

THE PAPER BOX AND BAG INDUSTRY IN CANADA

Report for 1924 shows New Brunswick ranks fourth among provinces of the Dominion.

Fredericton, N. B. August 15th. In connection with the forest industries of New Brunswick the public mind generally visualizes the milling or the pulp and paper manufacturing as the chief branches. In addition to those leading divisions there are a number of comparatively small industries which in the aggregate are of marked importance.

One of those is the Paper Box Industry. It may surprise many to know that this is an industry based on the forests but it is. The Forest Products Branch of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, located at Ottawa, deals with the industry in a preliminary report just released. Statistics generally are dry and uninteresting but those relating to this particular industry give some instructive information.

The making of paper bags and boxes is classed as one of the most important of the secondary manufacturing industries depending on the pulp and paper industry for raw material. The lines of manufacture generally turned out are stiff folding and corrugated boxes, cartons and other paper board containers and paper bags, but in addition there are made envelopes, egg-case fillers, paper drinking cups, bottle wrappers, mailing tubes and other products.

The statistics concern the industry in the whole of Canada with each province dealt with separately. This province is placed fourth in order of importance. Ontario being first, Quebec second and Manitoba third. New Brunswick possesses four establishments devoted to this line of business with a total capital investment of \$192,667; and a total number of 51 classed as employees on a total of \$42,577, and the value of product was \$130,513. Materials were valued at \$58,922. In New Brunswick the manufactured is chiefly confined to stiff and folding boxes but there is ample opportunity for development in the other lines.

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There is a certain fitness in a rainy day for serious thought and the reflections it arouses are not gloomy, at the reverse. Longfellow's poem on the rainy day, sad but tempered by resignation, is not so well known as his lyric rejoicing over the fall of the rain after a parching season. Not only is rain necessary for growth, but it cleanses the air, and in the accompanying sound there is something soothing and enjoyable. These are pleasures which happily the blind may share. They, like their more fortunate brothers and sisters, may "listen to the pattering of the rain upon the roof" and breathe the odors which the shower brings forth from earth and grass, leaves and flowers. Fun has been poked at the novelists who began their stories with a sentence like this: "It was a dark and stormy evening." But it may be that the frequent recurrence of this opening was not merely imitative but the touch of nature which makes the whole world kin. The weather is a topic of absorbing and undying interest. Mark Twain scoffed at the old habit, and said that he would put all the weather into one chapter of one of his books. But his own description of a thunderstorm in "Huckleberry Finn" is a classic. The eternal charm of rain held him and made his readers sharers in his pleasure.

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TO CURB SCANDAL

Lord Darling's judicial procedure bill, which when introduced in the House of Lords was described as "an act to regulate the publication of reports on judicial proceedings to prevent injury to public morals," has just been published and contains some drastic provisions.

The measure forbids publication by the press of "any indecent matter or medical, surgical or physiological details, being matter or details the publication of which would be calculated to injure public morals or otherwise be to public mischief."

Newspaper reports of divorce actions may contain no more than the following:

"The names and addresses and description of the parties and witnesses, the grounds on which the proceedings are brought and resisted and set forth in the petition and answers and particulars thereof and submission of any point of law arising in the course of the proceedings and the decision of the court thereon summing up of the judge and the finding of the jury, and judgment of the court and observations made by the judge in giving judgment."

A SICK PARLIAMENT

Looking back over the past five months, the Ottawa Journal sees "the worst session of perhaps the worst Parliament that Canada has known in years." It finds the five months barren of achievement and their concluding weeks such as to inspire disgust and amazement, with grave public questions sidetracked or compromised and millions of dollars voted without scrutiny. It wishes that the nation could have been congregated in the galleries of the House of Commons to witness the spectacle, the inference evidently being that were the people to see the performance of government under its present leadership they would be quick to make a change. The Journal recites the reasons for its conclusion in part as follows:—

Of the long list of promises in the Speech from the Throne practically nothing got to the statute books. The pledged solution of the railway rate question brought little but compromise to cover retreat from an impossible position; the much heralded measure to control ocean rates ended in a Cabinet bout; high cost and humiliation; amendments to the Grain Act so favored elevators over farmers, that even the Progressive worm turned and rent its erstwhile leader; a \$70,000,000 rural credit scheme, an evident deliberate fake was luckily killed by the Senate; a high-sounding coking scheme, brought in at the last minute, was either still-born or the victim of infanticide; a transferable vote bill, promised repeatedly, never made an appearance; the Home Bank depositors bill had to be taken in hand and put into half decency by the Senate. Incapacity, muddle, and mismanagement mark most of the Ministry's record.

