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The Weekly Lumberman—Published every Wednesday, contains reliable and up-to-date reports of market conditions and tendencies in the principal manufacturing districts and leading domestic and foreign wholesale markets. A weekly medium of information and communication between Canadian timber and lumber manufacturers and exporters and the purchasers of timber products at home and abroad.

The Monthly Lumberman—A 32-page journal, discussing fully and impartially subjects pertinent to the lumber and wood-working industries. Contains interviews with prominent members of the trade, character sketches and portraits of leading lumbermen, etc. Its special articles on technical and mechanical subjects are especially valuable.

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 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—TO RENT A PORTABLE SAW
Mill; state charges per thousand feet. Apply Drawer 12 Hamilton.

WANTED—TO CORRESPOND WITH MILL
Men having bright spruce, first quality, suitable for piano sounding boards. THE MASON & RISCH PIANO CO., Limited, Toronto.

WANTED—TEN THOUSAND CORDS
Hard and Soft Wood; also same quantity of Slabs. SIMCOE WOOD AND LUMBER CO., 52 Yonge Street Arcade, Toronto.

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.

MAPLE LUMBER WANTED

I AM OPEN TO PURCHASE LARGE OR small quantities of Hard Maple Lumber, 2 1/2, 3, 4 and 5 inch. Grade to be common and better. Terms cash when shipped. Mixed carloads taken. Millmen will please state the quantity they have of each thickness, with their lowest price. Also say how long sawn. Address care Box 22 CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE.

One 20" x 24" Waterous engine, 8 ft. driving wheel, 26" face. 11 ft x 4 ft. Stillwell & Bierce Heater, feed pipe and connections to heater complete.
One 10" x 14" Engine.
One 3-k. w. 250 Standard Dynamo and Volt meter, wiring and 50 lamps (complete.)
One pair twin engines, 10x16.
One No. 2 Carriage and Saw Frame, 78 ft. track, and two 60" Saws.
One set Trimmers, to trim 6 to 24 ft., chains, mandrels and saws.
Also a quantity of Shafting, 2" to 4" pulley, and steam and water pipe.
One 14" x 60" Boiler; one top saw slash table.
About one mile of telephone wire and two phones. For particulars apply to BOZEM & GURTON, Azilda, Ont.

HAVING DECIDED TO CLOSE OUR
cash and door department, we are offering our machinery and balance of materials at close prices. Apply to HENRY S. CARR, Newmarket, Ont.

FOR SALE

TEN CAR LOADS OF DRY INCH PINE mill cuts, different widths and lengths. Apply to MAITLAND, RIXON & COMPANY, Owen Sound, Ont.

Logs For Sale

5,000 GOOD LOGS, MOSTLY WHITE PINE 16 feet long, now running into the mouth of Spanish River at Georgian Bay. Also Limit for sale with or without saw mill. Limit and saw mill located on C. P. R. main line. PINE LUMBER COMPANY, Carleton Place, Ont.

PINE LIMIT FOR SALE

1 1/2 MILES ON PIGEON RIVER, THUNDER Bay. Limit lies on river bank 50 miles from Fort William. A splendid location for good saw mill. Dry haul will water bulk of timber. Owner quitting lumber business. Limit will be sold at a bargain. Box 790 CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto.

FOR SALE

2	Coin	58	16" to 26"	1st and 2nd	Poplar
1	"	44	5" and wider	"	"
1	"	5/4	"	"	"
1	"	6 1/2	"	"	"
2	"	4/4	Common and better	Ash.	
1	"	44	1st and 2nd	Quartered	Red Oak

All high grade stock. The Poplar is soft W. V. A. Yellow Poplar. If interested write for prices CURRIE & LITTLE LUMBER CO. Pittsburg, Pa.



AUCTION SALE OF TIMBER BERTHS

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT pursuant to authority of Orders in Council, the Red and White PINE TIMBER in the following townships, berths and areas, namely—
IN THE DISTRICT OF NIPISSING—the Townships of HUTTON, CREELMAN, PARKIN, AYLER, MACKELCAN, MCCARTHY, MERRICK, MULLOCK (part of), FRENCH (part of), STAWART, LOCKHART (part of), GARROW (part of), OSBORNE (part of), HANMELL and PHILIPS (part of).
IN THE DISTRICT OF ALGOMA—Berths Nos. 199 and 201, the Townships of KITCHENER and KONGATE, and Block "W" near Onaping Lake.
IN THE RAINY RIVER DISTRICT—Berths G19, G21, G23, G25 and G27, and the following berths with the right to cut and remove the pine, spruce, tamarack, cedar and poplar—G4, G6, G17, G18, G24, G25, G26, G27, G28, G31, G32, G36, G37, G39, G40, G41, G42, G43, berths Nos. 51, 52, 53, and 54, will be offered for sale by Public Auction at the Parliament Buildings, in the City of Toronto, on WEDNESDAY, the NINTH day of DECEMBER, 1903, at the hour of ONE o'clock in the afternoon.

