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**Prices of Building Materials.**

CONDITION OF THE MARKET.  
 A slight but steady improvement is noted in some lines of builders' supplies, although taken as a whole it must be said that the market remains quiet, with no special features to report. Builders' hardware is moving freely, as is the case with plumbers' supplies. In the cement market, the demand has fallen off to some extent, orders being received principally for small lots to fill actual requirements. The arrivals for the past week were 6,100 casks of English and 5,000 Belgian, and for the season up to date 8,250 casks of English and 5,425 Belgian, as against 26,050 casks of English and 6,400 Belgian for the same time last year. The demand for firebrick continues good. The arrivals so far this season have been 264,000.

**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
1 1/2 to 2, pickings, Am ins.	26 00	27 00 30 00
1 inch clear	52 50	60 00
3 x 10 and 12 dressing and 1 better	20 00 22 00	18 00 20 00
1 x 10 and 12 mill run	16 00	17 00
1 x 10 and 12 dressing	20 00	22 00
1 x 10 and 12 common	13 00	14 00 10 00
1 x 10 and 12 spruce culls	10 00	11 00 10 00 11 00
1 x 10 and 12 sculls	9 00	10 00
1 inch clear and pickings	28 00	33 00 30 00
1 inch dressing and better	20 00	22 00 20 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	11 00	12 00 10 00 11 00
1 inch siding, mill culls	9 00	10 00 8 00 9 00
Cull scantling	8 00	9 00 8 00 9 00
1 1/2 and thicker cutting up plank	24 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	17 00	17 00 14 00 15 00
1 1/2 inch flooring	16 00	17 00 14 00 16 00
XXX shingles, sawn, per M	2 50	2 60 2 60 2 60
16 in. shingles, sawn	1 50	1 60 1 60 1 70
Lath	2 40	

**YARD QUOTATIONS.**

Mill cull boards and scantling	10 00	10 00
Shipping cull boards, miscellaneous 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 13 00
Hemlock scantling and joist up to 20 ft.	13 00	14 00 13 00 14 00
Cedar for block paving, per cord	5 00	5 00
Cedar for Kerbing, 4 x 24, per M	24 00	24 00
Scantling and joist, up to 16 ft	14 00	14 00
" " 18 ft	15 00	15 00
" " 20 ft	16 00	16 00

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Scantling and joist, up to 12 ft	17 00	17 00
" " 24 ft	19 00	19 00
" " 26 ft	20 00	21 00
" " 28 ft	22 00	23 00
" " 30 ft	24 00	25 00
" " 32 ft	27 00	27 00
" " 34 ft	29 50	29 50
" " 36 ft	31 00	31 00
" " 38 ft	33 00	33 00
" " 44 ft	34 00	36 00
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	18 00 22 00
1 1/2 in. flooring, dressed, F.M.	26 00	30 00 28 00 31 00
1 1/2 inch flooring, rough, F.M.	18 00	27 00 28 00 22 00
1 1/2 " " dressed, F.M.	28 00	27 00 30 00
1 1/2 " " undressed, F.M.	18 00	19 00 18 00 19 00
1 1/2 " " dressed	18 00	20 00 18 00 22 00
1 1/2 " " undressed	13 00	15 00 12 00 15 00
Headed sheeting, dressed	20 00	22 00 22 00 25 00
Clapboarding, dressed	12 00	12 00
XXX sawn shingles, per M	2 60	2 70 3 00
18 in. shingles	2 50	2 60 2 50 2 60
Cedar	2 90	2 90
Red oak	30 00	40 00 30 00 40 00
White	37 00	45 00 35 00 45 00
Hasawood, 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
Three uppers, Am. inspection	50 00	50 00

**BRICK - M**

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

**Firebrick, Per M:**

Red, No. 1, f.o.b. Beamsville	16 00	
" " 2	14 00	
" " 3	9 00	
Buff	21 00	
Brown	24 00	
Roman Red	30 00	
" Buff	35 00	
" Brown	40 00	
Sewer	7 50	
Hard Building	6 00	
Roof Tiles	22 00	
Hip Tile (each)	20	
Ridge Tile	60	
Red "A" f.o.b. Don Valley	18 00	25 00
Red "B" " "	16 00	20 00
Red "C" " "	15 00	17 00
Trojan and Corinthian	21 00	28 00
Pompeian	22 00	29 00
Athenian and Egyptian	25 00	31 00
Tyrian	35 00	41 00
Sicilian	40 00	45 00
Roman	35 00	40 00
Carthaginian	40 00	45 00
Ornamental	30 00	100 00 30 00 100 00

**1st quality, f.o.b. at Port Credit**

and	14 00	18 00
and	12 00	15 00
Hard building brick	6 50	12 00
Ornamental, per 100	7 00	10 00

