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for shipping to the limits for planting in cutover areas where natural regeneration is inadequate.

To date, more than 23-million trees have been planted on 84,000 acres of cutover forestlands in the Kapuskasing area, and nearly the same number have been planted in the Longlac limits.

Most of the forest crops are regenerated naturally, but in some cases, man gives Nature an assist by planting, particularly in areas where natural regeneration is difficult.

The timber harvesting techniques employed by the companies are designed to prepare the cutover areas for maximum restocking by a combination of natural regeneration and planting.

During the 20-year period 1951-71, the companies have harvested about 150-million trees. The total regeneration, both natural and artificial over the same period, is in excess of 200-million trees.

Prior to the signing of cost-sharing regeneration agreements with the Department of Lands and Forests, in 1963-64, the companies' planting programs were entirely self-fianced. Planting on freehold or private lands is still a corporate expense, and policy is to regenerate freehold as well as Crown-leased lands.

The companies' planting program is described by its officials as "an investment in our future forests" and also as an integral part of its long-range resource management policy.

Photo below - left to right - A.F. Haycraft, president of Kimberly-Clark; Mr. Brunelle, and M. S.M. Hamilton, president of Spruce Falls.



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