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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.

**FOR SALE**—A quantity of 1, 2 and 3 inch Birch. GEO. EDGINGTON, Edginton, Ont.

**BAND SAW FILER OPEN FOR ENGAGEMENT.** Best references. Box 333, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

### SAFES FOR SALE OR TRADE

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS TWO LARGE Herring Safes; one is extra large, fitted with steel burglar proof vault. Will sell for cash or trade for Lumber, Shingles or Lath. Address, M. M. SMITH, North Tonawanda, N.Y.

### FOR SALE.

**1,400 ACRES MIXED TIMBER, INCLUD-** Cedar and Elm, for sale, Township of Monmouth, near Tory Hill Station, on the Irondale, Bancroft & Ottawa Railway. For price and further particulars apply to J. J. GARTSHORE, 83 Front Street West, Toronto.

### WANTED.

**DOWELS, (BEECH, MAPLE AND BIRCH)** 3 1/2 in. x 7/8 in., 1 1/2 in. and 8/16 in. 3 1/2 in. x 8/16 in., 9/16 in., 5/8 in. and 3/4 in. Address, stating price per 1,000, to "DOWEL," CANADA LUMBERMAN, Toronto.

### SALE OF Valuable Timber Limits

BY PUBLIC AUCTION AT TORONTO

By C. J. Townsend & Co., 28 King Street West. ON THURSDAY, APRIL 19th, 1900 At 2 o'clock P.M.

The following Timber Licenses:

#### ON LAKE NIPISSING.

No. 213, of season 1899-1900, being berth No 5, in Township of Patterson. Area, 2 1/2 square miles, more or less.

#### ON FRENCH RIVER.

No. 214, of season 1899-1900, being berth No. 16, Township of Falconer, sale of October 22nd, 1885, known as No. 11, as laid down upon the map of the north shore of Lake Huron, published by the Department of Crown Lands, dated July 10th, 1872. Area, 3 1/2 square miles, more or less.

**ON VERMILLION RIVER, A BRANCH OF THE SPANISH.** No. 215, of season 1899-1900, being berth No 22, Township of Dowling, sale of October 22nd, 1885, known as No. 57, as laid down upon the map of the north shore of Lake Huron, published by the Department of Crown Lands, dated July 10th, 1872.

Terms and conditions of sale will be made known on day of sale. Easy terms to purchasers who may be deemed responsible by the vendor and who may arrange therefore prior to sale.

The above timber berths are exceptionally easy of access. Supplies can be placed at very low cost on any of the berths, either during the winter or summer months.

The average haul is very short. The berths are well timbered with white and red pine.

On berth No. 5, Patterson, there is also a fine cut of many millions of large hemlock logs and railway ties. Berth No. 6, Township of Falconer, has never been cut on.

Each berth will be sold separately. Explorers can reach Townships of Patterson and Falconer in a few hours from either North Bay or Sturgeon Falls.

Township of Dowling can be reached from Larchwood or Onaping, on C. P. R., which traverses this berth.

For further particulars apply to ALEXANDER FRASER, the vendor, at 74 Nepean Street, Ottawa, Ont.

**WANTED** Green Hard Maple Squares, 6 1/2 in. x 6 1/2 in., 12 feet and up. Cash on delivery at any station in Ontario and Quebec. Box 24, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

### LUMBER INSPECTOR.

**LUMBER (PINE) INSPECTOR, THOROUGH-**ly competent and trustworthy, wanted for a temporary position. Apply at once, stating experience, references and salary. Applications treated strictly confidential. Apply at once to Box 114, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

### SAW MILL SITE

**GOOD SAW MILL SITE ON SOUTH END** of the Georgian Bay, near Midland; extensive Lumber Docks, Houses, Store Buildings, etc., water power. THE MUKOKA MILL AND LUMBER CO., Ltd., Toronto, Ont.

### SAW MILL FOR SALE.

**THIRTY-FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS BUYS** Saw mill worth double this amount, if taken at once; 2 Rollers 120 h.p., Engine 100 h.p., Iron Saw Frame, Three Block Carriage, 2 good Saws, Double Edger and Trimmer good as new, Slash Chain, all in good running order, run this season; size of Mill, 30 x 100 ft., good Boiler House, Blacksmith Shop, House, Barn, etc., 400 acres of good Birch and Hemlock, also thousands of acres of timber near by. For particulars, address ALLEN CRESSMAN, Berlin, Ont.

### Valuable Timber Berth BY AUCTION

TOWNSHIP 139, NORTH SHORE OF LAKE HURON

The undersigned has received instructions to offer for sale by auction, at the Rotunda of the Board of Trade, Toronto, on THURSDAY, MAY 3RD, 1900, immediately after the sale of Cook and Brothers' limits, Timber Berth 139, north shore of Lake Huron (being 36 square miles, more or less).

For terms and conditions of sale, and for all particulars, apply to Geo. H. Perley, Ottawa.

PETER RYAN, Toronto.

### AUCTION SALE OF Timber Berths

Nos. 124, 125 and 132 (36 square miles each), North Shore of Lake Huron, Province of Ontario.

I have been instructed to offer for sale by auction the above Timber Berths, in single berths, at the Rotunda of the Board of Trade, Toronto, on

**Wednesday, April 18th** at 2.30 p.m.

Terms:—Half cash at the time of sale, and the balance in six months, with interest at six per cent. Berths 124 and 132 are excellent Pine Limits, and are also heavily timbered with other valuable woods. Berth 124 has been cut over, but has considerable Pine and a large quantity of other standing timber.

