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F. H. Clergue Is Going In on a Large Scale.

GRANT OF LAND FROM CANADA

Millions Upon Millions of Feet of the Finest Pine, Spruce and Hardwoods.

Special to The Journal.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Dec. 21.—A new development in the gigantic enterprise at the Sault, based upon the water power and government grants of the Lake Superior Consolidated company, is in the line of lumbering. As in all his enterprises F. H. Clergue is going into this on a large scale, and in a few years will be one of the important lumber manufacturers of the country. As is the case with all his other enterprises, too, he is favored by the natural situation of his subsidies and grants and by conditions to such an extent that he will be able to figure out a profit where others will not make the least meet.

In the grants of land that the Canadian government has gladly given Mr. Clergue and his associates in return for the magnificent and unprecedented development they are making in central Canada, 128 townships lie between the Sault and the

syndicate's Helen iron mine, 100 miles north of the lake. Each of these townships, which contain more than 20,000 acres, is estimated to hold upwards of 150,000,000 feet of timber, pine spruce and hardwoods. Most of them are accessible to rivers that flow westward to Lake Superior, and that cross, in their course, the Algoma Central & Hudson Bay railway, that Mr. Clergue is building northward. These rivers are of good size, suitable for the driving of millions of feet yearly to the railway's crossing points.

Building Mills.

At the first large stream of this kind that the road has bisected the company has erected and is operating a mill capable of cutting about 10,000,000 feet of a season, and it has been running for a short time. As the road crosses other streams and conditions are right, more mills will be built. Villages and settlements of farmers will be started, and the road will profit by the traffic in timber that will result. At the Gaultois river the company has started its first milling village. The electric lighting equipment of the sawmill has been extended through the new town, and the dwellings of the operatives and surrounding settlers are lighted; the same with the mill's water plant, and both light and water are furnished at low cost to the workmen and their families. Like facilities will be extended to other mills as started.

At the Sault itself a larger mill will be built. It will saw night and day the year round, getting its logs in by rail, and will cut about 50,000,000 feet a year. It will be in operation next year.

Timber of Big Growth.

The timber on these Clergue grants is

largely spruce and pine of big growth.

The spruce runs up to thirty-six and forty inches in diameter, the pine much higher. Timber of this sort is far more valuable, per thousand feet, than the small trees now the rule in the forests of Minnesota and Wisconsin. It is the idea of the company that it can save all the tree, not wasting sawdust, bark and slabs as in the mills of the northwestern states. This is accomplished by the correlation of industries that has been so wonderfully brought into being at the Sault, and that is one of the chief factors in the success that these works are already achieving. Mills for the manufacture of 100 tons of paper pulp daily have been successful operation for some years, and a sulphite mill has been making a high grade of sulphite pulp for some weeks. The two mills consume an immense amount of spruce daily. Logs of less than ten inches diameter cut on the timbered grounds along the road are used in the pulp mills, thus avoiding the excessive cost of slabbing small logs for lumber. Then, too, while heart timber makes better lumber than the newer growth near the Sault, that newer growth near the Sault is more suitable for strong paper than the older heart timber. Thus one hand is lighted; the same with the mill's water plant, and both light and water are furnished at low cost to the workmen and their families. Like facilities will be extended to other mills as started.

In addition to this there will be a large quantity of refuse not to be utilized in this way, sawdust, bark and edgings and slabs. As soon as the steel rail mills or the associated enterprises are started, there will be required an excess of 4,000 horse power of steam daily. Now about 34,000 horse power are used, which is made from coal. Later the refuse of the mills will be chipped by machine, loaded on the mills on cars, transported to the steam plants or rail mills, pulp mills, sulphur reduction works, etc., and used as the exclusive fuel where steam is required for power or for heating and drying purposes.

Steel Rail Plant.

The steel rail mills of these works are nearly done; had it not been for delay in the roofing contract, they would be rolling rails to-day. As it is, the works could begin the manufacture of rails, and a number of blooms immediately were there advantage in it. The American Bridge company is now erecting the roofs and as soon as these are on, the rail-finishing machinery, which is all on hand, will be placed and work commenced. It is the largest rail mill in Canada and probably one of the most complete and up-to-date in the world. Almost everything except the driving engines, is done electrically and many new and advanced methods are introduced. Two large blast furnaces will be ready next year and wood carbonizing plants to make 300 cords of wood daily into charcoal are under construction. These carbonizing plants will be of the latest type, and will produce about 3,000 gallons of alcohol and 24 tons of acetate of lime every day. Treated with sulphur, this acetate will make sufficient acetic acid to control the markets of America, now dominated by the German product.

