UMBERMAN

WEEKLY FDITION

The Lumberman Monthly Edition, 24 pages } si.00 per year { The Lumberman Weekly Edition, every Wednesday

THIS PAPER REACHES REGULARLY THE PRINCIPAL LUMBER MANUFÄCTURERS AND DEALERS THROUGHOUT CANADA, AND WHOLESALE BUYERS IN CREAT BRITAIN, THE UNITED STATES, AND OTHER FOREIGN MARKETS.

Vol. VIII.

TORONTO, ONT., MAY 14, 1902

No. 15

Canada Lumberman

PUBLISHED BY

The G. H. Mortimer Publishing Go'u of Teronto, timited

Confederation Life Building - TORONTO.

Branch Office:

IMPERIAL BUILDING, MONTREAL.

Weekly Lumberman, published every Wednesday.
Contains reliable and up-to-date market conditions and tendencies in the principal manufacturing districts and 'eading domestic and 'reign wholesale markets. A weekly mealum of information and communication between Canadian timber and lumber manufacturers and exporers and the purchasers of timber products at home and abroad.

house and abroad.

Lumberman, Monthly. A 24-page joursel, discussing fully and impartially subjects pertinent to the lumber and wood-working industries. Contains interviews with prominent members of the trade, and character sketches and portraits of leading irmbermen. Its special stricles on technical and mechanical subjects arrecspecially valuable to saw mid and planing mill men and manufacturers of lumber products.

LUMBERMAN'S

VEST-POCKET

INSPECTION **BOOK**

Containing Rules for the Inspection and Measuring of Pine and Hardwood Inriber in the leading markets of Canada and the United States. Embracing also many useful tables and calculations of everyday service to lumbermen.

Pispared by the Editor of the · Canada Lumberman."

Toronto, Canada C H. MORTIMER, Publisher

1895

THE above is a fac simile of the title page of the latest and most complete Lumber and Inspection Book published.

We shall be pleased to send you a copy on receipt of six 2 cent Ganadian postage stamps

THE CANADA LUMBERMAN,

Zoronto, Canada.

WANTED AND FOR SALE

Advertisements will be inserted in this department at the rate of 15 cents per line each insertion. Wher four or more consecutive insertions are ordered a discount of 25 per cent, will be allowed Inis notice shows the width of the line and is set in Nonparell 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-A RAFT OF PINE LOGS ON Georgian Bay; apply at once to Box 20, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED-SHVERAL FIRST-CLASS DUM-BAR Shingle Savyers. Apply the Hastings Shingle Mfg Co., Limited, Vancouver, B.C. See our ad in this paper about our new mill. Mill to be free from dust.

WANTED-HARDWOOD LUMBER. SOFT ELM, BIRCH, BLACK ASH, 1ST8 and 2nds preferred. J. F. STRNGAL, 990 Ellicott Square, Buffalo, N.Y.

Wanted--Cedar Shingles

16 INCH AND 18 INCH, ALL GRADES, good quality, White Cedar. Would purchase mill output.
Give quantities both on hand and to be manufactured. J. G. STRAIT & SON, Wolcott, New York

Cedar Shingles Wanted

WILL BUY FOR CASH ANY QUANTITY of good quality Cedar Shingles. I handle all grades and will advance 75 per cent, cash on receipt of bill of inding. Write or telegraph, IVERS P. LAWRENCE, Fitchburg, Mazs.

SPECIAL TO LUMBERMEN.

WITH A THOROUGHLY ROUIPPED PLAN-ING Mill at orillia, we solicit orders for re sawing and planing of lumber, in any quantity; can match 26 inches wide; all work guaranteed first-class, prices on application. Address, NATIONAL BOX CO., Orillia, Ont.

FOR SALE

STEAM SAW MILL AND TIMBER LIMIT, Mill is situated on the Quyon River, two miles from Bristol Station, on the Pontiac Pacific Railway, consists of one Waterous hand mill with all necessary tools for grinding and fitting saws, one double power feed edger slash table, swing butting saw log haul up, and everything necessary to make a complete mill. Timber limit contains ten (10) square miles Mill is now in operation and can be seen running Proprietors are removing where a larger plant can be installed. Price \$5,000, half cash, balance in six (6) and twelve (12) months secured. For further information apply to

DAVIDSON & THACKRAY, 250 Sparks St., Ottawa.

FOR SALE

Veneered Doors

Manufactured under our patent process. In stock for immediate shipment. Inspection invited. Prices on application.

3664 Plain Red Oak Veneered. 177 Unselected Birch " 348 Brown Ash "

290 Maple

GILMOUR & COMPANY, Limited, Trenton, Ontario, Canada,

FOR SALE.

