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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

From the standpoint of immediate demand, white pine lumber conditions are not as satisfactory as they were one month ago, the volume of business being slightly less. But when this is said nothing more can be added which would give one reason to expect anything but a strong market. The conditions are all favorable to a steady demand at firm prices. The present season has been characterized by extreme dullness in the export of lumber, but next year a season of much greater activity and higher prices may be looked for. As it is the higher grades which most readily find a market in Great Britain, there is likely to develop a great scarcity of these grades in the near future, especially as the supply is now almost inadequate to meet the demands of the trade. Good pine lumber promises to gradually become more valuable. The changes in our Ottawa price list show an appreciation in good strips and shipping culls and better. Lath and shingles are also showing strength, and it is said that the supply is very light. Toronto dealers are looking for still higher prices before the end of the year. Of hardwoods little can be said. The buying is still of a hand-to-mouth character, while manufacturers are holding prices steady. The stock is comparatively large, but this will be offset by restricting the log output

next winter. There is a good movement of hemlock

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Lumber market conditions in the eastern provinces are mostly unchanged, although there are indications of strength. Waney pine has been sold in the Quebec market as high as 55 cents for 21 inch average. The other classes of timber are firm, although not in as good demand as pine. Spruce deals are moving moderately, while clapboards are scarce and firm. As high as \$32 has been paid for extra quality clapboards delivered at Boston. The cedar shingle market is daily becoming stronger, and several sales of extras are reported at \$3 on Boston rate of freight. Clears bring about \$2.70 and second clears \$2.25. A recent report from Fredericton, N. B., states that there are 26,000,000 feet of logs hung up on the head waters of the St. John river owing to extremely low water. This is about one fifth of the output of that river.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The carpenters' strike in Winnipeg is perhaps, the only unfavorable element in the lumber situation of the west. Other conditions favor a large consumption of lumber. Building permits issued in Winnipeg up to August 31st of this year represent an expenditure of \$1,300,000, and the total for the year will probably exceed two million dollars. Then there is the abundant harvest to enrich the farmers and make possible the erection of new buildings and improvements. Altogether the outlook for lumber is good, and prices are firm. British Columbia manufacturers report some increase in the demand for shingles for shipment eastward, but the movement of lumber is not very active. A few large orders have lately been placed for railway and bridge timber.

UNITED STATES.

The lumber trade of the United States has been a little quieter during the past week, although prices show no material change. The tendency seems to be towards higher prices for the upper grades of white pine, and a continuation of present prices for the lower qualities. In the Lake Superior district uppers and selects are higher, and in Tonawanda some of the better grades have been marked up two dollars per thousand. The selling price of white pine in the eastern distributing markets has for some time been out of proportion to the prices asked at producing points, and a process

of readjustment is now taking place. There is a marked scarcity of 12 inch boards and long piece stuff. The spruce market continues firm, a report from Boston stating that the list price has been advanced one dollar. It is most difficult to arrive at a definite conclusion regarding the hardwood situation. Indications point to an increased demand, while on the other hand many dealers report a very quiet trade, and basswood, which has been strong all year, has been offered at reduced figures. This has given consumers reason to hope for concessions and consequently they are showing a disposition to keep out of the market as long as possible. Inch maple is inactive, but there is good demand for thicker sizes. White pine shingles are scarce and strong.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The past two weeks has witnessed a falling off in the number of timber cargoes arriving in London, and consequently a more hopeful view is now taken of the timber market of Great Britain. If shipments are curtailed, the market will very soon show signs of recovery. So far as Canadian spruce and pine are concerned, it is significant that they appear to occupy a stronger position than any other class of lumber which is marketed in Great Britain. A quantity of third quality Ottawa pine, 70 per cent. 3x11 and balance narrow, is reported to have been sold at £11 10s. per standard delivered at Liverpool. Considerable parcels of spruce have also changed hands, and when dealers are enabled to reduce their holdings purchased at the higher level which prevailed in the spring, liberal buying for fall and winter account may be expected. A large line of Quebec spruce battens were sold at a recent sale in London at £6 17s. 6d. per standard for 3x7, and £6 7s. for 3x6. Quebec rock elm boards sold at 9d. per foot and birch planks at 1s., and square elm timber at 60s. to 67s. 6d. per load of 50 cubic feet. Quebec oak is in fair request, and the demand for first-class waney and square pine is good, but second-class is dull of sale. The consumption of wood in London is increasing and is in excess of same time last year.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

W. Caldwell, of Toronto, is announced to have sold within the past fortnight 4,100,000 feet of white pine lumber to W. H. Hogg, of Buffalo.

