

logs will come out of the Whitefish River and tributaries this season.

In New York city \$58 to \$62 is being asked for quartered oak, \$36 to \$40 for plain oak, and \$37 to \$41 for ash. There is an improvement in that city in the demand for hemlock, at the base price of \$14.50. In Tonawanda the base price is \$13.50.

Owing to a flood on the St. Francis river, a large boom of logs belonging to the Royal Paper Mills Company, of East Angus, Que., was carried over the dam. It is estimated that 12,000,000 feet got away, but most of the logs have been secured at Pierreville, where the company have arranged to have them sawn.

The John O'Brien Lumber Company, of Ashland, Wis., last week sold 6,000,000 feet of Norway pine to Cleveland parties for a price in the neighborhood of \$72,000, and 1,000,000 feet of white pine to a North Tonawanda concern at \$15 a thousand. W. H. Gilbert sold 1,000,000 feet of No. 5 boards to Buffalo parties at \$5 a thousand, and 700,000 feet of 4 boards at \$10.50.

Concerning the shingle market at Buffalo the American Lumberman says: "Old dealers are often without any stock of account, and are not looking for a supply, for they do not know what to do. They say that the price of red cedars has gone up so that they do not see how consumers will buy them, and still there is not much yet to take their place. This market has of late come to depend on them more, and now, when it appears that something else is needed to substitute for them, nobody knows which way to turn. It is not thought that cypress could be sold cheap enough and nobody wants hemlock. Still if pine shingles do not come in faster something will have to be done."

Following is a comparative statement for three years of the timber, etc., measured and culled at the port of Quebec up to July 2nd, as reported by the Supervisor of Cullers:

	Cu. ft. 1899	Cu. ft. 1900	Cu. ft. 1901
Wancy white pine	872,132	506,999	348,640
White pine	263,971	185,173	149,192
Red pine	87,429	7,014	4,356
Oak	334,661	266,268	203,278
Elm	332,680	357,197	416,028
Ash	43,533	60,240	86,610
Basswood			332
Butternut	60	92	462
Tamarac	415	71	22
Birch and maple	229,867	287,119	295,641

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The following shipment of lumber, etc., from Canadian ports are reported since last issue:

From Pictou, N.S.: For Glasson Docks, Eng., 15,500 pcs. spruce deals, etc., by W. M. Mackay.

From Parrsboro, N.S.: Str. Maritime, for Manchester, Eng., 2,566,162 ft. spruce deals, ends, etc., value \$25,218, by M. L. Tucker.

From Sheet Harbor, N.S.: Barque Hermanoes, for Ayr, Scotland, 420,000 ft. deals, scantlings and ends, value \$4,266, by Sheet Harbor Lumber Co.

From Vancouver, B.C.: Barque Palatina, for Taku, China, 882,225 ft. rough fir, value \$10,240, by British Columbia Mills, Timber & Trading Co.

From Hillsboro, N.B.: Barque Carry L. Smith, for Birkenhead, Eng., 534,212 ft. spruce deals, 84,722 ft. spruce scantlings, 31,659 ft. spruce ends, 14,572 ft. spruce boards, value \$5,592, by J. Nelson Smith.

From Yarmouth, N.S.: Schr. Prohibition, for Norwalk, U. S., lumber, lath, etc., value \$1,252, by Dickie & McGrath. Barque Lillian, for Buenos Ayres, lumber, value \$5,256, by Dickie & McGrath. Barque Harry, for Barbadoes, lumber, value \$818, by H. & N. B. Lewis. Barque Vallerd, for Bristol, Eng., deals and palings, value \$7,772, by Dickie & McGrath.

From Chatham, N. B.: Barque Ragwa, for Plymouth, Eng., 459,934 ft. lumber, by F. E. Neale. Str. Eberingham, for London, Eng., 3,458, 696 ft. deals, etc., by J. B. Snowball & Co. Barque Gumo, for London, 703,760 ft. lumber, by F. E. Neale. Barque Lennok, for England, 450,385 ft. lumber, by Fred Dyke. Str. Probus, for Rochefort, France, 1,146,000 ft. lumber, by J. B. Snowball & Co. Str. Londonderry, for Glasgow, 2,070,563 ft. lumber, by F. E. Neale.

