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Prices of Building Materials.
 CONDITION OF THE MARKET.
 We have to report prevailing quietness in the
 building trade, and consequently very little de-
 mand for builders supplies. Dealers are prepar-
 ing for the spring trade, which it is thought will be
 fairly brisk. A good demand is reported for
 plumbers' supplies. There is absolutely nothing
 doing in cement, lime and sand, and prices re-
 main the same. Trade in glass shows some im-
 provement, and the usual jobbing trade is report-
 ed in paints and oils.

LUMBER.
 CAR OR CARGO LOTS.
Toronto, Montreal.

1 1/2 to 2 clear picks, Am ins.	33 00	36 00	40 00	45 00
1 1/2 to 2 three uppers, Am ins.	37 00	40 00	45 00	45 00
1 1/2 to 2 pickings, Am ins.	26 00	27 00	30 00	30 00
3 inch clear	52 50	55 00	60 00	60 00
1 x 10 and 12 dressing and better.	20 00	23 00	18 00	20 00
1 x 10 and 12 mill run.	16 00	17 00	19 00	19 00
1 x 10 and 12 dressing.	20 00	22 00	18 00	18 00
1 x 10 and 12 common.	13 00	14 00	8 00	10 00
1 x 10 and 12 spruce culls.	10 00	11 00	10 00	11 00
1 x 10 and 12 culls.	9 00	10 00	9 00	9 00
1 inch clear and picks.	28 00	33 00	35 00	35 00
1 inch dressing and better.	20 00	22 00	18 00	20 00
1 inch siding, mill run.	14 00	15 00	14 00	16 00
1 inch siding, common.	12 00	13 00	12 00	14 00
1 inch siding, ship culls.	12 00	12 00	12 00	12 00
1 inch siding, mill culls.	9 00	10 00	8 00	9 00
1 inch siding.	8 00	9 00	8 00	9 00
1 1/2 and thicker cutting up plank.	21 00	26 00	22 00	25 00
1 inch strips, 4 in. to 8 in. mill run.	14 00	15 00	14 00	15 00
1 inch strips, common.	11 00	12 00	11 00	12 00
1 1/2 inch flooring.	16 00	17 00	14 00	15 00
1 1/2 inch flooring.	16 00	17 00	14 00	15 00
XXX shingles, sawn, per M	2 50	2 60	50	2 70
XX shingles, sawn.	1 50	1 60	1 60	1 70
Lath.	2 40	2 40	2 40	2 40

YARD QUOTATIONS.

Mill cull boards and scantling	10 00	10 00
Shipping cull boards, promiscuous widths.	13 00	13 00
Shipping cull boards, stocks	16 00	16 00
Hemlock scantling and joist up to 16 ft.	11 00	12 00
Hemlock scantling and joist up to 18 ft.	12 00	13 00
Hemlock scantling and joist up to 20 ft.	13 00	14 00
Scantling and joist, up to 16 ft	14 00	14 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	18 00	15 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	20 00	16 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	21 00	17 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	22 00	18 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	23 00	19 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	24 00	20 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	25 00	21 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	26 00	22 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	27 00	23 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	28 00	24 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	29 00	25 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	30 00	26 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	31 00	27 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	32 00	28 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	33 00	29 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	34 00	30 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	35 00	31 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	36 00	32 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	37 00	33 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	38 00	34 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	39 00	35 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	40 00	36 00

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Cutting up planks, 1 1/2 and thicker, dry.	25 00	28 00	25 00	26 00
Cutting up planks, 1 1/2 and thicker, board.	18 00	24 00	18 00	22 00
Cedar for block paving, per cord.	5 00	5 00	5 00	5 00
Cedar for Kerbing, 4 x 14, per M.	14 00	14 00	14 00	14 00
1 1/2 in. flooring, dressed, F.M.	26 00	30 00	28 00	31 00
1 1/2 in. flooring, rough, B.M.	18 00	22 00	18 00	22 00
1 1/2 " " " " " " " " " " " "	25 00	28 00	27 00	30 00
1 1/2 " " " " " " " " " " " "	19 00	18 00	18 00	19 00
1 1/2 " " " " " " " " " " " "	18 00	20 00	18 00	22 00
1 1/2 " " " " " " " " " " " "	15 00	15 00	15 00	15 00
1 1/2 " " " " " " " " " " " "	20 00	25 00	22 00	25 00
1 1/2 " " " " " " " " " " " "	18 00	18 00	18 00	18 00
1 1/2 " " " " " " " " " " " "	2 60	2 70	3 60	3 60
1 1/2 " " " " " " " " " " " "	2 50	2 60	2 50	2 60
Cedar.	2 90	2 90	2 90	2 90
Red oak.	30 00	40 00	30 00	40 00
White.	37 00	45 00	35 00	45 00
Basewood, No. 1 and 2.	28 00	30 00	18 00	20 00
Cherry, No. 1 and 2.	70 00	90 00	70 00	80 00
White ash, No. 1 and 2.	34 00	35 00	30 00	35 00
Black ash, No. 1 and 2.	20 00	30 00	18 00	30 00
Dressing stocks.	16 00	22 00	16 00	22 00
Picks, American inspection.	30 00	40 00	30 00	40 00
Three uppers, Am. inspection.	50 00	50 00	50 00	50 00

