

Technical and Bibliographic Notes / Notes techniques et bibliographiques

The Institute has attempted to obtain the best original copy available for filming. Features of this copy which may be bibliographically unique, which may alter any of the images in the reproduction, or which may significantly change the usual method of filming, are checked below.

L'Institut a microfilmé le meilleur exemplaire qu'il lui a été possible de se procurer. Les détails de cet exemplaire qui sont peut-être uniques du point de vue bibliographique, qui peuvent modifier une image reproduite, ou qui peuvent exiger une modification dans la méthode normale de filmage sont indiqués ci-dessous.

Coloured covers/
Couverture de couleur

Coloured pages/
Pages de couleur

Covers damaged/
Couverture endommagée

Pages damaged/
Pages endommagées

Covers restored and/or laminated/
Couverture restaurée et/ou pelliculée

Pages restored and/or laminated/
Pages restaurées et/ou pelliculées

Cover title missing/
Le titre de couverture manque

Pages discoloured, stained or foxed/
Pages décolorées, tachetées ou piquées

Coloured maps/
Cartes géographiques en couleur

Pages detached/
Pages détachées

Coloured ink (i.e. other than blue or black)/
Encre de couleur (i.e. autre que bleue ou noire)

Showthrough/
Transparence

Coloured plates and/or illustrations ✓
Planches et/ou illustrations en couleur

Quality of print varies/
Qualité inégale de l'impression

Bound with other material/
Relié avec d'autres documents

Continuous pagination/
Pagination continue

Tight binding may cause shadows or distortion along interior margin/
La reliure serrée peut causer de l'ombre ou de la distorsion le long de la marge intérieure

Includes index(es)/
Comprend un (des) index

Title on header taken from: /
Le titre de l'en-tête provient:

Blank leaves added during restoration may appear within the text. Whenever possible, these have been omitted from filming/
Il se peut que certaines pages blanches ajoutées lors d'une restauration apparaissent dans le texte, mais, lorsque cela était possible, ces pages n'ont pas été filmées.

Title page of issue/
Page de titre de la livraison

Caption of issue/
Titre de départ de la livraison

Masthead/
Générique (périodiques) de la livraison

Additional comments: /
Commentaires supplémentaires:

This item is filmed at the reduction ratio checked below /
Ce document est filmé au taux de réduction indiqué ci-dessous.

10X	12X	14X	16X	18X	20X	22X	24X	26X	28X	30X	32X
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

CANADA LUMBERMAN

WEEKLY EDITION

The Lumberman Monthly Edition, 20 pages } \$1.00 PER YEAR (The Lumberman Weekly Edition, every Wednesday

THIS PAPER REACHES REGULARLY THE PRINCIPAL LUMBER MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS THROUGHOUT CANADA, AND WHOLESALE BUYERS IN GREAT BRITAIN, THE UNITED STATES, AND OTHER FOREIGN MARKETS.

VOL. VI.

TORONTO, ONT., FEBRUARY 28, 1900

No. 6.

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.

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, INCLUDING 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. GARSHORE, 83 Front Street West, Toronto.

MILL SITES

THE CANADA ATLANTIC RAILWAY invites correspondence from anyone having in view the erection of a Wood-Working Mill. A number of excellent locations can be pointed out for Hardwood Mills where a very large supply of Birch, Elm, Ash, Maple, etc., is available, with a ready market reached quickly and cheaply. Address, W. P. HINTON, A. G. F. A., Ottawa.

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, 23½ 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, 35 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. 17, 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 IN GAR LOTS, NORWAY PINE, 5/4, dry, first and second quality; quote price. Address THE CANADA LADDER CO., LIMITED, Leamington, Ont.

SAWYER WANTED

AT ONCE ONE ACCUSTOMED TO CUTTING hardwood lumber and staves and heading. Apply to J. E. MURPHY, Hepworth Station, Ont.

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 MUKONA 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 Boilers 20 h.p., Engine 40 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 39 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 125 has been cut over, but has considerable Pine and a large quantity of other standing timber.

PETER RYAN,
Toronto.

WANTED—Green Hard Maple Squares 6½ in. x 6½ in., 12 feet and up. Cash on delivery at any station in Ontario or Quebec. Box 24, CANADA LUMBERMAN

WANTED—25 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 25 tied with lath yarn. Quote f.o.b. shipping point. N. B. WILKES, Brantford, Canada.

WANTED.

AN ENGLISH FIRM ENQUIRES IF ANY shippers could supply fir or spruce prors for mining purposes in large quantities c.i.f. Tyne, Hartlepool or Hull, by steamers or sailers. Further particulars as to sizes, etc., by addressing "TIMBER MERCHANT," care of this paper.

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, 25½ miles, and composed of berths Nos. 176, 177, 444, 445, 446, 447. Block A—Quinze Berth, 61½ miles; No. 5 Range 2. 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, 21½ 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.

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.

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.

