

Another winter season is wrapping up and for those of us who love New England it's as if we have turned the page to the next chapter, spring.

The folks who settled these communities many years ago would breath a sigh of relief at winter's end. They would be planning the upcoming planting and harvesting season. For us also at Country Carpenters spring is a time to plan and prepare. Code updates on our building plans and meetings with our chosen mills are just two of the things we are always working on.

Country Carpenters has a 34 year relationship with most of these mills, making them part of our team. All of them are members of NELMA (Northeastern Lumber Manufacturers Association) and these mills care about our natural resources.

Burell sawmill is a 3rd generation family owned mill. Owner Francis Burell is always available at a moments notice, providing us with graded and mill run timbers.

Bingham lumber is a 3rd generation family owned mill. Owner, Tom Bingham is a great friend who will always go the extra mile to get us the very best materials available. They are members of NHTOA (New Hampshire Timberland Owners Association) and Project Learning Tree.

W. D. Cows is a 9th generation family owned mill, and founding member of the American Forest Foundation's Tree Farm System and have also been involved in sustainable forest management for over two and a half centuries, receiving many awards for forest stewardship. Owner Cinda Jones and her team take pride in all they do.

The quality of materials is another reason we work with these mills. We want our customers to receive the very best product available. Our team realizes that the barn or carriage shed you receive may be a once in a life time investment.

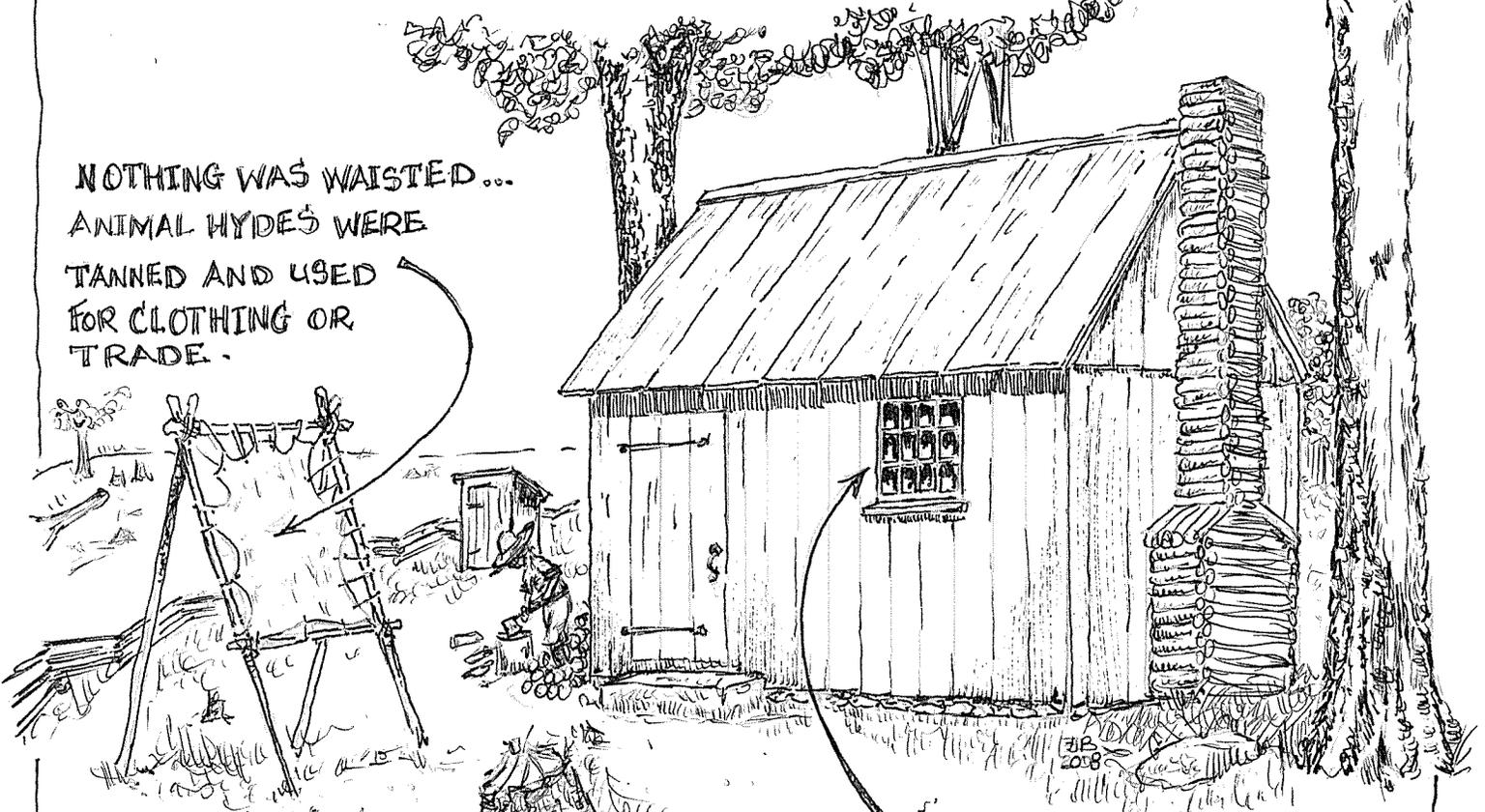
If you are still thinking about a post and beam barn or carriage shed, or even a beautiful garden shed, please stop out, we would love to talk to you.

*We hope your 2008 will be a healthy and safe one.
Country Carpenters*

The Homestead

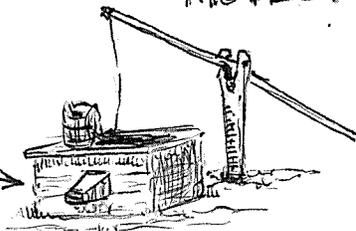
THE FAMILIES THAT SETTLED NEW ENGLAND WERE ARTISANS, TRADESMEN AND FARMERS.

NOTHING WAS WASTED... ANIMAL HIDES WERE TANNED AND USED FOR CLOTHING OR TRADE.

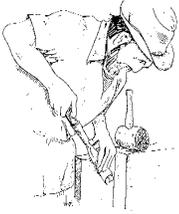


GLASS WINDOWS WERE RARE WHEN NEW ENGLAND WAS SETTLED, OFTEN CARRIED FROM HOUSE TO HOUSE AS SETTLERS MOVED.

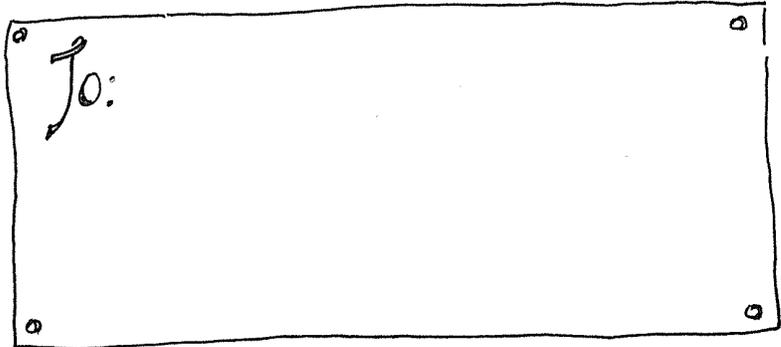
HAND DUG WELL... IN LATTER YEARS COVERED AND USED WITH A WELL SWEEP



A NUMBER OF OUR BARNES AND GARDEN SHEDS HAVE MADE FINE COUNTRY GETAWAYS. LET US HELP YOUR DREAMS COME TRUE.



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