

NATURE OUR TEACHER

Many inventions have been the result of close observation of Nature. Making paper from wood is one of the world's most important discoveries and industries. An old hornet's nest was the cause of a doctor making close and painstaking search as to how the paper nest was made, and making him think that it might be possible for human beings to manufacture paper of the same kind. The doctor knew that there were not enough rags and cotton in the world to supply the enormous quantities of paper which newspapers and journals require, so one day he took the hornet's nest to a friend and they tried to see if it were possible to make paper in a like manner to the little hornet.

They sat down, took the nest to pieces, analysed it carefully, and decided that if a hornet could make paper out of wood, man could do the same. The doctor first discovered that the hornet chewed the wood into a fine pulp. Then they decided to make machinery which would accomplish this in huge quantities. The experiments were at last completed satisfactorily, and paper made from wood pulp was the result.

Logs are now floated down a river to a pulpmill. In an amazingly short time each log comes out in great masses of pulp; ready to be sent to the paper mill to be reeled, chemically treated, and dried.

It is then delivered in great rolls or sheets ready to feed to printing presses. It is interesting to know that the copy of THE ACADIAN you are now holding was not so very long ago, part of a flourishing tree in a Quebec forest.

CLOTHING PRICES COMING DOWN


CHICAGO, January 4.—The market for men's spring and summer clothing was opened in Chicago today and manufacturers offered suits much below that of the spring of 1920. One of the leading factories in the ready-made trade quoted the manufacturer's price of wool suits at \$25, compared to \$40 last fall, and \$37 a year ago. Fine blue serge suits are offered at \$30 compared to \$47 last fall and \$43 a year ago. A standard worsted suit is now wholesaled at \$34, compared to \$45 for spring of 1920. The very finest suits made in America are now offered at \$53, compared to \$80 the price last fall. Fine worsted trousers are now \$8, compared to \$12.50 last spring. Prices for summer goods, such as mohairs and Palm Beaches range upward from \$14.50, compared to \$16.50 last year.

Buyers from every part of the United States say that they have, for the most part liquidated goods bought at peak prices, and from now on clothing will be retailed on the new level.

The latest American church device for raising the wind is what a religious paper describes as some collection box. The inventor hails from Oklahoma. If a member of the congregation drops in a 25-cent piece, or a coin of larger value, there is silence. If it is a ten-cent piece, a bell rings; a five-cent piece sounds a whistle, and a one-cent piece a blank cartridge. If any one pretends to be asleep when the box passes, it awakens him with a watchman's rattle, and a kodak takes his portrait.—From the London Christian-World.

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ODDITIES IN NEWSPAPERS.

The smallest newspaper in the world is now being printed in New York City. Its pages are only about five inches wide and six inches long but they contain short news items that are very easily and quickly read. Another odd newspaper published in this same city is called the Deaf Mutes' Journal, all of its editors being members of a deaf and dumb school. However, The Deaf Mutes' Journal is a real newspaper in size and contains four pages of interesting reading.

In Germany there is a newspaper that has nothing in it but stories about rheumatism. People having this trouble write in their experiences, doctors tell new ways to get rid of it and it seems that everybody there having rheumatism subscribes to this queer newspaper. Some years ago a Russian editor started a postcard size newspaper, the print of which was so small that he furnished a magnifying glass to each of his regular subscribers. Somehow the idea didn't take, as he only printed a few numbers before finding out that the people didn't appreciate the idea, even though the magnifying glass was furnished free.

Greenland hasn't many newspapers of any kind, but the oddest of them all is a monthly paper called The Kalorkmit (Did you get your tongue twisted after pronouncing this name?) The most unusual thing about this paper being that a three months subscription costs two ducks, while it requires a sable skin to pay for a year.

"Good citizenship is the subordination of one's desires and inclinations to the common good; the faithful observance of the duties and obligations of citizenship of just laws and ordinances; the acceptance of the duties and obligations of citizenship as well as its advantages and its protection; loyalty to one's family, one's city, and one's nation."—L. F. Kneipp.

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