"Of the vital needs of the country—check of extravagance, reduction of taxation and debt, prevention of the drain of human and raw material to the United States, a vigorous immigration policy—this session brought not a hope. Continued heightening of the world over was met by Government fiscal tinkering based on an electoral map. Industrial depression, unemployment and mounting obligations saw the Government march on in extravagance, oblivious to world conditions, careless of business stagnation, heedless of the strain and drain on the nation through taxation, emigration and debt. Decline of immigration, declared and admitted to be a vital necessity, saw the Government but confess impotence and failure. Manifestly dishonest budget statements, enormous increases in debt, sustained high taxation, patronage millions distributed like manna from Heaven to favored constituencies—these were the Ministry's only reply to a condition growing increasingly grave.

"The truth is that this is a sick Parliament. Weakened by the loss of men like Fielding and Gouin; still further weakened by retention of men like Motherwell; the combined disease of insigence within its ranks and of log-rolling and barter with Progressives without its ranks, destroys the Government's usefulness and makes it a national menace. Without a sure majority, it improvises from day to day, living on hand to mouth policies, keeping one on St. James Street and the other on the West, a creature of the arithmetic of division lists, with office its central aim.

"And the Progressive record is no better. This party coming to Ottawa to sanctify politics has been an influence towards hypocrisy and dishonesty and sectionalism in Parliament. The old parties had and have their faults, but never possessed perfection. The chief evil of the Progressive party has been its insincerity, a deceit greater even than its incapacity. Through four years when its numbers were great enough to

control legislation, it has divided its time between selling out its principles or proving its incapacity to promote them. Foaming for Free Trade in the constituencies, it has savishly voted for tariffs. Challenged to move its platform in Parliament, it has never had the courage of the act. Its professed passion for economy was reduced to oyster-like silence in the face of a great deal of extravagance, and of clamor for a great deal more. In its feebleness in debate, in its inability to take the initiative in anything, in its failure to achieve cohesion, or unity, or discipline in its own ranks, and, lastly, in its downright recreancy to principle and its willingness to play mean politics, it has lowered the tone of even this Parliament and made Government less honest and stable.

"Mr. Meighen, contrasted with this story of his opponents, has united and vitalized his party. His programme, resting upon unchanging principle, but applied intelligently to change, is the ablest earnest statement of policy that the country has had in years. And Mr. Meighen is the puppet of nobody. Nobody owns him. Nobody controls him. His policies are his own policies. His principles are his own principles. His mistakes are his own mistakes. Beside the wavering, the back-sliding, the meddling and vote-baiting of Liberals and Progressives, his clear-cut, uncompromising advocacy of a Canadian policy for Canada, the old tried historic policy that builded Confederation, stands out in hopeful relief.

"The country, we are convinced, is turning to that policy. It is sick of this Government and of this Parliament. It is sick of log-rolling and bartering for votes. It is sick of Government by listening; sick of extravagance; sick of debt, of taxation, of drift and impotence; sick of the things which, in four years of bountiful harvest and favorable opportunities, have seen Canada move backwards, her industry languishing, her people becoming exiles, her riches being exploited by others. It is preparing, we think, to wipe out this Ministry and this Parliament, and to give Canada a leader who will lead and a Government that will govern."

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Here and There

Since the first of April up to the present time approximately seven million pounds of various fish have been landed at North Sydney, N.S., by local fishermen. The catch made so far this season is far in excess of any previous year's catch in the history of this port.

All tourist and motorists records are being broken at Banff this year. There are three times as many campers as in any other year and 2,400 more bathers than in 1924. The Canadian Pacific hotel here and at Lake Louise reports bookings as being unusually heavy.

More Alberta provincial savings certificates were sold in the first six months of this year than in any full year previously, even including the big record year of 1920. Since the beginning of the current year up to the end of June, the total sales amounted to \$1,401,600. There is now close to \$7,000,000 outstanding in savings certificates.

Radio receiving licenses held in Canada at the end of last month numbered 56,063, according to a statement issued by the Federal Government. Ontario leads all provinces with a total of 28,507. Quebec occupied second place with 7,852 licenses, followed by Saskatchewan with 6,551; Manitoba, 4,443; British Columbia, 3,392; Alberta, 3,004; Nova Scotia, 1,435; New Brunswick, 736; Prince Edward Island, 87; Yukon, 22; and Northwest Territories, 5.