To Limit Holders

THE TOWN OF MANITOWANING, ON THE inside channel of Grand Manitoulin Island, in direct and easy water communication with the timber limits of Algoma, offers superior inducements to lumber companies intending to establish works in this part of Canada. The best natural advantages obtainable anywhere. Further information upon application to W. J. TUCKER, Secretary Citizens' Committee, Manitowaning, Ont.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS. ONTARIO.

That white pine lumber prices will remain at the present basis well into the summer months is the view generally advanced by the lumber trade of the Georgian Bay district. Manufacturers in attendance at the annual meeting of the Lumbermen's Association last week were almost unanimous on two points, first, that prices have now reached their height, and, secondly, that there will be no general reduction in prices for at least three months to come. After that time no one would predict what course the trade might take. Price lists of the new cut have been compiled, and compare very closely with the prices now asked for dry stock. It has been learned that in Algoma the weather has been less favorable for logging operations than in other parts of Western Ontario. The report from the Ottawa Valley is that very good work is being done in the woods. Prices in that district are unchanged excepting mill cull stock, which has advanced about one dollar per thousand.

Exception has been taken to the prices given in last issue at which certain grades of pine were being sold in the Toronto market. It should be explained that these figures were intended as the maximum prices, which could only be obtained for the grades of some of the large Georgian Bay mills. Mill cull sidings, for instance, were said to be selling at \$14.50, and inch mill cull stocks at \$15.50. The average quotation for these grades, however, is perhaps fully one dollar less than these figures. It is impossible to give quotations which will represent the price at which all manufacturers sell certain grades, as, owing to the absence of uniform inspection the grade of one manufacturer may be much higher than that of another, and consequently a higher price will be paid for his stock. Since last issue we cannot learn of any weakening in prices of pine or hardwood lumber, shingles or laths.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The purchase by a Montreal shipper of the entire cut of white pine of a well-known manufacturer is the most important event of the past week. Although the actual figures have not been made

public, it is generally admitted that the price is a further substantiation of the strength of the market. Manufacturers in Quebec and the Maritime provinces report enquiries for stock from the Eastern States, and liberal offers are being made. Clapboards, which have long been lifeless, are showing some improvement, extra spruce bringing \$29 to \$30 and clear spruce \$27 to \$28 on Boston rate of freight. A correspondent, in the monthly edition, gives interesting information regarding the production of lumber in New Brunswick. It is shown that the cut by portable mills will be considerable, but that manufacturers generally are looking for higher prices.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The annual meeting of the Western Retail Lumbermen's Association being held in Winnipeg last week, most of the dealers put business aside for the time being. Reports go to show, however, that there is a considerable demand for lumber at good prices. Snow has fallen in the Lake of the Woods district and throughout Western Manitoba. This has facilitated work in the woods and stimulated trade generally. The British Columbia mills are pressed with orders. It is said that fifteen vessels have been chartered to load lumber at the Chemainus mills for foreign destinations. The higher prices put into effect recently are being freely paid.

UNITED STATES.

Retail dealers and consumers in the Eastern States have not yet commenced to buy for their spring requirements, but it is admitted that ere long they will be compelled to yield. It is not believed that there will be any decline in lumber prices for several months to come. The eastern wholesale dealers are apparently reconciled to this view, as quite heavy purchases have been made by them at upper lake producing points. In the upper Mississippi district the log crop is likely to be 25 per cent. less than was anticipated at the beginning of the season. Of the prospective lumber production in the Duluth district, there has been sold over 100,000,000 feet, or about 25 per cent. of the total production. The bulk of the sales made consists of low grade stock, and much of it is for shipment to eastern distributing markets. Prices have ruled about as follows: No. 4 boards, \$12; No. 3, \$14; No. 2, \$16; No. 1, \$18; D stock and better, \$30 to \$31; No. 1 stock and better, \$33 to \$35. Buffalo and Tonawanda dealers held a joint meeting, on the 17th inst., but it was decided to take no decisive step on the price question as yet. It seems to be generally understood, however, that there will soon be an advance in the price of low grade pine.

Hardwood prices remain at about the same basis. In Michigan the hardwood production for the present winter will be about 75 per cent. of what it was one year ago, divided as follows: Ash, 40 per cent.; elm, 70; basswood, 60; birch, 75; maple, 75; red oak, 60; and beech, 125 per cent. On the other hand, it is estimated that in Wisconsin the cut will equal if not exceed that of one year ago.

Lath prices keep firm. In Chicago No. 1 dry white pine lath sells at \$4.50, and at Buffalo and Tonawanda from \$4.50 to \$5. In the New England States spruce lath is quoted at \$3. Although the demand for shingles is not active, prices are steady. The stock of shingles in Michigan at the present time is not believed to exceed 25 per cent. of that of one year ago, this being true of both 16 and 18 inch pine and cedars.

FOREIGN.

