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QUALITY OF PRODUCTS DEPARTMENT

The Quality of Products system is designed so that we may measure the qualities that go to make up paper and pulp in numerical terms, enabling us to contract with our customers to furnish them with a certain known grade of paper. Under this system we have an accurate record of the kind of paper we are making, and by furnishing this information to the men working on the machines we have been able to raise the quality of our paper until now we feel we are making as good, if not the best in Canada.

We grade our newsprint for each of eight different qualities, as follows: Basis Weight, Finish, Cleanliness, Strength, Formation, Thickness, Color and Moisture. Samples graded are average sheets of the day's run, 12" x 18" in size. Each sheet is tested for the above named qualities as follows:

Basis Weight. The average basis weight of the paper is obtained by weighing a sample from each roll of paper shipped.

Finish. The finish of each sample sheet is determined by a comparison with standard finish samples.

Cleanliness. The cleanliness of each sample sheet is determined by comparison with standard cleanliness samples.

Strength. The average Mullen pop test is determined by testing a sample from each roll of paper shipped.