

CAMERON POTTERY

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MORE POTTERY MERGER TALK

West Virginia Company Said to be Planning Consolidation.

Benedum & Brothers, pottery manufacturers, of Cameron, West Virginia, are said to be behind a gigantic combination which will merge all important potteries of this country.

The Benedums are capitalists of unlimited resources, and their ideas in this particular instance are thoroughly practical. It was thought if plants could be located in different sections of the country, the control of all centered at one point, it would be possible for the concern to control a fair share of the patronage in every locality.

In other words the company proposed to locate a plant in the south, one in the west and possibly two in the east, which, with the one at Cameron, would have the whole situation fairly in hand.

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POTTERY WORKS COMBINE.

Wheeling, Nov. 11.—A combination of 10 potteries in West Virginia and Ohio is to take place in a few days, with a probable capital of \$3,000,000. It is known that the Augusta pottery of Mannington and the Cameron Pottery Co. of Cameron, W. Va., are to be merged, with large works in eastern Ohio, most of them at East Liverpool.

It will be the biggest pottery deal since the formation of the East Liverpool Potteries Co.

POTTERY COMPANY IN HANDS OF RECEIVER

**Charles MacCauley Appointed in
Charge of Affairs of a Cam-
eron Concern.**

[Special to The American.]

Wheeling, W. Va., May 12.—The Circuit Court here today appointed Charles MacCauley receiver for the Cameron Pottery Company, at Cameron, W. Va. The assets of the concern are \$115,000; liabilities, \$53,000, and the step is taken more for the protection of the rights of all propertyowners than for any other object. It is expected that the business will be shaped up satisfactorily in a few weeks.

The pottery is a subsidiary organiza-

tion of the Augusta Pottery Company, which owns a chain of six plants throughout West Virginia and Ohio, but the affairs of the larger organization are not affected. The proceeding was in a sense mutual among the stockholders and creditors.