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The Timber Licenses for the above Township will be
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of the Township, 9 square
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The Township of Ermatinger is one of the best
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PETER RYAN,
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P. White has retired from the lum-
ber firm of White, Rider & Frost, of North
Tonawanda, N. Y., but the business will
be continued as heretofore under the same
name. Mr. White has formed the firm of
White, Gratwick & Company, who have
taken over the yard at North Tonawanda
formerly occupied by Gratwick, Smith &
Fryer.

The Timber Trades Journal announces
the following late charters: Armenia,
River du Loup, Que., to Hull, June or
July, 48s 3d; Mavisbrook, Halifax to
Glasgow, April, 42s 6d; two boats, Price's
Mills to Cork, Dublin, etc., 47s 6d, June
and July loading; Quebec or Montreal to
West Hartlepool, 47s 6d deals, timber 70s;
Quebec or Montreal to Hull, 48s 9d, 1,000
stds, June; West Bay to West Britain,
early, 42s 6d; Halifax to Cardiff, Newport
or Swansea, 45s.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS. ONTARIO.

Open weather has helped the lumber
market during the past week, and from
present appearances there will be an ac-
tive spring demand for lumber for build-
ing and industrial purposes. White pine
prices are being held very firm, with no
probability of any weakening. Neither is
it likely that a material advance in prices
will be made, as such action might have
the effect of curtailing the demand, and
as the production during the coming
season promises to be quite up to the
average in quantity, it is thought a large
consumption should be encouraged. Crop
prospects at the present time are
promising, and the agricultural commu-
nity are likely to require considerable lum-
ber for buildings and improvements. This
prospective demand is evidently being an-
ticipated by retail dealers, who are showing
a disposition to replenish their stocks. Re-
ports from the Ottawa valley tell of in-
creased life in the lumber trade, with
the prospect of an active season. The
mills will shortly resume operations, al-
though dry stock of the new cut will not
be available for a couple of months. Lath
and shingles have shown increased
strength of late; offerings are quickly
taken at current quotations, which would
seem to indicate the probability of higher
prices.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

There is still much uncertainty regard-
ing the future of spruce deal prices. The
shippers have not sold as much stock as
in former seasons, and consequently have
not contracted with manufacturers to the
same extent. It is said that as a result
some operators in New Brunswick will
not drive their logs this spring, but will
leave them on the landings. While the
British market is unsettled, the usual
quantity of lumber is likely to be market-
ed in South America, a number of ves-
sels having been chartered for that trade,
while a vessel has been engaged to take
a lumber cargo from St. John to South
Africa. Freight rates are easier, charters
having been effected as low as 42 shillings
from St. John to the United Kingdom.
New Brunswick cedar shingles are
steady, although not active, quotations
being about \$3 for extras, on Boston rate
of freight.

A strike of surveyors at St. John has
somewhat unsettled trade at that port.
The surveyors asked for an increase from
5 to 7 cents a thousand on spruce, and
from 8 to 10 cents on birch. Some of the

shippers have acceded to the demands,
while others have engaged non-union sur-
veyors.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Within the last fortnight there has been
a marked improvement throughout Mani-
toba and the Territories in the demand
for lumber. The spring has opened out
better than was anticipated, and building
operations are in active progress. In
Winnipeg a strike of carpenters is threat-
ened, which would, of course, seriously
affect the lumber trade, but if disturbances
of this character are avoided, the season
is likely to be one of considerable activity.
Sash and doors are moving freely. In
British Columbia the volume of lumber
moving is satisfactory. A number of ves-
sels are loading at the various ports for
foreign destinations.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber trade is feeling the benefit
of the active commencement of building
operations, and during the past week
there has been an exceptionally good de-
mand for lumber for that purpose. Timber
for railroad construction has also been
purchased quite liberally. At Duluth and
Minneapolis white pine prices are show-
ing continued firmness; dry stocks are
badly broken, and before the new cut is
available will be almost completely ex-
hausted. The only weakness pertains to
the lower grades, and yet within the past
fortnight an advance of one dollar per
thousand has been made at Albany in the
price of 1 x 10 and 12 barn stock. At
Saginaw nearly all the dry stock has
passed out of first hands. Spruce shows a
degree of firmness quite equal to that of pine.
The narrow widths are not as strong as
the larger sizes, but unless there is an
unusually large quantity placed upon the
market present prices are likely to hold.
Improvement in the hardwood trade
is reported from the west, but the activity
is not so pronounced in the east. No
changes in prices have taken place, nor
are any looked for in the immediate future.
There is a good demand at Buffalo for
birch, one dealer quoting \$45 for red and
\$26 for white. There is an excellent de-
mand in New York and some other
eastern cities for hemlock, at the base price
of \$15. In Chicago dry hemlock is being
offered at from \$10.50 to \$11.

