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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.—1, 1½ and 2 inch Black Ash. THOS MYLES' SONS, Hamilton, Ont.

FOR SALE.—36 in. Wickes Gang, cutting 14 in deep; located in Canada; price low. Wickes Bros, Saginaw, Mich.

WANTED.—Lot of 5x5 and 6x6x10 to 16 Soft Elm or Maple Squares. Common and Better, also ¼ and 6/4 Common Ash. J. F. STENGEL, 990 Elliott Square, Buffalo, N.Y.

HAVE YOU ANY STOCK WHICH YOU WISH to sell? If so, make the fact known to probable buyers by placing an advertisement in the Wanted and For Sale Department. Address, CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto.

FOR SALE

150,000 FEET CLEAR DRY BRITISH Columbia White Spruce Siding, 1½ in. x 8 in. and up to 2 feet long. BRUNETT'S SAW MILL COMPANY, LIMITED, New Westminster, B. C.

FOR SALE

SAW AND SHINGLE MILL. PLENTY OF timber in locality; will be sold cheap. For particulars apply to proprietor at the mill, or by mail Ed. SYKES, Lady Bank, Ont.

Limits and Saw Mills FOR SALE

The proprietors having decided to retire from this business, offer their Valuable Limits and Mills for sale. The concern is well equipped in every respect and is in operation. The cost of operation is very moderate, having about 30 miles of railway (Lake St. John) running through it. The Mill at Lake Edward is Circular Saw, that at Pearl Lake is Steam Feed Circular and Gang.

The Limits, about 280 miles, have considerable Spruce and Pulp Wood, also Boule and Birch. These latter have exceptional quality, and by judges considered the best in the Province of Quebec. For terms, etc., apply to

WHITEHEAD & TURNER,
Quebec City.

AUCTION SALE

— OF —

Valuable Timber Limits, Saw Logs, Timber Lumber and Lumbering Appliances

Pursuant to the powers contained in two certain agreements each made by Joseph Turner and Spencer O. Fisher, of Bay City Michigan, trading in co-partnership under the name of Turner & Fisher, and the Bank of Toronto, and to certain securities given under Section 74 of "The Bank Act," and pursuant to all other rights and powers of the said Bank of Toronto thereon to them enabling, there will be offered for sale by public auction, at the auction rooms of C. J. Townsend, No. 28 King street west, in the city of Toronto, on SATURDAY, THE EIGHTH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1900, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, all those certain timber berths or limits following:

The entire Township of Wilson and Concessions Nine (9), Ten (10), Eleven (11), Twelve (12), Thirteen and Fourteen (14), in the Township of Ferrie, in the Province of Ontario being the berths covered by License No. 46, of the season of 1896-1897, and License No. 89, for the season of 1895-1896, and being covered by Crown Timber Licenses Numbers 44 and 45 of the season of 1900-1901. And also the timber limit known as Berth No. 53, on the north shore of Lake Huron, in the said Province of Ontario, which was covered by Crown Timber License No. 145, for the season of 1895-1896, and being covered by License No. 46 for the season of 1900-1901, together with all rights of the said Bank of Toronto in and to the said licenses.

Also all the saw logs and timber marked B. T., T. N. R., and J. O. E., or any one or more of the said marks, and all wood and wood products, including lumber, lath, shingles, the product of such logs, in, upon or near the land and waters and premises known as timber berths Township of Wilson and Township of Ferrie, on the north shore of Lake Huron, in the Province of Ontario, and in upon or near lands and waters adjacent to the said timber berth 53 and in transit in, upon or near any lands and waters between the said timber berths or either of them and the lands and waters at the mouths of the French River and of the Magnetawan River, or of either of said rivers, and in, upon or near the lands and waters at the mouths of the French and Magnetawan Rivers in either of said rivers, in said Province of Ontario, and in transit in, upon or near the waters and shore of Georgian Bay and Lake Huron, between the said mouths of the said French River and of the Magnetawan River, and of either of the said rivers, and the saw mills situate at or near the town of Midland, in the County of Simcoe and Province of Ontario, known as "Chew Bros. Saw Mills," "James L. Playfair & Company Sawmill," "Cameron & Playfair Sawmill," and George Chew and Son Sawmill, or any of the said sawmills, and in, upon or near the lands and waters connected with or adjacent to the said sawmills or any of them, including the booming grounds, mill ponds, mill yards, piling grounds at or near the Town of Midland aforesaid, together with all the plant and appliances and camp equipment used upon and in connection with the lumbering of said limits in the Townships of Wilson and Ferrie, including all camp equipment, horses, wagons, sleighs, chains, lumbering tools and appliances of all kinds on said limits of Wilson and Ferrie, and on the Forsythe Farm, in the Township of McConkey, all store supplies and tools of all kinds at Turner's store house at Trout Creek, all booms boom chains, bars, rafts, and outfit for taking logs down the Pickering and French Rivers, and all chains, boats, tools, horses, wagons and lumbering outfits the property of the said Turner & Fisher, or of the Bank of Toronto, used in connection with the lumbering operations of the said limits at the Town of Midland, or in transit from the said limits, and upon the waters and shores lying between the said limits and the Town of Midland, in the County of Simcoe, a schedule of which logs, lumber, lath, equipment, supplies, etc., so far as known to the Vendors, can be seen at the office of Beatty, Blackstock, Nesbitt, Chadwick & Riddell, 58 Wellington street east, Toronto, Ont.

The said timber limits, hereinbefore referred to, will be sold subject to the claim or lien (if any) of Merrill, Ring & Company, and Green, Ring & Company against same.

The entire property will be sold "en bloc" The property will be sold subject to reserve bid. Terms of payment: 25 per cent. cash on day of sale to the Vendors or their solicitors, the balance within thirty days thereafter with interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum.