A consignment of 21 fox hounds from the famous Mendip Hunt Pack, in Somerset, England, was brought to Canada early in August by the Dominion Express Company for the Toronto Hunt Club. The English papers published photographs of these splendid animals and expressed gratification that good British hounds were being used on the hunting fields of Ontario. This is the third such consignment brought out by the Dominion Express within recent weeks.

The delegates to the Empire Press Conference at Australia who came from Britain and passed through Canada recently spent several days in the Canadian Pacific Rockies and enjoyed themselves trail-riding and hiking among the beauty spots that surround Banff and Lake Louise. Lord Burnham and several other distinguished British journalists established new walking records in covering the distance between Wapita and Emerald Lake in two hours, while it took the trail-riders on ponies two hours and a quarter to cover the same ground.

Representing education authorities and the public and secondary schools of Great Britain, about one hundred teachers from the United Kingdom arrived recently at Montreal on the "Empress of Scotland" and are now touring the country before their departure they received a congratulatory message from King George and on their arrival were tendered an official reception by representatives of the Quebec provincial government prominent educationists and were entertained to dinner at the Chateau Frontenac by E. W. Beatty.

In a recently published monograph on "The Transportation of Canadian Wheat to the Sea" Miss L. M. Fair, M.A., makes the following comparison of Canadian and United States rates to show to what extent the resources of our railways are organized for the benefit of western producers:—

To Port	Miles	Rate per U.S. bu. wheat	Rate per cent
Winnipeg	420	.08	.12
Portage la Prairie	475	.09	.13
Carberry	525	.09	.13
Broadview	684	.10	.18
Regina	776	.12	.21
Medicine Hat	1,076	.14	.27
Lethbridge	1,177	.15	.28
Calgary	1,243	.15	.31

Here and There

The first batch of last winter's furs brought from the Far North by the steamer "Distributor," from Aklavik, has arrived at Edmonton, Alta., and is valued at approximately \$1,000,000. Good catches of furs were reported throughout the north.

Sockeye salmon fishing around Vancouver, B.C., for the first three weeks of the current season, while not as active as last year, has so far, resulted in fairly good catches. The latest reports indicate a catch to date of 55,000 cases, which is 2,000 cases less than last year.

While the members of Dean Sinclair Laird's party of school teachers from Ontario is returning East from their tour of the country the party of British teachers, who landed in Canada recently, is now travelling through the West on a special Canadian Pacific train to gain knowledge of the country and information concerning its resources.

Construction of the half million dollar storage and power dam on the Muskoh River, authorized at its last session by the Ontario Legislature, has been commenced. The proposed work is designed to control the flow from the Muskoka Lakes basin and will enable the linking up of power development in that district with the Eugenia-Severn system.

Passenger traffic over Western Lines of the Canadian Pacific Railway to date this summer has been particularly heavy, and a large number of special trains and special cars being operated for British, Canadian and American tourists. Lake side and summer tourist travel to the annual exhibition at Saskatoon and other Western points required the operation of special trains.

Construction of one of the largest and most modern departmental stores at Winnipeg, Man., by the Hudson's Bay Company will be proceeded with immediately, according to an announcement by Mayor Webb of that city. A start upon the company's building programme here was assured, stated Mayor Webb, with the passing of a by-law by the City Council providing for a memorial boulevard flanking the Hudson's Bay property.

During the first half of August two important Ontario railway towns celebrated their Old Home Week and held pageants illustrative of their local histories and industrial activities. These were North Bay and Smith Falls, both of which held C.P.R. Days and were the meeting points for thousands of railroad men, who assisted in the pioneering work of the districts. The Old Home Week at North Bay marked the graduation of that town to full-fledged cityhood.

The funeral in Montreal recently of the late G. M. Bosworth, chairman Canadian Pacific Steamships, was attended by E. W. Beatty, chairman and president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and nearly all the directors and executive officers of the company. An impressive and dignified procession followed the ceremony, a cortage being formed by the Company's police and officers and men from the crews of Canadian Pacific steamships.

A party of thirty prominent American society people, scientists and artists succeeded recently in blazing a new passage along the Wolverine pass across the northern Canadian Pacific Rockies with the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies. The Riders this year have many famous men among them and six separate countries are represented. Twenty of the members wear gold and enamel buttons, showing that they have ridden 2,500 miles along the mountain trails.

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