The demand for shingles and lath is
keeping in advance of the supply. Ex-
tra white pine shingles are held at \$2.40,
and white cedar shingles at \$2.30, Chic-
ago delivery. The best grades have with-
in the past week been marked up 25

cents at Albany, making the quotations \$4.50 to \$4.75 for extra XXXX, and \$3.50 to \$3.75 for clear butts. In New York there has been a recovery in lath prices, which were weak during February and March as a result of large receipts. Few shipments are now being received, and a price from \$3.50 to \$4.00 is predicted.

GREAT BRITAIN.

It is difficult, from the varying reports which come to hand, to arrive at an understanding regarding the actual condition of the British timber market. One correspondent states that there is no evidence of a break in prices, while from other sources it is learned that little forward buying is being done by importers, and that the difficulty in closing contracts, except for the most favored stocks, is causing considerable anxiety to agents as to the disposal of goods for later shipment. Deal sizes seem to have maintained their position fairly well, but the narrow widths are difficult of sale. Scantlings have declined to £7 10s, a sharp reduction from quotations of a few months ago. Such buying as has taken place has been largely at the public sales, the prices of which merchants are unable to compete with. At a recent sale two lots of 3 x 11 inch second quality white pine sold at £20 5s and £20 10s per standard. At Liverpool and Glasgow spruce deals are very quiet, and are being sold at prices considerably under those that have prevailed for some time past. Sales of waney boardwood have been made at satisfactory prices.

The financial aspect is occasioning some uneasiness in Great Britain, and is exerting a depressing influence for the time being on the timber trade. It is not thought, however, that any serious money stringency will be experienced.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

At Bangor, Me., \$2.75 is being asked for spruce lath in cargo lots.

The city of Winnipeg is inviting tenders up to the 18th inst. for annual supply of lumber.

No. 1 white pine lath are being sold at \$3.40 to \$3.50, Chicago delivery. No. 2 which are in very active demand, are quoted at \$1.85 to \$2.25.

Angus Robertson, superintendent of Mather's tie camps at Vermillion Bay, Ont., reports that 290,000 ties were taken out during the past winter.

The St. John Sulphite Fibre Company, of St. John, N. B., have purchased about 2,000,000 feet of spruce logs for pulp purposes in the vicinity of Loch Lomond.

Dobell & Company, of Quebec, have

been awarded the contract for supplying the Imperial Government with the Canadian timber required during the year.

The city council of St. John, N.B., have accepted the tenders of J. R. Warner, Murray & Gregory and J. A. Gregory for supplying spruce paving blocks, at 50 cents per yard.

In the Wanted and For Sale Department of this issue Messrs. George & McGregor, of Killaloe Station, Ont., offer for sale 5,000 cedar telephone poles, from 25 to 45 feet in length.

The ship Admiral Tegetthoff sailed last week from Moodyville, B.C., for Antofagasta, Chili. She was loaded by Robert Ward & Company with 800,000 feet of lumber, valued at \$6,857.09.

The Algoma Central Railway Company, of Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., are prepared to let contracts for taking out and manufacturing into lumber the pine and hardwood timber along the railway.

Word has been received at New Westminster, B.C., that the barque Elizabeth Nicholson, which loaded lumber at the Royal City Mills and sailed for Shanghai on November 16th, has arrived, being long overdue.

Concerning the Barbadoes lumber market Messrs. S. P. Musson, Son & Company say: The only arrival is the Emma E. Potter, with 33 M white pine and 84 M spruce. The former was sold at \$18. Two small cargoes are reported on the way.

The barque Frederica loaded lumber last week at Annapolis, N. S., for Cuba. The schr. J. D. Melancon sailed from Digby with lumber for Porto Rico. The schr. Ida M. Shaffner is loading lumber at Bear River, N.S., for Cuba, on account of Clark Bros.

