### TRADE NOTES.

The Syracuse Smelting Works of Montreal advise us that they are always open to purchase lead or copper concentrates.

Alfred Rubbra, of the Machinery Exchange, Montreal, has secured the agency for Clark & Demill, manufacturers of wood-working machinery, Galt, Ont.

The Huntsville Foundry & Implement Company are building a foundry at Huntsville, Ont., and will make a specialty of the manufacture and repair of saw mill machinery.

The Western Cordage Company, Limited, has been incorporated at London, Ont., with a capital stock of \$300,000, to manufacture binder twine, rope, and all kinds of cordage. The president is Thomas II. Purdom, K.C., and the secretary E. B. Stone.

John McLean, an employee of the Canada Shingle Company, Vancouver, B. C., has received a Canadian patent on an improved tooth for a cut-off saw. The tooth is said to be more easily manufactured than any other on the market and to maintain its cutting edge for a longer time, with a minimum of side friction. L. G. McKam, of New Westminster, has acquired an interest in the patent

The Oxford Foundry and Machine Company, of Oxford, N.S., have supplied the Grand River Lumber and Pulp Company, at Gillisport, Labrador, with one of Killam's double patent saw-beds, together with one of their carriages built with setter and dogger to ride on the carriage, for which Mr. Killam guarantees a record cut of 500 feet a minute or an average of 25,000 feet per hour. The mill has already been set up and is now at work.

The New Century Refrigerator & Manufacturing Company, Limited, of Dundas, Ont., have their large new factory completed and in full operation. It is splendidly equipped with the best and most modern machinery and systematized so as to reduce the amount of labor to the minimum, and is one of the most complete wood-working factories in Canada. There are large and extensive dry kilns by means of which all lumber will be thoroughly seasoned before being manufactured. The company will make a specialty of hardwood vencer doors with built-up bodies, which they claim are unshrinkable and are guaranteed not to warp or twist. They are made in modern designs, artistic in appearance and equal in construction and finish to any door on the market. They will also give close attention to arelifects, special designs of doors and

trims. Agents will immediately be appointed in the different districts, and they will doubtless find their products a profitable line of goods to handle.

Some time ago we mentioned that experiments were being made regarding the production of ingot copper and bronze by the Syracuse Smelting Works, of Mon treal. Since that time we understand the work has steadily proceeded and that recently a company has been incorporated to prosecute this industry entirely. It is to be called the Montreal Copper Company, Limited, and will be devoted to the production of ingot copper, phosphor copper, and phosphor bronze ingots. It is interesting to note that this is the first company of its kind in Canada, all copper mined in Canada and smelted into "Math" being usually sent to the United States to be refined. The company at the present time have a capacity of eight tons per day, which has proved quite inadequate for the demand. The object of the recent corporation is to provide the necessary capital for materially increasing the capacity. The officers are Mr. II. Sapery, president; Mr. L. Sapery, manager; Mr. Fritz Bornholdz, secretary-treasurer. The company was incorporated with a capital of \$150,000, but it is intended to increase it to \$250,000.

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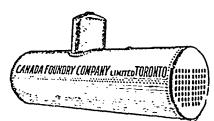


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