Sheets containing terms and conditions of Sale and information as to Areas and Lots and Concessions comprised in each berth will be furnished on application, either personal or by letter to the Department of Crown Lands, Toronto, or the Crown Timber Agencies at OTTAWA, SAULT STE. MARIE, PORT ARTHUR, RAT PORTAGE and PORT FRANCES.

R. J. DAVIS,
Commissioner Crown Lands
Department of Crown Lands,
Toronto, July 9, 1903.

N. B.—No unauthorized publication of this advertisement will be paid for.

FOR SALE

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, LUMBER Yard, small hand saw and planing mill; steam dry kiln; unlimited supply of both Pine and Hardwood timber; water and rail transportation; healthy locality; prosperous town in the South; 12,000 population; cheap labor; established paying business; small investment. Write for particulars. GEO. T. HOUSTON & CO., Chicago, Ill.

LATH FOR SALE, ABOUT 150 M. KNIGHT Bros. Company, Burks Falls, Ont.

WANTED—HARDWOOD LUMBER OF all kinds and sizes. If you have any to offer, write me. R. R. KINSMAN, Hamilton.

WANTED TO RENT, A SAW MILL IN A place where quantities of Hardwood, Hemlock or Pine logs can be bought. Address: Box 130, Hanover, O.

FOR SALE—O.H. 48" Hercules Water Wheel in good order, a bargain for immediate sale. Address, MACHINERY EXCHANGE, 27 1/2 Victoria Square, Montreal, Que.

FOR SALE
400,000 FEET 4 1/2, 6 1/2 AND 8 1/4 DRY PINE lumber, principally dressing, also squares, very sound and free from shake. J. J. THOMPSON, Fergusonvale Ont.

FOR SALE
CEDAR AND TAMARACK; 200,000 ties and 20,000 telephone poles on the Vermillion River or drove to Spanish broom. JAMES MCCREARY, Larchwood, Ont.

Wanted—Pine and Pulp Limits
On Georgian Bay, Lake Huron or else here in Canada small or large. Address Box 426, London, Ont.

FOR SALE
FACTORY FLOORING
KILN DRIED BIRCH, ABOUT 60 M. Box 42 CANADA LUMBERMAN.

WANTED
50,000 FEET 2" MILL RUN BROWN ASH 5 and 100,000 to 500,000 feet Box Spruce. HURDMAN & ELMITT, Ottawa

FOR SALE
ONE OF THE BEST PAYING AND MOST complete lumbering concerns in British Columbia, including limits, mill and plant, capacity five million per year, on which a net profit of over \$20,000 per annum is being cleared. For particulars apply to N. Y. Z. care CANADA LUMBERMAN.

FOR SALE.

21-acre Timber Land, 4 1/2 miles from Durham, Ont., with good saw, shingle and lath mills complete; also good dwelling house and stables. Railroad switch can be put in property. Land well timbered with Hemlock, Maple, Birch and Cedar. Will either sell outright or one-third interest to practical man who will manage business at reasonable salary. Apply to COCKBURN, WHARLEY & Co., Guelph, Ont.

The steam saw mill of William Bloedow at Killaloe, Ont., on the line of the Canada Atlantic Railway, was destroyed by fire last week, at a loss of \$4,000. There was no insurance.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS. ONTARIO.

There are few new features in lumber circles to record. General conditions are satisfactory but business is on a conservative basis. Some consumers are postponing the placing of orders in the belief that the time has come for a reaction in prices. This disposition, however, has not impaired the firmness of values, and it is doubtful whether the buyer will be offered a greater inducement than is represented by current prices. Shipments to the United States are quite active. During the first seven months of this year there were exported to that country 313,000,000 feet of lumber and 365,186,000 shingles. While these figures represent a slight falling off in trade as compared with the corresponding period of last year, they indicate also a highly satisfactory volume of business. A comparison of prices shows an advance of about 60 cents per thousand feet in the price of lumber in favor of this year. The report from Ottawa that manufacturers are asking an advance for next season's production of deals is of an encouraging character. It is impossible to obtain the required number of men for logging operations, and it is probable that the production of logs this winter will be considerably curtailed from this cause. Doubtless the probability of a diminished production is the basis of the present asking prices for lumber of next year's manufacture. One or two of the Georgian Bay firms are said to be offering such grades as common and dressing at a slight concession, but this is the only instance of retrogression that has been heard of, and it is probably due to the relative dullness of the intermediate grades. These no doubt will firm up in due course.

There is not the slightest indication of any weakness in the hardwood list. There are many buyers throughout the country and the consequent competition has a tendency to bring about higher prices. Basswood and birch have been bought quite heavily.

Shingles are showing a little more activity, but prices are no stronger. An advance is not looked for at the present time, as persons are not anxious to buy heavily for stocking up purposes.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Nothing has occurred within the past week to disturb the spruce market. Lumber is going into consumption locally in considerable volume and stocks are being picked up for export. New York is paying high prices for spruce, the settlement of labor troubles in that city having