First-class elm flour barrel staves and coiled hoops are quoted in Buffalo at \$8 to \$8.25, and basswood heading at 6 to 6 1/2 cents. In Philadelphia 12 inch No. 2 and 3 pine and 6 inch No. 2 pine have been marked up 50 cents. There is a scarcity of 12 inch boards.

At the annual meeting of the St. John Log Driving Company held at Fredericton, N.B., on April 3rd, it was stated that the season's lumber cut on the St. John River and tributaries was estimated at 140,000,000 feet. Of this quantity 90,000,000 feet was cut above Grand Falls, 10,000,000 feet on the Aroostock, and the remainder on the Tobique and other points below the Falls.

The Department of Interior at Ottawa invites tenders up to May 6th for licenses to cut timber on a 32 square mile berth commencing at the junction of the Carrot river with the North Saskatchewan river, a twenty-five mile berth in the vicinity of Muskeg Lake, and a fifty mile berth bounded on the west by Crooked river and on the south by Red Deer river, in the North-West Territories.

BRITISH TIMBER SALE.

The following prices were realized for Canadian deals, etc., at an auction sale held by Churchill & Sim, London, England, on March 21st:

PINE.—Ex. Nenedes, from Montreal—14-16 ft. 2x12 in., second quality, £13 to £13 10s per standard; 13-16 ft. 1x12, £11; 12-15 ft. 1x12, £11 5s; 12 ft. 3x11 in., third quality, £12 15s; 13 ft. 3x11, £13; 12 ft. 3x7-10, £11; 10-11 ft. 3x10, £11; 10-11 ft. 3x9, £10 15s; 10-11 ft. 3x7, £10 15s; 15-23 ft. 4x11, first quality red, £16 15s; 14-18 ft. 3x11, £15; 12-24 ft. 3x9, £16 15s; 12-18 ft. 3x7, £11 15s; 13-24 ft. 4x11 in., second quality red, £13 5s; 12-25 ft. 4x11, £13 15s; 12-18 ft. 3x9-11, £11; 17-24 ft. 3x9, £7 5s; 16-21 ft. 3x9, £11 10s; 12-18 ft. 3x7, £9 5s. Ex Montreal, from Montreal—13 ft. 3x11 in. second quality, £19 5s; 13 ft. 3x11 in. third quality, £12 15s to £13 5s. Ex. Hiso, from Montreal—14-18 ft. 4x11 in. third quality red, £11; 12-18 ft. 4x9, £11 5s; 13-18 ft. 3x11, £9 15s; 12-18 ft. 3x9, £9 10s; 13-18 ft. 3x9, £9 15s; 12-18 ft. 3x7, £8 15s.

SPRUCE.—Ex. Thomas Perry, from West Bay, N.S.—13-22 ft. 3x11 in. unassorted, £8; 13-24 ft. 3x10, £8 5s; 15-25 ft. 3x9, £7 15s; 13-21 ft. 3x8, £7 5s; 13-23 ft. 3x7, £7. Ex Oceano, from Quebec—13-14 ft. 2x7 in. third quality, £8 5s; 12-13 ft. 2 x 6, £7 15s; 12-13 ft. 2 x 5, £6 15s; 9-11 ft. 2x8, £8; 9-11 ft. 2x7, £7 15s; 10-11 ft. 2x6, £7 5s; 10-11 ft. 2x5, £6 15s.

THE BOSTON MARKET.

The request for spruce lumber is good and continues to improve. The mills that are sawing are few, and that makes a strong market for those that are able to saw. Here the demand is really good for the season, and likely to improve. Frames are yet quoted at \$17, but quick deliveries cost more. The advance on randoms is still held: Ten and 12 inch dimensions, \$18 to \$19; 9-inch and under, \$17 to \$17.50; 10 and 12 inch random lengths, 10 feet and up, \$17.50 to \$18; 2x3, 2x4, 2x5, 2x6, 2x7 and 3x4, ten feet and up, \$15 to \$16; all other randoms, 9-inch and under, 10 feet and up, \$15.50 to \$17; 5-inch and up, merchantable boards, \$15 to \$16; matched boards, \$17 to \$18; out spruce boards, \$12.50; bundle furring, \$14.

A small amount of hemlock lumber is still coming forward, with the demand better: Pennsylvania, No. 1, \$16 to \$16.25; No. 2, \$14 to \$14.50; eastern Pennsylvania boards, \$14.50 to \$15; random, \$13.

