

## CHEAP SUPPLY

## WOOD PULP.

Japanese Have Discovered how to Make Paper From Buckwheat Straw

(Toronto Globe.)

It is of great practical interest that simultaneous with these researches the Japanese have discovered a method of making an excellent pulp from the fibre of buckwheat straw. This pulp is said to be an improvement on that made from spruce. Experiments have shown that a mixture of buckwheat straw fibre improves the quality of spruce paper, and also, that in Japan the buckwheat pulp can be produced for little more than half the cost of wood pulp. This discovery may effect as great a revolution in paper-making as that which followed the adoption of spruce wood fibre. The supply of buckwheat straw is inexhaustible, and may be varied from year to year in accordance with the demand. It may not be profitable to substitute the new material for spruce wood in Canada, the country of vast spruce forests, but it will be satisfactory to reflect that as the exhaustion of the spruce approaches within measurable distance another fibre can be cultivated and an immediate crop secured to meet the demand. The Japanese experiment has not yet been put to a practical test under western industrial conditions, but its success would relieve immediate anxiety as to the exhaustion of paper making material.

## A ROOFING THAT NEEDS NO PAINTING

Labor saving devices are constantly being discovered, and one of the most important for farmers has been the development of a new type of roofing which does not require continual painting to keep it tight.

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## NO PROTECTION FOR WOMEN.

(St. John Times.)  
A sympathetic woman was petting a child of four years—a little girl intelligent beyond her years. Under the kindly influence the child became confiding, and said to her new friend: "My mamma's heart is broke."

Asked what she meant by so strange a remark, the little one replied:—  
"Oh, my papa gets drunk, and it breaks mamma's heart. And, with a burst of tears,—he's breaking mine too."

This child knew nothing of heart-break, but she had seen her mother's misery.

Only a day or two later the mother came to the same sympathetic woman and in the course of conversation said:—

"Sometimes I feel that life is not worth living. Here I have toiled and struggled to get a sewing machine, and just when I got it paid for, my husband took it out and sold it for a few dollars to get liquor."

This happened in St. John not many days ago. There is no society in St. John for the protection of women and children.

## Stop That Cold

To check early colds or Grippe with "Preventics" means sure relief for Fluoritis. To stop a cold with Preventics is safer than to let it run and be obliged to cure it afterwards. To be sure, Preventics will cure even a deeply seated cold, but taken early—at the onset stage—they break, or head off those early colds. That's surely better. That's why they are called Preventics.

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REGULAR MEETING  
TOWN COUNCIL

Prospects of Electric Light System Being Extended to Douglas-town in Near Future.

## BILLS PASSED.

Deputation Wait on Council in Connection With Question of Special Licenses.

Newcastle Town Council met Thursday evening. Mayor Miller in the chair. Aldermen Belyea, Doyle, Falconer, Ferguson, Morrissey, Shaw and Russell were present.

Communication from Union of Canadian Municipalities asking payment of the annual affiliation fee of \$15.00, was ordered placed on file.

Request of James McKinnon that his poll tax for years since 1903 be refunded, because he was over sixty years old, was referred to Petitions Committee.

On recommendation of Finance Committee, George Stables' bill of \$30.86 was ordered paid.

On recommendation of Police and Appointment to Office Committee, following bills were ordered paid:

Stothart Mercantile Co.,	\$18.30
George Stables,	1.30
Advocate Pub. Co.,	6.00
	\$25.60

The recommendation that new uniforms be supplied the policeman was rejected.

The semi-annual report of the Police Magistrate showed a balance of \$60.00 coming to the Town. It was referred back to Police Committee.

The Park and Fire Committee reported in favor of:—

(1) Addition of four men to Fire Company.  
(2) That more ladders be secured.  
(3) That the old hose reels be replaced by hose waggons.

(4) That the old fire bell be conveniently placed down town.  
(5) That electric bells be placed connecting Power House with fire station and the chief's house.

Sec. 1 was adopted.  
Sec. 2 was adopted, the number of ladders to be subject to approval of Park and Fire Committee.

Sec. 3 was rejected.  
Sec. 4 was referred back to Committee for them to determine where the bell should be placed.

