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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.

WANTED

Green Baswood Logs 10 to 30 in. in diameter, with bark on. To be delivered on cars.

HURDMAN & ELMITT,
Ottawa, Ont.

For Sale—Circular Sawmill

With DOUBLE EDGER, SLABSAW AND lath machine. Mill in first class running order; nearly new. Also 1000 acres of timbered land. Mill and timber can be bought together or separately. \$1,500 will buy mill and timber. Plenty of timber contributory to the mill to supply it for ten years or more. This is a genuine bargain. The mill and timber is on the Georgian Bay. The lumber can be freighted by scow to Midland, Penetang, Collingwood or Owen Sound for \$1.00 per M. ft. Apply to Box 126 CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto, Ont.

For Sale

Cars Basswood, 1 inch 1sts and 2nds.
Car Soft Elm, 1 1/2 and 2 inch 1sts and 2nds.
Car B. Ash, 1 inch 1sts and 2nds.
Cut July-August, 1903; immediate shipment. Apply Box 111, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE—BIRCH, ABOUT 500 M., MAY be cut to order. BOX 134, CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto

FOR SALE—WHITE PINE UP TO 60, HEMLOCK to 30, to saw to order into large timber. BOX 127 CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto, Ont.

WANTED—1" AND 3/4" SOFT MAPLE C&B, 1" Cull Hemlock and Pine, 1" and thicker Hard Maple and a mixed stock of dry Hemlock R. E. KINSMAN, Hamilton, Ont.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED MAN TO put in Machinery and run a New Tub and Pail Factory, give references. Apply "D. C." CANADA LUMBERMAN Office, Toronto

WANTED—SEVERAL CAR LOADS OF 12" XXXX Pine Shingles; will pay spot cash. Address, SPOT CASH LUMBER & COOPERAGE Co., Bay City, Mich.

RED CEDAR, ABOUT 150 MILLION, 1000 acres; on drivable river tributary to C. P. R. in British Columbia; 20 cts. per M. payments extending over four years. Low freight to great markets of North-West. Address Box 23, Vancouver.

FOR SALE—70 H.P. FIRE BOX BOILER with Water Front, good for 100 lbs. steam pressure, cheap for quick turn-over. Address, Machinery Exchange, 25-27 Victoria Square, Montreal, Que.

FOR SALE

ABOUT 600,000 FT. HARDWOOD LUMBER, to be sawn during the summer, consisting of Beach, B. Ash, W. Ash, Basswood, H. L. Maple, S. Maple, Elm, etc. Would contract and saw to order. Address, Box 43, Vienna, Ont.

TELEPHONE POLES FOR SALE

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE FOR SALE three thousand Telephone Poles, in all lengths, from 25 to 55 feet. Prices quoted by mail or wire for car lots on application to GEORGE & MCGREGOR, Killaloe Station, Ont.

To Practical Lumberman.

FOR SALE—SAW MILL IN BRITISH Columbia, near Vancouver, whole or half share. Capacity 15,000 feet per day, 1,000 acres timber land adjoining, more available. 3 acres freehold land priced \$15,000 for the whole. Time payments, if desired. Principals only. A. P. JUDGE Box 615 Vancouver, B. C.

MORTGAGE SALE

Of valuable manufacturing industry known as The Parkhill Basket Company, Limited, at Owen Sound on May 15th at 10:30 p. m. Splendid site, water and railway facilities, saw-mill and factory buildings and machinery in first-class condition. For further particulars apply to

MACKAY, SAMPSON & TELFORD,
Owen Sound.

Peeled Basswood

Those having Dry Peeled Basswood to sell will find it to their advantage to write us before selling. We use several hundred cords yearly, and are now in the market for immediate or spring delivery.

DELANEY & PETTIT CO.
Limited, Toronto

PORTABLE SAW MILL WILL BE CUT OUT by May 1st; good rig and cheap; don't need it. P. J. Box 4, Bothwell, Ont.

WANTED FOR CASH—BROWN ASH, 1" Spruce Dimension stock THE BRASSER LUMBER CO., 28 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

WANTED—A FOREMAN TO MANAGE A Sash and Door Factory. References required. Apply Box 136, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE—THE VERY BEST OF MAPLE Flooring made; write for prices and samples HAAK LUMBER CO., Haakwood, Mich.

