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PULP production in South and Central America is set to be revolutionised, following the announcement that the new white liquor plant at Empresas CMPC's Laja Mill, located in Central Chile, has been officially started-up and is now commencing manufacture.

Aimed at driving up improvements in Empresas CMPC's environmental and safety performance, the new white liquor plant - built by Finnish pulp, paper and energy industries specialist Valmet - will also play a significant role in reducing the company's day-to-day operational costs.



Turner & Coates enjoys a long association with Empresas CMPC, and our involvement in this hugely exciting project began in November 2016,

when we were contracted to provide full inspection services on all the integral components at Valmet's HQ over in

Cheryl to put her best foot forward



LONG-SERVING company Office Manager, Cheryl Gregson is currently preparing for the walk of a lifetime, in aid of an extremely worthy cause.

Fitness fanatic Cheryl has dedicated her entire January and February to a rigorous and punishing training regime,

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Jyväskylä, near Tampere in Central Finland.

In addition to this, we also conducted regular site visits to the Laja Pulp Mill in the Bío Bío Region of Central Chile, to inspect all of the integral equipment at various stages of the installation process.

The company's new pulp mill at Laja also benefits from a caustic lime kiln, for efficient chemical recovery. Furthermore, it has an overall capacity of 5,500 m³ of white liquor per day.

Established in 1920 and employing more than 16,800 people across the globe, Empresas CMPC manufactures and distributes solid wood, pulp, paper, packaging and tissue products to over 30,000 clients in 45 countries across the globe.

"To be involved with such a key project for the pulp and paper industry, is great news for our business," confirms Turner & Coates MD, Neil Coulborn.

as she begins to limber up to take part in the iconic Yorkshire Three Peaks Challenge, in an effort to raise money for Wigan & Leigh Hospice in Lancashire, to help it continue providing specialist palliative and end-of-life care to hundreds of people every year.

Taking place on 2nd June 2018, this year's Yorkshire Three Peaks Challenge is a hugely demanding, yet rewarding 12-hour trek across some of Northern



England's most rugged and dramatically beautiful countryside. This gruelling and iconic walk - first undertaken by Victorian schoolmasters J. R. Wynne Edwards and D. R. Smith - will see Cheryl (pictured above)

Charity begins in the workplace



HUMANITARIAN causes are close to the hearts of everyone working at Turner & Coates.

IT SCHOOLS AFRICA Training, not things, leads to e-Learning. With this in mind, the company has donated essential computer equipment, components and accessories to the IT Schools in Africa charity, based in Cheltenham, Gloucestershire.

Turner & Coates is currently upgrading its IT platform, as part of an exciting overhaul of its entire office system in 2018, the centrepiece of which will be the new, interactive client portal set for launch this summer.

IT Schools Africa works to transform the lives of people throughout the world's poorest continent, through access to e-Learning. "It is hugely rewarding for us to be able to donate to such a worthy international charity," says Turner & Coates Company Secretary, Clare Pilsworth.

traverse three of Yorkshire's highest peaks - Pen-y-Ghent (694m or 2,277 ft.), Ingleborough (723m or 2,372 ft.) and Wharfedale (736m or 2,415 ft.).

Supported by Exped Adventure - the UK's leading provider of mountain skills courses, trekking and private guiding, the Yorkshire Three Peaks Challenge is recognised worldwide as one of the most challenging and difficult fellwalks and, with this in mind, Cheryl has been hard in training since last November.



"I've been training both privately and with walk leaders to build up my stamina," says Cheryl. "It's a daunting task I've set myself, but it's for an extremely good cause that deserves support."

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