PETER RYAN, Toronto.

**WE HAVE 300,000 FEET OF VERY GOOD** Beech Logs which we wish to cut to order. Signed, JOHN HARRISON & SONS Co., Limited, Owen Sound, Ont.

**WANTED**—2 M FEET B M; CLEAR STOCK, maple squares, 1" x 1" x 42"; must be free from knots, rot, heart, black marks, shake or check put up in bundles of .5, tied with lath yarn. Quote f.o.b shipping point. N. B. WILKES, Brantford, Canada.

### PIANOS OF THE BEST MAKES FOR SALE CHEAP

**CAN MAKE SHIPMENTS DIRECT FROM** factories. Will sell for cash or trade for equal value in any kind of Lumber, Lath or Shingles. Address, FRANK D. ROSS, 738 Trumbull Ave., Detroit Mich.

### VALUABLE TIMBER LIMIT

By Public Auction

At the Rotunda of the Board of Trade, Toronto, on

**TUESDAY, APRIL 10,** at 2 p. m.

The undersigned has been instructed to offer for sale, at the above time and place, subject to the conditions which will be announced at the time of sale,

### Timber Berth

TOWNSHIP OF MACKENZIE

Being about 80 Square Miles.

This township is one of the best timbered berths in the province, is well watered, and easily operated. For further particulars, apply to the DELTA LUMBER COMPANY, Detroit, or to

PETER RYAN, Toronto.

### AUCTION SALE

Important and Extensive Sale by Auction of VALUABLE

### Timber Berths, Etc.

On the Ottawa River and its tributaries in the Provinces of Quebec and Ontario; at the Rotunda of the Board of Trade, Toronto, at 2 p.m., TUESDAY, APRIL 10th, 1900.

R. H. Klock & Co., of Klock, Ont., will offer for sale by public auction, at the above time and place, subject to the terms and conditions which will be announced at the time of sale, the following timber berths under license from the Crown, said licenses include the right to cut all timber on the berths subject to the regulations of the Crown Lands Department of the respective Provinces, namely:—

#### QUEBEC.

Kippewa Berth, 2 1/2 miles, and composed of berths Nos. 176, 177, 444, 445, 446, 447 Block A—Quinze Berth, 6 1/2 miles; No. 5 Range 1. Block A, Quinze Berth, 150 miles, composed of berths Nos. 5, 6, 7, range 3. All the above limits are in the Province of Quebec, as shown on the official map of that Province. North Temiscamingue, Indian Reserve, Province of Quebec. Area about 60 square miles, as shown on official map of the Province of Quebec and held under license from Dominion Government and subject to timber regulations of Department of Interior.

#### ONTARIO.

Deep River, 10 1/2 miles, held under license 178, 1899-1900. Chalk River, 19 miles, held under license 177, 1899-1900. Rocky Farm, Ottawa River, 100 square miles, held under license 176 1899-1900.

For further particulars apply to R. H. KLOCK & CO., Klock, Ont., and JOHN GRAY, Room 100, Canada Life Building, Toronto, Canada.

### HARDWOOD LUMBERMEN'S ASSOCIATION.

In the March number of the CANADA LUMBERMAN blank forms were enclosed requesting an opinion from hardwood lumber manufacturers and dealers regarding the formation of a Hardwood Lumbermen's Association for the province of Ontario. We would respectfully request that all persons interested return these forms, duly filled in, to this office, at the same time giving a free expression of opinion on the subject.

### CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The logging situation in Ontario has been somewhat relieved by the weather of the past two weeks. There is now abundance of snow in the woods, in fact, almost too much for expeditious hauling of logs, but reports from the northern districts state that operators are making fair progress and putting forth every effort to get logs to the streams. While there is no doubt that some logs will be left in the woods, the present outlook is that a sufficient stock of logs will be secured to keep the mills in operation for the greater part of the season. This, of course, is provided that all the logs that are banked reach the mills, none being hung up as a result of low water. From information gathered, it seems that the cut of hardwood logs in western Ontario this winter has been quite heavy, and that the lumber production will be up to the average, if it does not exceed the cut of last season.

Although there is not a heavy movement of lumber, the market is decidedly firm. Some of the manufacturers have advanced their quotations on pine uppers, dressing, wide common, and mill run stock, but as far as can be ascertained this step is confined to mills that have adopted a high standard of grading, and consequently no changes have been made in our price list. United States dealers are looking to Ontario for stock, and a brisk spring trade is expected as soon as the building season shall open. The mills, in anticipation of this, and in view of the shortage in lumber stocks, will start operations earlier than usual.

### QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The local movement of lumber has been restricted by the cold weather, which has prevented operations in the building line. Architects in Montreal and Quebec report a considerable amount of work in hand, and when the building season opens there will likely be a lively demand for lumber. It is expected that the prices for local stock will be affected to some extent by the higher prices ruling in the export trade. While no changes have been made in our Quebec price list, it is understood that the market for both deals and timber is strengthening. There have been numerous enquiries from British importers for birch timber, and the prospects are that operators in this wood will realize enhanced values before the year closes. The deal market at St. John is firm, shippers continuing to buy for export, but so far few vessels have been chartered owing to high rates.