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WANTED.—A medium sized Alligator. Reply, stating age, conditions and price, to "LOGS," c/o CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE.—3,000 arpents Boardwood Limits near St. Hilaire Station, only 22 miles from Montreal—Red Oak, Maple, Beech. B. F. CAMPBELL, St. Hilaire Station, Que.

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## Limits For Sale

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- 8 x 12 Cunningham Rope Feed.
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- 1 Waterous Shingle Mill.
- 1 Boss Shingle Mill.
- 1 Saw Hamilton Edger, Single Edger, Slabsaw.
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### CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Throughout the timber trade there prevails a tendency towards lower prices. The spring demand for lumber has not developed altogether satisfactorily, the high price of all building materials having retarded building operations to some extent. It is understood that in Toronto the erection of some important buildings has been deferred after the tenders for same were taken. Nor have enquiries from the Eastern States been as numerous of late as might reasonably be expected. Much importance has been placed upon the fact that by the Ottawa fire upwards of 150,000,000 feet of lumber was taken out of the market, but it must be remembered that the bulk of this was export lumber, and consequently the effect upon the local market will not be as beneficial as some may suppose. Of course, the fact must be reckoned with that the rebuilding of the burned districts of Hull and Ottawa will consume a very large quantity of lumber.

A situation favorable to the maintenance of prices may be brought about by the hanging up in the streams of a large quantity of logs, as up to the present the progress made in rafting operations has been anything but satisfactory. It must also be remembered, however, that some logs were held over from last season, and that these will increase the lumber production. The hardwood manufacturers are holding very firmly to prices, but dealers are not buying with much liberality. They seem to prefer to wait in the hope of being able to purchase at lower values at a later date.

### QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

News of a sharp break in prices in the New York market caused a feeling of uncertainty in the lumber trade of the Eastern Provinces, but as the situation seems to have been brought about by exceptional circumstances, there has since been a partial recovery of confidence. The news had the effect of checking, to some extent, the shipments to the Eastern States. Local trade is quite brisk, and as

navigation on the St. Lawrence is now open, we look forward to the usual shipments to Great Britain and other foreign countries.

The log drives are reported to be making considerable progress, and the lumbermen expect that very few logs will be hung up. The cut on the Nashwaak is given as 25,000,000 feet.

### MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The farmers of Manitoba and the Territories have been busily engaged in their seeding, and consequently of late there has not been a heavy movement of lumber on country account. Any falling off in this direction has been more than counterbalanced by increased building operations in Winnipeg and other places. The present outlook is for an active building season and a continuance of a strong demand for lumber. In British Columbia nearly every mill is working to its full capacity, and there seems little doubt but that the demand will take care of the entire production. Several vessels are loading for foreign destinations.

### UNITED STATES.

Lumber dealers in the Eastern States have taken advantage of the Ottawa fire to maintain prices on a firm basis. Had it not been for this circumstance, it is quite possible that signs of weakness would have been visible before this time. The spring has been so backward that the usual quantity of lumber has not been consumed in building operations, while the lack of country trade has also had a deterrent influence. On the other hand, the manufacturing demand is holding up well, and mill owners are not offering any concessions to dealers. Manufacturers claim that prices are not too high considering the increased cost of production, and as they have already disposed of fully 25 per cent. of their season's production, they are in a position to feel independent for some time at least. Piece stuff only has shown weakness. At Saginaw log run pine is quoted at \$16 to \$22, box at \$14 to \$15, Norway at \$14 and \$14.50, and mill culls at \$12. In the Boston market white pine is selling at \$45 for inch fine common, \$53 for inch selects, \$67 for uppers and \$36 for inch No. 1 cuts. From Boston again comes the report of scarcity of box and mill culls and cutting-up grades.

Spruce lumber shows a remarkable steadiness, although the demand is by no means large. For New York delivery