Western pine is firm, with a fair request: Uppers, 1 inch, \$58 to \$62; 1 1/2 to 2 in., \$63 to \$64; 3 and 4 in., \$68 to \$72; selects, 1 to 4 in., \$52 to \$64; fine common, 1 to 3 in., \$45 to \$60; sheathings, \$38 to \$54; barn boards, \$25 to \$30; coffin boards, \$23 to \$25.

Clapboards are steady in prices, with a limited supply. The demand is still moderate: Extra spruce, \$30 to \$31; clear,

\$28 to \$29; second clear, \$25 to \$26; pine, extra, \$36 to \$38; clear, \$33 to \$37; second clear, \$28 to \$30.

Shingles are very firm, with prices considerably irregular, especially on second clears. The supply is limited, and high prices are obtained for just such lots as are wanted: Extra cedar, \$2.85 to \$3; clear, \$2.60 to \$2.70; second clear, \$2.05 to \$2.25; clear white, \$2; extra No. 1, \$1.90; Washington and British Columbia, 16-inch, 5 butts to 2 inches, \$3.45 to \$3.20.

Laths have made another upward turn in New York, and have sold at very full prices. Here the market is firmer: Here, 1 1/2-inch, \$2.90 to \$3; 1 1/4-inch, \$2.65 to \$2.75.

Boston, April 6th, 1901.

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THE GLASGOW MARKET.

Messrs. F. I. Lightbody & Company send us the following review of the Glasgow timber market for March:

A fair amount of business was done during the month, though buyers were not inclined to purchase large quantities at a time, preferring rather to buy for immediate requirements. Prices remain firm, but buyers are still cautious, apparently fearing the possibility of a break in values, of which there is not the slightest evidence.

Up to date a much smaller amount of business has been done in goods for forward delivery than was the case last year, owing to the high prices asked by the shippers. The Clyde shipbuilders are still busy, and the housebuilding trade shows signs of greater activity.

WANKY BOARDWOOD.—For first-class wood the prices are high, and prospects look bright.

WHITE PINE DEALS, 3 AND 4 INCHES AND UP.—A good demand for all grades of deals keeps up prices, and parcels arriving are being sold from the ship's side. The following are the prices:

1st quality, 12 in. and up...	\$65.00 to \$71.00 per M.
" " 11 in. and up...	56.00 to 61.50 "
" " 10 in. and up...	47.00 to 55.50 "
2nd " 12 in. and up...	50.00 to 55.00 "
" " 11 in. and up...	43.00 to 49.50 "
" " 10 in. and up...	37.00 to 42.00 "
3rd " 12 in. and up...	37.00 to 40.00 "
" " 11 in. and up...	31.50 to 33.50 "
" " 10 in. and up...	25.50 to 27.00 "

WHITE PINE SIDINGS.—The demand for prime first-class quality is good and prices remain high.

2 in. thick, average 12 in. wide...	\$22.00 to \$55.00
1 1/2 in. " " " " "	50.00 to 57.50
1 1/4 in. " " " " "	41.50 to 43.50

1 1/4 in. is a size which moves slowly in this market.

RED PINE DEALS. (Norway pine.)—Prime deals have met with a ready sale and prices are high for really first-class lumber.

SPRUCE DEALS.—The demand is good and arrivals just now meet with a ready sale at good prices.

QUEBEC BIRCH LOGS.—A few sals have been made at 18d. to 19d. per cubic ft. for 16 in. average wood.

Do not neglect to read the advertisements in each issue of the WEEKLY LUMBERMAN. They contain much of interest.

ST. JOHN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The following shipments of lumber, etc., by vessel were made from the port of St. John, N. B., for the week ending April 6th:

