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FOR SALE.

About 1/2 million feet of White Pine, mill runs 1/2 million feet dry; cut last August. Address,

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FOR SALE

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FOR SALE, OUR SEASON'S CUT OF PINE Slabs. A quantity ready for present shipment. Please send tenders. HUNTSVILLE LUMBER COMPANY, Limited Huntsville, Ont.

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TENDERS ARE INVITED FOR THE PURCHASE OF 125 acres of timber situated on lot 37, 3rd concession, Barrie township, Frontenac county, Ont., comprising basswood, ash, maple and hemlock. Pronounced the best stretch of timber in the district. This timber is in close proximity to the K. & P. Railway. Terms, preferably cash. For further particulars, address Box 20, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

TO Lumber Manufacturers

We wish to form a connection with a first-class saw mill company, having good planing mill facilities and prepared to execute orders for straight and mixed carloads of White Pine, also a limited amount of Hardwoods. We will pay cash and accept mill inspection. Address with full particulars,

AMERICAN LUMBER & MFG. CO.,
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By Public Auction

VIRGIN TIMBER BERTHS

North Shore Lake Huron

AT THE ROTUNDA, BOARD OF
TRADE, TORONTO, ON

Wednesday, December 18th, 1901,
at 2 p. m.

The undersigned has been instructed to offer for sale by public auction, at the above time and place (subject to the terms and conditions which will be produced at the time of sale), the following

VALUABLE TIMBER LIMITS IN SINGLE BERTHS

known as Berths "A," "B," "C" and "D," being 33, 43, 47 1/2 and 26 1/2 square miles respectively, on the north shore of Lake Huron being Berth No. 10 of sale of 1885.

The above berths are amongst the best in the Province, very convenient for operating and getting in supplies. The timber is sound, and will be found to contain a large quantity of Long Timber suitable for Special Trade.

For Terms, Maps and other particulars apply to

PETER RYAN,
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Timber Berths

NORTH SHORE OF LAKE HURON

Modern Sawmill, Etc.

The undersigned has been instructed to offer by public auction, in the Rotunda of the

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AT 2 P.M. ON

FRIDAY, NOV. 15TH, 1901

the following properties.

Timber Berths 60, 61, 119 and
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also the modern and well-equipped

Saw mill, buildings and plant situated at Sturgeon Bay, on the Midland branch of the Grand Trunk Railway.

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FOR SALE.

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FOR SALE.

60,000 feet 1 inch Maple, mill run.
65,000 feet 1 1/2 inch Maple, 1st and 2nds.
25,000 feet 1 1/2 inch Maple, 1st and 2nds.
All good, bright stock.

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FOR SALE.

Cheap for quick turn-over, a 12,000 ft. Sawmill, complete or in parts, and nearly new, 3 block steel girder carriage, positive friction, rope feed, 3 saw edger, 4x12 ft. boiler, and 40 h.p. engine. Box 23, CANADA LUMBERMAN.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The movement of white pine lumber during the month of September was of a satisfactory volume, and judging from the present demand there will be an equally good trade during October. The market cannot be called buoyant, although there is a steady call for nearly every grade of pine. That farmers are making improvements to buildings is evidenced by the report from retail dealers of a heavier sale of low grade stock. While stocks at the mills are comparatively light, the supply of the low grades is the heaviest. There is a scarcity of 12-inch boards and the best qualities of pine generally, and the opinion is frequently expressed that next year all grades of white pine above box will be advanced in price. A factor which will assist to this end is the high price that is being paid for labor, both at the mills and in the woods. Representative shippers to the British market are understood to have been negotiating with some manufacturers for the purchase of next season's cut, and it is probable that sales will take place on about the same basis as this year. Hemlock is a trifle weaker.

Reports from Western Ontario state that the hardwood market is improving from week to week, and that the demand is now quite active. It is believed that the worst has been passed and that there will be liberal buying during the next two months by dealers and consumers. A few manufacturers still report a dull trade, but the consensus of reports is

that an improvement has set in. The production of logs during the coming winter is likely to be quite limited, and we would not be surprised if higher prices for hardwoods would be witnessed after the turn of the year, if not before.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Reports regarding the spruce lumber market are of a favorable character. Manufacturers regard the outlook for next season as very hopeful, and expect that there will be a substantial advance in prices. In Montreal, while the consumption of all grades of lumber is quiet, common grades remain firm, and for the better grades an advance is being obtained by retailers. Thick good pine sidings are in good demand and scarce. For spruce and cedar shingles there is a fair demand. In the eastern provinces cedar shingles are very strong, \$3 being the ruling quotation for extras on Boston rate of freight. Clapboards are also strong and in very light supply. Laths are well sustained at the recent advance, selling for Boston delivery at \$3 for 1 1/2 inch, and at \$2.80 to \$2.85 for 1 1/2 inch.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The strike of Winnipeg carpenters which was instituted on August 8th has been declared off, the men returning to work upon the same terms as existed previous to the strike. Consequently, building operations are expected to be quite active this fall, but as the carpenters announce that they will make the same demand upon the employers next January, no doubt an indisposition will be shown by speculators to undertake large building projects. Within the past week there has been heavy buying of common boards, dimensions and shiplap, and as soon as threshing is finished low grade boards will commence to move freely. Wheat is yielding from 20 to 35 bushels per acre, and at an average price of 56 cents per bushel farmers should be enabled to make needed improvements. Shipments from British Columbia have been fairly heavy, particularly to Manitoba and the Territories, one mill reporting an increase of 15 per cent. over those of last year. It is probable that there will be an early advance in the price of British Columbia lumber. While export business has been good, present prices leave a small margin of profit.

UNITED STATES.

The statement issued by the secretary of the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's