

August 14th, 1920.

Mr. Wm. Mackenzie, Genl. Agt.,

Portland, Oregon.

Dear Sir:-

BLUE MOUNTAIN TIMBER.

Yours of the 4th inst., to hand. I am attaching the advertisement which appeared in the local paper which gives the acreage of the units sold and the estimated stand on each.

B. F. Peoples who purchased Units I and II has a small mill located on the West Fork of Strawberry Creek. The timber which he purchased consists of 115 acres with a stand of 1,000,000 feet of Western Yellow Pine and 40000 feet of fir and other species or an average stand of approximately 870 feet of Pine and 550 feet of fir and other species to the acre. Mr. Peoples mill has a capacity of 12,000 feet per day but from all information to hand they do not average 8000 feet. Mr. Peoples sells his output to the local Box Factory.

Young and Ridgway have their mill located on Indian Creek. It has a capacity of 8,000 feet per day but have been running intermittently and their output does not amount to much. Until recently they only sold to local trade who would haul same from the mill but recently they have made some small sales to the local Box Factory. The timber which they purchased as Unit III embraces 120 acres and contains 1,000,000 feet Yellow

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Pine, 400,000 Douglas Fir, 80,000 Western Larch and 20,000 White Fir. The average stand of all species per acre is 11,1400 feet per

This timber will be cut and then used principally by the local Box Factory, tho they have no Contract covering same.

Very truly yours

Agent.