Per str. Norden, for London—By A. Cushing & Co., 489,408 ft. deals, 86,779 ft. scantling, 56,887 ft. boards, 37,905 ft. ends; by George McKean, 98,724 ft. pine deals, 26,959 ft. scantling, 2,675 ft. ends, 66,166 ft. red pine deals; by Jarvis Wilson, 157 tons birch timber; by Cushing Sulphite Fibre Co., 612 tons wood pulp. Per str. Manchester Importer, for Manchester—814,541 ft. deals, 7,363 ft. scantling, 55,454 ft. ends, 78,226 ft. boards. Per Laka Megantic, for Liverpool—By W. M. Mackay, 356,588 ft. deals and battens, 663 ft. ends; by Mitchell Bros., 3,000 maple blocks; by Troop & Son, 201 birch poles, 3,684 bundles box shooks, 17,218 maple blocks. Per str. Manchester Commerce, for Manchester—By George McKean, 927,890 ft. deals, 45,257 ft. ends, 52,044 ft. scantling, 8,460 ft. boards; by Furness, Withy & Co., 20,000 ft. maple flooring. Per Alcides, for Glasgow—By A. Cushing & Co., 1,680 bundles box shooks; by W. M. Mackay, 124,869 ft. deals and battens, 467 ft. scantling, 17,853 ft. ends; by Schofield & Co., 2 bundles box shooks, 268,945 feet deals. Per sch. Pardon G. Thomson, for New York—By John E. Moore, 968,100 laths. Per sch. Morancy, for New York—By A. Cushing & Co., 133,607 ft. plank, 42,787 ft. deals, 35,156 ft. scantling. Per sch. Ayr, for City Island—By Stetson, Cutler & Co., 159,916 ft. deals. Per sch. Carrie C. Ware, for Bridgetown—By A. Cushing & Co., 113,547 ft. deals, 87,468 ft. plank. Per sch. Mystery, for St. Vincent, Cape de Verde Islands—By Stetson, Cutler & Co., 46,088 ft. spruce boards, 60,228 ft. spruce scantling, 20,761 ft. plank, 250,000 laths. Per sch. Genesta, for Vineyard Haven—By Stetson, Cutler & Co., 586,000 laths; by Chas. Miller, 85,000 laths. Per sch. Ettie, for New Haven—By A. Cushing & Co., 74,191 ft. plank, 44,175 ft. deals, 16,697 ft. scantling, 25,552 ft. boards. Per sch. Victor, for City Island—By Miller Bros., 144,074 ft. deals. Per sch. Hattie Muriel, for Vineyard Haven—By Stetson, Cutler & Co., 108,800 ft. boards. Per sch. Frances Shubert, for City Island—By Stetson, Cutler & Co., 223,671 ft. deals. Per

sch. Domain, for Boston—By Miller Bros., 116,348 ft. boards. Per sch. H. A. Holder, for Vineyard Haven—By Chas. Miller, 132,128 ft. boards. Per sch. Thistle, for Vineyard Haven, by A. Cushing & Co., 167,666 ft. plank, 10,783 ft. scantling. Per sch. Ada G. Shortland, for New York—By Chas. Miller, 276,181 ft. deals. Per sch. H. M. Stanley, for Onset—13,376 ft. scantling, 8,176 ft. plank, 100,000 laths, 100,000 shingles, 2,000 clapboards, 400,000 cedar shingles, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Per sch. C. R. Flint, for City Island—623,400 ft. laths, by Chas. Miller; 172,340 ft. deals, by Stetson, Cutler & Co.

The freight market continues dull and rates slightly easier. Deals have been booked from Montreal to the United Kingdom at 45s to 47s 6d by regular liners, and at 50s for full cargoes by outside steamers. The following charters are reported: Str. Everingham, Miramichi, N.B., to London, deals, 48s 9d. Barque Strathmuir, St. John, N.B., to w.c. England, deals, 47s 6d. Str. Tartallon, St. John, N.B., to w.c. England, deals, 41s 3d; May loading. Sch. Mamona, 384 tons, Weymouth Bridge, N. S., to Rosaria, lumber, \$12. Barque Hillside, 439 tons, Tusket Wedge to Rosaria, lumber, \$12; ship, St. John or Campbellton, N.B., to Sydney or Melbourne, Australia, deals, 85s, option South Australia, 80s. Barque Athena, Bridgewater, N.S., to Buenos Ayres, lumber, \$11, Rosaria, \$12;

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Basswood, 1sts and 2nds, 1 to 1 1/2 in	18 00	20 00	Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	4"	33 00	35 00
" 1 1/2 to 2 in	20 00	22 00	Oak, white, 1sts & 2nds	4"	34 00	38 00
" m. r. 1" 1 1/2	16 00	17 00	Oak quart'd, 1sts & 2nds	2"	60 00	65 00
Butternut 1" 2 1/2	23 00	25 00	Walnut, 1sts and 2nds	1"	85 00	100 00
" 2" 3-	25 00	28 00	Whitewood, 1sts & 2nds	2"	24 00	28 00
Chestnut 1" 2-	24 00	26 00				
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	1 1/2	50 00				
Cherry, 1sts and 2nds	2"	4-				
Elm, soft, mill run	1"	1 1/2				
Elm, soft, mill run	2"	3-				

OTTAWA, ONT.

