

CANADIAN LUMBER IN LONDON.

Messrs. Foy, Morgan & Company, London, England, held an auction sale of lumber on June 10th, when Canadian deals, etc., brought the following prices:

Pine—Ex. Zanzibar, from Montreal: 12-13 ft. 3 x 11 in., second quality, £18 10s per std.; 12 ft. 3 x 9, £15 10s; 10-11 ft. 3 x 9, £15. Ex. Aquila, from Montreal: 16 ft. 3 x 11 in., third quality red, £8 15s. Ex. Devona, from Montreal: 10-14 ft. 3 x 7-10 in. third quality, £10 10s. Ex. Caledonian, from Quebec: 10-15 ft. 3 x 9 in. unassorted red, £8 10s; 10-16 ft. 2 x 6, £7 5s; 10-15 ft. 2 x 6, £7 5s. Ex. Netherholme, from Quebec: 10-20 feet 1 x 8-9 in. unassorted red, £9; 10-18 ft. 1 x 8, £8 15s; 10-20 ft. 1 x 7, £8 10s; 10-18 ft. 1 x 7, £8 10s; 12-18 ft. 1 x 7, £8 10s. Ex. Nordhavel, from Quebec: 12-18 ft. 1 x 11 in. unassorted red, £11 15s; 10-18 ft. 1 x 11, £11 5s; 10-18 ft. 1 x 9, £10; 10-18 ft. 1 x 9, £10 10s; 10-20 ft. 1 x 7-9, £7 15s. Ex. Prone, from Quebec: 9-13 ft. 3 x 9 in. second quality, £14 15s; 10-11 ft. 3 x 9, £14 5s; 5-8 ft. 3 x 11, £15; 6-8 ft. 3 x 9-10, £12 10s; 6-8 ft. 3 x 7-8, £12; 6-16 ft. 3 x 4, £9 5s. Ex. Siberian, from Quebec: 10-17 ft. 3 x 8 in. unassorted red, £8 10s. Ex. Brazilian, from Montreal: 13 ft. 1 1/2 x 9, dry C quality, £11 5s.

Oregon Pine—Ex. Lindfield, from Vancouver, B. C.: 31-40 ft. 6 x 12 in. d.y., £10 10s per std.

Spruce—Ex. Valdorg, from Dalhousie: 17-26 ft. 3 x 9 in. first, second and third quality, £8 5s per std. Ex. Loyalist, from Halifax: 12-14 ft., 3 x 9 in. first, second and third quality, £8 10s; 3-26 ft. 3 x 9, £8 5s. Ex. Evangeline, from Halifax, 6-19 ft. 3 x 12-16 in. first, second and third quality hemlock, £5 and £5 5s. Ex. Victoria, from Hopewell Cape, N. B.: 10-12 ft. 2 1/2 x 7 in. first, second and third quality, £7 15s. Ex. Miniwaska, from Quebec: 9-14 ft. 3 x 9 in. second quality, £9 10s. Ex. Belgian, from Quebec: 12-16 ft. 3 x 11 in. third quality, £9. Ex. Carlisle City, from Halifax: 15 ft. 3 x 9 in. fourth quality, £8 10s.

Oak planks—Ex. Britta, from Quebec: 34 pcs. 5-5 1/2 in., 25 ad per cubic ft.; 35 pcs. 4-4 1/2 in., 25 3d; 300 pcs. 3-3 1/2 in., 25 2d; 110 pcs. 3-3 1/2 in., 25 2d; 18 pcs. 2 1/2 in., 25 2d.

Elm planks—Ex. Britta, from Quebec:

31 pcs. 4 inches and up, 15 3d; 27 pcs. 3-3 1/2 in., 15 6d; 90 pcs. 2 1/2-3 1/2 in., 15 3d; 84 pcs. 2 1/2-2 3/4 in., 15 5d.

Oak timber—Ex. Aquila, from Quebec: 4 pcs. 11 1/2-15 1/2 ft. 26-44 in., 100s per load of 50 cub. ft.; 5 pcs. 10 1/2-15 ft. 28-41 in., 97s 6d; 7 pcs. 12 1/2-12 3/4 ft. 30-49 in. 97s 6d.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

Spruce lumber is in somewhat better demand at Boston, and prices hold firm. The rains have given plenty of water for the drives, but the logs will be late in coming down to the mills, and it is thought that some of the drives on the smaller streams will be left altogether. Prices are steady and unchanged: Ten and 12-inch dimensions, \$21; nine inch and under, \$19; 10 and 12-inch random lengths, 10 feet and up, \$20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7, and 3x4, 10 feet and up, \$17 to \$17.50; all other randoms, 9-inch and under, 20 feet and up, \$18 to \$18.50; 5-inch and up, merchantable boards, \$17; matched boards, \$18.50 to \$20; out spruce boards, \$13 to \$14; bundle furring, \$17. Hemlock is steady with a quiet demand at: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, \$15 for good eastern; Pennsylvania, No. 1, \$18.50 to \$19.50; No. 2, \$15 to \$16.50.

The demand for hard pine lumber continues very good, considering the strikes and the consequent interruption to business. An advance is expected in 14 to 16-inch timber, but other prices are steady and unchanged. Quotations are firm. Large building orders, to arrive, \$28 to \$32; for immediate delivery from the yards, \$30 to \$35, according to schedule, floorings, from the yard, heart face, \$26 to \$32; best rift from the yard, \$50 to \$52; stepping, \$45 to \$48; sap and seconds, \$35 to \$38; kiln dried, all

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There is a very firm market for western pine lumber, with the demand active: Uppers, 1 to 2 in. \$84 to \$87; 2 1/2 to 3 in. \$92 to \$97; 4-in. \$96 to \$100; selects, 1 in. \$76; 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 in. \$76 to \$78; 2-in. \$78; 2 1/2 to 3 in. \$84; 4-in. \$86; fine common, 1-in. \$67; 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 in. \$69; 2-in. \$72; 2 1/2 to 3 in. \$80; 4-in. \$82; barn boards, \$23 to \$33; coffin boards, \$28 to \$32.

Hardwood lumber continues in active demand for finishing. Both whitewood and quartered oak are firm and in good request: Quartered oak, \$75 to \$83; plain oak, \$45 to \$47; common and rejects, \$20 to \$25; red oak, plain, \$43; whitewood, \$54 to \$60; sap, \$43 to \$48; common, \$38 to

\$45; brown ash, \$41 to \$44; white ash, \$43 to \$46; maple, \$33 to \$37; end dried white maple, \$46; birch, \$27 to \$30; birch, 75 per cent. red, \$45 to \$50; elm, \$29 to \$31.

Clapboards are steady and unchanged: Extra, \$45; clear, \$43; second clear, \$40; extra No. 1, \$30.

Shingles are steady with a good demand: Extra cedar, \$3.40 to \$3.50; clear, \$2.90 to \$3.00; second clear, \$2.35 to \$2.40; extra No. 1, \$1.65 to \$1.75; British Columbia red cedar, 16-in., five butts to 2 inches, \$3.50 to \$3.60; 18-inch, five butts to 2 inches, \$3.75; five butts to 2 1/2 inches, \$3.90.

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