Prices of wood goods in the British market have shown no important changes within the past week. The stock of deals and battens at the leading importing centers is steadily becoming reduced, but there is some fear that the present high prices may result in a falling off of consumption. At recent auction sales prices have been well maintained. Consumers are each day becoming more convinced that the present prices are likely to rule for some time to come, and as a result are

showing a greater disposition to contract for their requirements.

Lumber is in good demand in the West Indies. At Barbados white pine is selling at \$22.50 per thousand for first quality, and \$17 for second quality. Spruce of first quality brings \$19.50, and spruce scantling \$14. Gaspé cedar shingles are quoted at \$3.50, cedar laying at \$2.40, and spruce laying at \$2.27.

NEW BRUNSWICK CEDAR SHINGLES.

The New Brunswick shingle market remains unchanged. There are a few sales being recorded at standard values. There is some little inquiry awakening in the country districts, mostly for the lower grades. The city dealers are still quite lethargic. There is no doubt as to the firmness of the market. The fact that the manufacturers have gone through two such quiet months as the last without any price cutting shows very clearly that they are absolutely determined to maintain present prices, and it is also a strengthening element of the situation. Spring trade is apparently going to be slow in starting this year, for the reason that the majority of the dealers bought quite largely last autumn, and have as a consequence fair stocks on hand. The early demand, therefore, will likely be for clears and 2nd clears for the country trade. As the Pacific coast shingles are firm at \$3.20 on Boston rates New Brunswick cedars are sure to have the call when business opens. Quotations are as follows, delivered at Boston: Extras, \$3.10 to \$3.15; clears, \$2.65 to \$2.75; 2nd clears, \$2.15 to \$2.25; saps, \$2.10 to \$2.20, in mixed cars. Straight cars of extras are being sold at \$3.00, but we hear of absolutely nothing lower.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY.

[Correspondence of the CANADA LUMBERMAN.]

There is a lull in the lumber business in this center at present, but the lumbermen are confident that they are approaching a season of great activity. No further large sales are reported, and it is understood that the mill owners are holding off for even higher prices, believing that the cut of some of the mills will be short, as the winter operations are restricted by the recent unsatisfactory weather. Should this be the case, foreign buyers will be compelled to raise their figures, and the mill owners now holding out will profit by the position they have taken.

Although the winter on the whole has been a rather poor one for lumbering operations, reports from various limits would indicate that the work of getting out the logs is progressing favorably. Many of the mills last season cut all the logs in stock, so that they must necessarily depend on the supply now being taken off the limits. A reliable authority places the probable increase of the coming summer's cut over last season's at 20 per cent., or about 1,000,000 feet. J. R. Booth, Gilmour & Hughson and other extensive manufacturers worked their mills to their utmost capacity last year, and cannot increase their cut this year, hence the increase will not be as great as present indications might seem to show.

One proof of the extent of the present bush operations is seen in the fact that the Hull Axe Company is unable to keep up with orders. The output of this factory is 12 dozen axes per day, but this does not more than partially satisfy the extra demand made by the Ottawa firms. Ottawa dealers in lumbermen's supplies, clothing, provisions, etc., also report a greatly increased trade with the camps.

Mr. A. E. Dymont, M. P., of Thessalon, Ont., has arrived in the Capital for the session. Mr. Dymont, who represents Algoma, states that the lumbering operations in the Georgian Bay district are unusually active. From another reliable source it is learned that the increase is even greater than it is in the Ottawa valley, amounting to fully 40 per cent.

The output of square timber by Ottawa firms for the English market this coming season will, according to official figures, be only 400,000 cubic feet. In 1899 the amount sent over was 5,000,000 feet, showing in eleven years the surprising decrease of 92 per cent. Ottawa lumbermen now find it much more profitable to manufacture the square timber in their own mills into board lengths and sizes. The English trade in these has increased in proportion to the decrease in the demand for square timber. Gilmour & Hughson, a firm that formerly cut a large quantity of deals for the English market, will this year cut none, confining themselves to cutting thinner stock. In manufacturing the timber into board sizes themselves, the Ottawa mill men find there is little or no waste, while the English market can be supplied with even more satisfaction.

McKee & Co., of Ottawa, dealers in mill men's supplies, report that inquiries based on the coming season's operations are numerous,

indicating the probability of increased activity.

Mr. E. C. Grant, of the Ottawa Lumber Company, has just returned from a prolonged visit in the British Isles. Mr. Grant reports that the prospects for an increased trade with the British market were never better.

As yet few American or English buyers have put in an appearance in Ottawa, but it is expected they will shortly arrive.

Hurdman & Elmitt, the Rideau Lumber Co., and other firms interested in the wholesale lumber business, report that the market remains firm, with no marked demand for any special lines. Pine box culls have advanced from \$13 to \$14 per thousand for best stock, and pine mill culls have advanced from \$11 to \$12 for best grade. Lath, sidings and strips show no advance, the same applying to hardwood.

J. O. D. Latour & Co., a firm operating a line of towing and passenger boats on the Kippewa, are endeavoring to sell out the business, which is a flourishing one.

