# Great Northern Paper Company ledger, 1951-1956

MCC-00359

**Finding Aid** 

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Creator/Collector: Great Northern Paper Company

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Dates: 1951-1956

**Extent:** 1 volume, 1 folder (.10 cubic feet)

**Provenance:** Material was acquired from Gary Pelletier, 2011.

Language: English.

Conservation notes: None.

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**Separated materials:** A card, "In Remembrance" of Curtis Cooper, was removed from the inside of the ledger and retained with the administrative papers.

**Related materials:** Fort Kent Mill Co. (Fort Kent, Me.) accounts ledger, MCC-00343; Fort Kent (Me.) photograph, MCC-00311.

**Location of originals:** Not applicable.

**Location of copies:** Not applicable.

**Published in:** Not applicable.

*Organizational history:* The Great Northern Paper Company began as the Northern Development Company in 1897, established by Garret Schenck (general manager of the Rumford Falls Paper Company); it was incorporated in 1898. Great Northern Paper Company began production of newsprint in 1900 and by 1924 was producing corrugated paper. The company continued to expand for forty years, before merging with the

Nekoosa Edwards Paper Company in 1970 to form the Great Northern Nekoosa Corporation. The company was purchased by Georgia-Pacific Corporation in 1990. A year later, the Great Northern mills, timberland, and other Maine holdings were purchased from Georgia-Pacific by Bowater Corporation; in 1999, Canadian firm Inexcon purchased the Maine holdings from Bowater. In 2002, Great Northern filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection; it's Millinocket and East Millinocket mills were purchased by a Toronto corporation, Brascan, in 2003. The company was renamed Katahdin Paper Company.

Cash Austin lived in Cross Lake, Maine. He was a subcontractor for Great Northern Paper Company.

### Scope and content:

This collection consists of an account ledger for Great Northern Paper Company with entries for the span 1951-1956. According to the donor, the ledger belonged to Cash Austin, subcontractor for Great Northern Paper Company. The ledger includes accounts for numerous people presumably employed by Great Northern.

Also included in the ledger (removed to a separate folder), are log count slips, all dated 1956. Most of the slips are attributed to Pat Nadeau and were originally attached to page 70 of the ledger, which lists accounts for Pat Nadeau. One of the slips is signed by Cash Austin.

#### Inventory:

Volume 1: Ledger, 1951-1956. 100 p. (some blank).

Folder 1: Log count sheets (removed from ledger; they were attached by clip to p.

70). 20 items.

**Processing action:** The ledger, 1951-1956, was wrapped in acid-free tissue paper and put in an archival box with shelf list number MCC-00359 AB-359 1/1

Below is a list of names that appear in the ledger:

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