LESS HOURS OF LABOR

The Waltham Watch Co. Voluntarily Reduces the Hours of Labor. The American Waltham Watch company voluntarily offered to their three thousand employees at Waltham, a reduction in the hours of labor of one hour per week, without reduction of pay. This is very acceptable to the employees and marks a liberal and progressive spirit on the part of the employers. The employees will decide by ballot in what form this one hour per week extra will be taken—whether by closing the factory at 12 o'clock every Saturday during the summer, or at 2 o'clock during the entire year. The pay roll distributed at this factory is now about \$40,000 per week. The effect of the above action will be that this army of employees, already well satisfied, will receive a very substantial share in the growing business of this company.

IN A NUTSHELL

New York—The grand jury has declared the management of the Brooklyn bridge guilty of culpable neglect.

Chicago—William Dearing, the founder of the Dearing reaper company, has retired from the company of which he has been the head for nearly a third of a century.

Winnipeg—J. E. Ewing, one of the McCormick harvester collectors, was sandbagged and relieved of \$200 of the company's money, besides \$20 of his own and a gold watch and chain. There is no clew.

Chicago—Movable school buildings may be the expedient hit upon by the board of education in solving the problem of adapting school accommodations to the fluctuations in population in various parts of the city.

New York—Reginald C. Vanderbilt, the youngest son of the late Cornelius Vanderbilt, celebrated his twenty-first birthday yesterday, and received, under the provisions of his father's will, his full inheritance of \$1,500,000.

Guthrie, Okla.—Every road leading into the country is still lined with prospective settlers. Without food and generally without money, and in a country sparsely settled, they have starved and frozen, in many cases death resulting among the children.

Sault Ste. Marie—With the return of the steamer Minnie M. and Philadelphia, yesterday, from a trip to Nonch Shore, navigation on Lake Superior closed for the season. The steam pipe in the fore hold of the Minnie M. burst, severely scalding the fireman, Levi Chase.

Davy, W. Va.—Wayne Demon, an 18-year-old Kentucky boy, shot three negroes to death. A dozen negroes, Eugene Dye's saloon with revolvers in hand and demanding money, were the victims. Eugene Dye drew his revolver and in a twinkling he had shot three of the negroes to death.

CABLE FLASHES

Peking—Yuan Shi Kai, the new viceroy of Chi-li, has engaged Japanese officers to train the Chinese army.

Constatinople—It is asserted that Mme. Tatlka is dead and Miss Stone, the American captive, will be released almost immediately.

London—Charles Ritchie, the home secretary, has informed the members of the Josephine Eastwick of Philadelphia, who pleaded guilty to a charge of forgery and was sentenced to six months' imprisonment, that the young woman must serve her full term.

Copenhagen—Fresh agitation against the sale of the Danish West Indies to the United States before the question has been submitted to a plebiscite seems to be increasing. A meeting of the members of parliament was held in favor of a plebiscite.

Berlin—The number of Armenians who are fleeing from Turkish territory is daily being increased. Many show signs of shocking maltreatment. A boy of 13 had his tongue cut out and his toes slashed through, and both old men are seen with their backs covered with wounds. The hapless wretches declare that the robbery and murder of Armenians are every-day occurrences, of which no notice is taken by Turkish officials.

Manila—Over 4,000 members of the federal party called on Governor Taft to bid him farewell and to wish him a safe return. The governor addressed 150 of the most prominent of his visitors. The organization he said, had done so much toward bringing about peace and giving the country a stable party, that it argues most the success of American labor than anything else during the recent critical times. Leave Chicago Union Station 12 o'clock noon every week day, running via Cincinnati, Atlanta, Macon and Jacksonville. Space reservations for through trip may be made in advance. Address H. R. Dering, A. G. P. Agt., 246 South Clark St., Chicago.

WASHINGTON

W. J. Stillman of Pullman, Wash., has been selected to succeed Professor F. Latson Scribner as the astrologist of the department of agriculture.

The officials of the Buffalo Exposition company have decided to accept for congress for assistance in clearing off the \$3,000,000 of debts left by the big show.

Secretary Wilson says that discontinuance of the microscopic inspection of meats sent abroad will increase the volume of exports and loss us the \$20,000,000 worth of meats annually sold to Germany.

Chicago and Florida Special Through Passenger Service. Will be resumed Jan. 6th, 1902, via Pennsylvania Lines. Sleeping Car will run through from Chicago to St. Augustine in about 32 hours. No change. Meals en route in dining car. Leave Chicago Union Station 12 o'clock noon every week day, running via Cincinnati, Atlanta, Macon and Jacksonville. Space reservations for through trip may be made in advance. Address H. R. Dering, A. G. P. Agt., 246 South Clark St., Chicago.

MINNESOTA

ROCHESTER—George C. Cook, the oldest prominent Grand Army man, died yesterday, aged 73.

MANKATO—Frederick and George Buchholz of Medo were arrested on the charge of setting fire to William Seefeldt's barn on Sept. 4.

BRainerd—J. L. Torrens, superintendent of the city schools, was charged with using insulting language toward teachers at a meeting of the school board. An investigation was ordered.

