## Introductory



The Canadian Portland Cement Company, Limited, in June, 1900, acquired the Portland Cement interests of the Rathbun Company, of Deseronto, and of the Beaver Portland Cement Company, of Montreal.

The Manufacturing Staff connected with the Rathbun Company's Portland Cement Works, and the production of the wellknown Brand of Portland Cement, "Rathbun's Star," for the past ten years, have been put in charge of our manufacturing operations.

With raw materials equal to the best, with the most modern machinery and process of manufacture, with a staff familiar by long experience with the raw materials used and their manufacture into high-grade Portland Cement, we feel we can offer cement to the public which cannot be surpassed, and which has already acquired the very highest reputation for excellence.

In presenting this small pamphlet to our friends, we trust they will find the few notes it contains on Portland Cement, its uses and characteristics, of some interest.

The Canadian & Portland Cement Company, Limited,