

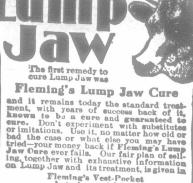
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and oak, which are naturally durable, and difficult to treat.

3. Better to be done after the lumber is seasoned.

4. The treatment would not affect the way or ease in which tongued and grooved material would be laid together. 5. We cannot say definitely how much creosote would be required, as it will depend very much upon the liberality with which you apply it. Posts absorb from four- to six-tenths of a gallon.

6 and 7. When treating posts, a large oil cask, or better, two of them, are connected with a long pipe. The material is put into the cask, and a fire is lighted under the center of this pipe in order to heat the liquid. It is heated for an hour or two and then allowed to cool down. The principle involved here is to heat the lumber and the cells of the lumber expand. While cooling, the treating material enters the cells of the lumber and impregnates them with preservative material. In the case of large timbers or boards, you would have to apply it with a brush. It is better to make two or three applications and have the treating material heated as hot as is convenient to work with. You will be able to procure creosote from your hardware dealer; or, failing there, from your druggist. It is manufactured in Canada, and it is somewhat cheaper in the Maritime Provinces, where, up to a little while ago, it could be procured at about 15c. a gallon.