Pine, good sidings, per M feet, b.m.	\$31 00	\$27 00	Pine, s.c. shorts	11 00	15 00
Pine, good strips	26 00	28 00	Pine, box culls	12 50	14 50
Pine, good shorts	22 00	30 00	Pine mill culls	11 50	13 50
Pine, No. 1 dressing sidings, per M feet, b.m.	18 00	24 00	1x10 No. 1 barn	27 00	27 00
Pine, No. 1 dressing strips	16 00	21 00	1x10 No. 2	18 00	18 00
Pine, No. 2 dressing shorts	14 00	16 00	1x8 & 9 No. 1	19 00	19 00
Pine, 10 s.c. and bet- ter stock	17 00	20 00	1x8 & 9 No. 2	17 00	17 00
Pine, 8 s.c. and bet- er stock	14 00	15 00	Lath per M No. 1	2 10	3 00
e, 8 & up, s.c. sidings	15 00	17 00	Lath per M No. 2	1 50	2 00
s.c. strips	13 00	15 00	xx Cedar shingles, 18"	1 40	1 75
			Cedar Shingles, Clear Butt	2 00	2 25
			Cedar Shingles, xxx	2 50	2 65
			xx Pine Shingles	1 10	1 25
			Pine Shingles, Clear Butts	1 60	1 75
			xxxx Pine Shingles	2 75	3 00

QUEBEC, QUE.

WHITE PINE--IN THE RAFT.

Square white pine, measured off, 40 to 45 feet average	40	47
First class Ottawa waney, 18 inch average, according to lineal	36	45
" 19 to 21 inch average	45	51
" Michigan " 19 to 21 in. average	"	& size 48 50

RED PINE--IN THE RAFT.

Measured off, according to average and quality	23	29
In shipping order	26	30

OAK--MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

By the dram, according to average and quality	46	50
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ELM.

By the dram, according to average and quality, 45 to 50 feet	45	50
" 30 to 35 feet	37	37

ASH.

14 inches and up, according to average and quality	23	26
To average 16 inch	28	30

BIRCH.

14 inch average	17	19
16 "	22	24
17 "	26	28
18 "	32	32

DEALS.

Bright spruce, according to mill specification, \$44 to \$46 for 1st, \$30 to \$32 for 2nd, \$28 to \$30 for 3rd, and \$24 to \$26 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batteau.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Uppers, 1 in., 10 n. and up	\$53 00	Selects, 2 in., 8 in. and up wide	\$47 00
1 1/2 " 1 1/2 and 2 in.	53 00	1 1/2, 1 3/4 and 2 in.	47 00
2 1/2 " 2 1/2 and 3 in.	60 00	2 1/2 and 3 in.	55 00
4 in.	65 00	4 in.	60 00

FINE COMMON.

1 in., 8 in. and up wide	38 00	2 1/2 and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide	44 00
1 1/2 and 1 3/4 in.	37 00	4 in.	55 00
2 in.	37 00		

D PINE COMMON OR NO. 1 CUTTING.

1 in., 7 in. and up wide	30 00	2 1/2 and 3 in., 7 in. and up wide	42 00
1 1/2 and 1 3/4 in.	35 00	4 in.	46 00
2 in.	35 00		

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

1 1/2 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	42 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	38 00
6 in. wide	40 00	6 in. wide	40 00

FINE COMMON OR C.

1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	32 00	1 1/2 in., 4, 5 in. wide	35 00
1 1/2 in., 6 in. wide	36 50	1 in., 6 in. wide	36 00

SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR PRICING STRIPS.

1 1/2 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	25 00
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BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

No. 1, 12 in.	23 00	No. 1, 9 in.	17 00
10 in.	20 00	8 and 7 in.	18 00
9 in.	20 00	No. 3, 12 in.	17 50
8 and 7 in.	20 00	10 in.	17 00
No. 2, 12 in.	21 00	9 in.	17 00
10 in.	18 00	8 in.	17 00

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	\$13 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	\$15 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	13 10	1 1/2, 1 3/4 and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	15 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	13 00		

SHANKY CLEAR.

