

Manufacturing.

This department of the "Canadian Manufacturer" is considered of special value to our readers because of the information contained therein. With a view to sustaining its interesting features, friends are invited to contribute any items of information coming to their knowledge regarding any Canadian manufacturing enterprises. Be concise and explicit. State facts clearly, giving correct name and address of person or firm alluded to, and nature of business.

MR. JOHN READHEAD, St. Anns, Ont., near Lowville, will build a saw mill this spring.

MR. A. BIOT, Montreal, will build a glass works at Ottawa, if an inducing bonus is offered him to do so.

THE Galt Knitting Company, Galt, Ont., will make large additions to their factory the coming spring.

MR. W. H. BLACKBURN, Middleville, Ont., near Almonte, is building a cheese factory for the dairymen of that vicinity.

A COMPANY is being formed at Hamilton, Ont., to bore for natural gas in that city, and will go as deep as 2,200 feet if necessary to find it.

THE Lindsay-Seldon Furniture Company, Peterboro', Ont., have moved into their new factory. The building is 80 x 40 feet, four stories high.

THE Buckingham Brick and Tile Co., Montreal, have been incorporated with \$30,000 capital stock for the manufacture of brick, drain tile, etc.

THE Essex Centre Handle Works, Essex Centre, Ont., have recently been making shipments of considerable quantities of handles to England.

MR. JOSEPH KIDD, JR., has purchased the Scobie Salt Works in Goderich, Ont., and will run them under the name of the Dominion Salt Works.

MR. CHARLES RUSAW, living on a farm near Dummer, Ont., has discovered petroleum on his land and will organize a company to make explorations.

MESSRS. W. H. VEYSEY & SON, of Waterboro', N.B., will build a saw mill this spring at the thoroughfare between Grand and North Lakes, in that province.

MR. P. JACOBI, late of Toronto, has purchased the cordovan tannery at Acton, Ont., and will operate the same under the management of Mr. Wm. Smith.

MR. W. E. ADAMS, Paris, Ont., has decided not to leave that place, but will immediately build a new factory and commence the manufacture of knitted goods.

THE Preston Carriage Company, Preston, Ont., have acquired the site of the old woolen factory in that town on which they will erect their proposed carriage works.

MR. K. J. MILLAR, of Messrs. Millar & Sons, manufacturers of agricultural implements, was in St. Catharines a few days ago hunting a bonus. He wants to move.

MESSRS. GOLDIE & McCULLOCH, Galt, Ont., have recently furnished and put in operation a 125 barrel a day roller process flouring mill for parties at Comber, Ont.

TILBURY CENTER, Ont., near Essex, is offering inducements for the establishment of a flax mill. The surrounding country, it is said, is well adapted for flax-growing.

MR. S. BADHAM, Pakenham, Ont., is about concluding a purchase of Messrs. Gillies Bros. grist mill at that place and will convert it into a roller process flouring mill.

MR. JOHN McCONNELL, carriage manufacturer, Guelph, Ont., is closing out his business preparatory to going to Australia, where he will resume his manufacturing business.

THE Teeswater Milling and Manufacturing Company, Teeswater, Ont., have renewed the lease of their property at that place to Messrs. Hewson Bros., for a term of five years.

THE Owen Lumber Company, Sherbrooke, Que., have acquired a tract of 84,000 acres of land near that place, and will erect mills for the conversion of the timber upon it into lumber.

MR. WALTER BEATTY, Pembroke, Ont., whose sash and door factory was recently destroyed by fire, has refused the offer of a \$3,000 bonus to assist him in rebuilding the same.

MESSRS. PETER SMITH & Co., Robinson Bury, near Sherbrooke, Que., have started a factory for the manufacture of every description of cemetery work, from all kinds of marble and granite.

THE Mowat Manufacturing Company, late of Toronto, are negotiating for the purchase of the Paterson foundry property at Oshawa, Ont., proposing to engage in the manufacture of mowers.

MESSRS. EVANS BROS. & LITTLER, Ingersoll, piano manufacturers, have offered to compromise with their creditors. This is the firm which received a bonus from Ingersoll to remove from London.

MR. G. B. ST. JOHN, of the St. John Plow Company, Kalamazoo, Mich., was in Hamilton, Ont., a few days ago, looking for a suitable location at which to establish a Canadian branch of their works.

MR. H. S. TOFFEY, Fallbrook, Ont., near Almonte, is building a cheese box factory, which he will have in operation in a few days, and which will enable him to supply the demand of that section.

MESSRS. J. & J. TAYLOR, Toronto, manufacturers of bank vaults, burglar and fire proof safes, etc., recently supplied the Bank of British Columbia, at Vancouver, with one of their excellent safes.

MESSRS. C. WILSON & SON, Toronto, manufacturers of scales, is constructing a caliper scales of special design for the Gooderham & Worts Co., Toronto, distillers, intended for weighing spirit barrels.

MR. JAMES HAMILTON, Lindsay, Ont., a few days ago shipped a carload of sleighs, wagons, buckboards and buggies, manufactured by him, to Brandon, Man., in which section he is building up a fine trade.

ALD. BOWLEY's action at the city council in regard to discouragement of bonuses, is generally commended on the streets to-day. Brantford expended \$70,000 on bonuses last year.—*Brantford Courier*.

MR. WOON, late secretary of the Joseph Hall Machine Works, Oshawa, Ont., has bought all the patterns and the partly finished materials of that concern, and will soon again put the works into operation.

THE output of coal at the Nanaimo, B.C., collieries during 1887, aggregated 436,954 tons, of which there was exported to California, 434,949 tons; to other countries, 9,390 tons; home consumption, 99,215 tons.

MESSRS. MCSLOY BROS., St. Catharines, Ont., who have heretofore carried on an extensive bakery business, have sold out the same, and will go more extensively than heretofore into the manufacture of hair cloth.

MESSRS. E. H. BARNES & Co., box shoo manufacturers, New York, will establish a large branch factory at Ottawa, provided they are guaranteed exemption from taxation for ten years. They will probably get it.

RIDGETOWN, Ont., thinks that there is plenty of natural gas in the earth beneath the place, and wants some of it bad enough to bore for it. The Ridgetown Natural Gas Company has been formed and wells will be sunk.

THE Dodge Wood Split Pulley Co., Toronto, have recently put in two rope power transmissions of 75 horse power each, and a series of Dodge wood split pulleys into the Grand Trunk Railroad elevator at Point Edward, Ont.

MESSRS. M. MACFARLANE, E. W. Farwell and H. E. Macfarlane have become the owners of the grist mill at Sherbrooke, Que., and will enlarge its capacity by the addition of roller process machinery for manufacturing flour.

THE firm of Pillow, Hersey & Co., Montreal, has been incorporated as a joint stock company, with a capital of \$800,000. The concern will be known in the future as "The Pillow & Hersey Manufacturing Company."

THE Cedar Dale Works are getting in several carloads of white ash from Ohio. They have also put up one of the best lathes in use and are turning out handles of a quality that is not equalled in Canada.—*Oshawa Vindicator*.

MESSRS. A. HARRIS, SON & Co., Brantford Ont., manufacturers