OTTAWA, February 26th, 1900.

LARGE LUMBER PURCHASE.

Mr. E. H. Lemay, wholesale lumber merchant, of Montreal, has just closed a contract with McLachlin Bros., of Arnprior, Ont., for the purchase of their entire production of white pine to be cut during the ensuing season. It is understood that this will be about 65,000,000 feet, and the transaction represents a consideration of about \$1,000,000. The lumber manufactured by McLachlin Bros. is second to none in Canada or the United States, and is noted for its fine appearance, smooth sawing, and the splendid way in which it is buttled. These considerations have made for it name in the British market. The above firm have also gained a reputation for the careful manner in which they handle their lumber and protect it from the weather. The bulk of the pine purchased will be exported to Great Britain and the United States.

As previously announced, Mr. Lemay has secured the pine deal contract for the road department of the city of Montreal. The deals required for this work are all 11 inches wide, and will probably reach in quantity about 2,000,000 feet.

THE LIVERPOOL MARKET.

The arrivals from British North America during the past month, says Farnworth & Jardine, of Liverpool, have been 5,070 tons register, against 3,320 tons register during the corresponding month last year, and the aggregate tonnage to this date from all places during the years 1898, 1899 and 1900 has been 21,739, 15,487, and 15,752 tons respectively. The business of the past month has been steady, with little fluctuation in values to report. The arrivals have been fairly moderate, the deliveries generally satisfactory, and stocks all round are comparatively light. Owing to the strong advance in values demanded for Canadian woods little progress up to the present has been made in contracting for next season.

PINE TIMBER.—OF WANNEY the deliveries have been fairly satisfactory, and the stock is now very light. Values are firm, and for next season much higher prices are quoted. SQUARE continues in limited request, and the stock is sufficient. RED PINE: There is little enquiry; the stock is small. OAK: There has been rather more enquiry, and values are firmer; the deliveries have been fair, but stocks, though not heavy, are sufficient for present requirements. ELM is in a strong position, prices high, and the stocks light. ASH is in limited demand and there is very little in stock. PINE DEALS have moved off more freely, there has been more enquiry, and considerable sales have been made from yarded stocks at improved values. The stock, however, is still large, but consists chiefly of oddments. RED PINE DEALS continue in good request at firm prices.

NEW BRUNSWICK AND NOVA SCOTIA

Wanted for Export

ALL KINDS OF

LOGS AND LUMBER

PAYMENT BY MONTREAL BANKERS

Denny, Mott & Dickson
LONDON, ENG.

SPRUCE AND PINE DEALS.—The import amounts to 1,800 standards, about the same as corresponding month last year. The deliveries have been fairly large, and stocks being further reduced, are now in a moderate compass. There is no change in value to report. As shippers' ideas are very firm, contracting in this market has been slow, though a few contracts have been negotiated. PINE DEALS have improved in value; stocks are fair.

BIRCH.—From St. John, N.B., by steamer, has been imported freely; there has been a good consumption at steady values, but the stock has increased, and is now sufficient. PLANKS: There has been a large import, but coming on practically a bare market, has met ready sale at fair prices. Stocks are not large, but further supplies are about due.

The sales during the past month have been as follows: BIRCH TIMBER.—ST. JOHN 14 3/8 inches average, at 18 3/4 d. per cubic foot; 1 1/4 inches average, at 18 1/2 d. per cubic foot. PLANKS at about £8 12/6 per standard c. i. f.

QUEBEC PINE DEALS.—3rd quality Oddments at £8 14/- per standard.

SPRUCE DEALS.—ST. JOHN, £7 15/ to £8 per standard c. i. f.

Following are current quotations:

	Per Foot.
White pine, Quebec square wood	15 3d to 25 4d
" " Waney board	25 2d to 25 10d
" " St. John, 18-in. average	15 6d to 25 2d
" " Dalhousie, etc.	15 0d to 15 4d
Red pine	15 5d to 15 10d
Oak, 1st quality	25 9d to 25 0d
" 2nd quality	15 6d to 25 0d
Elm	25 5d to 25 10d
Ash	15 6d to 25 0d
Whitewood	15 4d to 15 10d
Birch, St. John	15 5d to 15 8d
" Quebec	15 5d to 25 0d
" Nova Scotia, etc.	15 2d to 15 6d
" planks	05 11d to 15 1d
	Per Std.
	£ s. d.
Deals, Quebec, white, 1st quality	20 0 to 24 0
" " " 2nd quality	16 10 to 17 10
" " " 3rd quality	10 00 to 10 10
Spruce deals, St. John, Miramichi, etc.	7 15 to 8 00
" " Nova Scotia, etc.	7 10 to 7 15
" boards, etc.	6 15 to 7 0

ENQUIRIES FOR WOOD PRODUCTS.

