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MORE CAPITAL IN IOWA FACTORIES

Census Report on Manufactures Shows Gain by Important Industries.

By W. W. Jermane.

Washington, Oct. 16.—The census bureau today made public the statistics of Iowa manufactures for the calendar year 1904, gathered during the past six months by special agents of the bureau. Mr. Stuart, chief of the manufactures division, in presenting the report, states that it is confined to manufacturing establishments with a product of $500 or over, thus excluding neighborhood industries and hand trades such as building trades, dressmaking, custom millinery, custom sawing and grinding, cobbling and blacksmithing.

With figures regarding these industries eliminated, the returns were reduced to a basis for comparison with the returns of 1900, and they indicate that there has been substantial increase in the manufactures of the state, notwithstanding the decrease in population shown by the state census. There has been a decrease in the number of manufacturing establishments, due to the elimination of many small industries.

Capital Shows Increase.

For the state at large, the number of manufacturing establishments is 4,788, a decrease of 11.2 per cent. The capital invested, however, shows an increase of 27 1-2 per cent, and now aggregates $111,444,929. With this increase of capital, there has been a corresponding increase in salaries, wages, number of wage earners and value of output, this latter standing at about $160,604, 161, an increase of 20 4-5 per cent.

The greatest increase is shown in the button manufacturing industry. The number of establishments is 51, a reduction of two, but the capital invested in this industry is $1,173,866, as compared with $324,315 in 1900. The value of the button output shows an increase corresponding to the increase in capital, and last year was $1,500,000.

The brick and tile output is valued at $3,361,776, as compared with $1,976,323 in 1900. The canning and preserving industry output is now valued at slightly under $3,000,000. Five years ago it was less than $1,500,000.

There has been slight decrease in the cheese and butter industry and slight increase in output of flour and gristmills. Foundry and machine-shop products have increased about 25 per cent, while lumber has decreased from almost $14,000,000 to $11,250,000.

Printing and publishing shows increase of about one-third. The packing industries have increased from $25,500,000 to $30,000,000 wholesale.

Increase in Cities.

Taking the eight principal cities of the state, on a percentage basis, as compared with 1900, some interesting facts are developed. The figures used include the total value of manufactured products, including custom work and repairing. The greatest gain is shown by Des Moines, whose manufacturing output last year aggregated $15,084,958, an increase of 78 1-5 per cent. Cedar Rapids stands second with an increase of 46 1-5 per cent, its manufacturing last year aggregating $16,279,706. Davenport is third with an increase of 38 7-10 per cent. Its manufacturing now aggregates $13,695,978.

Of the larger cities, Sioux City shows the smallest percentage of increase, 3 4-5 per cent, but the total value of its output is $14,760,751. Burlington shows an increase of 29 9-10 per cent; Council Bluffs, 13 7-10 per cent. There is a decrease in the case of two cities, Clinton and Dubuque, 20 9-10 per cent for the former and 3 4-5 per cent for the latter.

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BRIGHT OUTLOOK FOR MINES IN LAKE SUPERIOR REGION.

Ore Accumulations of Past Seasons Are Fast Disappearing—Five Thousand Men Find Steady Employment in Marquette County's Twenty-eight Producing Plants.

Special to The Journal.

Ishpeming, Mich., Oct. 16.—With the mines working fullhanded, the ore shipments already above all past records, and the assurance of another prosperous year in the iron trade, the outlook for the Lake Superior region is the brightest it has ever been. In practically every field the companies are preparing for a still heavier production next season, and with the great amount of development work necessary to maintain the expected output, there will be no reduction of forces, underground at least.

Especially pleasing to the people of the mining country is the disappearance of the stockpiles. These are and have been going forward at a rapid rate, and with few exceptions the close of the season of navigation will see the accumulations of the past and former years practically wiped out. This means active mining as well as development work thruout the winter.

While the district is by no means alone in the distinction, notable activity is being experienced in the Marquette district, where some of the mines have been in commission for the past half century. There are the usual opening of levels, sinking of shafts and extension of drifts, coupled with the never-ceasing search for ore. The deposits are constantly being sought by means of diamond drill work and other methods of exploring. Generally the mines are looking well, and they will last for many years to come. It may be that some producers have reached their maximum, but the discrepancy is being made up by the newer mines and that still more properties will be developed in the district is certain. There is a large field to the westward of Ishpeming and another to the eastward of Negaunee, where the indications are most promising, and there is small doubt that eventually important producers will be developed there. A new shipper on the Marquette range is the Cleveland Cliffs company's Austin mine in the Swanzy district.