BRICK—M

Common Walling.	7 50	6 00
Good Facing.	9 00	8 50
Sewer.	8 50	9 00

Pressed Brick, Per M:

Plain brick, f. o. b. at Milton	16 00	16 00
" " " " " quality	14 00	14 00
" " " " " 3rd	8 00	8 00
Hard Building.	4 50	4 50
Moulded and Ornamental, per 100.	10 00	10 00
Roof Tiles.	24 00	24 00
Diamond locking tile.	16 00	16 00

**First quality, f. o. b. at Camp-
bellville.**

2nd quality, f. o. b.	18 00	25 00
3rd	14 00	20 00
Ornamental, per 100.	11 00	17 00
Tiles.	3 00	10 00
Tiles.	24 00	26 00

Plain brick, "A" f. o. b. Don Valley

" " " " " B"	18 00	25 00
" " " " " C"	16 00	22 00
Trojan or Buff.	13 00	18 00
Ornamental, per 100.	24 00	30 00
Ornamental, per 100.	3 00	60 00
Ornamental, per 100.	3 00	60 00
Ornamental, per 100.	3 00	60 00
Ornamental, per 100.	3 00	60 00

SAND.

Per Load of 1 1/2 Cubic Yards	1 25	1 25
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STONE.

Common Rubble, per toise, delivered.	14 00	14 00
Large flat Rubble, per toise, delivered.	18 00	18 00
Foundation Blocks, per c. ft. Kent Freestone Quarries Moncton, N. B., per cu ft., f. o. b.	1 00	1 00
River John, N. S., brown Freestone, per cu. ft., f. o. b.	95	95
Ballochmyle.	80	90
New York Blue Stone.	65	75
Granite (Stanstead) Ashlar, 6 in. to 12 in., rise 9 in., per ft.	1 05	1 05
Meadows, Geo. B.	70	25
Most Freestone.	75	80
Thomson's Gatelawbridge, cu. ft.	75	80
Credit Valley Rubble, per toise, delivered.	13 00	14 00
Credit Valley Brown Coursing, per superficial yard.	2 50	3 00
Credit Valley Brown Dimension, per cubic foot.	90	90
Credit Valley Grey Coursing, per superficial yard.	1 50	2 00
Credit Valley Grey Dimension, per cubic foot.	75	85
Madoc Rubble, delivered, per toise.	14 00	14 50
Madoc dimension floating, f. o. b. Toronto, per cubic ft.	70	32
Ohio Freestone, No. 1 Blue Promiscuous, f. o. b.	60	60
No. 1 Blue Dimension.	65	65
No. 1 Buff Promiscuous.	80	80
No. 1 Buff Dimension.	85	85

The above prices means freight and duty paid.

2 in. sawed flagg per sq. ft.

2 1/2 " " "	22	22
3 " " "	23 1/2	23 1/2
4 " " "	26 1/2	26 1/2
5 " " "	28	28
6 " " "	29 1/2	29 1/2
7 " " "	31	31
8 " " "	32 1/2	32 1/2

Duty to be added to these prices.

Quebec and Vermont rough granite for building purposes, per c. ft. f. o. b. quarry

For ornamental work, c. ft.	33	2 50
Granite paving blocks, 8 in. to 12 in. x 6 in. x 4 1/2 in., per M	35	2 0
Granite curbing stone, 6 in. x 20 in., per lineal foot.	70	70

SLATE.

Roofing (# square)	16 00	20 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	9 00	10 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	8 50	6 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	8 00	7 50
Terra Cotta Tile, per sq. ft.	22 00	22 00
Ornamental Black Slate Roofing.	8 00	8 00

PAINTS. (In oil, # lb.)

White lead, Can., per 100 lbs.	6 25	6 50
" " " " " "	6 50	7 50
Red lead, Eng.	5 6	5 6
" " " " " "	1 60	1 60
" " " " " "	2 75	1 60
" " " " " "	90	2 00
" " " " " "	10	12
" " " " " "	5	10
" " " " " "	15	20
" " " " " "	7	12
" " " " " "	95	40

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Black lamp.	15	25	12	25
Blue, ultramarine.	15	20	12	18
Oil, linseed, raw, # Imp. gal.	65	68	63	65
" " " " " " " " " " " "	68	71	66	68
" " " " " " " " " " " "	78	85	75	75
Putty.	2 1/2	2 3/4	2 1/2	2 3/4
Whiting, dry, per 100 lbs.	75	1 00	60	75
Paris white, Eng., dry.	1 25	90	1 10	1 10
Litharge, Am.	6 1/2	8	6 1/2	8
Sienna, burnt.	15	20	12	15
Umber.	8 1/2	12	12	15

CEMENT, LIME, etc.

