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Prices of Building Materials.

CONDITION OF THE MARKET.

Some improvement in the demand for builder's supplies for the country trade is noted, but the city trade remains quiet, as it has been for some time past. Owing to a recent reduction in the price of lead pipe, an improved demand has developed. The cement market remains quiet and prices unchanged. The city of Montreal recently contracted for 6,000 barrels, which cut stocks down considerably in that city. In iron pipe trade is fairly satisfactory, as is the case with galvanized iron, the principal demand for the latter being for 26 and 28 gauge, which we quote at 4 1/2 for case lots. In other lines of hardware quietest rates.

LUMBER

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

Toronto. Montreal.

1 1/2 to 2 clear picks, Am ins.	33	36	40	45
1 1/2 to 2 three uppers, Am ins.	37	40	45	50
1 1/2 to 2 pickings, Am ins.	26	27	30	30
1 inch clear	27	50	60	60
3 x 12 and 12 dressing and 2 better.	20	22	18	20
1 x 10 and 12 mill run	16	17	19	19
1 x 10 and 12 dressing	20	22	18	20
1 x 10 and 12 common	13	14	8	10
1 x 10 and 12 spruce culls	10	11	10	11
1 x 10 and 12 culls	9	10	9	10
1 inch clear and pickings	23	30	33	35
1 inch dressing and better	20	22	18	20
1 inch siding, mill run	14	15	14	16
1 inch siding, common	12	13	12	14
1 inch siding, ship culls	12	13	10	11
1 inch siding, mill culls	9	10	8	9
1 1/2 and thicker cutting up plank	24	26	22	25
1 inch strips, 4 in to 8 in. mill run	14	15	12	15
1 inch strips, common	11	12	11	12
1 1/2 inch flooring	16	17	14	15
1 1/2 inch flooring	16	17	14	16
XX shingles, sawn, per M	2	2	2	2
XX shingles, sawn	1	1	1	1
Lath	2	2	2	2

YARD QUOTATIONS.

Mill cull boards and scantling	10	10
Shipping cull boards, miscellaneous widths	13	13
Shipping cull boards, stocks	16	16
Hemlock scantling and joist up to 16 ft.	11	12
Hemlock scantling and joist up to 18 ft.	12	13
Hemlock scantling and joist up to 20 ft.	13	14
Cedar for block paving, per cord	5	5
Cedar for Kerbing, 4 x 14, per M	14	14
Scantling and joist, up to 16 ft	14	14
" " " " " " " "	18	15
" " " " " " " "	20	16
Scantling and joist, up to 22 ft	17	17
" " " " " " " "	24	19
" " " " " " " "	26	20
" " " " " " " "	28	22
" " " " " " " "	30	24
" " " " " " " "	32	27
" " " " " " " "	34	29
" " " " " " " "	36	31
" " " " " " " "	38	33
" " " " " " " "	44	34
Cutting up planks, 1 1/2 and thicker, dry	25	28
Cutting up planks, 1 1/2 and thicker, board	18	24

B. M.

1 1/2 in. flooring, dressed, F M.	26	30	28	31
1 1/2 inch flooring, rough, B M.	18	22	18	22
1 1/2 " " " " " " " "	28	27	30	30
1 1/2 " " " " " " " "	10	10	10	10
1 1/2 " " " " " " " "	10	10	10	10
1 1/2 " " " " " " " "	12	15	12	15
1 1/2 " " " " " " " "	12	15	12	15
1 1/2 " " " " " " " "	20	22	20	22
1 1/2 " " " " " " " "	14	14	14	14
18 in. flooring, dressed, 2 60	2	2	3	3
Sawn lath	2	2	2	2
Cedar	2	2	2	2
Red oak	30	40	30	40
White	37	45	35	43
Basswood, No. 1 and 2	28	30	18	20
Cherry, No. 1 and 2	70	90	70	80

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White ash, No. 1 and 2	24	30	30	35
Black ash, No. 1 and 2	20	30	18	30
Dressing stocks	16	20	16	27
Picks, American inspection	30	40	40	50
Three uppers, Am. inspection	50	60	60	70

BRICK—M

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

Pressed Brick, Per M:

Red, No. 1, f.o.b. Beamsville	16	16	16	16
" " " " " "	14	14	14	14
" " " " " "	9	9	9	9
Buff	21	21	21	21
Brown	24	24	24	24
Roman Red	30	30	30	30
" " Buff	35	35	35	35
" " Brown	40	40	40	40
Sewer	7	7	7	7
Hard Building	6	6	6	6
Roof Tiles	22	22	22	22
Hip Tile (each)	20	20	20	20
Ridge Tile	6	6	6	6
Red "A" f.o.b. Don Valley	18	18	18	18
Red "B" " " " "	16	16	16	16
Red "C" " " " "	13	13	13	13
Trojan and Corinthian	21	21	21	21
Pompeian	22	22	22	22
Athenian and Egyptian	25	25	25	25
Tyrian	35	35	35	35
Sicilian	40	40	40	40
Roman	35	35	35	35
Carthaginian	40	40	40	40
Ornamental	30	30	30	30

1st quality, f.o.b. at Port Credit	14	14	14	14
2nd " " " "	12	12	12	12
3rd " " " "	8	8	8	8
Hard building brick	6	6	6	6
Ornamental, per 100	3	3	3	3

SAND.

