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One 14" x 60" Boiler, one top saw slash table.
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WANTED—1" SPRUCE, LOG RUN, DEAD-culls out. Tamarac sawn to order. Hardwood lumber. R. E. FINEMAN, Hamilton, Ont.

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We offer for sale the Townships of Burton and Croft containing a large quantity of hemlock and hard woods. HOLLAND & GRAVES, Buffalo, N. Y.

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R. J. DAVIS,
Commissioner Crown Lands,
Department of Crown Lands,
Toronto, July 29, 1903.

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WANTED AT ONCE—CAR LOTS OF 1 1/2" and 2" dry, hard and soft maple, white and red birch, also 1" soft elm. State best price, shipping point, and grade of lumber. Address TAYLOR & LOUNT, Markham, Ont.

LUMBER.

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Parties quoting prices for these dimensions will understand that the spruce must be clear; also mention what quantity can be supplied in each case. Address

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The Edmund Hall Estate offers for sale the following desirable property:

FIRST.—Timber limits in the District of Algoma, Province of Ontario, Canada, and comprising the townships of Totten, Porter, Hymen, Vernon, and No. Ninety One. These limits contain, by estimate, from one hundred and fifty-five to one hundred and sixty-five millions feet of merchantable pine, besides other timber. Lumbering operations are now in progress looking to a cut of about sixteen millions feet for the season.

SECOND.—Dwelling house, office, store house, barns and land at Naim Center, Ontario, together with house hold goods and office furniture, lumber camps and lumbering outfit.

THIRD.—Sarnia Bay Mill site and Mill at Sarnia, Ont., including complete saw mill and mill block and equipment.

FOURTH.—The capital stock of the Sarnia Bay Towing & Salvage Company, including the tug Manistique, Salvor and Argyle, and also steam dredge, booms and towing material. It is desired to sell all the above property in one parcel. Full statements and descriptions will be furnished on application. Bids will be received on or before the FIRST DAY OF DECEMBER, 1903, at 12 o'clock noon, at the office of the Estate, No. 80 Griswold Street, Detroit, Michigan. The highest or any bid is not necessarily accepted.

MARY H. HALL,
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PINE AND CEDAR SHINGLES, XXX 6"
C. B. and X; 2 to 3 cars 12"x12"-16, 18 and
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MCFERRISON Co., Longford Mills, Ont.

SOFT ELM LOGS WANTED

10 OR 15 FEET LONG, SUITABLE FOR
Cheese Box Veneers. We are open to
buy any quantity on cars, on line of Canada
Atlantic Railway. MCFERRISON & SCHILL,
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BIRCH TIMBER FOR SALE

TIMBER ON 500 ACRES IN MUSKOKA
District, containing upwards of 3,000,000
feet of birch, also about 1,000,000 feet of other
timber. Would sell at reasonable figure as
standing timber, or would give part interest to
person who would put in a saw mill; make
offer. Address, "R.D." care CANADA LUMBER-
MAN.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Conservatism is now entering into
lumber transactions to a greater extent
than it has for some time past. There are
many consumers who must continue to buy
lumber for requirements, but few specu-
lative ventures are being entered upon.
Dealers do not wish to carry large stocks,
consequently they seek to find an outlet
for the lumber before purchasing it.
Business, therefore, is somewhat quieter,
but prices continue firm. There is no
large supply of dry stock in the mill yards,
and this fact has encouraged the manu-
facturer to hold for high prices, although
his views in that respect frequently do not
correspond with those of the dealer or
buyer. Conditions, however, have up to
the present been in favor of the manu-
facturer. Indications point to an average
volume of trade during the fall and early
winter months, although as the building
season draws to a close the market can-
not but feel the loss of the demand from
that quarter.

A scarcity of men for work in the woods
continues to be reported from all sections
of the province. Owing to high wages
and the uncertainty as to lumber prices
next year, there is a disposition to curtail
logging operations this winter, and it is

probable that the cut will be lighter than
last season.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

In some respects the spruce lumber
market is less firm than at last writing.
There has been a falling off in the number
of enquiries for stock for local consump-
tion, but the New York market has ab-
sorbed all the spruce lumber that has ar-
rived at that centre and there are still
many willing buyers. For this reason
cargo spruce is quite strong. Shippers to
Great Britain have their contracts pretty
well covered and are not buying to any
extent at the present time. As the sup-
ply at the mills is light, no difficulty is like-
ly to be experienced in maintaining prices.
For cedar shingles there is a slightly im-
proved demand. Several recent sales of
extras have been made at \$3.45 for Bos-
ton delivery. Spruce lath is also a shade
firmer.