FAIRMONT—Judge Quinn created a sensation in the district court by ordering the sheriff to arrest Henry Holmes, a witness who was testifying, on a charge of perjury. Holmes was held to the grand jury.

STILLWATER—A. L. Gillespie, who for more than thirty-five years had been identified with the business interests of Stillwater, died suddenly last evening of heart failure. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity and the G. A. R., and 67 years old.

NORTHFIELD—Gertrude L. Heatwole and Congressman Joel P. Heatwole, her husband, have instituted proceedings for \$5,000 damages against the Washington Electric Vehicle Transportation company for alleged personal injuries received by Mrs. Heatwole while riding in an automobile owned and operated by the company.

SOUTH DAKOTA

LEAD—A ton boulder crushed the life out of William Price, employed by the Homestead.

DEADWOOD—The Masons installed officers as follows: J. R. Hickox, worshipful master; Anson Higby, senior warden; E. V. Hatch, junior warden.

SIOUX FALLS—Judge Carland has appointed F. H. Pillsbury of this city receiver of the Germania Live Stock Insurance company, whose charter was revoked for alleged illegal practices.

ALPENA—During the past thirty days there were shipped from this place 22 carloads of wheat, one of oats, one of barley, 15 of hogs, 23 of cattle, 7 of sheep, 12,000 lbs of butter, 40,000 lbs of poultry and 7,000 lbs of eggs.

ABERDEEN—John Miller, a horse thief, escaped from the sheriff of Campbell county. He was clad in a light suit and slippers and may have frozen.—Christ Christenson has been sentenced to three years for robbing a parlor.

PIERRE—The supreme court issued an order returnable Jan. 8 to show cause why a writ of prohibition should not issue preventing Judge McGee of the seventh circuit from punishing E. S. Kelly as receiver for refusal to turn over funds.

Go to Hutchinson via Great Northern. When you go to Hutchinson be sure to purchase your ticket via the Great Northern. Leaves Union Depot, Minneapolis, 5:05 p. m. daily except Sunday.

WISCONSIN

PRESCOTT—Chester B. Chamberlain, a prominent Grand Army man, died in this city.

SPARTA—Abner H. Isham, one of the most prominent and best-known pioneers of this section, died of old age yesterday.

LA CROSSE—The Milwaukee Post Mail made the distance from La Crosse to Portage, seventy-eight miles, in seventy-four minutes.

WEST SUPERIOR—Victor Johnson was arraigned in municipal court on the charge of burglary and bound over. He was caught late at night inside the grocery store of Martin Sauter.

BLACK RIVER FALLS—Smallpox has again broken out among the Winnebago Indians, at their village, seven miles from this city. Two cases are reported and the tribe is badly frightened.

MARINETTE—Claude Frackleton, a cook for the Sawyer-Goodman company, was attacked by a pack of wolves at Floodwood, Mich. For two miles he kept up a running fight with the brutes.

ASHLAND—A special election will be held in Ashland county Monday for the purpose of voting on a proposition to borrow \$40,000 from the trust funds in charge of the commissioners of the public lands of Wisconsin, to pay off the indebtedness of the county.

MILWAUKEE—Frank Dodge, a well-known theatrical manager, has recognized in Baby Vavene, a child actress, well known in Milwaukee, his daughter, whom he has sought for about six years. After Vavene's birth, his wife secured a divorce, but she died five years ago.

NORTH DAKOTA

LAKOTA—A daily mail service has been instituted from Lakota to Brocket, Edmore and Lawton, a distance of thirty miles.

COGSWELL—A successful farmers' institute was held here by a corps of professors from the agricultural college at Fargo. Professor Harvester of Crookston, Minn., conducted the meetings.

Warning.

Imitations of our Budweiser Label have again entered some markets, and complaints that inferior beers are being substituted for our Budweiser have been received. We are compelled—for our own protection—to publish a warning to the public. Our Budweiser is sold under the one well-known label, bearing that name, and the word "Budweiser" appears upon every cork. Substitution of one beer for another, and deception of every kind, is impossible if the consumer is on the alert.

Anheuser-Busch Brewing Ass'n. Buy United States Fuel Oil stock now. Write for new prospectus.

IOWA

AMES—A man named Aspinwall was arrested for gambling and later escaped from jail.

GRINNELL—It is expected that Rev. Daniel F. Bradley, pastor of the First Congregational church of Grand Rapids, Mich., will be elected president of Iowa college here.

Local Low Holiday Rates via the North-Western Line. Fare and one-third for the round trip to any point within 200 miles of Minneapolis and St. Paul. Tickets on sale, Dec. 24, 25, 31, Jan. 1, good to return Jan. 2, 1902. City ticket offices 413 Nicollet avenue, Minneapolis, 332 Robert street, St. Paul.

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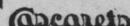
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