Cement, Portland, per bbl.	2 40	2 10	2 25
" " " " " " " " " " " "	2 75	2 10	2 25
" " " " " " " " " " " "	3 25	1 95	2 05
" " " " " " " " " " " "	1 50	1 50	1 50
" " " " " " " " " " " "	2 25	2 25	2 25
" " " " " " " " " " " "	1 50	1 50	1 50
" " " " " " " " " " " "	1 50	1 50	1 50
" " " " " " " " " " " "	2 65	2 85	2 85
" " " " " " " " " " " "	2 45	2 90	2 90
" " " " " " " " " " " "	2 35	2 50	2 50
" " " " " " " " " " " "	2 30	2 40	2 40
" " " " " " " " " " " "	2 25	2 30	2 30
" " " " " " " " " " " "	2 75	2 75	2 75
" " " " " " " " " " " "	4 50	4 75	4 75
" " " " " " " " " " " "	6 50	7 00	7 00
Keene's Coarse "Whites"....	4 50	4 75	4 75
Calced plaster, per barrel.	1 52	1 70	1 70
Fire Bricks, Newcastle, per M	16 50	21 00	21 00
Scott	24 00	30 00	30 00

Lime, Per Barrel, Grey.

" " " " " " " " " " " "	40	40
" " " " " " " " " " " "	55	55

Plaster, Calced, N. B.

" " " " " " " " " " " "	2 00	2 00
" " " " " " " " " " " "	2 00	2 00

Hair, Plasterers', per bag.

" " " " " " " " " " " "	80	1 00
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HAIRWARE.

Cut nails, 5d & 6d, per keg	2 40	2 25
Steel	2 50	2 35

CUT NAILS, FENCE AND CUT SPIKES.

40d, hot cut, per 100 lbs.	5	5
30d, " " " "	10	10
20d, 16d and 12d, hot cut, per 100 lbs.	15	15
10d, hot cut, per 100 lbs.	20	20
8d, 9d, " " " "	25	25
6d, 7d, " " " "	40	40
4d to 5d, " " " "	60	60
3d, " " " "	1 00	1 00
2d, " " " "	1 50	1 50
4d to 5d cold cut, not polished or blued, per 100 lbs.	50	50

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3d to 5d cold cut, not polished or blued, per 100 lbs.	90	90
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FINE BLUED NAILS.

3d, per 100 lbs.	1 50	1 50
2d, " " " "	2 00	2 00

CASING AND BOX, FLOORING, SHOOK AND TOBACCO BOX NAILS.

12d to 30d, per 100 lbs.	50	50
10d, " " " "	60	60
8d and 9d, " " " "	75	75
6d and 7d, " " " "	90	90
4d to 5d, " " " "	1 10	1 10
3d, " " " "	1 50	1 50

FINISHING NAILS.

3 1/4 to 2 1/4 inch, per 100 lbs.	85	85
2 1/2 to 2 1/4 " " " "	1 00	1 00
2 to 2 1/4 " " " "	1 15	1 15
1 1/2 to 1 1/4 " " " "	1 35	1 35
1 1/4 " " " "	1 75	1 75
1 " " " "	2 25	2 25

SLATING NAILS.

5d, per 100 lbs.	85	85
4d, " " " "	85	85
3d, " " " "	1 25	1 25
2d, " " " "	1 75	1 90

COMMON BARREL NAILS.

1 inch, per 100 lbs.	1 50	1 50
3/4 " " " "	1 75	1 75
5/8 " " " "	2 25	2 25

CLINCH NAILS.

1/2 and 3/4 inch, per 100 lbs.	85	85
3/4 and 1 " " " "	1 15	1 15
1 " " " "	1 35	1 35
1 1/4 " " " "	2 00	2 00
1 1/2 " " " "	2 50	2 50

SHARP AND FLAT PRESSED NAILS.

3 1/4 and 2 1/4 inch, per 100 lbs.	1 35	1 35
2 1/2 and 2 1/4 " " " "	1 50	1 50
2 and 2 1/4 " " " "	1 65	1 65
1 1/2 and 1 1/4 " " " "	1 85	1 85
1 1/4 " " " "	2 50	2 50
1 " " " "	3 00	3 00

Structural Iron:

Steel, cam, per 100 lbs.	2 75	2 50
" " " " " "	2 85	2 60
" " " " " "	2 50	2 50
" " " " " "	2 80	2 05
" " " " " "	2 55	2 35
Sheared steel bridge plate.	2 25	2 25

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