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Prices of Building Materials.
 CONDITION OF THE MARKET.

With the country trade the demand for builders' supplies is keeping up fairly well, but there has been no marked improvement in the city trade. General hardware is moving freely, the demand being mostly for shelf goods. A moderate jobbing improvement is reported in lead pipe and galvanized iron. Iron pipe is quiet and prices remain unchanged. The arrivals of cement in Montreal for last week were 2,300 barrels of Belgian. The total receipts at that port for the season up to date are 36,750 barrels of English and 15,025 Belgian, as against 68,800 and 15,975 barrels last year. Business in that line is very limited. The price of glass is unsatisfactory, and cutting is being practiced. We quote \$1.20 to \$1.25 for first break.

LUMBER.
 CAN OR CARBO LOTS.

	Toronto.	Montreal.
1 1/2 to 2 clear picks, Am. ins.	33 00 @ 36 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	52 50	60 00
3 x 10 and 12 dressing and better.	20 00	22 00 18 00 20 00
2 x 10 and 12 mill run	16 00	17 00 19 00
2 x 10 and 12 dressing	20 00	22 00 18 00
2 x 10 and 12 common	13 00	14 00 8 00 10 00
2 x 10 and 12 spruce culls	10 00	11 00 10 00 12 00
2 x 10 and 12 culls	9 00	10 00 9 00
1 inch clear and pickings	28 00	32 00 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
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 14 00 15 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 16 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	

VALD 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
Cedar for block paving, per cord	5 00	5 00
Cedar for Kerbing, 4 x 14, per M	14 00	14 00
Scantling and joist, up to 16 ft	14 00	14 00 15 00 15 00
" " " " " " " "	18 ft	15 00 16 00 16 00
" " " " " " " "	20 ft	16 00 16 00 16 00
Scantling and joist, up to 22 ft	17 00	17 00
" " " " " " " "	24 ft	19 00 19 00 20 00
" " " " " " " "	26 ft	20 00 21 00 21 00
" " " " " " " "	28 ft	22 00 23 00 23 00
" " " " " " " "	30 ft	24 00 25 00 25 00
" " " " " " " "	32 ft	27 00 27 00
" " " " " " " "	34 ft	29 00 29 00
" " " " " " " "	36 ft	31 00 31 00
" " " " " " " "	38 ft	33 00 33 00
" " " " " " " "	44 ft	34 00 36 00
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	18 00	24 00 18 00 22 00
1 1/2 in. flooring, dressed, F.M.	26 00	28 00 31 00
1 1/2 inch flooring, rough, F.M.	18 00	22 00 18 00 22 00
1 1/2 " " " " " " " "	25 00	28 00 27 00 30 00
1 1/2 " " " " " " " "	18 00	19 00 18 00 19 00
1 1/2 " " " " " " " "	18 00	20 00 18 00 22 00
1 1/2 " " " " " " " "	12 00	15 00 12 00 15 00
Beaded sheeting, dressed	20 00	25 00 22 00 35 00
Clapboarding, dressed	12 00	12 00
XXX sawn shingles, per M	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

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White ash, No. 1 and 2	34 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	40 00	40 00
Three uppers, Am. inspection	57 00	57 00	50 00	50 00

BRICK - M

Common Walling	6 10	6 10	6 00	6 00
Good Facing	8 00	8 00	8 50	8 50
Sewer	8 50	8 50	8 50	9 00

Pressed Brick, Per M:

Red, No. 1, f.o.b. Beauville	16 0			
" " " " "	14 0			
" " " " "	9 0			
Buff	21 00			
Brown	24 00			
Roman Red	30 00			
" Buff	35 00			
" Brown	40 00			
Sewer	7 50			
Hard Building	6 0			
Roof Tiles	22 00			
Hip Tile (each)	20			
Ridge Tile	60			

Red "A" f.o.b. Don Valley	18 00	25 00		
Red "B" " " "	16 00	20 00		
Red "C" " " "	15 00	17 00		
Trojan and Corinthian	21 00	28 00		
Pompeian	22 00	29 00		
Athenian and Egyptian	25 00	31 00		
Tyrian	35 00	41 00		
Sicilian	40 00	45 00		
Roman	35 00	40 00		
Carthaginian	40 00	45 00		
Ornamental	30 00	100 00	30 00	100 00

1st quality, f.o.b. at Port Credit	14 00	18 00		
2nd " " " "	12 00	15 00		
3rd " " " "	8 00	12 00		
Hard building brick	6 50			
Ornamental, per 100	3 00	10 00		

SAND.