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

Common Rubble, per tonise, delivered	14	14	14	14
Large flat Rubble, per tonise, delivered	18	18	18	18
Foundation Blocks, per c. ft.	50	50	50	50
Kent Freestone Quarries	1	1	1	1
Moncton, N. B., per cu ft., f.o.b.	1	1	1	1
River John, N. S., brown	95	95	95	95
Freestone, per cu. ft., f.o.b. Ballochmyle	80	90	65	75
New York Blue Stone	1	1	1	1
Granite (Stanstead) Ashlar, 6 in. to 12 in. rise 9 in., per ft. Most Freestone	70	80	75	80
Thomson's Gateawbridge, cu. ft. Credit Valley Rubble, per car of 15 tons, at quarry	8	8	8	8
Credit Valley Brown Coursing, up to 10 inch, per sup. yard, at quarry	1	1	1	1
Credit Valley Brown Dimension, per cu. ft. at quarry	60	60	60	60
Credit Valley Grey Coursing, per superficial yard	1	1	1	1
Credit Valley Grey Dimension, per cubic foot	60	60	60	60
Madoc Rubble, delivered, per tonise	14	14	14	14
Madoc dimension floating, f. o. b. Toronto, per cubic ft.	70	70	70	70
Ohio Freestone, No. 1 Blue Promiscuous, f.o.b.	60	60	60	60
No. 1 Blue Dimension	65	65	65	65
No. 1 Buff Promiscuous	80	80	80	80
No. 1 Buff Dimension	85	85	85	85

The above prices means freight and duty paid.

2 in. sawed flagging per sq. ft.	11	11	11	11
2 1/2 " " " "	13	13	13	13
3 " " " "	16	16	16	16
4 " " " "	21	21	21	21
5 " " " "	27	27	27	27
6 " " " "	33	33	33	33

Duty to be added to these prices.

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

SLATE.

Roofing (per square)	16	16	16	16
" red	16	16	16	16
" purple	9	9	9	9
" unlading green	8	8	8	8
" black	8	8	8	8
Terra Cotta Tile, per sq.	22	22	22	22
Ornamental Black Slate Roofing	8	8	8	8

PAINTS. (In oil, per lb.)

White lead, Can., per 100 lbs.	6	5	6	6
" zinc, Can., " "	6	5	6	6
Red lead, Eng.	4	4	4	4
" venetian, per 100 lbs.	1	1	1	1
" vermilion	90	100	90	100
" Indian, Eng.	10	10	10	10
Yellow ochre	5	5	5	5
Yellow chrome	15	15	15	15
Green chrome	7	7	7	7
" Paris	20	25	20	25
Black lamp	15	15	15	15
Blue, ultramarine	15	15	15	15
Oil, linseed, raw & Imp. gal.	14	14	14	14
" " " " " "	57	63	63	68
" " " " " "	78	85	75	75
Putty	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Whiting, 1 lb. per 100 lbs.	75	100	60	75
Paris white, fine, dry	90	125	90	110
Litharge, E. g.	4	5	4	5
Sienna, burnt	10	15	12	15
Umber	8 1/2	12	12	15

CEMENT, LIME, etc.

Cement, Portland, per bbl.	2	3	2	3
" German	3	3	3	3
" London	2	2	2	2
" Newcastle	2	2	2	2

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Cement, Belgian, per 100 lbs.	2	2	2	2
" Canadian	2	2	2	2
" Roman	4	4	4	4
" Parian	4	4	4	4
" Superfine	6	6	6	6
" Thorold	1	1	1	1
" Queenston	1	1	1	1
" Napanee	1	1	1	1
" Hull	1	1	1	1
Keene's Coarse "Whites"	4	4	4	4
Calced plaster, per barrel	1	1	1	1
Fire Bricks, Newcastle, per M	23	30	17	22
Scotch	23	30	17	22
Lime, Per Barrel, Grey	40	40	40	40
" " White	55	55	55	55
Plaster, Calced, N. B.	2	2	2	2
" " N. S.	2	2	2	2
Hair, Plasterers', per bag	80	80	80	80

HARDWARE.

Cut nails, 5d & 6d, per keg	2	2	2	2
Steel	2	2	2	2
CUT NAILS, FENCE AND CUT SPIKES.				
40d, hot cut, per 100 lbs	5	5	5	5
30d, " " " "	1	1	1	1
20d, 16d and 12d, hot cut, per 100 lbs.	15	15	15	15
10d, hot cut, per 100 lbs.	20	20	20	20
8d, 9d, " " " "	25	25	25	25
6d, 7d, " " " "	40	40	40	40
4d to 5d, " " " "	60	60	60	60
3d, " " " "	100	100	100	100
2d, " " " "	150	150	150	150
4d to 5d cold cut, not polished or blued, per 100 lbs.	50	50	50	50
3d to 5d cold cut, not polished or blued, per 100 lbs.	90	90	90	90
FINE BLUED NAILS.				
3d, per 100 lbs.	1	1	1	1
2d, " " " "	2	2	2	2

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, " " " "	110	110
3d, " " " "	150	150
FINISHING NAILS.		
3 inch, per 100 lbs.	85	85
2 1/2 to 2 3/4 " " " "	100	100
2 to 2 1/2 " " " "		