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Prices of Building Materials.

CONDITION OF THE MARKET.

The market for builders' supplies remains unchanged, no particular lines being in very brisk demand. The cement trade is quieter than for some time past, and prices are about the same. Hardware is also quieter, shelf goods only meeting with a fair demand.

LUMBER.

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

	Toronto. $	Toronto. $	Montreal. $	Montreal. $
1¾ to 2 clear picks, Am ins	33 00@36 00		40 00@45 00	
1¾ to 2 three uppers, Am ins.		37 00	40 00	45 00
1¾ to 2, pickings, Am ins		26 00	27 00	30 00
3 inch clear			52 50	60 00
1 x 10 and 12 dressing and better		20 00	22 00	18 00 20 00
1 x 10 and 12 mill run		16 00	17 00	19 00
1 x 10 and 12 dressing		20 00	22 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
1 inch clear and picks		28 00	3200	33 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		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
1¾ 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
1¾ inch flooring		16 00	17 00	14 00 15 00
1¾ inch flooring		16 00	17 00	14 00 16 00
XXX shingles, sawn, per M 16 in.		2 50	2 60	50 2 70
XX 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, 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	10 00
Hemlock scantling and joist up to 18 ft		12 00	13 00	12 00 13 00
Hemlock scantling and joist up to 20 ft		13 00	14 00	13 00 14 00
Scantling and joist, up to 16 ft			14 00	14 00
" " 18 ft			15 00	15 00
" " 20 ft			16 00	16 00
" " 22 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

	Toronto.	Montreal.
Cutting up planks, 1¾ and thicker, dry	25 00 28 00	25 00 26 00
Cutting up planks, 1¾ and thicker, board	18 00 24 00	18 00 22 00
Cedar for block paving, per cord	5 00	5 00
Cedar for Kerbing, 4 x 14, per M	14 00	14 00
	B. M.	
1⅜ in. flooring, dressed, F M	26 00 30 00	28 00 31 00
1½ inch flooring, rough, B M	18 00 22 00	18 00 22 00
1¼ " dressed, F M	25 00 28 00	27 00 30 00
1¼ " undressed, B M	18 00 19 00	18 00 19 00
1¼ " dressed	18 00 20 00	18 00 22 00
1¼ " undressed	12 00 15 00	12 00 15 00
Beaded sheeting, dressed	20 00 35 00	22 00 35 00
Clapboarding, dressed	12 00	12 00
XXX sawn shingles, per M 18 in	2 60 2 70	3 00
Sawn lath	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
Basswood, 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	24 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
Tree uppers, Am. inspection	50 00	50 00
BRICK—₩ M		
Common Walling	7 50	6 00
Good Facing	9 00	8 50
Sewer	8 50 9 00	8 50 9 00
Pressed Brick, Per M:		
Plain brick, f. o. b. at Milton	16 00	
" " 2nd quality	14 00	
" " 3rd "	8 00	
Hard Building	4 50	
Moulded and Ornamental, per 100	3 00 10 00	
Roof Tiles	24 00	
Diamond locking tile	16 00	
First quality, f.o.b. at Campbellville	18 00	25 00
2nd quality, f.o.b	14 00	20 00
3rd " "	12 00	17 00
Ornamental, per 100	3 00 10 00	3 00 10 00
Tiles	24 00	26 00
Plain brick, "A" f o b, Don Valley	18 00	25 00
" " "B"	16 00	22 00
" " "C"	13 00	18 00
Trojan or Buff	24 00	30 00
Ornamental, per 100	3 00 60 00	3 00 60 00
Plain brick, f.o.b. Port Credit	18 00	
" " 2nd quality	13 00	
" " 3rd "	10 00	
Hard Building	8 00	
Ornamental, per 100	3 00 10 0	
SAND.		
Per Load of 1½ Cubic Yards	1 25	1 25
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.	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	
Ballochmyle	80 90	65 75
New York Blue Stone		1 05
Granite (Stanstead) Ashlar, 6 in. to 12 in., rise 9 in., per ft.		25
Moat Freestone		70 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	2 90
Credit Valley Brown Dimension, per cubic foot	90	90
Credit Valley Grey Coursing, per superficial yard	1 50 2 00	2 15
Credit Valley Grey Dimension, per cubic foot	75	8
Madoc Rubble, delivered, per toise	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 flagging per sq. ft	11	
2½ " " " "	13¾	
3½ " " " "	16½	
4½ " " " "	22	
5½ " " " "	27½	
6½ " " " "	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 4½ in., per M	50 00	
Granite curbing stone, 6 in. x 20 in., per lineal foot	70	
SLATE.		
Roofing (₩ *square*).		
" red	16 00	20 00
" purple	9 00	10 00
" unfading green	8 50	6 00
" black	8 00	7 50
Terra Cotta Tile, per sq	22 00	
Ornamental Black Slate Roofing	8 00	
PAINTS. (In oil, ₩ 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	5½ 6½	6
" venetian, per 100 lbs	1 60 1 75	1 60 1 75
" vermillion	90 1 00	90 1 00
" Indian, Eng	10 12	10 12
Yellow ochre	5 10	4 6
Yellow chrome	15 20	15 20
Green, chrome	7 12	7 12
" Paris	25 40	20 20

