

	Area sq. miles.
237- " No. 15	45
238- " No. 16	34
239- River Rapide, No. 1	18
240- " No. 2	40
241- " No. 3	30
242- River Moisie, No. 1	34
243- " No. 2	36
244- " No. 3	20
245- " No. 4	4
246- " No. 5	0
247- " No. 6	9
248- " No. 7	6
249- " No. 8	6
250- " No. 9	13
251- " No. 10	16
252- River la Truite, No. 1	17
253- " No. 2	7
254- " No. 3	25
255- River la Truite, No. 4	20
256- " No. 5	9
257- " No. 6	9
258- " No. 7	2
259- " No. 8	7
260- " No. 9	20
261- River St. Charles, No. 1	25
262- River au Loup Marin, No. 1	16
263- " No. 2	30
264- " No. 3	17
265- River Pigou, No. 3	34
266- " No. 4	47
LAKE SAINT JOHN NORTH WEST	
267- Range 1, north of lake St. John, No. 2	31
268- " " " No. 3	29
269- Range 2, " " No. 3	18
270- " " " No. 4	25
271- Range 3, n. th of lake St. John, No. 4	28
272- River Mistassibi No. 4	13 1/2
273- Little River Peribonka	29
LAKE SAINT JOHN WEST	
274- Township Dalmas	60
275- River au Saumon No. 1	46
276- " No. 2	49
277- " No. 3	41 1/2
278- River Alex A	7
279- " B	5 1/2
280- River Little Peribonka	5 1/2
LAKE SAINT JOHN CENTRE	
281- River Oulatchouan, No. 141	19 1/2
282- " No. 14	25
283- River Metabetchuan, No. 162	24
284- " No. 163	30
285- " No. 164	37
286- " No. 165	24
287- " No. 166	34 1/2
288- " No. 167	25

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

No limit will be adjudged at less than the minimum price fixed by the department.
 The limits will be adjudged to the highest bidder, on payment of the purchase price, in cash or by cheque accepted by a duly incorporated bank. Failing payment, they will immediately be re-offered for sale.
 The annual ground rent of three dollars per mile, with fire tax, is also payable immediately.
 Those timber limits, when adjudged, will be subject to the provisions of all timber regulations now in force or which may be enacted hereafter.
 Plans of limits offered for sale are open for inspection in the Department of Lands, Forests and Fisheries, in this city, and at the offices of the Crown lands and timber agents in the different agencies in which said limits are situated, up to the day of sale.
 N. B.—No account for publication of this notice will be recognized, if such publication has not been expressly authorized by the department.

S. N. PARENT,
 Commissioner of Lands,
 Forests and Fisheries.

For a large bridge to be built at Charlottetown, P.E.I., 1,000,000 feet of timber will be furnished by H. H. Acorn, of Souris, and 3,000,000 feet of hemlock by Rhodes, Curry & Company, of Amherst, N.S.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

If any change in lumber during the past week, it has been in the direction of a hardening of prices. That all the stock manufactured this season will find a market within a reasonable time is the opinion held by the trade generally. Already large shipments of pine are being made to Michigan points and the Eastern States. Last week several million feet went from the Georgian Bay district to Tonawanda and Saginaw, also a large quantity of lath, which is in good demand. Nearly all the mills are operating day and night, and much of the output is already contracted for. In the event of all the logs reaching the mills, the cut this year will be large. There is some apprehension that a portion of the log production may be hung up, although late rains have improved the outlook. The trade in hardwoods is still quiet. Some dealers report a good demand for elm, others for maple, with the total volume of business below what it should be. Shingles continue scarce, but this will soon be relieved by the new cut.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The spruce lumber market is showing a little more strength. The number of vessels loading at the various ports indicates that the quantity of lumber purchased for foreign shipment is larger than was generally supposed. Two vessels have been chartered to load at St. John for Australia, and one for France. The West Indies is also likely to provide a market for a greater quantity of lumber than last year. Clapboards are higher, selling at \$30 to \$31 for extra spruce, and \$28 to \$29 for clear, on Boston rate of freight. The supply of cedar shingles is not large, and quotations are unchanged at \$2.90 to \$3.00 for extras. The outlook for the log drives is still uncertain. On the Upper St. John about 70,000,000 feet is in danger of being hung up. Should this be the case, the cut of lumber in New Brunswick this year will be unusually light.

UNITED STATES.

The shipments of pine lumber from the Mississippi and Wisconsin producing districts since the first of the year have been over 20 per cent. in excess of the shipments for the same months in 1900. This increase is due to an expansion in building operations, as is forcibly illustrated by the volume of building permits issued. In twenty-one of the principal cities of the United States the permits for April show a gain of over 200 per cent. as compared with April, 1900. The lumber situation is therefore very strong, and it is predicted that prices will be maintained with great uniformity throughout the season. Buffalo and Tonawanda are shipping

by water to the east, where the demand is increasing for both building and manufacturing purposes. Stocks at Tonawanda are badly broken, but cargoes now arriving will help out in this respect. The first cargo was received on May 10th, from the Georgian Bay district, and consisted of 2,000,000 feet of pine. A peculiar circumstance has risen in respect to box lumber. At the mills it has been advanced, while in the eastern market prices have fallen off from fifty cents to one dollar per thousand. In the Saginaw valley there are no large stocks of pine in first hands. Log run ranges from \$16 to \$25, box from \$12 to \$16, and mill culls from \$12 to \$13. An improvement in the demand for quartered oak is about the only change in the hardwoods, which exhibit much less life than pine and spruce. Shingles and lath continue scarce and strong. In Chicago No. 1. mixed pine lath brings \$2.75 by cargo, and No. 1. white pine \$3.25.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The import of sawn and hewn timber into the United Kingdom during the four months ended April 30th was 637,854 loads, compared with 571,906 loads in the corresponding period of last year. This increase is not healthy, in view of the large stock and the general uncertainty of the market. Trade is exceedingly quiet, and buying is being done in a hand-to-mouth manner. The agents of shippers are not forcing sales, believing that such a course would result in depressing the market. One or two Swedish shippers are said to have made low offers and to have closed contracts at £8 10s to £8 15s for battens c.i.f. London. Spruce deals have exhibited further weakness, but it is said that large quantities have been purchased to arrive, and this stock is likely to be held at firm prices. Pine prices have been sustained, but with difficulty, as there is a large stock on the London and Liverpool markets. The stock of square and waney pine at Liverpool is about 2,500 cubic feet larger than one year ago.

J. W. Munro, of Pembroke, Ont., expects to saw 9,000,000 feet of pine lumber this season. Last winter he took out 16,000,000 feet of logs in addition. He is also shipping 500,000 feet of square timber to Great Britain.

ENQUIRIES FOR WOOD PRODUCTS.

Enquiries have been made at the office of the High Commissioner, London, England, for the following:
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