The following were among the enquiries relating to Canadian trade received at the office of the High Commissioner for Canada in London, Eng., during two weeks ending 10th February:

13. Enquiry is made for names of firms in Canada manufacturing furniture for export; also for firms who manufacture tallow and grease for export.

14. An important London house doing a large commission business in Canadian products are desirous of corresponding with exporters of wood pulp, evaporated apples, tinned salmon, etc.

Canadian manufacturers may open up correspondence with any of the firms making the above enquiries by addressing a letter to the publishers of the CANADA LUMBERMAN. When writing refer to the number of the enquiry.

H. D. WIGGIN BOSTON, MASS.
89 STATE ST.

will inspect at mill and PAY CASH for

LOG RUN

Elm, Ash, Bass and other Hardwoods
CORRESPONDENCE SOLICITED.

WANTED

Mill Culls

(All Thicknesses)

FOR CASH

John F. Stengel No. 928 Ellicott Square,
BUFFALO, N.Y.

PLANING MILL AND BOX FACTORY

Special Facilities for Dressing Lumber in Transit.



THE GEORGIAN BAY CUT.

The American Lumberman, estimating the 1900 cut of white pine in the Georgian Bay district, states that while only three or four mills will be in commission in the Georgian Bay district this season, old ones have been rebuilt and preparations made to run many of the mills day and night. This authority gives the following summary of the probable output of the Georgian Bay mills for the season of 1900:

Our contemporary also remarks that in active seasons of the past as high as 300,000,000 feet of logs have been exported to feed Michigan mills, while this season barely 50,000,000 will thus be directed. While the Georgian Bay production may possibly reach the figures given, 473,000,000 feet, when we consider that this quantity represents the cut in past seasons of Georgian Bay mills as well as the mills in Eastern Michigan, it cannot be regarded as an excessive production, and likely to seriously affect the market. Allowing 250,000,000 feet as the quantity which would, under former conditions, be manufactured in Michigan, but 223,000,000 feet remain as representing the Georgian Bay production.

	Feet.
Cutler & Savidge Lumber Co., Cutler, Ont.	25,000,000
Cook Bros., Ltd., Sprague	2,000,000
Spanish River Lbr. Co., Spanish River	18,000,000
Moulthrop Lumber Co., J. In's Island	20,000,000
Blind River Lumber Co., Blind River	10,000,000
N. Dymont, Thessalon	10,000,000
Conlon Bros., Little Current	18,000,000
W. & A. McArthur, Little Current	15,000,000
Cook Bros., French River	15,000,000
Holland-Ernery Lumber Co., Byng Inlet	40,000,000
William Peter, Parry Sound	30,000,000
Conger Lumber Co., Parry Sound	22,000,000
Parry Sound Lumber Co., Parry Sound	21,000,000
Slush & West, Parry Sound	8,000,000
Midland mills	60,000,000
Victoria Harbor mills	50,000,000
Waubausheene mills	35,000,000
Beck Lumber Co., Penetanguishene	25,000,000
J. & T. Charlton, Collingwood	15,000,000
Total	473,000,000

**H. Fawcett Hartland
TIMBER PROPERTIES**

BOUGHT AND SOLD
Correspondence Solicited
207 St. James St. - MONTREAL, CANADA

P. D. GORDON & CO.
WHOLESALE TIMBER

Montreal, Quebec
Eastern Agents The B. C. Mills, Timber & Trading Co., Vancouver, B. C.
DOUGLAS FIR Timber in any size or length supplied.
WRITE FOR PARTICULARS AND QUOTATIONS.

WANTED TO PURCHASE

Abandoned Sawmills

Boilers, Machinery or other Scrap Iron
Market is now on top and a good time to realize on old outfits. Write me particulars.

JOHN WILCOCK, 15 Basin Street, MONTREAL

SOUTH AFRICA

Millmen throughout Canada are invited to correspond with us and give particulars of the woods which they can supply for Constructional and Furniture purposes.

MOFFAT, HUTCHINS & CO.
CAPE TOWN, S. A.

Cable Address, "CASKET," Cape Town.
A.B.C. Code used.

DIRECTORY OF ADVERTISERS

In "Canada Lumberman" Monthly Edition.

BEELTING
Fleming, W. A., Montreal, Que.
Goodhue, J. L. & Co., Danville, Que.
Lewis, Rice & Son, Ltd., Representing Hoyt's Beelting
McLaren, J. C., Beelting Co., Montreal and Toronto.
The Waterous Co., Brantford.
Thos. Forrester Co., Montreal, Que.
Young, J. S., Montreal.

BRASS CASTINGS
Magnolia Metal Co., New York.

DRY KILNS
McEachren Heating & Ventilating Co., Galt, Ont.
Standard Dry Kiln Co., Indianapolis, Ind.

ELECTRICAL APPARATUS
Royal Electric Co., Montreal.
Starr, John, Sons & Co., Halifax, N. S.