UNITED STATES.

It is perhaps within the mark to say that
the lumber salesman has been obliged to
put forth more effort during the past week
to sell lumber than at any previous time
this year. Consumers seem to have de-
cided upon a policy of retrenchment, on
the ground that prices are not likely to go
higher, while there is a probability that
they may decline. There is still a fair
volume of business, but the showing is not
favorable when compared with one year
ago, at which time dealers and consumers
were anxious to buy lumber at almost any
price. Reports from the Lake Superior dis-
trict and from Chicago state that stocks of
low grade inch lumber and Norway dimen-
sion are well sold up, but that there is
an accumulation of shop lumber and a
moderate supply of uppers. Many times
within the past few months we have stated
that the call for box lumber was the fea-
ture of the market, and this condition ex-
ists as much to-day as ever. The box
factories and planing mills are operating
to their full capacity, with many unfilled
orders on their books. Buffalo and Tona-
wanda dealers take a somewhat hopeful
view of the situation. While the slight
slackness in the white pine trade may
continue for a time, it is stated that deal-
ers there consider the prospects for the
fall and winter movement very bright.
Salesmen returning from the Eastern
States have brought back a reasonable
number of orders, and there is a feeling
that after the turn of the year a more
active trade may be expected. Hardwood
lumber has shown no signs of weakness.
Orders have not been as numerous, but
the supply of dry stock is so small that
prices are maintained with ease. A scar-
city of elm has developed, consequent on
the large demand for it in the cooperage
trade. Thick maple is also scarce, sales
of four inch having been made recently
at Buffalo at \$40. Maple flooring con-

tinues weak, with keen competition on
large orders.

A report from Calumet, Mich., states
that shingles have slumped and that man-
ufacturers are storing them until prices
shall improve. This report does not agree
with advices from other points. At Buf-
falo and Tonawanda an advance of five
cents has been made on red cedars and a
further rise is anticipated.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Recent developments in Great Britain
have caused buyers of lumber to pursue a
very cautious policy. General business is
not in the most healthy condition and
there is little disposition to increase obli-
gations unless for immediate necessities.
The late suspension of the two leading
timber firms is not characterized to aid in
the restoration of confidence, although it
should probably be stated that these fail-
ures were due to circumstances entirely
apart from the lumber trade. While they
may result in the embarrassment of one or
two smaller concerns, they are not likely
to have a serious effect upon the lumber
trade in general. Representatives of
shippers find it almost impossible to close
business unless at materially lower figures,
and as yet they show no disposition to
meet buyers in this respect. Prices of
lumber in stock are quite firm, as hold-
ers realize that they would be compelled
to pay higher figures to replenish their
stock. If shippers refrain from sending
forward consignment cargoes prices are
likely to hold at least until the spring of
next year. Large quantities of Canadian
spruce and pine have been received at
Belfast and Dublin, where the demand has
been sufficient to keep the supply down to
a reasonable point.

In timber, elm, birch and oak are find-
ing a fairly steady sale and values seem
likely to continue firm. There is only a
small quantity of first-class waney pine in
stock at the leading ports, and should the
demand be of average volume, higher
prices for this class of stock may be ex-
perienced.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The Spanish River Boom Company
have this season sorted 200,000,000 feet
of logs.

It is stated that Donald Fraser & Sons,
Fredericton, N.B., will cut 50,000,000 feet
of lumber next season at their mills there
and at Cabano, Que.

There is a marked scarcity of cooperage
stock on account of the heavy apple crop.
Quotations are very wide and consider-
ably higher than last week.

The Scott Lumber Company, of Fred-
ericton, N. B., last week sent a crew of
forty men to the scene of their lumbering
operations on Black river. The company
expects to cut 5,000,000 feet of logs dur-
ing the coming winter.

N. N. Wright & Company, of Spanish
River, Ont., will have eleven camps in
the woods this winter and expect to bank
40,000,000 feet of logs. The Saginaw
Lumber & Salt Company, of Sandwich,
Ont., will have five camps in operation.

A two mile timber berth situated on
Rockwell stream, Sunbury county, N.B.,
was last week sold by the Crown Lands
Department to Smith Bros., Limited, of
Blissville, at \$49 per mile.

Thomas Robinson, of Harvey Station,
N. B., has taken a contract to get out
logs for James Murchio & Sons, of St.
Stephen, and will operate the coming win-
ter on the west of the Magaguadavic lake.

Crate & Sparham, of Smith's Falls,
Ont., are extending their lumbering oper-
ations. They have now in the boom some
13,000 logs, which were brought down
Gible's creek to the Tay canal and thence
to Smith's Falls.

