that lumber promises to be a good article for investment for several years to come. No ales are in contemplation and it can safely be asserted that the recent period of activity in limit transfers will be followed by one of calm.

Recent reports from the limits go to show that good progress is being made in the preparation of logs for next year's sawing. Natural conditions have so far been favorable, and the operators are looking forward to an open Fall. The scarelly of labor, however, is complained of in pvery quarter and it is now pretty well assured that this shortage will have a corresponding effect on the output of The fact that several firms have resumed operations after a rest of years' duration, has placed an extra demand on the local labor market which it is impossible to gatisfy. The natural result-men of all classes, and boys for that matter, are helps engaged this season, who a few years ago would not have stood one chance in twenty of getting employment. No report of disease in the camps has been received so far, and the operators feel confident that vigilance will go a long ways towards preventing a repetition of last year's costly experience, when smallpox broke up whole lumber camps.

OTTAWA, October 21st, 1902.

The saw mill of lardine Bros. at Rexton (formerly Kingston), Kent county, N. B., was destroyed by fire on October 27th.

Lumber firms who may propose sending men into the woods can learn, by applying at the office of this paper, where they may obtain the services of four bushmen and a cook.

The Morris-Field-Rogers Co., of Listowel, Ont., are advertising for a large quantity of white basswood and soft elm. The factory is running night and day to keep up with their rapidly increasing Canadian and European trade.

#### IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE IN THE LUMBERMAN.

O'Brien, Antigonish, Nova Mr. S. Scotia, writes: "I have had enquiries for my goods from Belfast, Glasgow and Tonawanda through the ad. in your good paper. I am very much pleased with it."

#### TRADE OPENINGS.

The following were among the enquiries relating to Canadian trade received at the Canadian Government Office in London during the week ending 10th October, 1902. The names of the parties may be obtained from the publishers of this iournal.

A London firm makes inquiry for Canadian firms manufacturing articles for tradesmen's equipment, such as butchers blocks, alarm tills, bent-wood shop chairs, light two and four wheeled carts, barrows, ladders, etc.

Enquiry comes from a Yorkshire firm for houses in Canada from whom they can purchase maple wood lumber for wringingmachine rollers.

J. D. SHIER LUMBER CO., LINITED,

MANUFACTURERS OF LUMBER, LATH AND SHINGLES

Pine, Hardwood and Hemlock Floorings and Ceilings. Sash and Doors, Wood Turnings, etc. All Dressed Lumber Kiin Dried if desired. Hud Matched Flooring a Specialty. Planing Mill in connection.

### TELEGRAPH POLES WANTED

We buy all lengths. Write us for prices and you will see that by cutting your Cedar into Poles it will net you more than you can get out of it in any other way.

### J. B. FARWELL & SON

Orillia, Ont. Oswego, N.Y.

PINE LUMBER

Get our Prices

HARDWOOD LUMBER

# THE ORILLIA EXPORT LUMBER

High Grade Pine, Rough or Dressed

British Golumbia Red Gedar Shingles a specialty

LATH

ORILLIA. ONT.

SHINGLES

R. H. ROYS, Pres. RALPH LOVELAND, Vice-Pres C. A. KENT, Sec'y.

SAGINAW LUMBER & SALT GO. MANUFACTURERS OF

R. S. ABBOTT, Treas. SAGINAW, MICH. LUMBER AND SALT

Mills at Sandwich, Ont.

**\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*** 

A Colonial merchant in London having a branch house in South Africa desires to get into touch with Canadian shippers of doors, sashes, windows, dimension-lumb and deals, with a view to large shipmen for South Africa.



### MASON, GORDON & CO.

WHOLESALE TIMBER Montreal, Quebec

Eastern Agents The B. C. Mills, Timber & Trading Co., Vaucouver, B. C. DOUGLAS FIR Timber in any size or length supplied watte you particulars and outstations.

### FOR SALE.

A number of very valuable pine and other tim limits on the north shore of Lake Huron and elsewh for sale. Also limits bought and sold on commiss and estimates given. For particulars, apply to

P. McDERMETT.

Box 177, South River, Ont

#### CACHE BAY LUMBER INDUSTRIES.

Manufacturers of RED and WHITE PINE

Band Gang Circular

CACHE BAY, Ont.

26 miles West North Bay

#### **BAY PLANING** CACHE

MOULDINGS GEILING FLOORING WAINSCOTING SHEETING

And all kinds of Dressed Pine Lumber.

### THE NEW LINE

Through the Spruce Forests of the Laurentin Mountains—between Quebec and Hawkesbur,

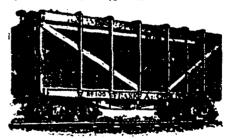
WATER-POWERS, TIMBER LIMITS AND ELECTRIC POWER FOR SALE. IDEAL PULP-MILL SITES. Unexcelled Export Facilities at Ouebec.

J. G. SCOTT, Gen. Mgr.

**OUEBEC** 

GUY TOMBS G. F. & P A

### FRANK A. CUTTING



116 BEDFORD ST.

BUYER OF

And the only Dealer who can furnish Cutting Patent Bark Cars for Shippers.

BOSTON, MAS

## KILN-DRIED BIRCH FLOORING SHEETING

GEILING

Flooring from \$14.00 Ceiling 12.00

SAMPLES BY MAIL

KNICHT BROTHERS CO

# apo.

HEMLOCK SOFT ROCK ELM. BASSWOOD. ASSI BIRCH, WHITE QUARTER PLAIN SAWN BLACKASH CEDAR. PINE

"We are now cutting two million Hemlock. 19 to 34 feet long, and we solicit your bill timber specifications."

Write for Quotations.

OWEN SOUND, ONT.

### F. MCGIBBON & SONS,

PENETANGUISHERE ONT

Manufacturers of Pine, Hemlock and Hardwood Lumber, and dealers in Cordwo Hemlock Bills cut on short notice.

## U. Dufresne, Jr. & Frere WHOLESALE LUMBER

Montreal

Canada

have at present for sale at various points of shipment, by either rail or water route, ce the Ottawa River, pine cuttings of different grades from seasons 1900 and 1901. Wi quote upon small lots or heavy blocks

Correspondence Solicited