire escape door, aroused all the people and told them to get out. By the time he had made the round the smoke had grown so dense that he was obliged to smash a double window with his fist to get air. Then he and his wife rushed to their own bedroom for their little girl and got out with her only by going into another room and escaping by a window.

The fire had originated in the kitchen and spread quickly. The fire escape was on the rear, and access to the dormitories was soon cut off by the flames. There were stairways at both ends of the building, but they were choked with smoke.

The first arrivals on the scene could not get access, but helped the inmates away who had reached the fire escape balcony.

The building burned rapidly and was totally destroyed, with out-buildings.

Four of the inmates are missing and were undoubtedly burned to death. The victims were Owen McLean, Thomas Black, Andrew Copp and John McIntyre, all of them very old and feeble men. The other twenty-six escaped uninjured.

Major Templeton, the keeper, was cut with glass, scorched and badly shaken. The building was erected thirty-one years ago, costing \$5,000. It was insured for \$3,600.

Col. Coll, chairman of the almshouse commissioners, is making arrangements for the accommodation of the county's wards. The Thomas Keary house, now owned by F. E. Winslow, is the only available building, and as it cannot be rented it will probably be purchased and used until the almshouse can be rebuilt.

THE ORIGINAL.

There is only one remedy known that has a combined action on the kidneys and liver and cures the most complicated ailments of these delicate filtering organs, and that is Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, the original kidney pill. This world famous kidney and liver cure has an enormous sale in all parts of Canada and the United States.

WRECK ON THE I. C. R.

DALHOUSIE, April 15.—Irving's special ran off the track in a deep cutting two and a half miles west of Dalhousie Junction this morning. Seven cars containing coal and other goods were badly damaged. Three others are off the track but can be pulled back. Nobody was injured. The accident happened about five o'clock. The special train left Moncton last night in charge of Conductor Irving, with Driver Wm. Coffey. The cause of the accident is not known. The train was running at the usual rate of speed when the cars jumped the rails, piling up in a distorted mass on the roadbed. An auxiliary train was promptly dispatched from Campbellton. It arrived in a short time and work was commenced to clear the track. It was soon conceived that this would require several hours and Moncton was telegraphed for a train of passenger cars to which the mail and passengers of the Maritime express were this afternoon transferred. This train left Moncton this morning for the scene of the wreck, in charge of Conductor Fergusson. Fortunately no one was injured in the accident. The Maritime express will be three hours late reaching Moncton this evening having left Campbellton at 13 o'clock. An investigation will be held.

A QUICK CURE FOR COUGHS AND COLDS. Pyny-Pectoral. The Canadian Remedy for all THROAT AND LUNG AFFECTIONS. Large Bottles, 25 cents. DAVIS & LAWRENCE CO., Limited, Prop'rs. Ferry Davis' Pain Killer, New York Montreal.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

ELEVEN FISHERMEN DROWNED.

NANTUCKET, April 18.—The fishing schooner Eliza, of Beverly, which sailed from Hyannis yesterday for the fishing grounds struck the Rose and Crown shoals at one o'clock. Eleven of the crew of fourteen were lost. The three survivors arrived at Siasconset this morning.

A YOUNG GIRL MURDERED.

MANIWAKI, Que., Apr. 18.—News has just reached here from the Boisfranc settlement of the murder there Friday of a little girl named St. Onge, 14 years of age, the adopted daughter of Jacques Boileau. Friday, Mrs. Boileau went visiting some friends, leaving her husband alone with the little girl, and on returning home in the evening found the little girl in her bed dead, her face was bespattered with blood and her body bore marks of violence. Boileau is suspected of the crime, and bailiff Nault has sent for him. No further particulars can be obtained till his return.

THE P. E. I. LEGISLATURE.

CHARLOTTETOWN, April 18.—The second session of the legislature met yesterday. During the recess the former premier, A. B. Warburton, was appointed county court judge and Hon. D. Farquharson became premier. The speech from the throne expressed pleasure at the appointment of Lord Minto as governor general, and promises legislation to further encourage dairy and agricultural interests also to provide for the construction of permanent public works; refers to judgment of privy council re fisheries, and that a bill in accordance with that judgment will be submitted. The session will be an important one, but the business is well in hand and session will likely close in about four weeks.

THE PAPAL SUCCESSION.

LONDON, April 18.—The Rome Correspondent of the Daily Telegraph sends the substance of an interview he has had with a prelate who assisted on Sunday in the celebration of the twenty-first anniversary of the coronation of the Pope at St. Peter's Cathedral. The prelate in question said Cardinal Rampolla, the secretary of state, was the real pope, and that his object was to elect himself or one of his nominees to succeed Leo. "To attain this," declared the ecclesiastic, "it is necessary that the Pope should create new cardinals, as the sacred college is now so grouped as to leave Rampolla no chance. The object of Sunday's ceremony was to benefit the Pope's health, as excitement of this character relieves the tedium of his ordinary existence."