The Department of Interior at Ottawa
will receive tenders up to November 18th
for a permit to cut timber on Berth No.
1106, comprising sections 30, 31 and 32,
township 3, Range 12, in the province of
Manitoba. The area is three square miles.

It is said that one operator who is in-
terested in the logs stranded in the St.
John River above Grand Falls, N. B.,
will not consent to the proposition to
boom the logs for the winter near Van
Buren. As it is impossible to sort them
the owners are in a quandary to know
what course to pursue.

The exports of lumber from St. John,
N.B., during the week ending October 10
were as follows: To the United States,
2,173,000 feet of long lumber, 2,179,000
shingles, 311,000 lath; to English ports,
1,680,000 feet of deals; to Barbados, 150,-
000 feet of lumber and 200,000 shingles;
and to St. Vincent, West Indies, a schooner
cargo of long lumber and shingles.

A large number of men are going into
the woods along Rainy River and the
lake to prepare for the winter's cut of logs,
which will exceed anything ever attempt-
ed before. It is estimated over 100,000,-
000 feet of logs, 1,000,000 ties, 100,000
posts, 200,000 piles, and 50,000 telegraph
poles will be taken out this winter. Wages
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out of it in any other way.

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From Yarmouth, N.S.: Barque Malwa, for Buenos Ayres, cargo lumber. Barque L. Adams, for Buenos Ayres, lumber.

From St. John, N.B.: Schr. Winnie Lowry, for City Island, 259,554 ft. deals. Schr. Manuel R. Curza, for New York, 920,000 laths, 87,000 ft. pine boards.

From Tuskent Wedge, N.S.: Barque Campa Amilia, for Bristol Channel, spruce and birch deals, by Dickie & McGrath. Barque Volke, for Buenos Ayres, 1,150,000 ft. lumber, by Dickie & McGrath.

From Halifax, N.S.: Str. Micmac, for Sharpness, England, 1,937,481 ft. spruce deals, value \$19,206. Str. Florence, for Sharpness, 98,000 ft. spruce deals, 101,500 ft. hemlock deals, 73,000 ft. birch deals, value \$3,167. Schr. Ida F. M. Shaffner, for New York, 120,945 ft. pine lumber, value \$1,800; 29,705 ft. spruce lumber, value \$475; 493,600 laths, value \$1,000.

Barque Rio Douro, for Hull, 96,384 ft. spruce deals, value \$1,253; 313,029 ft. hemlock deals, value \$3,341. Str. Briardene, for Bordeaux, France, 1,807,903 ft. spruce deals, value \$20,780.

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The situation in spruce lumber is decidedly mixed. The demand is not large and yet buyers find it difficult to get desired sizes. Some holders are getting fancy prices for certain dimensions, said to be as high as \$25 in some cases. Prices are very firm on all small stuff, and full quotations are being obtained. The mills are still held up for the lack of logs, and the supply for the winter promises to be small. Prices are nominally unchanged, but firm: Ten and 12 in. dimensions, \$21; 9 in. and under, \$19; 9 and 12 in. random lengths, 10 ft. and up, \$20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7, and 3x4, 10 ft. and up, \$17@17.50; all other random, 9 in. and under, 10 ft. and up, \$18@18.50; 5 in. and up, merchantable boards, \$17; matched boards, \$18.50@20; out spruce boards, \$13@14; bundle furring, \$17.

Hemlock lumber is steady and unchanged.

Hardwood finishing lumber continues in fair demand, especially for quartered oak and whitewood. Prices are firm: Quartered oak, \$85 to \$92; plain oak, \$42 to \$45; common and rejects, \$20 to \$25; red oak, plain, \$43; whitewood, \$54 to \$56; sap, \$43 to \$48; common, \$39 to \$45; brown ash, \$41 to \$44; white ash, \$43 to \$46; maple, \$33 to \$37; end dried white maple, \$46; birch, \$27 to \$30; birch, 75 per cent. red, \$45 to \$50; northern elm, \$29 to \$31; Michigan elm, \$34 to \$37.

Clapboards are quiet at nominally unchanged quotations: Extra, \$45; clear, \$43; second clear, \$40; extra No. 1, \$30.

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LUMBER CONDITIONS AT GLASGOW.

