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Timber Supply.

TREMENDOUS INCREASE IN CONSUMPTION OF LATE

Methods of Cutting Such That Exhaustion is Within Measur-

able Distance.

The savants of all nations have been foretelling for years the approaching extinction of the world's forest reserves, with one or two exceptions, little apparent effect has been produced on the policy of government respecting afforestation.

There may now be said to be only six countries in a position to apply unlimited quantities of merchantable timber, namely knessa (including Finland). Alustria-Hungary, Norway and Sweden, in Europe, and Canada and the United States in America.

Of these the reserves in the United States, Russia proper and Austria-Hungary stream services of the population, while in Norway the reappage of the timber crops has been so wasteful as to array exhaustion vithin measurable distance. The resources of Fioland are still large-mass are also thus, of Swedyn, while Canada now represents the world's great reserve. As already indicated, the European countries with a large surpius available for export are Austria-Hungary (with which may be coupled Bossia and Herzegovina). Russia (including Firland), Sweden and Norway, From all of these countries, with the exception of Austria-Hungary Great Britain imports largely of timber for constructional purp examination.

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of their forest reserves is no mere acalemic one.

By far and away the L. r. est for st reserve in Europs is in Russia and Finland, which have between them over 509,009,009 acres u.der timber. Austria-Hungary comes next, but a long way benind, with 50,009,000 acres. Sweden fo loving with 48,000,000 acres, Germany with 34,000,000 acres, France with 29,000,000 acres, Spain with 20,001,000 acres, Norway with 17,000,000 acres, and Haly and Bulgaria each with 10,000,000 acres.

The eyes of the world are now

The eyes of the world are now directed to North America in their search for future timber supplies. The area of land under forest in the United States is prodizious. The total a mount sroughly to 700,000 acress are under state management or control. Estimat's naturally vary wissly as to the actual reserves of merchantable timbr. the government census of 1300 putting the stand at 1,330,00,000 feet board measure, while two years later Dr. B. E. Pernow, of Toronto, Canada, estimated it at 2,000,000, 000,000,000 feet.

This latter figure was substantibles.

000.000 feet. This latter figure was substantially corroborated by the American Lumbermen in 1905, out a conservative estimate by a well-informed correspondent, which appeared in the Times at the close of 1903, put it at 1,500,000,000 000 feet.

or the lay mind to realize what hese figures mean, attempts have seen made to place a value on the imber, the figure which is gen-

erally accepted by competent authorities being roughly £4,000-000,000 sterling.

The present humber cut amounts to 35,900,000 feet and is increasing at a truly remarkable page. The rapid growth of population would, of course, prepare one for an increase in the timber consumption year by year, but the actual race of increase has not been very much in etcess of what might reasonably be locked for on that basis.

Between 1880 and 1900 the growth of the population amounted to 52 per cent, but in the same period the output of domestic timber increased by 34 per cent. The output in the first-mentioned year was 1,300,000,000 feet.

The exports to £trop amounted to 52 per cent, but and fine million panals sterling per annum, but on the other hand over 80 per cent. of the timber exports from Capada go to the United States.

From those figures it follows that without taking into account the growth of new firests the available supply of mercantile timber would be exhausted in forty years, and sometaking such growth into consideration sixty years would appear to the furthest fund to the duration of the timber supplies.

Happily, there are indications that the public considerace is being awakened to the obligation which rests upon the community

being a wakened to the obligation which rests upon the community to make good as far as possible the enormous annual wastage, and not only are the forests being to some extent conserved, but efforts are being made to reduce the ab of ale waste, which even yet is estimated but little short of a quantity analysis, to that as

Overwhelming Castigation.

spienfil literature and a fine dis-play of commonsense knowledge; while Solor Mureus Aureu is Gurvey came in for a sound e esti-gation. It is to be hoped that this solutary whipping has cured him of his infamy.

Even has extended his arm. Every stroke of his pen has dashed Gurvey into atoms. Marcus Au-relius has been weighed in the balances and found wanting. The electric light of superior intelli-gence has been turned on his cash and assime statements, exposing them as morbid robbish. Who shall bemoan this derelict?

