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**Making a Crop of Trees**

A call to save the billion dollar pulp industry of the North American continent from starving to death for want of raw material comes from an American writer who has just completed an exhaustive survey of the timber resources of North America. The writer is Royal S. Kellogg, whose new work "Pulpwood and Wood Pulp in North America" is just off the presses of the McGraw-Hill Book Company.

"The time has come when those who have millions of dollars invested in plants for the utilization of timber must investigate seriously the permanence of their supply of raw material," says Mr. Kellogg. "Those who have enjoyed an abundance of every variety of forest products must be prepared to bear their share of the undertakings if they are to have in the future an even smaller supply at a higher cost." The remedy, according to the writer, is to begin to grow timber crops in the same way that we grow grain and hay. "We must make the most of what is left of our timber stand and start a new crop if the next generation is not to be greatly pinched for wood, and the succeeding one still more handicapped."

Mr. Kellogg goes extensively into the consumption of American and Canadian pulpwood to the exclusion of other kinds of wood. From the beginning of the wood pulp industry in America, to the present time he esti-

mates that the United States has cut about 22,000,000 cords of pulpwood, and Canada about 48,000,000, a total of 130,000,000 cords. Yet, until recent years, there was an annual consumption of firewood in the United States of about 100,000,000 cords a year, or as much wood as went into paper in that country in fifty years. Wood cut for fuel in Canada is twice as great as wood cut for pulp. Attention has been drawn to pulpwood because it comprises only a few species cut in a few areas.

Of the wood that has been consumed in the pulp and paper industry on the continent about 47,000,000 cords have gone into ground-wood pulp, which is the main constituent of the newsprint. Of this about 32,000,000 cords have been used in the United States, and about 15,000,000 cords in Canada. The large supplies of ground-wood pulp have made possible the expansion of the newsprint industry on the Continent. Practically all of the American production, and four-fifths of the Canadian production, is for use in the United States, where more newsprint paper is used than in the entire rest of the world combined. The circulation of Sunday newspapers is now about 30,000,000 copies, and of the dailies about 30,000,000 copies, and each paper is a 100 per cent. forest product, just as truly as a barrel or a barrel of oil.

In newsprint, Canadian mills are expected to pass American production in 1925. Now the capacity of North American newsprint mills is about 9,500 tons a day, of which 5,150 tons

is in the United States and the balance in Canada and Newfoundland. In sulphite, American mills had in 1919 a rated capacity of 1,556,000 tons a year, and Canadian mills 632,000 tons, although since that date Canadian capacity has materially increased.

In this industry about a billion and a half dollars have been invested, of which about 340,000,000 is invested in Canada. It is to save the industry that forestry is demanded by Mr. Kellogg. His book goes extensively into possible systems of forestry or timber growing and protection. He makes the point that although this continent now has the highest per capita annual consumption of paper of any part of the world, the growth in the rate of consumption can continue so long as adequate supplies of paper as a reasonable price are available, and, of course, the provision of adequate supplies of wood for paper-making is a better method of providing the supplies of cheap paper than an attempt to find a substitute for wood. In this way Mr. Kellogg puts it up to the industry: If it wants its markets to be held and even to expand it must provide adequate supplies of raw material to keep down the price of the finished article.

**Labour Objects to State Governors**

VACANCY CAUSED BY RESIGNATION OF SIR W. L. ALLARDYCE NOT YET FILLED.

LONDON, Feb. 14.—(Canadian Press)—Representations from the Labour parties of the Australian States against the continuance of the system of appointments of State Governors by the Imperial Parliament are likely to be made to the British Government. It is alleged by the Australian Labour leaders that the choice of a Governor of a State invariably falls upon a distinguished public man in Great Britain, who possesses no experience of the Antipodes until he goes to fill his new office.

There is a growing demand in Australia that the Governorships of the States should be abolished and the Canadian system of Lieutenant-Governors for the Provinces be substituted therefor.

Tasmania recently protested against the appointment of a Governor for that State by the Imperial authorities and has followed up its protest by refusing to make provision for the successor of its last Governor, Sir Wm. Lamond Allardyce. Sir William resigned some time ago because of the inadequacy of the salary allowance, £2,750, and the position of Governor has been vacant since.

Another side to this question is that in the Australian States the local Governments enjoy all the powers not superficially surrendered to the Federal

Government. This is invariably pointed out by the Colonial Office when representations are made on behalf of the agents-general of the Canadian Provinces to the effect that in diplomatic matters they are on a lower plane than the agents-general of the Australian States.