Sec. 5 was adopted.  
On recommendation of Light and Water Committee, the following bills were ordered paid:

Stothart Mercantile Co.,	\$125.00
Canada Foundry Co.,	40.70
Canada General Electric Co.,	44.70
Intercolonial Coal Mining Co.,	54.08
Canadian Fairbanks Co.,	21.84
T. McAvity & Son	108.25
	\$402.37

The Bye laws and Petitions Committee reported that:

(1) Taxes of Henry McKay for 1903-1906 be remitted, as he was not then a resident of Newcastle.

(2) That the petitions of Mrs. Mary Ellen Beynon and No Surrender L. O. L. be returned to the petitioners and the latter referred to the assessors for consideration.

Report was adopted.  
The account of Stothart Mercantile Co. of \$21.30 for goods supplied to Public Works Committee was ordered paid.

In answer to Ald. Doyle, it was explained that employees of the Power House were not directed to repair lighting apparatus in private houses or stores.

Ald. Falconer gave notice that at next meeting he would introduce an amendment to section 3 of the By-law relating to running at large of cattle and fowls, such amendment to cover fees or sums paid to hogreaves or other persons taking up or delivering to the pound keeper, and to read that such fees shall be paid to the pound keeper for use of the town.

The Light and Water Committee were authorized to extend the light to Douglastown providing that bonds for \$2,000 can be sold at figure recently offered the Mayor.

A deputation consisting of W. J. Dunn, W. M. Copp and Thos. Murphy complained to the Council about the severity of the \$5.00 fee exacted from them for privilege of doing business in booths on Circus Day. The matter was left with the Petitions Committee.

Adjourned.

CLARK'S LUNCH TONGUE.  
Open the tin—serve and enjoy it—makes a perfect sandwich.

## HOW WU FIGHTS OFF AGE.

Boston Man Who Wants to Be 200 Gets the Diplomat's Receipt.

Wu Ting Fang, Chinese minister to the United States, recently made the statement that he had discovered the secret of longevity, mentioning a period of 200 years to which he might live through a system of diet.

He volunteered to give his system to anyone who wished to know it, and a Boston man who sent him an enquiry has received from the Chinese legation at Washington the following plan of daily procedure:

"In answer to your letter requesting my plan of diet, I have to say as follows, (1) I have given up my breakfast, taking two meals a day, lunch and dinner; (2) abstain from all flesh food; my diet is rice, or, when I go out to dinner, whole wheat bread, fresh vegetables, nuts and fruit; (3) I avoid all coffee, cocoa, tea, liquors, condiments and all rich foods; (4) I have given up salt also, because it is found that salt makes one's bones stiff; (5) I masticate every mouthful of food thoroughly before it is swallowed; (6) I don't drink at meals, but between meals or one hour after meals; (7) I practice deep breathing. (8) I take moderate exercise."

"Wu Ting Fang."

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## PREPARING A BOMB

I sat next to the nervous little man in the car, and after he had grinned and chuckled and taken out a pad and written on it several times I made bold to ask him the cause of his agitation.

"Preparing a bomb!" he hoarsely whispered in my left ear.

"But you don't look like an anarchist."

"I'm not."

"But this bomb?"

"It's a political—a national bomb."

"Oh, I see. You are going to blow the United States up theoretically?"

"Blow everything sky high, and higher, too," he whispered, with a wink.

"Will you let me in on the ground floor?"

"I will. Taft, Foraker, Bryan, Hughes and others want to be president."

"I understand."

"Harriman and Fish are squabbling."

"Yes."

"The Thomases are under indictment."

"True."

"The Heinzes are out of it, and Rockefeller and Rogers on the run?"

"I see."

"The country has its attention on these things and has forgotten the greater. In about a week I shall suddenly come out and ask—"

"Yes, yes."

"What has—"

"Become of—"

"The Panama—"

"Ca-na-l!"

## WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

(St. John Evening Times.)  
Friends of woman suffrage will derive much satisfaction from a recent statement made by the Hon. J. H. Carruthers, ex-premier of New South Wales. A summary of his remarks says:—

"In his view, judging from the result of the elections, in which they have participated, women are more conservative than men. But he does not use the term 'conservative' in its political meaning, but relatively to the situation in New South Wales, where, he says, the opposing parties are Liberals and Labor Socialists. Many of the women voters closely in touch with the Labor-Socialists supported the Liberal party on account of the liquor law and other social reforms."

