

Fredonia Censor - August 16, 1935

The Farm King Packing Company, Inc., new Fredonia preserving plant, will be opened for public inspection Saturday afternoon and evening. The new plant, one of the most modern of its kind in the country, will begin operations some time next week.

Located on the site of the former macaroni factory at Cushing and Union Streets, the new plant will handle only tomato products. Catsup, Chili Sauce, tomato juice and tomato puree will begin to roll off of the seventh processing company to be established in Fredonia.

N. G. Heary is general manager, Robert T. Logan is sales manager, and Alfred Jefferson is plant superintendent of the new enterprise.

The building was designed and built entirely by men from the vicinity. Schalenburg and Son of Fredonia were the architects, N. L. Smith Lumber Company of Dunkirk was the general contractor, J. S. Welsh of Dunkirk supervised the steam fitting, boiler installation and plumbing, and George Herrick the electrical service and lighting. Joseph Salenske and Howard Cook installed the remainder of the electrical equipment.

Mr. Jefferson supervised construction and installation of special equipment in the building.