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Prices of Building Materials.

CONDITION OF THE MARKET.

There has been no material change in the condition of the market since our last report, prices remaining unchanged. We learn that some good-sized contracts have been secured by local brick firms. The demand for cement is slow, and no improvement is looked for until the mild weather sets in. Hardware is also quiet. Window glass and paints and oils show some improvement, orders being received for spring shipment. There is some uncertainty about duties on leads and paints, a deputation having visited Ottawa last week to consult the Cabinet regarding the tariff.

LUMBER.

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

Toronto. Montreal.

1 1/2 to 2 clear picks, Am ins.	33 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	58 50	60 00	
3 x 10 and 12 dressing and better	20 00	27 00	18 00 20 00
1 x 10 and 12 mill run	17 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	33 00	35 00
1 inch dressing and better	20 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	12 00 13 00
1 inch strips, common	11 00	12 00	11 00 12 00
1 1/2 inch flooring	16 00	17 00	14 00 15 00
1 1/2 inch flooring	16 00	17 00	14 00 15 00
XXX shingles, saw, per M	2 50	2 60	2 60 2 60
XX shingles, sawn	1 50	1 60	1 60 1 70
Lath	2 40		

VAID 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 6 ft.	11 00	12 00
Hemlock scantling and joist up to 18 ft.	12 00	13 00
Hemlock scantling and joist up to 20 ft.	13 00	14 00
Scantling and joist, up to 16 ft	14 00	14 00
" " " " " " " "	15 00	15 00
" " " " " " " "	16 00	16 00
" " " " " " " "	17 00	17 00
" " " " " " " "	18 00	18 00
" " " " " " " "	19 00	19 00
" " " " " " " "	20 00	20 00
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" " " " " " " "	24 00	24 00
" " " " " " " "	25 00	25 00
" " " " " " " "	26 00	26 00
" " " " " " " "	27 00	27 00
" " " " " " " "	28 00	28 00
" " " " " " " "	29 00	29 00
" " " " " " " "	30 00	30 00
" " " " " " " "	31 00	31 00
" " " " " " " "	32 00	32 00
" " " " " " " "	33 00	33 00
" " " " " " " "	34 00	34 00

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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	28 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	
1 1/2 in. flooring, dressed, F.M.	26 00	30 00	28 00	31 00
1 1/2 in. flooring, rough, B.M.	18 00	22 00	18 00	22 00
1 1/2 " " dressed, F.M.	23 00	27 00	27 00	30 00
1 1/2 " " undressed, B.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	12 00	15 00	12 00	15 00
Beaded sheeting, dressed	20 00	22 00	22 00	25 00
Clapboarding, dressed	12 00		12 00	
XXX sawn shingles, per M				
18 in.	2 60	2 70	3 00	
Sawnlath	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	70 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		30 00	
Three uppers, Am. inspection	50 00		50 00	

BRICK—per 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			
" " and 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	
and 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 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		90	
Balochmyle	80	90	65	75
New York Blue Stone				1 05
Granite (Stanstead) Ashlar, 6 in. to 12 in., rise 9 in., per ft.			70	85
Moat Freestone			75	80
Thomson's Gateawbridge, cu. ft.				
Credit Valley Rubble, per ton, 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	
Credit Valley Grey Coursing, per superficial yard	1 50	2 00		2 15
Credit Valley Grey Dimension, per cubic foot			75	85
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 flaggings per sq. ft	11		13 1/2	
3 1/2 " " " "	12 1/2		16 1/2	
4 " " " "	22			
5 1/2 " " " "	27 1/2			
6 1/2 " " " "	33			

SLATE.

Roofing (per square)			16 00	20 00
" red			9 00	10 00
" purple			8 50	6 00
" unflaming green			8 00	7 50
" black			22 00	
Terra Cotta Tile, per sq. ft.			8 00	
Ornamental Black Slate Roofing				

PAINTS. (In oil, per 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		
" venetian, per 100 lbs.	1 60	1 75	1 60	1 75
" vermilion	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	7 1/2	7	7 1/2
" Paris	2	40		

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Black lamp	15	25	12	25
Blue, ultramarine	15	20	12	18
Oil, linseed, raw, 1 imp. gal.	65	68	63	65
" " boiled	68	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 50			
" English	3 25	2 10	2 25	
" Belgium	3 25	1 95	2 05	
" Thorold	1 50			
" Queenston	1 10			
" Nananee	1 50			
" Hull	1 50			
" German		2 65	2 85	
" London		2 45	2 50	
" Newcastle		2 30	2 40	
" Belgian		2 25	2 30	
" Canadian		2 75		
" Roman		4 50	4 75	
" Superfine		6 50	7 00	
Keene's Coarse "Whites"		4 50	4 75	
Calced plaster, per barrel		1 55	1 70	
Fire Bricks, Newcastle, per M Scotch		16 50	21 00	
Lime, Per Barrel, Grey		40		
" " White		55		
Plaster, Calcined, N. B.		2 00		
" " N. S.		2 00		
Hair, Plasterers', per bag		80		

HARDWARE.

Cut nails, 5 d & 6 d, 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	
FINER 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			