1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9 in. wide	22 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	23 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	23 00	1 1/2, 1 3/4 and 2 in., 8 in. and up wide	23 00

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Country brands, XXXX	3 00	Standard brands, river made, XXXX	3 00
Clear Butts	2 50	Clear Butts	2 00

LATH.

No. 1. White Pine	2 75	No. 2. White Pine	2 50
Hemlock	2 75		2 25

ALBANY, N.Y.

PINE.

Uppers, 3 in. up	\$65 00	1x12 inch shippers	\$21 50
2 1/2 in.	65 00	1/4 inch 13" & up	23
2 to 2 in.	58 00	1/4 Box boards, 6" and up	17 18
4 inch uppers	68 00	10-in. dressing and better	28 30
Selects, 2 1/2 in. up	58 00	10-in. common	29
2 to 2 in.	48 50	12-in. dressing and better	32 34
Fine common, 2 1/2 in. and up	48 50	Common, 1x12	19
1 to 2 in.	38 43	No. 1 barn, 1x12	26 27
No. 1 cuts, 2 to 2 inch	30 30	1x10	24 25
No. 2	25 30	1x8	21 22
No. 3	21 26	No. 2 barn, 1x12	23
No. 1 molding, 1 to 2 in.	35 38	1x10	22
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	28 30	1x8	20
Stained saps	25 30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6/4 in.	26 30
Bracket plank	30 35	" 2 inch	30 32
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	32 35	Dressing	26 32
Dressing boards, narrow	23	Common	26 32
1x10 inch shippers	20		20

LATH.

Pine	\$3 00	Spruce	\$3 00
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SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. xxxx	\$4 10	\$4 75	Round butts, 6x18	\$5 25	\$5 50
Clear butts	3 50	3 75	Hemlock	2 25	2 25
Smooth, 6x18	4 50	4 75	Spruce	2 25	2 25

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

WHITE PINE.
(Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1 1/2, 2 and 2 1/2 in.	\$57 58 00	Dressing 1 1/2 in.	33 50	
2 1/2 and 3 in.	66 00	1 1/2 x 10 and 12	35 50	
4 in.	72 00	1 1/2 in.	35 00	
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	50 00	2 in.	34 50	
2 1/2 and 3 in.	62 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in. and up, 1 in.	38 50	
4 in.	65 00	Mold st'ps No. 1 to 2 in.	37 00	
Fine common, 1 in., up to 12 in. wide	47 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	26 00	
1 1/2 and 1 3/4 in.	42 00	6. C and 10 in.	22 00	
2 in.	45 00	No. 2, 10 in.	21 00	
3 in.	45 00	No. 2, 12 in.	23 00	
4 in.	62 00	No. 3, 10 and 12 in.	19 00	
Cat's up, No. 1, 1 in.	33 00	Box, 1 x 4	17 00	
1 1/2 and 1 3/4 in.	39 00	1 x 6 to 12 in.	17 00	
No. 2, 1 in.	22 00	1 x 10 to 13 in.	19 00	
No. 2, 1 1/2, & 1 3/4 in	32 00	1 1/2 and 1 3/4 in.	18 00	
No. 3, 1 1/2, 1 3/4 and 2 in.	24 00	25 00	Mill Culls, 1, 1 1/2, 1 3/4 and 2 in.	15 00

The following quotations on hardwoods represent the jobber's buying price at Buffalo and Tonawanda:

WHITE ASH.

1st & 2nd, 1 inch,	30 00	32 00	2 1/2 to 4 in.	33 00	37 00
1 1/2 to 2 in.	33 00	35 00	Strips	19 00	21 00
			Com. and culls	12 00	13 00

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch up,	26 00	28 00	Com. & good culls	11 00	13 00
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BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, 6 inch & up, red	30 00	32 00	1st & 2nd, white, 6" & up,	17 00	19 00
			Com & good culls	9 00	12 00

ELM.

1st & 2d, rock, 6 in. & up	23 00	25 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	21 00	23 00
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MAPLE.

1st & 2d, hard, 6 in. & up,	28 00	30 00	1st & 2d, soft, 6 in. & up,	28 00	30 00
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