M. C. L. L.—Fifty-seventh Session. Meets to-night, Thursday, Feb. 14th, at 7.45 sharp. Resolved: That the Norwegian system of catching and curing fish by systematic groups is superior to ours, making standardization possible and should be adopted by Newfoundland. Affirmative: Messrs. C. C. Pratt, H. Young, John Barrett, Negotiator: Mr. Fred Moore. Capt. Geo. Whiteley, Mr. H. M. Brown. Visitors welcomed.—Feb 14.11

**Important Announcement**

To Screen and Concert Patrons.

The management of the Majestic Theatre wish to avail of this opportunity to formally announce the coming engagement of the famous musical and novelty combination known as the Zyllos, which booking was successfully arranged with the head office of the Keith circuit, New York. The Zyllos hold a unique position in the concert world and for many years were considered the most expensive artists in this line of works, and for this reason were always acknowledged headliners and chief attractions in the largest theatres in New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago and other cities where Keiths are interested. The Zyllos bring their own equipment. Coming also to the Majestic is the much sought after super-special "One Exciting Night," a screen feature, that caused considerable press comment and filled big cinema houses for record bookings. To-day "The Spanish Jade" is the chief attraction at the Majestic a real story of Spanish life and love that will surely delight also a new reel and a real live comedy, "The Explorers." David Powell is the star in "The Spanish Jade."

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A Solemn Requiem Mass for the repose of the soul of Eva Mary Dunphy, will be celebrated at the Cathedral to-morrow morning (Friday) at 8.30. Feb 14.11

**Results of Shorthand Examinations**

STUDENTS OF THE ACADEMY OF OUR LADY OF MERRY, MILITARY ROAD.

Commercial Department, January 1st, 1924. Seven minutes' speed test. International Competition. 100 words per minute.

Miss Nora Davis awarded first place gold centre medal, M.S.D.S. The following have been awarded M.S.D.S.

Theresa Davis, Margaret O'Brien, Kathleen Woodman, Marjorie Stirling, Marjorie McGrath, Genevieve Scovier, Emily Jardine, Grace Le Drew, Genevieve Abbot, Jean Pollard.

Five Minutes' Speed Test. The following received diplomas for 100 words per minute:

Accuracy. Miss Minnie Faulkner, awarded first place, silver medal and M.S.D.S. The following received diplomas and M.S.D.S. Minnie Faulkner, Charlotte Molloy, Mary Reddy, Jean McKinley, Margaret Robertson, Nora Peters, Nellie McFarlane, Maud Foran, Irene Rose, Gwendolyn Sparks, Hilda Dowton, Edna Spurrell, Winnie Coward, Winifred O'Shea, Ellen Fitzpatrick, Jean Eadie, Kathleen McLoughlin, Pearl Templeman, Catherine Gleeson, Mary Walsh, Flora Grimes, Frances Treanor, Florence Martin, Lottie Hiseock, Clara Giles, Stella Burden, Blanche Learning, Dorothy Burden, Millie Thistle, Winnie Barbour, Kathleen Power, Helena Kilpatrick, Florence Curtis, Sadie Bursey.

Owing to the death of Mrs. F. Pippy, mother of Rev. Father Pippy, the Concert to be held at St. Joseph's Hall to-night, has been postponed.—Feb 14.11

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Minard's takes the sting out of them. Quickly relieves aching or blistered feet.

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Duckworth Street and Theatre Hill.

**RILLY'S UNCLE**

THE LADY WHO WENT TO THE HEADQUARTERS OF THE INDIAN CLOD WHILE TAKING EXERCISES THE OTHER DAY... IS NEARLY HEALED BUT HE IS NOW SUFFERING FROM A LADSE OF MEMORY.

HOWDA Y' LUV Y' UNK? MC SHANEY'S STENOGRAPHER SENT 'EM OVER!

THEY'RE VERY UNCE BILLY BUT—

WHO IS MC SHANEY'S STENOGRAPHER?

CAN Y' BEAT THAT "HE'S BEEN PROPOSIN' TO THAT GIRL TWICE A WEEK FOR THE PAST TWO YEARS AND NOW HE SAYS "WHO IS MC SHANEY'S STENOGRAPHER?"

Where Has He Heard That Name Before?

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