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WANTED AND FOR SALE

Advertisements will be inserted in this department at the rate of 15 cents per line each insertion. When four or more consecutive insertions are ordered a discount of 25 per cent. will be allowed. This notice shows the width of the line and is set in Nonpareil type; 12 lines make one inch. Advertisements must be received not later than 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday to insure insertion in the current week's issue.

FOR SALE.

I HAVE A FEW THOUSAND FEET OF BASS-WOOD Heading for sale yet, 17 1/2 No. 2 last season's make, which I will dispose of at reasonable figures to make room for this season's cut. Apply to GEO. M. EVEREST, Arkona Heading & Basket Factory.

Valuable Timber Berth BY AUCTION

TOWNSHIP 139, NORTH SHORE OF LAKE HURON

The undersigned has received instructions to offer for sale by auction, at the Rotunda of the Board of Trade, Toronto, on THURSDAY, MAY 3RD, 1900, immediately after the sale of Cook and Brothers' limits, Timber Berth 139 north shore of Lake Huron (being 36 square miles, more or less).

For terms and conditions of sale, and for all particulars, apply to Geo. H. Perley, Ottawa.

PETER RYAN,
Toronto.

SALE OF Valuable Timber Limits BY PUBLIC AUCTION

AT TORONTO

By G. J. Townsend & Co., 28 King Street West.

ON THURSDAY, APRIL 19th, 1900
At 2 o'clock P.M.

The following Timber Licenses:

ON LAKE NIPISSING.

No. 217, of season 1899-1900, being berth No. 5, in Township of Patterson. Area, 25 1/2 square miles, more or less.

ON FRENCH RIVER.

No. 214, of season 1899-1900, being berth No. 16, Township of Falconer, sale of October 22nd, 1885, known as No. 21, as laid down upon the map of the north shore of Lake Huron, published by the Department of Crown Lands, dated July 10th, 1872. Area, 36 square miles, more or less.

ON VERMILLION RIVER, A BRANCH OF THE SPANISH.

No. 215, of season 1899-1900, being berth No. 22, Township of Dowling, sale of October 22nd, 1885, known as No. 17, as laid down upon the map of the north shore of Lake Huron, published by the Department of Crown Lands, dated July 10th, 1872.

Terms and conditions of sale will be made known on day of sale. Easy terms to purchasers who may be deemed responsible by the vendor and who may arrange therefore prior to sale.

The above timber berths are exceptionally easy of access. Supplies can be placed at very low cost on any of the berths, either during the winter or summer months.

The average haul is very short. The berths are well timbered with white and red pine.

On berth No. 5, Patterson there is also a fine cut of many millions of large hemlock logs and railway ties.

Berth No. 16, Township of Falconer, has never been cut on.

Each berth will be sold separately. Explorers can reach Townships of Patterson and Falconer in a few hours from either North Bay or Sturgeon Falls.

Township of Dowling can be reached from Larchwood or Onaping, on C. P. R., which traverses this berth.

For further particulars apply to ALEXANDER FRASER, the vendor, at 74 Nepean Street, Ottawa, Ont.

WANTED—A Competent Sawyer, Filer, and Saw Hammerer; constant employment. JAMES RITCHIE, Makinak, Manitoba.

JOHN HARRISON & SONS CO., LTD. OWEN Sound, Ont. offer the following specials: 5 cars No. 1 White Pine Lath and 6,000 Cedar Posts, 8, 9 and 12 feet long.

HAVE YOU ANY STOCK WHICH YOU WISH to sell? If so, make the fact known to probable buyers by placing an advertisement in this department. Address, CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto.

MILL TO HIRE.

NEW 30 M PER DAY CAPACITY PORTABLE saw mill: will contract to saw from 10 to 5 millions lumber. Address, J. G. ELDERKIN, Port Greville, N. S.

BOOKKEEPER WANTED.

COMPETENT BOOKKEEPER; ONE conversant with the lumber business. Apply giving age, qualifications and copy of references. Box 18, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE.

200 ACRES HARDWOOD BUSH, EXCEPTIONALLY heavy timbered. Close to lake. If not sold, would give job of sawing to practical mill man, with good portable mill. Apply, Box 876, Owen Sound, Ont.

AUCTION SALE OF Timber Berths

Nos. 124, 125 and 132 (36 square miles each), North Shore of Lake Huron, Province of Ontario.

I have been instructed to offer for sale by auction the above Timber Berths, in single berths, at the Rotunda of the Board of Trade, Toronto, on

Wednesday, April 18th
at 2.30 p.m.

Terms:—Half cash at the time of sale, and the balance in six months, with interest at six per cent. Berths 124 and 132 are excellent Pine Limits, and are also heavily timbered with other valuable woods. Berth 125 has been cut over, but has considerable Pine and a large quantity of other standing timber.

PETER RYAN,
Toronto.

FOR SALE Large Tract of Timber

THE PROPERTY OF
The Canadian Land and Immigration Company of Haliburton, (Limited).

This company has a larger tract of well timbered land about 125 miles north-east of Toronto. There is a large quantity of Cedar, Hemlock, Spruce, Balsam, Basswood, Cherry, Birch, Maple also considerable Pine, Elm and Ash on this tract. It is well served by two railroads, one of which is about to be extended through the centre of the property. The Company are prepared to sell this timber in blocks ranging from 5,000 to 10,000 acres, or more if desired.