The searchlights from our bat-tleships have been turned on you. You are now seen at your best and real self; yot, in very bad condition, a pitiable and unenciable robbish-heap; incapable of sending out anything but a hording stink. Stop pervading out pure journalistic atmosphere with the obnoxious effuvia emanating from your only treasure,—a diseased mind.

A DAILY

The Man in

the Woods.

To the Editor of the Times.

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Six:—Please allow me space in your columns to reply to an advertisement in your paper of this morning's issue under the heading.

"The Man About Town."

"The Man About Town."

Now Mr. Editor, "The Man About Town" make reference to the youth at St. Mark's as playing Rector, and that he has not got that Coracy yet, but let me inform "The Man about Town." "that that youth!" was the only-old brick that fitted the broken walls of St. Mark's and he has now stopped wast might have readeded the Church of Cariac closed to public worship. May Lask. "Lae Man About Town." why did be not fit himself for the position if he now covets the youth? I should like "The Man About Town" to tackle that youth porsonally, when I am sure, his personally, when I am sure, his personally and intelligent of world not sufficient for him owing to his gravitation and if he is not sufficient for him owing to his position I big to refer him to Tie Man the Woods.

I am etc.

I am, etc., Tas Manin tas Woods

[Cars is news to us. We ever and estond that S. Marick Church was evill Church of England, we go he mane, Church of Urself-co. "True"]

A Vagrant.

EMMA MIXED UP.

Peace in Hayti.

tion has been completely sup-pressed; and President Simon is back at the capital attending to his duties as Chief Executive of the rapublic.

At gentleman smoke sigurretess of «Nacional»

Serious News From Cuba

PECULIAR EPIDEMIC IN THE PINAR DEL RIO PROVINCE.

Slow Fever and Pains in Sides The First Symptoms.

Havana.—In Los Palacions, Pinar Province, about one hundred miles from Havana, a strange epidemic has developed, "El Diario de la Marina," a reliable journal, states that between five and six deaths occur daily, against one a month in normal times. It is a name two thousand inhabitudes and has also been considered very healthy.

The litness presents itself with a slow fever and repid in thesides.

the interest presents used with a slow fewer and point in the sides, the patient dying in from two to four days. Medical aid is urgantly asked, i.e. rainces is complaining of reglect from the authority.

Current News.

The ss. "Cartago" will sail this evening for Colon, taking mails and passengers.

We have received from a cor-respondent a long article on Ad-ventiatism; being lengthy we will publish from thy to day portions of it. In this issue we print the

The General Manager of the nor tern railroad sent a special train to him on on Monday aftermoon to convey to San José Mr. W. L. Park, Vice-President and General Manager of the filmis Central Railroad and his wife, also Mr. M. Donald and wife. The party left yesterday morning at 8.30 for the capital.

These, "Cortago," consigned to the fit is a Fruit Company, arrived here yesterday from New Orleans with the following passagers: From New Orleans Mark Hoffstath, From Partic Barrios: G. F. Baydan, Vette Feronades, John B. Domess, Mr. act Mey, Judge, Judge, Mickey (1998).

Henry Caldera, Hector Caldera, Miss Petronila Mazarga and six deckers and 30 capin passengers.

deck is and 3) can't passengers.

We always understood that a suppliced choir of the Anglician CL unches were only called out to attend the funeral of their brothers or sisters who filled a similar place, or the funeral of some church digatity. We sees however undeceived in this respect on Sunday evening at the funeral of a lady who it appears was not even an active member of the church. Is this a new order, or was it done for slow!

We learn with pleasure that Mr. Luis Davidson, son of our esteemed friend Mr. S. Davidson, will be the munager of the stock-instruction lettly carried on by str. Jose Berheau. Mr. Dur took will carry on in aktion to be stock of ladies and gentlem. As books and stock, an entire stock of isomongery. His well known knowledge of this class of goods is a sufficient guarantee of the completeness of the business he means to offer to a long-suffering people, who have been under the pressure of high priced goods for a long period. The Times wiches the new firm of Louis Davis and Co., every success Co., every success

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