**SAND.**

Per Load or 1 1/2 Cubic Yards	1 25	1 25
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**STONE.**

Common Rubble, per ton, delivered	14 00	14 00
Large flat Rubble, per ton, delivered	18 00	18 00
Foundation Blocks, per c. ft.	50	50
Kent Freestone Quarries Moncton, N. B., per cu. ft., f.o.b.	1 00	
River John, N. S., brown Freestone, per cu. ft., f.o.b.	95	
Balochmyle	80	90 65 75
New York Blue Stone	90	1 05
Granite (Stanstead) Ashlar, 6 in. to 12 in. dia. per sq. ft.	25	
Most Freestone	70	80
Thomson's Gateawidge, cu. ft.	75	80
Credit Valley Rubble, per car of 15 tons, at quarry	8 00	
Credit Valley Brown Coursing, up to 10 inch, per sup. yard, at quarry	1 75	
Credit Valley Brown Dimension, per cu. ft. at quarry	60	
Credit Valley Grey Coursing, per superficial yard	1 50	2 00 2 15
Credit Valley Grey Dimension, per cubic foot	60	75
Madoc Rubble, delivered, per ton	14 00	14 50 14 00 14 50
Madoc dimension floating, f. o. b. Toronto, per cubic ft.	30	32
Ohio Freestone, No. 1 Blue Promiscuous, f.o.b.	60	
No. 1 Blue Dimension	65	
No. 1 Buff Promiscuous	80	
No. 1 Buff Dimension	85	

The above prices means freight and duty paid.

2 in. sawed flanging per sq. ft.	11	
3 1/2 " " " "	13 1/2	
3 " " " "	16 1/2	
4 " " " "	22	
5 " " " "	27 1/2	
6 " " " "	33	

Duty to be added to these prices.

Quebec and Vermont rough granite for building purposes, per c. ft. f.o.b. quarry	33	1 50
For ornamental work, cu. ft.	35	2 0
Granite paving blocks, 8 in. to 12 in. x 6 in. x 4 1/2 in., per M	50 00	
Granite curbing stone, 6 in. x 20 in., per lineal foot	70	

**SLATE.**

Roofing (per square)		
" red	16 00	20 00
" purple	9 00	10 00
" unloading green	8 50	6 00
" black	8 00	7 50

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Terra Cotta Tile, per sq.	22 00	
Ornamental Black Slate Roofing	8 00	

**PAINTS. (In oil, 1/2 lb.)**

White lead, Can., per 100 lbs.	6 25	6 50	6 00	6 25
" zinc, Can., " "	6 50	7 50	7 50	8 00
Red lead, Eng.	5 1/2	6 1/2		6
" venetian, per 100 lbs.	1 60	1 75	1 60	1 75
" vermilion	90	1 10	90	1 00
" Indian, Eng.	10	12	10	12
Yellow ochre	5	10	4	6
Yellow chrome	15	20	15	20
Green, chrome	7	17	7	12
" Paris	2	40	2	70
Black lamp	15	25	12	25
Blue, ultramarine	15	20	12	18
Oil, linseed, raw, Imp. A.S.I.	65	68	63	65
" " boiled	63	71	66	68
" " refined	78	85	75	75
Putty	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Whiting, dry, per 100 lbs.	75	1 00	60	75
Paris white, Eng., dry	90	1 25	90	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 25	3 50
" English	2 50	2 15
" Belgium	3 50	1 50 2 00
" Thorold	1 50	
" Queenston	1 10	
" Napanee	1 50	
" Hull	1 50	
" German	3 25	2 65 2 25
" London	2 75	2 45 2 90
" Newcastle	2 50	2 35 2 50
" Belgian	2 30	2 3 2 40
" Canadian	2 50	2 25 2 30
" Roman		2 75
" Paris	4 50	4 75 4 50 4 75
" Superfine	6 50	7 00 6 50 7 00
Keene's Coarse "Whites"	4 50	4 75 4 50 4 75
Calced plaster, per barrel	1 55	1 70
Fire Bricks, Newcastle, per M	23 00	30 00 17 50 22 00
" Scotch	23 00	10 00 24 00 30 00
Lime, Per Barrel, Grey	40	
" White	55	
Plaster, Calced, N. B.	2 00	
" N. S.	2 00	
Hair, Plasterers', per bag	80	1 00

**HARDWARE.**

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 10 lbs	5	
30d, " "	10	
20d, 16d and 12d, hot cut, per 100 lbs.	15	15

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

**PINK 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.**

3/4 inch, per 100 lbs.	85	85
3/8 to 3/4 " " "	1 00	1 00
2 to 3/4 " " "	1 15	1 15
1 1/2 to 1 3/4 " " "	35	35
1 3/4 " " "	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