I 50,000 FERT OF BLACK BIRCH plant, 13" thick, graded common and better; a nice, clean stock, cut in the frost and well manufactured. W. DOHERTY & Co., Clinton, Ont.

STANDING TIMBER FOR SALE.

ACRES OF HEMLOCK, BASSWOOD, ode, Pine, Maple and Beech, near R. R. station; will take all the cordwood part payment. delivered at the station. Thos. MyLes Sons, Hamilton. There is a large amount of tan bark

WANTED

DY A THOROUGHLY COMPETENT alingle man, a position as foreman in a large shingle mill. Is good millwright, good mathematician, and an expert saw man. Best of references. Address FOREMAN, care of CANof references. Ad-

DRY PINE.

WE HAVE ABOUT 1,500,000 PERT DRY PINE.
W in 1, 2 and 3 inch common and better, prefer selling in bulk. Will quete freight rate to Buffalo, Chicago or Toronto on application. Correspondence solicited. N.H.—Would like to correspond with consumers of hardwoods. St. Joh Island Lumber Co., Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

Wanted—A Partner

COMPREHENT OR SILENT, WITH \$6,000 OR SCOOL OF Increase the business of \$6,000 as will on the sea shore, Gulf St. Lawrence. Good facilities for shipping. Plenty Spruce, Cedar and Hardwood. Address J. Dinace Braulaut, 188 St. Autoine Street, Montreal.

TIMBER LIMITS

FOR SALE IN
BRITISH COLUMBIA

WELL TIMBERED WITH DOUGLAS FIR. Cedar, Spruce and Hemlock and conveniently situated for operating cheaply
Both large and small tracts of land at prices and terms to suit purchasers. H. G. Ross, Drawer 805, Vancouver, B.C.

TIMBER BERTH

Township of Chisholm,

SAW MILL AND SHINGLE MILL BLIC AUCTION.

AT THE

Orillia House, Orillia, on

THURSDAY, JUNE 12, 1902 at 2 p. m.

The subscriber will offer for sale by Public Auction at the above time and place

Timber Berth, Township of Chisholm
(Being 22 square miles.)

Together with Saw Mill, Shingle Mill, Buildings, Camp and Logging Outfit, Tools, Horses, about 650 Logs, Etc., as per inventory, which can be seen by applying to Mr. D. McRae.

about 050 Ackers
can be seen by applying to Mr. D. Mekae.
Can be seen by applying to Mr. D. Mekae.
The whole of the above will be sold en bloc.
TERMS.—Half Cash, balance one year, with
interest at Six per cent, on approved paper.
For further particulars apply to the Chisholm
Timber Limit Co., Hamilton, Ont., or to Wm.
Hendric, Jr., and J. J. C. Thomson, Proprietors.
PETER RYAN, PETER RYAN, Toronto.

FOR SALE.

200,000 PEET OF PINE TAMARAC ent to order also 2000 fence posts N II HOWARD, Killean P O Leslie a Station C P R

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The quantity of the pine cut of this season that has already passed out of first hands has placed the manufacturer in an exceptionally favorable position. Even if there should be a slump in prices, it is not likely that he would be affected this year Estimates of the proportion of the cut disposed of vary between 50 and 75 per cent. At the present time arguments are advanced by some that prices are too high, and by others that the cost of logging and manufacturing warrants a further advance. Granting that prices are abnormal, the responsibility therefor may be attributed to the buyer rather than the seller. The purchasing has not been conducted with as much caution as usual. It has seemed to be the aim of the American buyers in particular to secure the stock at any cost. Manufacturers still report numerous inquiries from dealers in Michigan, and the Eastern States. The settlement of the carpenters' strike in Toronto should stimulate the retail demand for lumber. A dealer states that the resultant improvement is only noticeable and that there is not much buoyancy to the demand and a good deal of bartering over prices. Hem lock is inquired for considerally, and hardwoods are being bought by implement and furniture factories, which have allowed their stocks to run low. The quotations for lath and shingles are unaltered, with the stringency in the supply somewhat broken.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The tone of the spruce market is gradually improving owing to an increased demand for clapboards and other lumber for shipment to the Eastern States and deals for the British market. Prices are decidedly stronger and manufacturers are exhibiting a firm attitude. It is regarded as only a matter of a few weeks before considerably higher prices will rule, as the supply is not likely to be sufficient to meet the demand. Reports of the log drives are favorable from the Miramichi, but somewhat gloomy from the Restigouche, where the water has fallen rapidly.

New Brunswick cedar shingles are very strong. The large manufacturers are accepting no orders at less than \$3.50 for extras and \$3.10 for clears, Boston delivery. We have been shown an order for a considerable quantity of shingles at