

Prices of Building Materials.

CONDITION OF THE MARKET.

MONTREAL: The volume of business in builders' supplies remains much the same. The demand is chiefly for repair work. In the heavy metal trade there is a fair demand at current quotations. A slight improvement is also to note in window glass and paints and oils. The arrivals of cement for the past week were 2,600 barrels of English and 1,100 Belgian, as against 2,000 English and 3,400 Belgian for the preceding week. This makes a total to date of 41,163 barrels English and 30,415 Belgian. The tone of the market is steady, although sales are principally in small lots.

TORONTO: An improvement in some lines of building material has taken place within the past week, mainly in wire nails, cut nails, and plumbers' supplies. Orders are also coming in with some freedom for iron pipe, galvanized iron and soil pipe. Prices of glass are unsettled on account of the cutting by some dealers, and although values have advanced in Belgian about 10 per cent., making the cost of first break \$1.25, several houses are making quotations as low as \$1.15. As some buildings are nearing completion there is an increased demand for shelf hardware and paints and oils. Building paper is quiet.

LUMBER.

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

Toronto. Montreal.

Table with columns for item description and prices for Toronto and Montreal. Includes items like clear picks, three uppers, pickings, spruce culls, etc.

YARD QUOTATIONS.

Table with columns for item description and prices for Toronto and Montreal. Includes items like mill cull boards, shipping cull boards, hemlock scantling, etc.

B. M.

Table with columns for item description and prices for Toronto and Montreal. Includes items like 1 1/2 inch flooring, 1 1/2 inch dressing, etc.

Toronto. Montreal.

BRICK—M

Table listing various types of bricks and their prices for Toronto and Montreal. Includes items like Common Walling, Good Facing, Sewer, etc.

SAND.

Table listing sand prices for Toronto and Montreal.

STONE.

Table listing various types of stone and their prices for Toronto and Montreal. Includes items like Common Rubble, Large flat Rubble, Foundation Blocks, etc.

Table listing various types of stone and their prices for Toronto and Montreal. Includes items like Credit Valley Rubble, Credit Valley Brown Coursing, etc.

OHIO FREESTONE, FROM THE GRAFTON STONE CO.'S QUARRIES.

Table listing Ohio freestone products and their prices for Toronto and Montreal. Includes items like No. 1 Buff Promiscuous, No. 1 Blue Promiscuous, etc.

SLATE.

Table listing various types of slate and their prices for Toronto and Montreal. Includes items like Roofing, Terra Cotta Tile, etc.

PAINTS. (In oil, @ lb.)

Table listing various types of paints and their prices for Toronto and Montreal. Includes items like White lead, Red lead, Yellow ochre, etc.

CEMENT, LIME, etc.

Table listing various types of cement and lime and their prices for Toronto and Montreal. Includes items like Portland Cements, German, London, etc.

Toronto. Montreal.

Portland Cements.—

Table listing various types of Portland cements and their prices for Toronto and Montreal. Includes items like Newcastle, Belgian, English, etc.

Hydraulic Cements.—

Table listing various types of hydraulic cements and their prices for Toronto and Montreal. Includes items like Thorold, Queenston, Napanee, etc.

Table listing various types of cements and their prices for Toronto and Montreal. Includes items like Keene's Coarse Whites, Fire Bricks, etc.

Table listing various types of cements and their prices for Toronto and Montreal. Includes items like Lime, Plaster, Hair, etc.

HARDWARE.

Table listing hardware items and their prices for Toronto and Montreal. Includes items like Cut nails, Steel, etc.

CUT NAILS, FENCE AND CUT SPIKES.

Table listing various types of cut nails, fence, and cut spikes and their prices for Toronto and Montreal. Includes items like 40d hot cut, 30d, 20d, etc.

FINE BLUED NAILS.

Table listing fine blued nails and their prices for Toronto and Montreal.

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

Table listing casing and box, flooring, shook and tobacco box nails and their prices for Toronto and Montreal.

FINISHING NAILS.

Table listing finishing nails and their prices for Toronto and Montreal.

SLATING NAILS.

Table listing slating nails and their prices for Toronto and Montreal.

COMMON BARREL NAILS.

Table listing common barrel nails and their prices for Toronto and Montreal.

CLINCH NAILS.

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SHARP AND FLAT PRESSED NAILS.

Table listing sharp and flat pressed nails and their prices for Toronto and Montreal.

STEEL WIRE NAILS.

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Iron Pipe:

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Lead Pipe:

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Galvanized Iron:

Table listing galvanized iron and their prices for Toronto and Montreal.

Structural Iron:

Table listing structural iron and their prices for Toronto and Montreal.