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LUMBERING ON THE ST. JOHN RIVER, PAST AND PRESENT

By J. Fraser Gregory, President of Murray and Gregory Ltd.

(Continued from last week)

This is the simplest form of boom and the one commonly used in stream driving today. A more elaborate boom is used in Fredericton, where the channel of the river has to be opened and closed many times a day. There a boom three or four logs wide of flatted timber is made and the fls are hinged on one side of it, and instead of being held in a fixed position by a spar are connected by a wire rope leading to a winch at the shore end.

When the cable is slack the fls lie flat beside the boom and the whole thing falls out in the current. By tightening upon the cable with the winch the fls commence to separate from the boom and the lower end is forced out into the stream by the water striking the fls—a simple contrivance, now, to all of us.

The driving of each operation into the booms individually being an expensive undertaking and unsatisfactory, it was decided that the driving on the main river from Grand Falls to Fredericton might well be done by a contractor who would get busy as soon as logs commenced running in the river in the spring and keep at it, driving all logs until they were in the booms. So an act to incorporate the St. John River Log Driving Co. was passed April 3, 1888. The incor-

poration were Fred Hale, William Teddie, W. H. Murray, John Kilburn, Walter Stevens, W. Giberson, E. L. Jewett, J. Hayward, D. Nixon, A. F. Randolph, J. S. Leighton, Israel Merritt, C. Hagerman, B. Hume, Thos. Phair, George R. Burt, Robert Conners, Isaac Page, Franklin Stetson, George B. Dunn, J. F. Richardson, David Keavick, C. F. Woodman, W. H. Cunliff, George T. Baird, Adam Beveridge, Jas. Yerxa, M. Nadeau, Fred Moore, W. F. Fowler.

The Company continues to-day. It was not a stock company but a mutual organization whereby the driving of all logs in the main river was done by a contractor at a fixed price from the mouth of certain rivers below the Falls, the price being according to the distance driven.

Robert Connors was the first contractor. By this method the cost of driving from the Falls to Fredericton was reduced 75 per cent. This corporation driving having proved so successful in the year 1891 the Madawaska Log Driving Co. was formed to drive logs from the mouth of the Allagash to Grand Falls on similar lines. Later another Company was formed to drive from the mouth of Baker Branch to Allagash. So that now practically the whole river is driven by corporation drivers and not by individual operators as it was years ago. (To be continued)

HARTLAND LOCALS

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C. T. Black, the Dodge salesman, was in town yesterday.

Miss Louise Hancock of Boston is visiting Mrs. Core Belyea.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Day and children motored to Bath on Saturday.

Miss Agnes Belyea returned yesterday from a visit with friends at Queenstown and James.

Mrs. Moffat and children of Auburn, Me., are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. C. B. Wheeler at Wicklow.

Mrs. William Roy is seriously ill of pneumonia.

C. J. Smalley of Florenceville was here on Saturday.

A. J. McPherson of Marysville was in town one day last week.

This morning James Lavigne hooked a 1 1/2 lb. salmon in the pool at Hartland.

Harry Gillin of Woodstock with Miss Kathleen and Master Harold were in Hartland yesterday.

John S. Leighton has been appointed prohibition officer for Woodstock in place of Frank McClements.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Upton of Avondale recently spent a few days with relatives and friends in Wicklow.

T. B. Thistle is offering for sale his nice residence on High street. He intends leaving town in the autumn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Thornton motored on Saturday to Everett, Victoria county. Mrs. Thornton's girlhood home, returning on Monday.

On Sunday Miss Maude Coombes of Fort Fairfield called on friends in Hartland on her return from a visit with relatives in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Burt of Lynn, Mass., who have been visiting Mrs. Burt's mother, Mrs. Herman Shaw at Coldstream have returned to Lynn taking with them Mrs. Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Knox and Mrs. T. S. Van Wart motored from Houlton on Sunday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Taylor for a few hours. Mrs. Van Wart remains for a longer visit.

There have been many fishing trips to Miramichi during the past two weeks and there come reports of very nice catching of salmon and trout. So far the Observer has had no tangible evidence of any fish being caught.

Someone who tried to be funny after a recent visit at the new Greenwood Cemetery remarked that it was the only live spot in town and the graveyard was down in the business section. That man was a pessimist—possibly.

Rev. H. C. Mullen, who for several years has been pastor of the Reformed Baptist church, has removed to take charge of the church at Beauséjour. Mr. Rev. E. W. Lester is his successor here and comes from Marysville where he has been pastor for some time.

Shipments of swine and sheep are heavier from Hartland station than they have ever been. Prices are much less than they were two or three years ago, but are still very much higher than they were before the war.

Aaron Lawson and his son, Gordon, of Edmundston, passed through Hartland on Sunday having been at Woodstock to visit the wife of the former who is a patient at the Fisher Memorial Hospital. Passing through here they were callers on Fred H. Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Carvell of Lakeville were recent visitors at the home of J. B. McCollon.

Mrs. Annetta Tracey of Somerville, Mass. is here a guest of her sister, Mrs. S. Hayden Shaw and her brother, H. N. Boyer.

F. B. Sayre and party, who had been on a fishing trip to the Tobique, passed through Hartland on Sunday, on their way to his home in St. John.

Miss Sara Macmillan, who has been engaged at nurse with Dr. Rankin of Woodstock for the past year, has returned to her home at Hartland.

Mrs. J. S. Pearson and children of Upper Brighton have been spending a few days with Mrs. Pearson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Estey, Wicklow.

On Tuesday A. Plummer took the boys of the Methodist Sunday school on their annual fishing trip to Miramichi. Allen Macintosh drove one of the cars.

Frank Plummer and son Ralph motored to Fort Fairfield on Sunday returning Monday bringing Mrs. Plummer who had been visiting Mrs. Fred Foster for a week.

The Bank of Montreal building is spick and span with a set of new window awnings ordered through Frank Plummer. The front of the Neighborhood theatre is also much improved in appearance by the application of paint in harmonic coloring.

If there is any virtue in the old prophecy concerning St. Swithin's Day, we are to have a period of fair weather. The day dawned bright and clear with typical midsummer weather. The legend is that rain on this day will bring forty days of rain.

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