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**Hardware Trade Notes.**

Heavy strap hinges have advanced 2c. An advance is anticipated in Vaughn's post hole augurs.

An advance of 3c per lb. has been made by the largest Canadian manufacturer of Paris green.

Manufacturers of axe, fork and shovel handles have, owing to the advance in the price of hickory, put up the price of these goods.

White door knobs have been advanced 20c per dozen. Barn door hinges are 25 to 50c higher. The discounts on malleable fittings have been cut in two within ten days and are now 15 per cent.

Owing to the firm feeling in the United States, and to the fact that according to present quotations it would cost about \$2.90 per keg to lay down nails from the United States in Canada, it is maintained in some quarters that the Canadian nail manufacturers would easily secure an advance of 40 to 50 cents over present quotations.

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Owing to the scarcity of material used in the manufacture of wheelbarrows and the high prices paid for same, together with the increase in wages, the price of wheelbarrows has advanced from \$2 to \$3 per dozen. The fixed price on oiled and annealed wire at Montreal is now \$2.50 base, 10 per cent. off, and bright wire \$2.50 base, 2 per cent. thirty days, or sixty days net.

The new list on Champlain scales at Montreal has been issued, and reads as follows: Even balance 4 lb., \$5.00, stamping 20c; even balance 10 lb., \$7.50, stamping 50c; union, 240 lb., \$10.50, stamping 50c; platform, 900 lb., \$28, stamping, \$1; platform, 1,200 lb., \$33, stamping, \$1; platform, 2,000 lb., \$40, stamping, \$1; platform, crop over, 2,000 lb., \$48, stamping, \$1; discount 50 per cent. on scales, stamping, net.

**Lumber Trade Notes.**

The cut of lumber in Yale and Kootenay during the present year is expected to reach 100,000,000 feet, the value of which at the mills will be about \$1,400,000.

The Pigeon River Lumber Co., (Hainy River) during the season have shipped from Gullfint 64,869 logs, weighing 2,922,588 feet, or 705 cars. They have 35 more carloads to ship.

A Treherne report says: Building operations have started in early. J. K. Robson's lumber yard, which was well stocked last year, is nearly depleted, and a lumber famine is imminent.

Hon. Thomas Greenway was at Ottawa this week interviewing the minister of finance. He wants a commission appointed to investigate as to whether there is or is not a combine in the lumber trade in the west. He expects to be able to satisfy Mr. Fielding to grant a commission.

The immense demand from the new settlers now pouring into this country for lumber has cleaned up the stock immediately available in many places and fresh supplies are being brought in from the United States. The interior mills of British Columbia, which have hitherto taken care of this trade, are now out of stock, and will not be able to replenish until the spring freshets have brought down their supplies of logs.

E. F. Stephenson, crown timber agent at Winnipeg, in his last report to the department of the interior, says: "The low prices of lumber by the government enables manufacturers to undersell the imported article, to the advantage of the purchasing settler. Comparing prices for lumber and building material in Manitoba at the present time with those for the same kind and quality in the bordering states, they are considerably lower."

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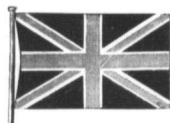
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**Seeding Notes.**

Rosenfeld, Man., April 8.—Seeding commenced in this district to-day, when Jacob Zacharias started in the field with two nineteen shoe drills. Seeding will be in full swing by the end of the week.

Hartney, April 8.—C. Thomas, who lives near here, is already well on with his seeding operations. He has now one hundred acres of wheat sown. The land was in magnificent condition for spring work and the grain was all got into the ground in good shape.

Gladstone, Man., April 13.—A good deal of work was done last week on the farm until rain on Friday put a stop to all work. This morning the weather is bright and cool, and everything is harrowing or seeding. The ground is in fine condition to receive the seed, and with warmth good growth will soon be seen. This month

will see all the wheat sown if the weather keeps fine.

A trust has been formed in the United States of all but one of the glove clamp manufacturers, and the prices have been advanced from 40 to 50 per cent. on the manufacturers. The one concern not included is a small one. With advanced prices in leathers, buttons and silk, there will probably be an advance in gloves next fall.

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