

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—Perhaps the best that can be said of the lumber market here is that it shows some improvement; not much to brag about, but a start. This is also to be noted that whatever increased demand exists is in anticipation of colder weather—stocking up to some extent for the winter. Very little stuff is required for immediate use. Money continues hard to get. We have one advantage over some points—the trade are pretty thoroughly united. There is not that cutting of prices that is too common to some localities. White pine is shaping up an improved market; the