From Sackville, N.B.: Barque Flora, for Runcorn, Eng., 408,019 ft. deals, ends, etc., value \$3,184, by George McKean. Barque Agat, for Runcorn, Eng., 393,113 ft. deals and battens, 143,484 ft. scantling, 24,475 ft. ends, value \$4,179, by Geo. McKean. Barque Gamma, for Cardiff, Eng., 414,479 ft. deals, 25,162 ft. battens, 64,638 ft. scantling, 3,520 ft. boards, 18,260 ft. end, value \$4,000, by M. Woods & Sons. Str. Dara, for Manchester, Eng., 1,158,202 ft. deals, 240,280 ft. scantling, 48,347 ft. ends, 60,238 ft. boards, value

\$16,000, by P. G. Mahoney, Barque Inga, for Preston, Eng., 375,298 ft. deals and battens, 39,098 ft. scantling, 9,856 ft. deal ends, value \$3,700, by George McKean.

From Montreal, Que.: Str. Lorne, for Cardiff, Wales, 525 stds. deals, 2,970 cub. ft. timber, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Fremona, for London, Eng., 7 stds. boards, by Gillies Bros; 150 pcs. timber, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Samatian, for Glasgow, 62 stds. deals, etc., by D. Cream & Co.; 106 pcs. timber, by W. & J. Sharples. Str. Gecoma, for Leith, Eng., 11 stds. boards, by McArthur Export Co.; 39 stds. deals, by W. & J. Sharples; 52 stds., by J. Hurstall & Co. Str. Tritonia, for Glasgow, 162 stds. deals, by Watson & Todd; 49 stds. by McLaurin Bros.; 7 stds. boards by Robert Cox & Co.; 6,631 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 11 stds. deals by Playfair & White. Str. Sheppy Allison, for United Kingdom, 1,200 stds. deals and boards by W. & J. Sharples.

From St. John, N. B.: Sch. Myra B., for Bristol, 87,344 ft. plank, 15,980 ft. scantling, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Sch. Valetta, for Boston, 132,117 ft. plank, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Sch. Eric, for Boston, 194,800 cedar shingles, by Chas. Miller. Sch. Walter Miller, for Boston, 167,502 ft. plank, 6,176 ft. scantling, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Sch. Tay, for New York, 30,100 ft. plank, 140,338 ft. deals, by A. Cushing & Co. Sch. Lucy Hammond, for City Island, 147,000 ft. boards, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Sch. Frank S. Stinson, for Limerick, 532,582 ft. deals and battens, 8,529 ft. ends, 41,668 bds. boxshooks, by J. M. Driscoll. Sch. Alma, for Boston, 427,300 lths, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Sch. Hattie Muriel, for Boston, 78,392 ft. hemlock boards, 650,000 cedar shingles, by Charles Miller. Sch. Reporter, for Boston, 100,850 ft. plank, 20,867 ft. deals, 16,335 ft. scantling, by A. Cush-

ing & Co. Sch. Virgo, for Galway, 423,718 ft. deals and battens, 27,256 ft. ends, by George McKean. Sch. Quetay, for Vineyard Haven, 134,699 ft. plank, 28,461 ft. scantling, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Sch. Lena Maud, for Boston, 99,644 ft. plank, 31,181 ft. boards, by A. Cushing & Co. Sch. Ettie, for Bridgetown, 43,231 ft. plank, 79,188 ft. deals, 36,777 ft. scantling, by A. Cushing & Co. Sch. A. Anthony, for Salem, 78,853 boards. Sch. Victor, for Providence, 74,870 ft. plank, 354,500 ft. laths, by N. H. Murchie. Sch. Progress, for Salem, 58,020 ft. boards, 28,020 ft. plank, 29,100 ft. hemlock boards, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Sch. Willie Marshall, for Washington, 665,000 laths, by J. H. Scammell; 800,000 laths, by Dunn Bros. Sch. H. B. Homan, for Vineyard Haven, 1,724,000 laths, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Sch. Carrie Belle, for City Island, 324,900 ft. deals, by N. H. Murchie. Sch. D. J. Melanson, for New York, 181,301 ft. plank, by A. Cushing & Co. Sch. Eric, for Boston, 1,941,000 shingles, by Chas Miller.

BUSINESS NOTES.

On demand of E. H. Lemay, V. E. Traversy & Company, lumber merchants, 268 Ottawa street, Montreal, assigned last week. A number of local firms are creditors for small amounts.

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