

WINNIPEG LUMBER PRICES.

Following is the new wholesale list of white pine lumber prices. The terms applicable to these prices are 60 days or 2 per cent. off for cash in 20 days from date of invoice. These prices are on a delivered basis:

TIMBER AND DIMENSION.—Timber 4x10, 12, 6x10 and 12, and 8x8 to 12x 2, 14 and 16 feet long, \$13.50; timber, 6x6, 6x8, 4x4 to 4x8 and 3x6 to 3x12, 14 and 16 feet long, \$17; dimension, 2x4 to 2x8, 12, 14 and 16 feet long, \$16.50; dimension, 2x10, 2x12, 12, 14 and 16 feet long, \$17; dimension, 2x4, 10 feet long, \$17.50; dimension, 2x8 to 2x12, 10 feet long, \$16; dimension, 2x6, 10 feet long, \$15; dimension, 2x4 to 2x12, 6 and 8 feet long, \$13.50; cull plank, all widths, \$10.50; cull planks, re-sawn, \$10.50. \$1.00 per M advance on each inch over 12 in. in depth and width. \$1.00 per M advance on each 2 feet over 16 feet.

BOARDS.—First common boards, red pine, 10 to 18 feet, \$23; seconds, 10 to 18 feet, \$27; third, 10 to 18 feet, \$16; fourth, 10 to 18 feet, \$14; fifth, 10 to 18 feet, \$9; 1/4 inch sheathing, S.I.S., 10 to 18 feet \$14; second common stock, 12 inch, 10 to 18 feet, \$18.50; second common stock, 8 to 10 inch, 10 to 18 feet, \$17.50; No. 1 wide box boards, 10 to 18 feet, \$27; No. 2, 10 to 18 feet, \$19.50. \$2.00 per M less for 6 and 8 feet. Re-sawing boards \$1.00 per M extra.

SHIPLAP.—Shiplap, 8 and 10 in., \$18; 6 in., \$17; culls, 8 and 10 in., \$15.50; culls, 6 in., \$12.50. \$2.00 per M less for 8 feet and under.

FLOORING, SIDING AND CEILING.—Flooring and siding, 8 and 10 in., \$20; 8 and 10 in. culls \$16.50; flooring, siding and ceiling, 4, 5 and 6 in., first white pine, \$36; do., second white pine, \$33; do., third white pine, \$26; flooring, siding and ceiling, 5 and 6 in., first and second red pine, \$28.50; do., 4 in., first and second red pine, \$26; do., 5 and 6 in., third red pine, \$23.50; do., 4 in., third red pine, \$21.50; do., 5 and 6 in., fourth red and white pine, \$19.50; do., 4 in., fourth red and white pine, \$17.50; do., 4, 5 and 6 in. culls, \$15.50. \$2.00 per M less for 8 feet and under. \$1.00 per M advance for dressing two sides. 1 1/2 in. and 1 1/2 in. flooring \$1.00 per M advance over 1 inch. Bevel siding, No. 1, 1/2 in. x 6 in., \$21.50; No. 2, 1/2 in. x 6 in., \$18.50.

FINISHING.—1 1/4, 1 1/2 and 2 in., 1st, and 3rd, clear white pine, 8 and 10 in., \$46.50; do. 12 in. and wider, \$48.50; 1 1/4, 1 1/2 and 2 in. select white pine, 8 and 10 in., \$36.50; do., 12 in. and wider, \$38.50. 1 1/4, 1 1/2 and 2 in. shiplap, 8 and 10 in., \$31.50; do., 12 in. and wider, \$33.50. \$5.00 per M advance on 2 1/2 in. and wider. 1 1/4, 1 1/2 and 2 in. clear red pine, 8, 10 and 12 in., \$32.50; do., 12 in. and wider, \$34.50; 1 1/4, 1 1/2 and 2 in. select red pine, 8 and 10 in., \$28; do., 12 in. and wider, \$30; 1 in. first and second clear white pine, 8 and 10 in., \$49; do., 12 in. and wider, \$51; 1 in., third clear white pine, 8 and 10 in., \$38; do., 12 in. and wider, \$40; 1 in., 1/2 select clear white pine 8 and 10 in., \$31.50; do., 12 in. and wider, \$33.50; 1 in. C select clear white pine, 8 and 10 in., \$26.50; do., 12 in. and wider, \$28.50; 1 in. clear red pine, 8 and 10 in., \$32.50; do., 12 in. and wider, \$34.50; 1 in., select red pine, 8 and 10 in., \$27.50; do., 12 in. and wider, \$29.50.

MOULDINGS.—Parting strips, per 100 lineal feet, 40c; window stops, 50c; door stops, 75c; quarter round and cove, 50c; 4 in. casing, \$1.50; 5 in. casing, \$2; 6 in. casing, \$2.40; 8 in. base, \$3.25; 10 in. base, \$4. All other mouldings 50 per cent. discount of universal moulding list.

LATH.—Per M, \$3.50.
PINE SHINGLES.—6 in. clear butts, per M., \$1.50.

CONDITIONS AT ALBANY.

Owing to the unusually heavy trade the past winter, pine stocks are rather light and if business holds out as it has started, and the indications are that it will, the market will be pretty well gutted before new lumber can be received by canal. The New York Lumber Trade Journal says that spruce stocks are even in a worse condition than pine, as almost everything saleable in that line was cleaned out before navigation closed last fall. The spruce dealers, however, are already beginning to receive stock from their mills by rail, and will soon have on hand a complete assortment, and are at present booking orders for anything in their line. Prices on both pine and spruce are stiff and high, and there is no probability of their weakening any before new stock arrives, even if they do then.

Buyers have been quite numerous in the district during the past week and have bought liberally.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW.

Navigation is due to open any day, as the ice in the river disappeared some time ago and very little is reported in the bay. There will not be many million feet of lumber to ship by water, but the receipts the ensuing season are estimated at 125,000,000 feet. The greater portion of this will come from Canada, and charters have already been made on a basis of \$1.50 a thousand feet. Dealers will want this lumber as fast as it can be obtained, but much of it is already in the log. Local stocks have been somewhat depleted during the winter, the volume of business having kept up remarkably well for this time in the year. Some dealers have been getting in lumber bought in the Northern portion of the State and elsewhere by rail, which has helped out in replenishing

stocks. L. C. Slade has purchased block at Grayling and at Manistee which comes in by rail, and 200 carloads from Duluth, which will keep him going until the middle of the summer. Other dealers are also getting in stock. The Saginaw Lumber & Salt Company, which has removed its mill to Sandwich, Ont., is clearing up the remainder of its stock cut here and sold 1,750,000 feet the present week to local dealers. The mill of the firm at Sandwich will be started in April, having 5,000,000 feet of logs in boom and a barge all made up in Georgian Bay, ready for the tugs to hitch to. Three or four river mills are cutting lumber, and other are getting ready for work. The lumber market continues strong, with quotation running from \$16 to \$25 for white pine log run and \$13 to \$16 for box. In the yard business is good, and the tendency of prices is along the hardening lines. Cans are fairly supplied. Lath continues scarce at \$3.60 for No. 1 and \$3.10 for No. 2 white pine; No. 1 hemlock \$2.90, and No. 2 \$2.15. —Timber Trade Journal.

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