Per Load of 1 1/2 Cubic Yards	1 25	1 25		
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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.	4 50	5 00		
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			
Balochmyle	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 car of 15 tons, at quarry	8 00			
Credit Valley Brown Coursing, up to 10 inch, per sup. yard, at quarry	1 75			
Credit Valley Brown Dimension, per cu. ft. at quarry	60			
Credit Valley Grey Coursing, per superficial yard	1 50	2 00	2 15	
Credit Valley Grey Dimension, per cubic foot	60		75	
Madoc Rubble, delivered, per toise	14 00	14 50	14 00	14 50
Madoc dimension floating, f. o. b. Toronto, per cubic ft.	70	32		
Ohio Freestone, No. 1 Blue Promiscuous, f.o.b.	60			
No. 2 Blue Dimension	65			
No. 1 Buff Promiscuous	80			
No. 2 Buff Dimension	85			

The above prices means freight and duty paid.

2 in. sawed flagging per sq. ft.	11			
" " " "	13 1/2			
" " " "	16 1/2			
" " " "	22			
" " " "	27 1/2			
" " " "	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 4 1/2 in., per M	50 00			
Granite curbing stone, 6 in. x 20 in., per lineal foot	70			

SLATE.

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

PAINTS. (In oil, @ lb.)

White lead, Can., per 100 lbs.	6 25	5 50	6 00	6 25
" zinc, Can., " "	6 50	7 50	7 50	8 00
Red lead, Eng.	4 00	5 00		6
" 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	12	7	12
" Paris	20	25	20	20
Black lamp	15	25	12	25
Blue, ultramarine	15	20	12	18
Oil, linseed, raw, f. imp. gal.	54	59	63	65
" " " " " "	57	63	66	68
" " " " " "	78	85	75	75
" " " " " "	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, Eng.	4	5	6 1/2	8
Sienna, burnt	1 1/2	1 5	1 2	1 5
Umber	8 1/2	1 2	12	15

CEMENT, LIME, etc.

Cement, Portland, per bbl.	2 25	3 50	3 50	
" German		3 25	2 65	2 85
" London		2 75	2 45	2 90
" Newcastle		2 50	2 05	2 30

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Cement, Belgian, per bbl.	2 30	2 10	2 50	
" Canadian	2 0	2 50	2 25	2 30
" Roman			2 75	
" Rorian	4 50	4 7	4 10	4 75
" Superfine	6 50	7 00	6 50	7 00
" Thorold				
" Queenston	1 0			
" Napanee	1 5			
" Hull				
Keene's Coarse "Whites"	4 50	4 75	4 50	4 75
Calcined plaster, per barrel			1 55	1 70
Fire Bricks, Newcastle, per M	23 00	30 00	17 50	22 00
" Scotch	23 00	0 00	24 00	30 00
Lime, Per Barrel, Grey			4 00	
" White			5 5	
Plaster, Calcined, N. H.			2 00	
" N. S.			2 00	
Hair, Plasterers', per bag	8 0	1 00		

HARDWARE.

Cut nails, 5-d & 6-d, per keg	2 40	2 25		
Steel " "	2 50	2 35		
CUT NAILS, FRICK AND CUT SPIKES.				
40d, hot cut, per 100 lbs	5	10		
30d, " " "	5	10		
20d, 16d and 12d, hot cut, per 100 lbs	15	15		
10d, hot cut, per 100 lbs	25	25		
8d, 9d, " " "	40	40		
6d, 7d, " " "	50	60		
4d to 5d, " " "	1 00	1 00		
3d, " " "	1 50	1 50		
2d, " " "	1 50	1 50		
4d to 5d cold cut, not polished or blued, per 100 lbs	50	50		
3d to 5d cold cut, not polished or blued, per 100 lbs	90	90		

PINK BLUED NAILS.

3d, per 100 lbs	1 50	1 50		
2d, " "	2 00	2 00		

CASING AND BOX, FLOORING, SHOOK AND TOBACCO BOX NAILS.