

## THE BOSTON MARKET.

Spruce lumber is in a little better demand at Boston, with decidedly more orders within the past two or three days; Ten and 12 inch dimensions, \$20 to \$22; 9-inch and under, \$19 to \$20; 10 and 12 inch, random lengths, 10 feet and up, \$20.50; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7, and 3x4, 10 feet and up, \$17.50; all other randoms, 9-inch and under, 10 feet and up, \$18.50; 5-inch and up, merchantable boards, \$17; matched boards, \$19 to \$20; cut spruce boards, \$13.50 to \$14; bundle furring, \$17 to \$18. Hemlock is very firm, with the offerings small: Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet stock, \$15 to \$15.50 for good eastern; random eastern, \$14 to \$14.50; Pennsylvania, No. 1, \$16 to \$17.50; No. 2, \$15 to \$15.50.

Western pine is very firm indeed, with the mills demanding still higher prices: Uppers, 1-in., \$75 to \$80, 2 1/2 and 3 in. \$80 to \$85; 4-in. \$85 to \$88; selects, 1 to 1 1/2 in. \$68; 2-in. \$69 to \$70; 2 1/2 to 3 in. \$74 to \$76; 4-in. \$79 to \$80; fine common, 1-in. \$60 to \$63; 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 in. \$64 to \$66; 2-in. \$68 to \$70; 2 1/2 and 3 in. \$69 to \$71; 4-in. \$80; barn boards, \$23 to \$33; coffin boards, \$27 to \$32.

In hardwood lumber the demand is very fair, with the tendency decidedly strong. Lots of desirable stock are quickly taken up: Quartered oak, \$64 to \$66; plain oak, \$41 to \$45; common and rejects, \$20 to \$25; whitewood, \$42 to \$43; sap and common, \$30 to \$35; brown ash, \$41 to \$44; white ash, \$43 to \$46; maple, \$28 to \$30; end-dried white maple, \$38 to \$42; birch, \$27 to \$30; birch, 75 per cent. red, \$45 to \$50; elm, \$29 to \$31.

Shingles are very firm, with the demand better than anticipated. It looks as though the market might be higher from the fact that manufacturers are full of orders: Extra cedar to arrive, June and July, \$3.50 to \$3.60; clear, \$3; second clear, \$2.50; extra No. 1, \$1.90 to \$2; British Columbian red cedar, 16-inch, five butts to 2 inches, \$3.75 to \$3.80; 18-inch, \$4.25 to \$4.50.

Clapboards are in a remarkably strong position, with but few offerings. They have been sold as high as \$40 for extra spruce. The last sales of pine were at \$55, and they would bring even up to \$60 now, if there were any: Clear, \$36 to \$38; second clear, \$33 to \$35; extra No. 1, \$24 to 26.

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