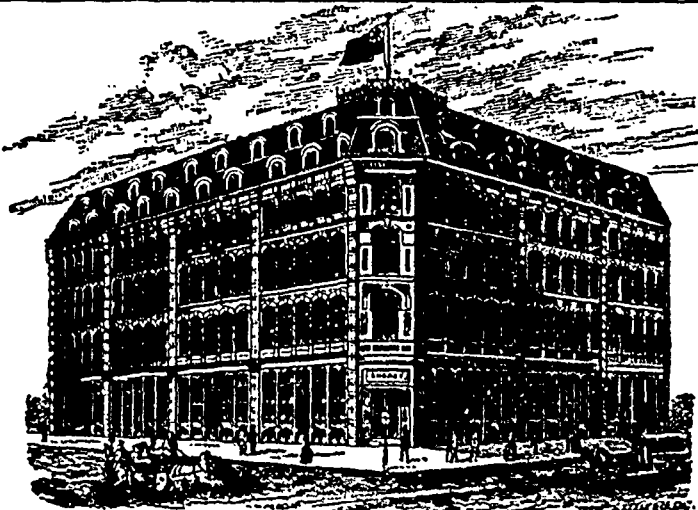


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### Lumber Cuttings.

M. Wilson, lumber dealer, Newdale, Man., reports lumber business booming. A very large amount of building is being done in the district this season.

It is said that H. A. Harrison, of the Cheminus Lumber Co., B.C., whose death occurred at Vancouver recently, carried \$12,000 insurance upon his life.

Manitou Mercury: Complaints are made at different points along the railway on account of the delays experienced in receiving shipment of lumber from dealers in Winnipeg and elsewhere.

The Rainy Lake Co's mill at Rat Portage continues to be hindered in its operations by high water on the lake. Last week the fires could not be started in the furnace, as the water had entered the boiler house.

The only saw mill in operation on the Bird Tail is that of Manwaring & Wright. The Birtle Observer says: This mill is an excellent one, most conveniently situated as the vast timber districts from which logs are procured begins a short distance north, while a well settled country lies to the south, east and west. The mill is kept going constantly.

The board of trade of Portage la Prairie, has taken action on the lumber question. The board says great injury has been done that district owing to the scarcity of lumber, which has been caused by the inability or refusal of the C.P.R. Co., to furnish manufacturers with cars as rapidly as they are required. The board has drawn the attention of C.P.R. Superintendent White to the matter.

### General Notes.

Monetary Times: White, Joselip, & Co., wholesale dealers in lace goods of Toronto, are in financial difficulties. Severe losses during recent years, and the depreciation of stock are amongst the causes assigned for their embarrassment, which has doubtless, been precipitated by the sudden death of their principal English creditor. The direct liabilities are in the neighborhood of \$100,000, two-thirds of which is due to the above creditor. We are told that this indebtedness is wholly in England and on the Continent. Mr. White is at present abroad for the purpose of consulting with creditors. The friends of the firm in this country hope to hear that he has been successful in arranging matters.

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A. D. SUTHERLAND, of A. D. Sutherland & Co., merchants, Fort William, was in the city last week, and visited THE COMMERCIAL office.