There are several good mill sites on the property. This would be a good opportunity for parties who are at present cut out and are looking for a new location.

Maps and plans and further particulars can be had by applying to

H. LOCKHART GORDON,
Managing Director,
157 Bay Street, Toronto.

WANTED.

ENGAGEMENT TO REPRESENT IN AUSTRALIA or Africa responsible lumber shipper, by a reliable and experienced man age 44 Address, 'LUMBERMAN,' Box 17, Kaslo B.C.

TO CANADIAN MANUFACTURERS.
BRITISH FIRM OF TIMBER IMPORTERS desire shipments from Canada of large quantities of doors and mouldings. Manufacturers are asked to send particulars, stating the quantity they can supply, to Box B30, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED.

A CANADIAN MINING COMPANY WISHES to engage a manager to take charge of the cutting and marketing of its timber. Business located in Ontario. Address, stating age, experience, references and salary expected, Box 33, CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto, Ont.

SAW MILL SITE

GOOD SAW MILL SITE ON SOUTH END of the Georgian Bay, near Midland, extensive Lumber Docks, Houses, Store Buildings, etc.; water power. THE MUSKOKA MILL AND LUMBER CO., Ltd., Toronto, Ont.

FOR SALE—DRY LUMBER, 1899 CUT White Pine and Red Pine

Red Pine Log Run, Culls Out.
537,000 ft. B.M. 1 x 4 1/2 in. x 12 ft. and up.
285,000 ft. B.M. 1 1/2 x 4 1/2 in. x 12 ft. and up.
200,000 ft. B.M. 1 1/2 x 4 1/2 in. x 12 ft. and up.
White Pine, Nice Dressing Quality.
127,000 ft. B.M. 1 x 8 in. x 12/16 ft.
90,000 ft. B.M. 1 x 9 in. x 12/16 ft.
Also a nice lot of "Oats" from Good Strips and Sidings, suitable for factory work, cutting up purposes.
18 M ft. B.M. 1 1/2 in. Sidings, 8 in. and up, 12/16 ft.
33 M ft. B.M. 1 1/2 in., 4 1/2 in., 12/16 ft.
98 M ft. B.M. 1 1/2 in. Strips, 4 1/2 in. x 12/16 ft.
11 M ft. 1 1/2 x 4 in. and up, Shorts, 6/11 ft.
Apply to, A. F. BURY AUSTIN,
Wholesale Lumber & Timber,
411 Board of Trade Bldg., Montreal.

DOORS AND MOULDINGS WANTED.

There promises to be an increasing trade with Great Britain in Canadian doors and mouldings. In the "Wanted and For Sale Department" of this issue will be found the announcement of a firm that is desirous of purchasing large quantities of these goods. The advertisers are, we believe, among the most reliable firms of timber importers in Great Britain, and persons desirous of increasing their trade in this direction should place themselves in communication with them.

ENQUIRIES FOR WOOD PRODUCTS.

The following were among the enquiries relating to Canadian trade recently received at the office of the High Commissioner for Canada in London, Eng.:

24. An English firm wishes to know the names of Canadian shippers of spruceboxes of which 250,000 are wanted; also of sprucebars, of which about 50 standards per week are required. Prompt reply asked for.

26. An English continental firm of good standing wishes to represent manufacturers of Canadian wood pulp, as their agents in the United Kingdom and on the continent, especially France.

Canadian manufacturers may open up correspondence with any of the firms making the above enquiries by addressing a letter to the publishers of the CANADA LUMBERMAN. When writing refer to the number of the enquiry.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Lumber manufacturers appear to possess a firm belief in the maintenance of present prices for some months to come. A large manufacturer in the Georgian Bay district, writing to the CANADA LUMBERMAN, states that he has no dry for sale, and that he has received enquiries for more stock than he can manufacture this season. Another manufacturer advises us that over 50 per cent. of his season's production has been sold, and that he anticipates no difficulty in disposing of the balance of his stock at prices quite as high as those ruling at the present time. Confidence seems to be firmly established, and this alone will tend to keep the market strong. The trade actually moving is not of large volume, as the spring demand has been rather slow in opening up. Retail dealers are not absolutely in need of stock, and consequently they are disposed to wait until later in the season in the hope of being able to purchase at better terms. For dry stock prices are stiffening. One or two changes have been made in our Toronto quotations, 1 x 10 and 12 common having been advanced by one dollar per thousand, and a slight advance made on most of the lower grades. Hardwood quotations have not changed, the demand being only normal. It is expected, however, that prices will weaken slightly as soon as the dry stock of this season's cut is offered to buyers.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Harbor improvements and bridge work in the eastern provinces will this season consume a considerable quantity of timber, and with a moderate demand for building purposes, there should be a fair volume of trade. Numerous enquiries for stock have been received by manufacturers from United States dealers, and the prospect is that prices will be firmly sustained. The movement to form an association of shingle manufacturers is looked upon as a step in the right direction, and should a successful organization be established, benefit to the trade will no doubt result.

In New Brunswick there is still a considerable quantity of snow in the woods. This will be favorable to stream driving and lessen the danger of having logs hung up.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

A heavy movement of lumber is reported from Manitoba and British Columbia. Manufacturers are sold for months ahead, and some of them have refused