Further terms and conditions will be made known on day of sale, or may be ascertained upon application to Beatty, Blackstock, Nesbitt, Chadwick & Riddell, Vendors' Solicitor, 58 Wellington street east, Toronto, Ontario. Dated at Toronto this 2nd day of November, A.D., 1900.

Wanted—100,000 Feet Mill Cull Basswood

Write, stating price, HURDMAN & ELMITT, Ottawa, Ont.

WANTED.

300,000 FEET OF NO. 1 NEWLY CUT Basswood Logs. Address THE WALKER-VILLE MATCH Co., Walkerville, Ont.

WANTED.

A FEW HUNDRED THOUSAND FEET OF ¾ inch and 1 inch Basswood and Black Ash. Reply to "Basswood," care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE.

SAW MILL, 45 H.P., ALL COMPLETE WITH docks and trams; situate 3½ miles from Sault Ste Marie; plenty of timber available. For further particulars apply to Box No. 8, Marksville, Ont.

FOR SALE—DRY STOCK

150,000 FEET 1 IN. WINTER CUT BASSWOOD; 275,000 feet 1, 2 and 3 in. soft Elm. THE BRADLEY COMPANY, Hamilton, Ontario.

WANTED.

FIRST-CLASS MAN TO TAKE CHARGE OF office books and general office supervision of lumber business. Apply immediately to Box 74, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED.

COMPETENT MAN AS SUPERINTENDENT of planing mill and yard trade. Only those who thoroughly understand the business need apply. Box 52 CANADA LUMBERMAN.

PINE LUMBER FOR SALE—ABOUT THREE million feet Dry Lumber, all kinds, Joists, Scantling, Flooring, Plank and Stock Boards; in large or small quantities, by car load, to suit purchasers; write for prices and stock list. HUGH S. BRENNAN, 82 King William Street, Hamilton, Ont.

FOR SALE.

A LARGE QUANTITY OF GOOD SOUND Tamarac Lumber in standard sizes, 2x4, 2x6, 2x8, etc.; Dimensions in timber, 16 ft. long, 4x4, 4x6, 6x8, 8x8, 10. Also other sizes cut to order. Apply to EDWARD LLOYD, Limited, Sturgeon Falls, Ont.

WANTED

SPRUCE PULPWOOD FOR EXPORTATION. Winter and Spring delivery. Wanted—Hardwood Lands in Ontario and Quebec. H. FAWCETT HARTLAND, Investments, 30-310 Merchants Bank Building, 25 St. James Street, Montreal, Que.

FOR SALE

THE SAW AND PLANING MILLS KNOWN as "Malloch's Mills," conveniently situated on the Ottawa, between Arnprior and Braselard. One Circular, Steam R. pe Feed, Edgers, Trimmers, Live Carriers, Lath Machine, &c. Connected with C. P. R. For particulars, address GEO. MALLOCH, Arnprior.

TO MILL MEN.

Do you wish to be less dependent upon the Canadian and United States markets? If so, this may be accomplished by cutting some of your stock to the specifications required by the British market. Any of the brokers and importers advertising in THE LUMBERMAN will be pleased to furnish to mill men specifications and price lists, and will advance 75 per cent. of the value of the stock shipped.

The British & North American Timber Company, Limited, 57 Gracechurch Street, London, E. C., England, whose advertisement appears on fourth page of this issue, are agents for white and red pine, and are open for correspondence with parties in Canada selling Canadian hardwoods, also manufactured stock, such as chair seats and legs. They make advances to shippers against documents.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS. ONTARIO.

A most hopeful feeling regarding the outlook for lumber has been exhibited on all sides since the elections. The governments both in the United States and Canada being sustained, assuring no change of policy, has infused new life into the commercial interests. Business will expand, and in the course of expansion will consume an increased quantity of lumber. Orders placed with manufacturers and dealers during the past week give promise of considerable trade for the next few weeks. This will come from retailers and furniture, implement and other manufacturers. The building season is now nearly over, and the demand from that quarter will be confined largely to finishing lumber. The most encouraging prospects are in respect to next season's trade. A heavy demand next spring is almost certain. Some of the Ottawa valley manufacturers have already contacted for their 1901 cut of English deals, at prices similar to those ruling this season. This in itself is a most hopeful indication.

Prices in the Ottawa valley are firm, the lower grades having recovered some of the ground lost earlier in the season. Lath is a little easier. Hardwood lumber is showing an increased movement. Black ash and basswood are in specially good demand, with a very light supply. Manufacturers are showing little pressure to sell, feeling certain that the demand will consume the entire supply.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Vessels are still loading lumber at St. Lawrence ports for trans-Atlantic destinations. The shipments this year are believed to have been considerably lighter than last season. Manufacturers of spruce lumber are carrying in their yards more stock than at same time last year, and this may result in reducing the volume of operations in the woods this winter. The outlook for trade next year is somewhat uncertain. It is expected that the Eastern States will take a considerable quantity of Canadian lumber. The most concern at the present time is in respect to British trade, the course of which is not very clear to shippers.

UNITED STATES.

Only one week since the presidential election, yet the lumber business of the United States has within that time shown an improvement. Buying orders came into the market immediately. A short period at least of active trade is now assured, but whether it will extend well through the winter months is a question in doubt. The tendency of prices is to advance, but the trade seems to be cautious about taking any step in that direction lest it should check consumption. It is improbable that prices will be marked up except in a few lines which are thought to be abnormally low. At Buffalo the stock of box lumber and the lower grades, except barn boards, is short of the average, while at Albany 1¼-inch box is particularly scarce. The position of spruce lumber is steadily im-