

THE LUMBER TRADE ABROAD.

A Saginaw dealer purchased 5,000,000 feet of lumber at Lake Superior points for the eastern markets.

James Graves, at one time a rich sawmill owner, hanged himself in his barn at his home in Gravesville, Wis.

Fire originating in Woods, Jenks & Co.'s planing mill in the lumber district of Cleveland, Ohio, caused about \$200,000 damage.

George Harney, of Woodruff, a prominent lumberman who recently met financial reverses, drowned himself in the Wisconsin river.

Lumber traffic through the "Soo" canal is increasing. In May, 1891, 46,829,000 feet of lumber passed through, and in May, 1892, 68,925,000.

A cargo of mahogany is said to be floating loose on the Atlantic. It was abandoned March 31st last, since which time it has floated thousands of miles.

Hickory as lumber is exceedingly scarce in the United States market. Though now rarely called for, it is more rarely found. White ash of good fibre is generally used as a substitute.

Water shipments from the Saginaw Valley, Mich., have fallen off nearly 11,000,000 feet since the beginning of the season as compared with last year. The railroads are rapidly driving the vessel men out of business.

At Genoa, Ark., a small station on the Cotton Belt Railroad, burglars entered the office of the Bodeaw Lumber Co., opened the safe and carried away \$40,000 worth of the company's stock, \$12,000 worth of notes, and about \$100 in cash.

The famous big trees of North Carolina will be represented in the Forestry Building at Chicago by a colonnade of nine trunks, each twenty-five feet long, which are the gift of Mr. George Vanderbilt from his estate at Biltmore, near Asheville.

On the 16th ult. fire did \$25,000 damage to the mill of W. P. Mershon and Co., north of Saginaw, Mich. It caught in the boiler room and destroyed the cutting mill, dry kiln and 750,000 feet of lumber. It required heroic work to save the docks and the adjoining property. The loss is about half covered by insurance.

Lumber is the largest of any single manufacturing enterprise of the United States. The capital invested in it equals \$750,000,000, and about 3,000,000 people contribute to it their labor and look to it for their support. The manufactured output of the American sawmills alone equals the marvelous annual yield of \$500,000,000 greater than all the gold, silver, copper, lead, iron and coal mines of this great nation.

The Timber Trades Journal, London, Eng., says the houses of Cape Town, Africa, are built of brick, because frame houses soon succumb to the fierce southeasterly winds and the intense heat of the summer. The timber used for the construction of the old Dutch buildings was mostly teak, brought from India. At the present time most of the timber is imported from Sweden and Norway, with considerable pine from Florida. There are no forests worthy of the name within 400 miles of Cape Town, and only one in the entire Cape Colony.

The Manchester Ship Canal Company, England, is making preparations for landing space to accommodate the timber and lumber trade, between Eastham and Rancorn. At Ebbw Vale port, the terminus of the Shropshire Union canal, vessels drawing 26 feet of water can safely land their cargoes. From this point lumber can be distributed nearly throughout Cheshire, Shropshire, and in many other places in North Wales. At the junction of the river Weaver with the ship canal an enormous water space is being reserved as a timber pond, which will be used for the storage of logs.

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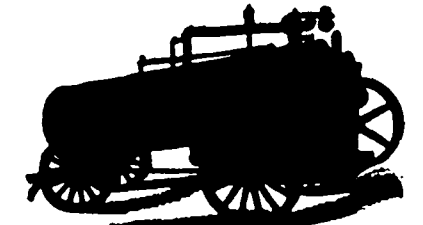
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