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CANADIAN PULP AND PAPER ASSOCIATION

511 St. Catherine Street West

Montreal

May 12, 1925.

E.B. Eddy Company, Limited Hull, QUE.

Dear Sirs,

A proposal is under consideration by the authorities of McGill University and the executives of the Canadian Pulp & Paper Association for the establishment at the University of a Chair in Cellulose Chemistry to be maintained jointly at the expense of the University and the Association. The establishment of the proposed Chair would be in conformity with a bequest made to the University by the late Mrs. E.B. Eddy and will fit in with the arrangements already entered into by the Dominion Government and the Association for the joint operation and control of the Pulp and Paper Division of the Forest Products Laboratories.

The financial obligation to be assumed by the Association will be \$7500 a year, the arrangement to be subject to revision or cancellation at the end of five years.

The proposal has the support of the Research Section of the Association and will come before the Executive Council shortly.

As a preliminary to the meeting the Ass ociation's executive is inviting the views of some of the leading companies in respect to the proposal. As at present constituted the Association can take care of the additional expense without calling upon the membership for increased assessments. It is conceivable, however, that it may not always be in such a strong position. The president would, therefore, like to be advised whether, in the event of