According to the annual report of the county mine inspector, there are at the present time twenty-eight producing mines in Marquette county, employing a total of 5,060 men, and four mines classed as non-producing, but rated as taxable. These are the Champion, Volunteer, Moore and Ogden. During the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, twenty-two fatal accidents occurred, caused as follows: Premature blast, 4; fall of ground, 4; explosions, 2; falling down shaft, 2; cave of ground, 3; the remainder being ascribed to causes named as "unusual." Five of the six fatalities caused by powder explosion resulted in carelessness on the part of the men. The fact that only four men met death by fall of ground is considered a minimum loss of life, considering the total number of workers employed.

STERNBERG WILL STAY.

Berlin, Oct. 16.—A comprehensive denial is given officially of paragraphs appearing in the German press that Baron Speck von Sternberg is likely to retire from the post of German ambassador to the United States on account of delicate health. The question of a change of ambassadors at Washington has not been considered.

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HOW THE CIGARET MAKES BOYS MAD

Edison Says It Is Acrolein, a Name New to the Terror List.

Journal Special Service.

New York, Oct. 16.—What is acrolein, the drug which Thomas A. Edison says he believes often drives boy cigaret smokers insane?

This question was asked today by every smoker in New York who read Mr. Edison's interview in a Sunday newspaper.

Acrolein is a new name in the terror list. Probably not one smoker in 10,000 has exer heard of it. Acrolein is a colorless liquid, with an inte e, disagreeable, pungent odor.

Acrolein is produced by the burning or destructive distillation of glycerin to which phosphoric acid has been added.

As to its effect on the smoker, Mr. Edison and doctors seem to differ. Health Commissioner Darling today said:

"Acrolein has a rasping, irritating effect on the throat and nasal passages, thereby causing a cough. It will aggravate a tendency to bronchitis or catarrh, but otherwise I do not see how it can have a very deadly effect.

"Nicotine is the real Little Black Man. Whoever inhales smoke from a cigaret, pipe or cigar causes the absorption of nictine into the lungs and affects the heart."

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BIG TIMBER DEAL

Michigan Capitalists Purchase a Valuable Tract of 16,000 Acres.

IRONWOOD, MICH.—Under the name of the Michigan Timber company, capitalized at $250,000, a number of southern Michigan men have purchased a valuable tract of timber lands in Gogebic county, upper peninsula. The purchase comprises 16,000 acres of hemlock and hardwood which, it is estimated, will cut 150,000,000 feet.

The consideration was $230,000. Those prominently identified with the company are E. G. Filer of Manistee, John J. Foster of Greenville, Lewis H. Withey, W. C. Winchester, Henry Idema, W. H. Gay, Glaude Hamilton, Clay H. Hollister and other Grand Rapids capitalists. The company does not intend to manufacture the timber.

One of the largest timber transactions in the history of Saginaw, widely known for its big dealings in lumber, is the sale from Merrill, Ring & Co., of Saginaw, and W. H. Gratwick of Buffalo, N. Y., to Wright, Blodgett & Co. and Arthur Hill of Saginaw, of 18,000 acres of redwood lands in Humboldt county, California. The terms are private, but it is known that the consideration was in the neighborhood of a million dollars. It is the intention of the purchasers to held the property as an investment, without attempting to lumber it, as least in the near future.

PROTECTION NOT GIVEN

Michigan Fails to Prevent Free Trade in Fishing Industry.

SAULT STE. MARIE, MICH.—Although paying out $40,000 annually for the propagation of fish, practically nothing has been done by the state for their protection. No laws are in existence that prohibit Canadians from coming into Michigan waters and taking fish, the only remedy being arrests for smuggling nets and fishing tackle across the border. Such prosecution must of necessity come under the provisions of federal laws. In fact, there is practically free trade in the fishing industry.

In dealing with violations of the customs laws, the treasury department can seize the tugs and nets of the fishermen, but when the game warden's department discovers violations of the game laws, such action is not possible unless customs officials are on the scene to give their active co-operation. As far as Wisconsin and Minnesota fishermen are concerned, they can take Michigan fish, and it cannot be prevented.

HANCOCK'S NEPHEW ARRESTED.

Hyattsville, Md., Oct. 16.—Winfield Scott Hancock, a nephew of the famous union general, has been arrested at his father's home, "Collinswood," about three miles from Hyattsville, on the charge of causing the death of Emma Smallwood, a domestic employed in his father's house. A warrant was also issued for the arrest of Mrs. Amanda Mackall, a sister of Hancock.

CRISIS OF GIRLHOOD

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If you know of any young girl who is sick and needs motherly advice ask her to write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., and she will receive free advice which will put her on the right road to a strong, healthy and happy womanhood.

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