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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
" " boiled "	68 72	66 68
" " refined, "	78 85	75 75
Putty	2¾ 2½	2¾ 2½
Whiting, dry, per 100 lbs	75 1 00	60 75
Paris white, Eng., dry	90 1 25	90 1 10
Litharge, Am	6½ 8	6½ 8
Sienna, burnt	15 20	12 15
Umber, "	8½ 12	12 15
CEMENT, LIME, etc.		
Cement, Portland, per bbl	2 50	
" English "	2 75	2 10 2 25
" Belgium "	3 25	1 95 2 05
" Thorold, "	1 50	
" Queenston, "	2 25	
" Napanee, "	1 50	
" Hull, "	1 50	
" German "		2 65 2 85
" London "		2 45 2 90
" Newcastle "		2 35 2 50
" Belgian "		2 30 2 40
" Canadian "		2 25 2 30
" Roman "		2 75
" Parian "		4 50 4 75
" Superfine "		6 50 7 00
Keene's Coarse "Whites"		4 50 4 75
Calcined plaster, per barrel		1 55 1 70
Fire Bricks, Newcastle, per M		16 50 21 00
" Scotch "		24 00 30 00
Lime, Per Barrel, Grey	40	
" " White	55	
Plaster, Calcined, N. B.	2 00	
" " N. S.	2 00	
Hair, Plasterers', per bag	80 1 00	
HARDWARE.		
Cut nails, 5cd & 6cd, 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
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 inch, per 100 lbs	85	85
2½ to 2¾ " " "	1 00	1 00
2 to 2¼ " " "	1	1 35
1½ to 1¾ " " "	35	1 35
1¼ " " "	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 50
COMMON BARREL NAILS.		
1 inch, per 100 lbs	1 50	1 50
⅞ " " "	1 75	75
¾ " " "	2 25	2 25
CLINCH NAILS.		
⅞ inch, per 100 lbs.	85	85
⅞ and 2¼ " " "	1 00	1 00
2 and 2¼ " " "	1 15	1 15
1½ and 1¾ " "	1 35	1 35
1¼ " "	2 00	2 00
1 " "	2 50	2 50
SHARP AND FLAT PRESSED NAILS.		
3 inch, per 100 lbs.	1 35	1 35
2½ and 2¾ " " "	1 50	1 50
2 and 2¼ " " "	1 65	1 65
1½ and 1¾ " " "	1 85	1 85
1¼ " " "	2 50	2 50
1 " " "	3 00	3 00
Structural Iron:		
Steel beams, per 100 lbs	2 75	2 50
" channels, "	2 85	2 60
" angles, "	2 50	2 30
" tees, "	2 80	2 05
" plates, "	2 55	2 35
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