LUMBERMEN'S SUPPLIES
Cope & Sons, A. L., Cope's Falls, Ont.
Eckardt, H. P. & Co., Toronto.
Gartshore, John, Toronto.
Park, Blackwell & Co., Toronto.
Rice Lewis & Son, Toronto.
Woods, Jas. W., Ottawa, Ont.

MACHINERY
Bell, Robt., Jr., Hensall, Ont.
Carrier, Laine & Co., Lewis, Que.
Darling Bros., Montreal.
Indianapolis Excelsior Mfg. Co., Indianapolis, Ind.
Lloyd Manufacturing Co., Kentville, N. S.
Mershon & Co., W. B., Saginaw, Mich.
The Wm. Hamilton Mfg. Co., Peterboro', Ont.
The Waterous Co., Brantford.
Mowry & Sons, B. R., Gravenhurst, Ont.

MAGNOLIA ANTI-FRICTION METAL
Magnolia Metal Co., New York.

PAPER AND PULP MILL ENGINEERS
Tower & Wallace, New York.

PULP AND PAPER MILL MACHINERY
Bertram, John & Sons, Dundas, Ont.
The Jones Machine Co., Sherbrooke, Que.
The Waterous Co., Brantford.
Polson Iron Works Co., Toronto, Ont.

PULLEYS
Dodge Wood Split Pulley Co., Toronto, Ont.
The Dominion Leather Board Co., Montreal, Que.

RAILROAD BRASSES
Magnolia Metal Co., New York.

SAW MANUFACTURERS
Burns, E. R., Saw Co., Toronto, Ont.
Ottawa Saw Works Co., Ottawa, Ont.
Shury & Dietrich, Galt, Ont.
The James Robertson Co., Montreal, Que.

WHOLESALE LUMBER DEALERS
Houston, G. T. & Co., Chicago, Ill, U.S.A.
Slier, J. D., Bracebridge, Ont.
Wiggin, H. D., Boston, Mass.

MISCELLANEOUS
Axes, Campbell Bros., St. John, N. B.
Axes, Jas. Warnock & Co., Galt, Ont.
Canadian Photo Engraving Bureau, Toronto.
Can. Office and School Furniture Co., Preston, Ont.
Cordage, Independent Cordage Co., Toronto, Ont.
Driving Calks, James S. Neill, Fredericton, N. B.
Embossed Mouldings, Boynton & Co., Chicago, Ill.
Lumbering Tools, Thos. Pink, Pembroke, Ont.
Lumbering Tools, Thos. Pink, Pembroke, Ont.
Lumber Inspector, John A. Bertram, Toronto, Ont.
Machine Knives, Peter Hay, Galt, Ont.
Pumps, Northey Manufacturing Co., Toronto.
The Bradstreet Mercantile Agency, New York and Toronto.
Turbines, Madison Williams, Port Perry, Ont.

CANADA ATLANTIC RAILWAY

operating . . .
Shortest and Quickest Route from . . .
OTTAWA, ROCKLAND, HAWKESBURY, ARNPRIOR, PEMBROKE, PARRY SOUND and other Lumber Centres, TO **BOSTON, PORTLAND, NEW YORK, DETROIT, TONAWANDA, ALBANY, &c., MONTREAL, TORONTO, QUEBEC, HALIFAX, ST. JOHN, &c.**
H. B. MUSSER, Contracting Agent.
M. A. OVEREND, Foreign Freight Agent, 414 Board Trade, Montreal.
W. P. HINTON, Asst. General Freight Agent, Ottawa.
C. J. SMITH, General Traffic Manager, Ottawa, Ont.

CANADIAN EXPORTERS and WHOLESALERS

THE PEMBROKE LUMBER CO. LIMITED

MANUFACTURERS AND WHOLESALERS IN
DIMENSION TIMBER OF ALL SIZES AND KINDS, JOISTS, CAR DECKING, CAR SILLS, SHIP DECKING, AND ALL KINDS OF ROUGH AND DRESSED LUMBER.
Write us for Quotations on all Bills
PEMBROKE, ONT.

**A. F. BURY AUSTIN
WHOLESALE LUMBER and TIMBER**
CANADA PINE

Room 411, Board of Trade Building MONTREAL, CANADA
SPECIALTIES: Railway Bridge Timber and all kinds of Hardwoods; Ship Decking, Norway and White Pine, Dimension Timber, Norway Car Silks, Car Flooring, Telegraph Poles, Railway Ties, Oak and Whitewood, Planed and Rough Lumber, British Columbia Pine, Southern Pine, &c.; Birch Flooring, hollow back, end butted.

WANTED 2" Common Pine Plank, 6" to 12" wide, 12 to 16 ft. long, and 4 x 4 Scantling, 10 to 16 ft. State quantity and lowest cash price.