Messrs. Edmiston & Mitchells, of Glasgow, Scotland, in their last report, review the lumber market as follows:

In submitting our September report we annex the usual comparative statement, which gives details of imports, the consumption for nine months, and the stock on hand as compared with recent years. In Quebec timber, as will be observed, waney and square pine logs show a decrease of about 20 per cent. as compared with the stock at 30th September last year, while reductions are also noticeable in red pine, oak, elm, and ash logs. On the other hand, the stock of 1st, 3rd, and 4th pine is largely in excess of last year, and the same may be said of pine sidings and spruce deals, the only items showing a reduction being 2nd pine and red pine deals. In Lower Port spruce and pine the figures are almost double, and this without taking into consideration Galatz spruce, of which there are at least 1,000 standards in the market. The other figures, while of interest, do not call for special mention.

The tendency of the market during the past month has been somewhat unsatisfactory, which may be ascribed to various causes, the chief one perhaps being that arrivals from the St. Lawrence and lower ports have been abnormally heavy of late, and this seems to have had a disquieting effect on buyers, who have been rather inclined to avoid "ex quay" purchases except at lower prices than have been ruling of late. Another adverse influence on the market has been the suspension a few days ago of a prominent firm of Glasgow merchants, full details of which are not yet available. The stability of the market will now largely depend upon the import during the next month or two, which it is hoped will be on a less lavish scale than has ruled of late.

The Clyde shipbuilding returns for the month show that 18 vessels aggregating about 23,000 tons were launched, against 24 vessels of 54,000 tons for the same month last year, while the new orders fixed amount to no less than about 45,000 tons—a very satisfactory addition to the work on hand.

The housebuilding trade continues in a satisfactory condition, the amount of work in progress and in prospect being quite considerable.

WHITE PINE.—The import during the

month amounts to about 2000 loads. Business is quiet and we hear of no transactions of any importance. There are, however, one or two good enquiries pending. Stocks are moderate and prices continue firm.

RED PINE.—There has been no import, and the stock, though low, is sufficient for all the demand.

OAK.—The import during the month amounts to about 630 loads. The stock consists of 4,500 loads, of which about 2700 loads is Quebec, and 1800 loads Southern States wood. Railway companies having filled their requirements, the demand is languid.

ELM.—There has been an import of 800 loads during the month. The stock amounts to 3400 loads, and while it is 500 loads less than the same time last year, it is still too heavy for prospective requirements. There have been no sales of any importance. Prices of first-class rock are firm, but 2nd class and soft elm are weak.

BIRCH.—Quebec.—The import for the month amounts to 270 loads, some of which was disposed of from ship's side and some stored. There is very little demand, and the stock, which amounts to 1460 loads (Quebec and Low Port), is more than ample for the market's apparent requirements for some time to come.

Lower Port.—There is not much doing

and the nominal value of 15-inch Pictou logs is 17d. There is still a large stock on hand, which is moving off very slowly.

ASII.—The import has been comparatively unimportant recently, but small though it has been, it has been ample for all the demand which exists for this wood nowadays. The nominal value of good 15-inch average is about 2s. to 2s. 1d. per foot.

DEALS, &c.—Deliveries from public yards have been large, but new business has been very quiet and disappointing. Imports have been on a large scale, and stocks of all kinds are accumulating. Prices, however, continue firm. Current values are as under:—Broad first pine deals, £32 to £34; 11-inch, £29 to £31; ends and non-dimensions, £22 to £24.

Second pine deals:—11-inch and up, £19 to £21 10s.; ends and non-dimensions, £13 to £14, 10s. Third pine deals:—11-inch and up, £13 to £14 10s.; ends and non-dimensions, £10 to £11. Red pine deals:—9 and 11 inch, £11 10s. to £12 10s.; narrows, £8 10s. to £9 10s. First pine siding:—8 and 10 inch, £24 to £25; 11 to 12 inch, £26 to £28; 13 to 14 inch, £29 to £31. Spruce deals:—9 inch and up, £8 15s. to £9 10s.; 7 and 8 inch, £7 5s. to £8 5s. Lower Port pine and spruce: 7 and 8 inch, £7 to £7 15s.; 9-inch and up, £8 5s. to £8 15s.

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Henry Atkinson, of Quebec, has disposed of his Beauce and Chaudiere lumber properties to H. R. Goodday & Company, of the same city, the price paid being in the vicinity of a quarter of a million dollars. The property consists of about 225 square miles, together with mills and other buildings.

John McLennan, of Quebec, has just completed a sale of the Baie St. Paul mill property, seignior and timber limits, comprising about 300 square miles of territory. The property is on the north shore,

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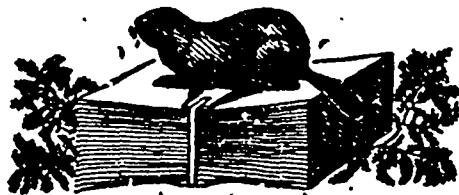
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