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### THE LUMBER SUPPLY.

#### There Is Plenty of It Left in Our Pine Forests.

Although Exports and Consumption Have Been Increasing Year After Year There Is No Present Prospect of Exhaustion.

"The Lumber Trade of the United States" is the title of a monograph just issued by the treasury bureau of statistics, Washington. The lumber industry and trade, it finds, has within quite recent years changed from a small scale of production to one in which machinery, a large outlay of capital and a far-sighted policy of development of properties are becoming controlling factors. This change is due partly to the growth of domestic demand and partly to the fear of prematurely exhausting our timber resources.

The existence of surplus capital looking for new fields of investment has had a tendency to eliminate the small scale lumbermen and the policy of European states in rigidly limiting the annual cut of lumber to something like the rate of increase in the growth of forest, has forced European lumber-consuming interests to come to the United States and Canada, especially for hard woods and lumber for building purposes. As a result the foreign lumber trade of the United States has grown enormously. Within quite recent years it has developed from a local to a world-wide commercial movement.

In the foreign trade the Atlantic ports, the gulf ports and those on the northern Pacific coast have shared more liberally. More lumber is now being shipped from these ports and from the country as a whole than at any previous time in the history of the country. The total exports of timber, lumber and manufactured wood for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1900, amounted to \$50,591,908, showing a balance of almost exactly \$30,000,000 of exports of this class over imports. About half of these imports came from Canada, consisting mainly of planks, boards, logs and shingles. Another principal feature in our timber imports is the tropical timber, including Cuban mahogany and cedar and mahogany from Central and South America and Africa.

The wooded area of the United States, according to the United States geological survey, is 1,094,496 square miles, or 37 per cent. of the land area. From this standing supply of timber it is estimated that from 1,830,000,000,000 to 2,300,000,000,000 of board measure feet of lumber are available. The annual lumber cut has been estimated for the year 1899 at 40,000,000,000 of board measure feet; that is, we cut approximately two per cent. of our national timber resources annually. Of this cut 13,000,000,000 are credited to the lake region, 6,000,000,000 to the southern states, 6,000,000,000 to the northwest and north Atlantic states, 5,000,000,000 to the central states, 4,000,000,000 to the Pacific states and 2,000,000,000 to the mountain states, according to the New Orleans Lumber Trade Journal. These figures are, however, only an approximation on the part of those familiar with the industry as a whole, yet they indicate that our timber supply is not disappearing at an alarming rate, provided the destructive waste of forest fires can be prevented.

The timbered territory of the country covers five different sections, from which commercial distribution is made. Beginning with New England, the output of Maine is still the leading feature of this section, and the middle states, from the Adirondacks and northwestern Pennsylvania, still supply a considerable market of more or less local character. The greatest areas of standing timber are found in the southern states, where the long leaf and the short leaf pine and the cypress are the leading features. In the lake region of the northwest, including Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota, we have the largest output, where the white pine and hemlock are the leading features. The Pacific coast section includes the pine and fir forests of Washington and Oregon and the red wood of California as the leading kinds of timber. The Rocky mountain states are as yet of subordinate commercial importance compared with the southern, northwestern and Pacific states.

A comparison of southern exports of timber, lumber and manufactures thereof with the total from the United States shows that southern ports furnish 88 per cent. of the sawed timber exported, 81 per cent. of the hewn timber, 74 per cent. of the logs, etc., 68 per cent. of the boards, deals and planks, 77 per cent. of the joints and scantlings, 51 per cent. of the staves, 75 per cent. of all other lumber and 19 per cent. of the manufactured lumber—a remarkable exhibit of the progress which southern lumber products have made in our foreign trade.

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