

### Chips.

ON Arbor Day 50,000 trees were planted in Berks County, Pa.

CALVIN & SON'S first square timber raft of the season has left Garden Island for Quebec.

LABOR shipments of dressed lumber are being made from Deseronto by the Rathburn Company to neighboring towns and cities.

J. R. BOOTH and G. W. Perley, well known lumbermen, have subscribed \$1,000 each towards the relief of the sufferers by the fire at Hull.

THE Canadian Pacific snow sheds, in the Selkirk Range and the Rockies, will be 12 miles in length and will contain 14,000,000 feet of timber.

GOW, MAYO & Co., of Muskegon, Mich., have sold their entire season's product of saw-dust for shipment to the terra cotta works at Fullman, near Chicago.

INDICATIONS and actual figures point to the probability that \$80,000,000 will be spent within two years in the constructions of new railroads in the United States.

THE Emery Lumber Company last winter cut 53,000 logs, scaling 12,500,000 feet, into Wahnapiatic river, Canada, which will be driven to the mouth of French river, and thence shipped by lakes to Tawas and East Saginaw.

THE following vessels are said to have been chartered by Messrs. Price Bros., Quebec, to carry lumber to St. John's, Newfoundland, at \$1.50:--Schra. J. Savard, Marie Erzelie, Ste. Anne, Marie Vigilante, C. Berner, and Marie Anne.

THE Stroudsbury, Pa., Jeffersonian says that among the recent orders received at the Tanite Factory was one from Peru, South America. It calls for two dozen Tanite Emery Wheels to be used in smoothing the blanks from which silver dollars were to be coined.

THE first ocean steamer came into Montreal harbor on April 30th. There have been several other arrivals from sea and the harbor is fast assuming its usual busy summer aspect. The Lachine Canal opened on May 3rd, and navigation on both the St. Lawrence and the Ottawa is now fully open.

THE Timber Trades Journal of April 17th says:--Some vessels forming a portion of the Quebec fleet left the Tail-of-the-Bank for the export this week. They carry coal at a freight it is stated of 2s. 9d. a ton which will just pay for the loading and discharging. The fleet is later this year in leaving the Clyde. Freights, Quebec to Clyde, about 18s. per load.

It is proposed to incorporate at Ottawa Messrs. E. B. Eddy, G. H. Millen and S. S. Cushman, of Hull; R. R. Dobell and Thomas Beckett, of Quebec, and others, as the E. B. Eddy Manufacturing Company, with power to do lumbering, make matches, sashes, doors and woodenware pulp, etc., as well as to own vessels and do forwarding thereby. The bill passed with amendments.

THE American Paper Manufacturers' Association embraces all the factories in the country numbering probably 1,000 representing a capital of \$75,000,000, employing between 40,000 and 50,000 hands at the cost of \$12,000,000 annually. These factories pay \$50,000,000 per annum for raw material alone, and they can turn out 1,200,000 tons of manufactured product.

An illustration of the advantage of trees to a country, says the Montreal Star, is to be found in Siberia. The Russian Government has been planting trees for half a century, and in one province has seventy plantations, ranging in size from eighteen thousand to twenty-one thousand acres each. The result is that many sections, once so arid for agriculture, now have abundant rain falls. Why cannot Canada profit in this matter by the experience of other nations?

A DISCOVERY has been made at Brigg, Eng., which has aroused considerable interest among antiquarians. While engaged in excavating at the Brigg Gasworks some working men came upon a large boat bedded in the clay some three or four feet below the surface. On the

boat being bared yesterday it was found to be 48ft. long, 4ft. 4in. wide and 2ft. 9in. deep. It is undoubtedly of very ancient construction, being cut out of a solid piece of oak. Great care is being taken in order to get the boat out of its bed with as little damage as possible.

THE warm weather of April, says the Belleville Ontario of May 8th, by suddenly melting the snow, is likely to interfere with the driving operations on the streams, great quantities of logs are said to be already hung up for want of water. Over 100,000 logs belonging to Gilmours are said to be stuck on the Moira river alone, and other operators will find themselves in the same case. On the Salmon river the drives are getting on very well. A large boom of logs was broken on Cross Lake. There is a great head of water on that inland sea, the water having risen at Newyton's dam two feet higher than during any former year.

#### THE WASTE OF FENCES.

In no branch of rural economy is there so much needless waste of forest products as in fencing. A great reform must needs be instituted, as the expense of lumber grows greater year by year. A single square acre requires 50.6 rods of fencing to enclose. It has been stated that from one-quarter to one-eighth of the present fence of the country would be amply sufficient to keep stock within proper limit. The amount thus saved in a year would aggregate million of dollars in some of the larger states. Estimates have been made showing the cost of fences in the United States to be \$1,700,000,000, and the annual cost of maintenance at \$168,900,000, including interest at six per cent, upon the original cost. The farm fences in the state of Maine are estimated at 41,052,000 rods, or 131,000 miles in length. The first cost cannot be reckoned at less than \$42,000,000. Upwards of \$8,000,000 are invested in farm fencing in the states of Connecticut. Total cost of fencing in New York State aggregates \$228,844,611; Ohio, \$155,580,693; Indiana, \$100,750,415; Illinois, \$128,856,513. These figures give some conceptions of the immense totals of lumber consumed for the single purpose of fencing.—Ex.

#### SETTLING DOWN IN CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, May 11.—No attempt has been made to resume operations in the Westside lumber districts this morning and eight to ten thousand men employed in the yards and planing mills are still idle. Lumbermen claim that the great majority of the men are overawed by the Bohemian Socialists who infest the region. In the north and south divisions and at South Chicago the yards and planing mills have all fully resumed on the old basis. The metal working establishments opened again this morning with larger working force than yesterday. The boot and shoe manufacturers who tried eight hours a day as an experiment, are considering the advisability of returning to 10 hours. Evidences of the presence of the great strikes are, therefore, rapidly disappearing in every portion of the city. The police are devoting their energies to procuring evidence against the Anarchists, and it is claimed at the trial of the conspirators the evidence will be ample for the conviction of August Spies, Schwab, Parsons and Fischer.

#### Disastrous Fire at Hull.

HULL, Que., May 9.—A disastrous fire visited this place last night. All the buildings on the east side of Duke street and along one side of Philemon street are destroyed, as well as the handsome new post office on Main street. The real value of the buildings destroyed is estimated at about \$125,000. There 110 buildings divided into 155 tenements, and in these probably 175 or 200 families resided. In the stores on Main street a lot of stock was destroyed. The total loss may safely be placed at \$175,000 or \$200,000, on which there is very little insurance.

A BATTERY of three boilers is being made by Thomas Bros., Eau Claire, Wis., for the Bow river, Alberta, Northwest Territories of Canada. The company expects to have its mill running this season. It will be the first large mill in that remote part of the Dominion.

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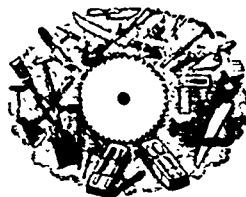
SURE has been brought by the Government against Portland, Oregon, mill men for the recovery of \$14 a thousand for 6,000,000 feet of timber alleged to have been taken from public lands.

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