A DOUBLE AND SINGLE CUT BAND Piler, wants position; good Canadian references. Address Box 133, CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto.

WANTED—TEN THOUSAND CORDS Hard and Soft Wood; also same quantity of Shale, BRACON WOOD and LUMBER CO., 52 Young Street Arcade, Toronto.

FOR SALE—IN CAR LOTS, SEVERAL cars each of X, XX and XXXX 16" Cedar Shingles, well cut and carefully packed. Specially recommended as the best cedar shingles manufactured in Ontario to-day. Inquire of D. S. PRATT, Midland, Ont.

FOR SALE

1,000 acres of Hardwood Land in Antigonish County, N. S., close to railway sidings. The James River runs through the centre of 1,750 acres. Apply to

J. S. O'BRIEN,
Antigonish, N. S.

FOR SALE

FIRST-CLASS TIMBER LIMITS IN BRITISH Columbia; over 600,000,000 ft. cedar, fir and pine. Easily handled. Best bargains in the province.

L. D. KEAN,
Box 245, Edmonton, Alberta

LUMBER WANTED

5 cars 18 and 20 Soft Elm, 1" x 6" and up, 30 cars 1" x 12" and up, 1 1/2 x 16 feet.
2 cars Clean White Ash Poles 3 1/2 x 14 feet
1 car 18 and 20 Rock Elm, 1 1/2 x 14, chiefly 2 1/2, 3"
Reply Box 137, CANADA LUMBERMAN

TIMBER LIMIT FOR SALE

BERTH NO. 3 SITUATED ON THE SOUTH-WEST corner of the township of Creelman, comprising lots number 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 in the first, second and third concessions; good location, Vermillion river running through centre. For terms and particulars apply to W. RYAN, North Bay.

TIMBER LIMITS WITHDRAWN.

The timber limits offered for sale at the Board of Trade Building, Toronto, on the 20th inst., by Mr. Peter Ryan, were not sold, there being few bids and all of them below the reserved figures.

It will pay saw mill owners and operators who are anxious to utilize to advantage hardwood slabs and edgings, to communicate with Taylor, Scott & Company, Toronto, whose advertisement appears on back page of this paper. They are desirous of purchasing small stock in birch, beech, maple and elm.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

(ONTARIO.)

The volume of lumber transactions is about what might be expected at this season of the year. The quantity of stock in first hands is now so small as to cause the refusal of orders in many instances. Dealers who usually carry large stocks are sold out of box lumber and certain grades of pine for which the demand was exceptionally large even during the winter months. At least two months must elapse before the new stock will be in shipping condition and in the meantime some inconvenience is likely to result to dealers and users of pine lumber owing to short supply. Doubtless substitution will be resorted to when it is expedient to do so. Present indications point to a late starting of the mills in the northern pine districts, as the ice is not yet out of the streams. The drives will also be delayed from this cause.

Hardwoods are holding up in price, the good demand and scarcity of dry stock being the sustaining influences. While the general demand is not heavy, the furniture and implement factories are buying liberally of elm, ash and birch. Urgent demand for immediate shipment indicates that many retail dealers and consumers have light stocks on hand.

The disastrous fire in Toronto on the 21st inst., by which property to the value of \$12,000,000 was destroyed, will stimulate building operations in that city. The new buildings will likely be constructed of fire-proof material as far as possible, thus limiting the quantity of lumber which will be required.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Shippers of spruce lumber are not pressing sales but are patiently waiting the course of events in Great Britain in the hope that the lumber market will improve. Those who are in a position to do so will no doubt hold their lumber until late in the season or until next spring, as present prices show little or no profit on shipments. The quantity of last year's production still in first hands is insignificant, and by the time the new stock is ready for the market conditions may be more favorable. At Boston, New York, and all eastern points spruce is in excellent demand. The prospects for log driving are fairly good. There is still plenty of snow in Eastern Quebec and New Brunswick, and the weather continues cold. It is confidently expected that the 40,000,000 feet of logs in the ice above Grand Falls, on the St. John river, will be saved.

The outlook for higher prices for cedar shingles is favorable. The production of the best brands promises to be smaller than last year, which will probably result