We are also open to contract for 3 to 4 million feet of same kinds, say 3 million 2 in. and 1 million 4 x 4 new cut 1900, delivery by rail or water
REID & CO., ESPLANADE TORONTO

A. A. SCOTT. WM. COOKE.
COOKE & SCOTT
MANUFACTURERS
HARDWOOD LUMBER, HOOPS AND STAVES
McGregor, Ont.
Red and White Oak Bills cut to order. Correspondence Solicited from British Importers.

McLAURIN & MACLAREN
Lumber Manufacturers
Dimension Timber in White or Red Pine, Spruce, Hemlock, or Cedar. Cedar Shingles, Cedar Ties, Posts and Poles, Pine Lath, Etc., Etc.
PINE DEALS
SHIPMENTS BY RAIL OR WATER. EAST TEMPLETON, QUE.

MOHR & RYAN KILLALOE STATION ONT.
Are prepared to fill limited orders during the winter season for . . .
DIMENSION TIMBER
Sawn to Sizes in PINE, SPRUCE, HEMLOCK and CEDAR. Contractors for Cedar Telephone and Telegraph Poles, Tie Posts, etc. Red Pine Piling Timber a specialty. Mills at Wilno and Killaloe Station, Canada Atlantic Railway.

Please mention this paper when corresponding with advertisers.

R. LAIDLAW LUMBER GO.

WHOLESALE DEALERS
Head Office—TORONTO—700 King St. West.
SARNIA—WHOLESALE DISTRIBUTING YARDS—**BUFFALO**

JAS. PLAYFAIR & CO.
Manufacturers and Wholesale Dealers
LUMBER • LATH • SHINGLES

Contractors for Railway Supplies
BILL TIMBER a Specialty . . . MIDLAND, ONT.

A. & P. WHITE Manufacturers of and Dealers in . . .
Sawn and Planed Lumber, Dimension Timber, Joisting, Car Silks, Car Flooring, Shingles and Lath.
PEMBROKE, ONT.

ROBERT WATT • WIARTON
MANUFACTURER AND
Wholesale Lumber Pine Lath, Cedar, and Pine Shingles.
A Quantity of Cedar Posts for Sale on the Shore of the Georgian Bay and Lake Huron.
CORRESPONDENCE SOLICITED. HEMLOCK BILLS A SPECIALTY. Mills at Warton

MAITLAND, RIXON & CO. OWEN SOUND, ONTARIO.
Manufacturers and Dealers
LUMBER, LATH, TIES, POLES, SHINGLES, ETC.
Make a Specialty of Long Pine, Cedar and Hemlock Bill Stuff.
WE SHIP BY C.P.R., G.T.R. AND BY WATER

KIPPEN & SCARFF
Manufacturers of and Dealers in All Kinds of
HARDWOOD LUMBER
Mills: SYCAMORE SIDING P. O. TILBURY, ONT.
Lake Erie & D. R. R. R.
WOOD AND SLABS FOR SALE

KILN-DRIED BIRCH FLOORING SHEETING and **GEILING** Flooring from \$12.00 Ceiling " 10.00 **SAMPLES BY MAIL** KNIGHT BROTHERS CO. Burk's Falls, Ont.

BRITISH WOOD BROKERS AND IMPORTERS

DUNCAN, EWING & CO.
Wood Agents and Brokers

Cable Address, 'Ewing, Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, ENG.

SIEVEKING, PODMORE & CO.

7 Cross Street,
LONDON, ENGLAND

(Branch at Liverpool, Eng.)

SALES AGENTS:

Sell before shipment and look
after Shippers' interests.

All kinds of **HARDWOODS** (Logs and Lumber), **PINE** and **SPRUCE**.

WRIGHT, GRAHAM & CO.

7 Royal Bank Place,
GLASGOW, SCOTLAND

Cables Used: Watkin's, Scott's, A.B.C.; Lumberman's, Zebra; Private.

Agents for the sale of **CANADIAN WHITE PINE AND SPRUCE**, cut to all sizes—and all kinds of Hardwoods in Log, Lumber and Dimension Stock. Shipments to any of the principal ports in the United Kingdom or continent handled to the best advantage.

WOOD BROKERS

Cable Address: "Brakridge," Glasgow.

Cable Address: SINGLETONS, Glasgow. A B C, A1 and Lieber's Codes.

SINGLETON, DUNN, & CO.

WOOD BROKERS

27 Union Street - GLASGOW

F. A. Lightbody & Co.

8 Gordon Street
GLASGOW, SCOTLAND

WOOD BROKERS

Cable Address: "TENEBRIS," GLASGOW. Codes: "Zebra" and Private.

Agents for **CANADIAN WHITE PINE AND SPRUCE**; Hardwoods in Log, Etc. Shipments handled to the best advantage to all ports in the United Kingdom. Correspondence Solicited.

Telegraphic Address—"WAINSCOT," GLASGOW.

BUCHANAN & FRENCH

WOOD IMPORTERS AND MERCHANTS

Albert Saw Mills, RENFREW, and St. Enoch Square, GLASGOW.

Dealers in Birch, Walnut, Ash, Oak, Canary Whitewood, Pine, Spruce, &c.