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An order-in-Council has been passed providing that until an ordinance respecting the traffic in intoxicating liquor shall have been passed by the Commissioner in Council of the Yukon Territory and shall have been approved by the Governor General in-Council, no permits shall be issued authorizing the introduction of any liquor into the Yukon Territory. The powers of the Commissioner-in-Council to pass ordinances in respect to the sale or traffic in intoxicating liquors are limited by the provision that liquor shall be imported into that territory only under a permit, signed by a Commissioner of the district or an officer appointed by the Commissioner for the purpose under the penalties provided by statutes. This system is to be continued when the Commissioner-in-Council shall have taken action.

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A Feminine View. Kate—So Carrie is to be married. I suppose she is very happy? Ruth—Happy? I should say so. Mr. Fixton, her fiance, doesn't amount to much, but her trousseau is just elegant.—Boston Transcript.

They Seldom Do. "Isn't it awfully difficult," asked the gushing maiden, "to find new ideas for your plays?" "I don't know," replied the successful playwright. "I have never tried it."—Brooklyn Life.

London has a resident population of nearly 1,000 professional orchestral instrumentalists.

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PONTIFF'S SPEECH TO THE CARDINALS.

PAPAL AUTHORITY THE SAVIOUR OF CIVILIZATION—THE SUPREMACY OF RIGHT.

ROME, April 11.—The Pope to-day received the members of the Sacred College who congratulated the Pontiff on his restoration to health. In his address to the cardinals the Pope, after expressing gratitude to the Deity for his restoration to health and his thankfulness for the proofs of affection from all parts of the world, warmly eulogized the Czar's initiative in calling the peace conference, and expressed the hope that it would lead to the settlement of all disputes between nations by moral and pacific means. The Pontiff dwelt upon the Church's mission of pacification, "not only in the domain of conscience, but in the public and social sphere, a mission which the Church fulfils in proportion with the freedom of her action."

Continuing, the Pope said: "Every time the Church has intervened directly in the serious affairs of the world it has assured public welfare, and the Popes have often stopped oppression and secured truces and peace treaties. Civilization would have perished without Papal authority to vindicate the supremacy of right over might. Oppressions may sometimes embarrass and curtail the powers of religion, but amid all vicissitudes the Church pursues its beneficent mission, which embraces heaven and earth. Pure humanitarianism could not assure real and lasting prosperity. An attempt is even now perceptible to withdraw civilization from the influence of Christianity."

The Pope concluded with bestowing his benediction upon those present in a firm strong voice. Besides the cardinals, a number of bishops and other dignitaries of the Church were present. The health of the Pontiff was apparently excellent.

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

'You think,' said Willie Washington, 'that it actually hurts a man to be hit with one of Cupid's arrows?' 'No,' replied Belle Pepperton; 'as a rule he merely becomes senseless for a time.'

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By creating new, rich blood and nerve tissue this great food cure of Dr. A. W. Chase restores and revitalizes the wasted nerve cells, puts new vigor and vitality into the system and frees woman of many ills which are due to exhausted nerves.

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The Liquor License Act, 1896, and Amendments Thereto.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of License Commissioners for the District of Kent County, under the Liquor License Act, 1896, at a meeting held by them on the Twenty Eighth day of March, instant, fixed SATURDAY, THE TWENTY-NINTH DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1899, at two o'clock in the afternoon, in the Village of Buctouche, in the County of Kent, as the time and place the Board of Commissioners will meet for considering applications for licenses in said District, under sub-section four of section eleven of said Liquor License Act 1896, and also for hearing any objections which may be made to the granting of any license within the said district under the said Liquor License Act 1896, or Amendments Thereto. Dated at Buctouche, N. B., this Twenty-Eighth day of March, A. D. 1899. ROBERT A. IRVING, Inspector for the District of Kent County.

COLLECTOR'S NOTICE.

The undermentioned non-resident rate payers of school district No. 10, in the Parishes of Dundas and Moncton, in the County of Kent and Westmorland, are hereby notified to pay their school rates as set opposite their names for the years 1895, 1896, 1897 and 1898, together with the cost of advertising, \$1 each, to the secretary of School District No. 10, within two months of date hereof, otherwise the real estate of the said rate payers will be sold to pay the amount of taxes and advertising.

Table with 4 columns: Name, 1895, 1896, 1897, 1898. Theophile King, \$1.27, \$1.74, \$1.71, \$1.75; George Miller, .95, .87, .86; George Powell, 1.14; James Geddes, 1.74, 1.71.

WILLIAM S. GEDDES, Secretary to board of Trustees. McLaughlin Road, Kent County, N. B., March 12, 1899.

Farm at Molus River For Sale.

I offer for sale the Harrison T. Smith property at Molus River, in the vicinity of the school house. There are about 300 acres in the lot. Prompt application will secure a good bargain. J. D. PHINNEY, Aug. 12, 1898.

Mouth of Kouchibouguac River.

I hold for sale the Knowland or McGinnis lot—No. 4—adjoining the Lawrence Kelly lot at the mouth of the Kouchibouguac. Apply immediately to J. D. PHINNEY, August 13, 1898.

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