While he notes that as a general rule the Women voted very largely as the men did, he says there is a tendency for the women to view questions from rather a wider outlook. She has the problem of the home and its economy to face and consequently she is more inclined to vote for principles which are embodied in measures of social reform than the men, who are often carried away by mere faction cries. Taken all over, Mr. Carruthers thinks there is less opposition to women suffrage now in Australia than ever before, and that the reality has not been so dreadful as the anticipation.

## CHEAPER SCHOOL BOOKS COMING.

Geographies, Readers and Scribblers Reduced Over One Third in Price.

The first shipment of school books for use in the schools of New Brunswick, and which will be sold under the vending arrangement made by the Provincial Government so as to save the people about 40 per cent. on the actual cost of the books, will arrive shortly.

The shipment consists of a carload of scribblers and 33 cases of text books. Provincial Sec'y. Flemming spent considerable time arranging matters in connection with the distribution of the books.

When vendors are appointed the Provincial Secretary sends to each a requisition form which is filled in and returned to his office. If the order is upwards of \$75 it is shipped direct from the publishers to the vendor, otherwise the order is shipped to the Provincial Secretary and distributed to the vendor from there.

The first orders for direct shipment to the vendors have been mailed to Gage & Company at Toronto, who have the contract, by Hon. Mr. Flemming. There were twelve of these orders. All the scribblers will be distributed from Fredericton.

It is said that Hon. Mr. Flemming and the members of the government are now arranging for the vending of other books than those now on the list. Some others will be placed on the list at the end of the next school term and others at the end of the next school year.

The vendors under the present arrangements will receive 10 p. c. profit on all books handled.

THE ACTUAL SAVINGS SHOWN.

The following list shows the books to be handled by the vendors, with the old and new prices:

Book	New price	Old Price
Scribblers,	3	5
1st Primer,	3	5
2nd Primer,	7	10
1st Reader,	12	20
2nd Reader,	18	30
3rd Reader,	25	40
4th Reader,	30	50
5th Reader,	40	60
Geography,	55	80

## WIRE WOUNDS.

My mare, a very valuable one, was badly bruised and cut by being caught in a wire fence. Some of the wounds would not heal, although I tried many different medicines. Dr. Bell advised me to use MINARD'S LINIMENT, diluted at first, then stronger as the sores began to look better, until after three weeks, the sores have healed and best of all the hair is growing well, and is NOT WHITE as is most always the case in horse wounds.

F. M. DOUCET.

Weymouth.

## SOOTHING SYRUPS TO BE CUT OUT.

Children to be Saved from Deleterious Effects of Medicines Containing Opium.

In the Senate Wednesday morning on motion for the second reading of the patent medicine bill, Senator Roy gave notice of an amendment declaring that no patent medicine containing opium or any of its derivatives should be sold. From his medical experience he would say that more children were killed by patent medicines loaded with opium or morphine than were killed by any disease. It was a terrible thing to see a mother giving a child a mixture which caused the death or physical ruin of the child.

The taste for drugs was often begun in childhood. Importation, manufacture and sale of opium in Canada was being prohibited, but the prohibition would amount to nothing if the patent medicines he referred to were not also prohibited. Parliament was forbidding cigarettes to 16 year old boys and he thought it only reasonable that it should prohibit opium and morphine to infants. The bill was given its second reading.

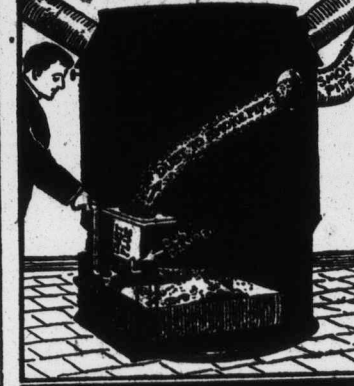
ABSINTHE MUST GO

The national referendum on the question of banning the manufacture and sale of absinthe in Switzerland has resulted in a majority of more than 80,000 in favor of the prohibition.

The most famous brands of absinthe are made in this country, whence the liquor is largely exported. The increasing home consumption has been the subject of crusades similar to those carried on in France. Prohibition will involve a big loss of revenue to the government.

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