AVERY & VINGENT

SOUTHALL, LONDON, ENGLAND

BUYERS OF . . .

RED PINE

(Rough and Dressed, in all Dimensions)

CORRESPONDENCE INVITED

C. H. GLOVER & CO., Ltd.

Importers of—

SPRUCE, BOX SHOOKS, PINE, ETC.

From now we intend buying DIRECT from
the Manufacturer. Offers Invited

Wharves, Mills and Offices:

HATCHAM, LONDON, S. E., ENGLAND

WANTED

MESSRS. JOSEPH OWEN & SONS, Ltd., of Liverpool, Eng., are open to treat for regular supplies of large quantities of **HARDWOOD LUMBER**, and will be glad to hear from holders who have to offer **WHITE ASH, WHITE OAK, SCALY BARK** and **SECOND GROWTH HICKORY, POPLAR**, and **WALNUT**, in logs, planks and boards, also prime fresh **BIRCH LOGS** of large dimensions.

A. KENNEDY

46 West Regent Street - GLASGOW, SCOTLAND

Buyer of . . .

BOX SHOOKS, SPRUCE AND PINE DEALS

Invites Correspondence from Manufacturers
for shipment by regular liners.

Cables: "BIRCH," Glasgow. Codes: ABC and Zebra.

Mention this paper when corresponding with advertisers

HESSLER & CO.

WOOD AGENTS AND SHIP BROKERS
West Hartlepool, ENGLAND

Branch Offices in Hull and Newport, Mon.
Cable Address: "Hessler," Westhartlepool.

FELBER, JUCKER & CO.

Lumber Importers

MANCHESTER ENGLAND

Invite offers from Lumbermen or . . .

Spruce Deals and Battens, Spruce and Pine
Floorings, Shooks, Sashes, Mouldings, Dowels,
Broom Handles or any Woods suitable for English
Market.

Telegraphic Address: FELBER, MANCHESTER.

JAMES W. SOUTHERN

MANCHESTER, ENGLAND

Buys Spruce and Pine Deals, Ends and
Boards, Floorings, Moulds, Sashes, Doors,
Shooks, Birch, Poplar, Walnut.

PRIME OAK PLANKS

Try an Advertisement in the
"Wanted and For Sale" De-
partment of this paper.

FARNWORTH & JARDINE

Wood Brokers and Measurers

Cable Address, "Farnworth," Liverpool.

2 Dale Street and 9 Canada Dock, LIVERPOOL, ENG.

JAMES WHEELDON & SONS

TIMBER IMPORTERS

Cable Address, "Whitewood, Manchester."

MANCHESTER, ENG.

Are Open for Offers of **SPRUCE, YELLOW** and **RED PINE**.

Edmiston & Mitchells

TIMBER BROKERS

Cable Address: "EDMISTON" Glasgow.

33 Renfield Street, GLASGOW

Cable Address: "ALLISON," Glasgow.

ALLISON, COUSLAND & CO.

Wood Brokers

154 St. Vincent St., GLASGOW

Calder, Henderson & Livingston

WOOD BROKERS

Cable Address "VALOREM," Glasgow.

Codes: A1 and A B C.

GLASGOW

GANT & KEMP

52 St. Enoch Square, GLASGOW

Cable Address: "TECTONA" Glasgow.
A1 and A B C Codes used.



TIMBER BROKERS

SMITH & TYRER

14 Canada Dock, LIVERPOOL

.. Wood Agents ..

Cable Address—"Walmer," Liverpool.

Halifax, N.S., Office—SMITH, TYRER & CO., Metropole Bldg., Hollis St., Halifax, N.S.

IRVIN & SELLERS

Cable Address: "Primus" Liverpool

Forge Street, Bootle, LIVERPOOL.

BUYERS OF—

POPLAR, SOFT ELM, PLANKS and
BOARDS, ROCK ELM and MAPLE LOGS

ALSO DEALERS IN—

BOXWOOD, LIGNUM, EBONY and
all HARD and FANCY WOODS

Agent: MR. E. M. ALLEN, 72 Trinity Place, New York.

ALFRED DOBELL & CO.

LIVERPOOL, ENGLAND

Selling Agents For . . .

CANADIAN and AMERICAN WOODS

Cable Address, "DOBLE," Liverpool

IN LOGS AND LUMBER

Cable Address: "REDWOOD,"

"Zebra" Code,

W. J. DAWSON & CO.

Wood Brokers and Commission Agents

BENTHAM BUILDINGS, SIDE,

NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE

Invite offers from Lumbermen for . . .

FIR, SPRUCE, PINE

or Any Wood Goods Suitable for the English Market.

Cash Buyers or Shippers' Agents for wholesale distribution
of Lumber or manufactured Wood Goods.

. . . Correspondence Solicited from Responsible Firms. . . .

BUDGETT BROS. -

70 and 71 Bishopsgate Street Within,
LONDON, E.C.