The Yale-Columbia Lumber Company, of Phoenix, B. C., is supplying about 750,000 feet of lumber for a large tunnel on the new Boundary railway.

A car load of shooks for fruit boxes and heavy baskets was shipped last week from New Westminster, B. C., to Adelaide, Australia, by the British Columbia Mfg. Company.

The schooner F. E. Saunders is loading lumber at the Hastings mill, Vancouver, B. C., for a foreign port, and the ship Cuy of Hankow is about to load lumber at Burnet, B. C., for Sydney, Australia.

Messrs. Robinson, Limited, held a sale of wood goods at Dublin, Ireland, on August 15th, at which the following prices were realized: Miramichi spruce, 9 x 3, 10 and 11 ft., £12 15s., per Irish standard; 12 ft., £13 2s. 6d.; 13 ft., £12 15s. to £13 2s. 6d.; 14 ft., £13 5s.; 15 ft., £13 2s. 6d.; 10 ft. to 19 ft., £13 5s., 20 and 21 ft., £13 7s. 6d. Cape Tormentine spruce, 12 x 3, £12 to £11 5s. 11 x 3, £12 5s.; 8 x 3, £11 17s. 6d.; 7 x 3, £11 12s. 6d.; 5 x 1, £9 2s. 6d. 1st Quebec spruce, 9 to 14 x 3, £14 5s.; 2nd, 11 to 14 x 3, £13 17s. 6d.; 7 x 3, £12; 3rd, 9 x 3, £11 10s.; unsorted, 7 x 3, £11 10s. to £12; 9 x 3, £13. Quebec red pine, 18 ft. 4 x 2, £14 7s. 9d. to £14 15s.; 20 ft. to 24 ft. 4 x 2, £14 10s.; 18 ft. 6 x 2, £15; 12 ft. 9 x 3, £19 1s.

Messrs. Campbell, Meredith & Allan have entered an action in the name of the Collin's Bay Rafting & Forwarding Company to seize and attach in the hands of Messrs. Poupore & Malone, contractors, now doing work in the Montreal harbor, some 1,050 pieces of oak now on board the steamer Saturn or on the wharf, to which the steamer is attached, the whole representing a value of about \$13,350. The affidavit of the President of the company plaintiff, which owns the Saturn, sets forth that the timber was shipped at Sandusky, Ohio, consigned to the defendants by Hirk, Christy & Co., of Cleveland, and that on coming to Montreal the ship grounded at Pigeon Island. A tug and lighter had to be secured to release the vessel, and the time lost and repairs needed constituted another source of damage. The plaintiffs claim that the accident is imputable to the cargo, and that they have a lien on the timber.

FIRES.

The saw mill of Thompson & Avery, near Sharbot Lake, Ont., was destroyed by fire on August 29th, at a loss of \$4,000.

The saw mill of John Greenlees, at Red Bay, near Warton, Ont., was burned recently, together with a quantity of lumber.

THE OTTAWA VALLEY

[Correspondence of the Canada Lumberman]

Prices on the local lumber market hold firm, no single line showing a break or tendency to break. The local demand has improved with the passing of the labor troubles. On account of the strikes, however, considerable building planned for the present season has been postponed a year. Culls are now a good feature, as the supply is limited. They are almost entirely in the hands of jobbers, according to a reliable authority.

Opinions differ on the export trade, but the American market from all accounts shows little, if any, improvement. One company has it that the United States buyers are trading from hand to mouth. September, however, promises an improvement, as winter stocks will then begin to receive attention. The British market is dull and according to report overstocked. British exporters, while moving considerable stock from local yards and mills, are holding considerable on the other side.

Quotations show advances in a few lines. Good pine strips have brought from \$26 to \$32 per thousand. Pine 8 inch shipping culls and better stock finds buyers at \$15 to \$16. Lath are in demand, No. 1 unchanged at \$2.00 to \$2.50 and No. 2 advanced to \$2.25. Cedar shingles have also reached a higher figure. Clear butts are mentioned at \$2.00 to \$2.35, and XXX at \$2.50 to \$2.75. Mill culls are retailing as high as \$14.

"Hardwood trade extremely dull," is

the situation as described by a local dealer. Buyers are not anxious for business and the mills are holding large stocks. Prices, however, are erratic and what holds good in one place may not answer in another, although the same stock may be selling. The figure given for basswood is \$16 per M., and for mill run ash \$17. Maple, birch and elm, which brought \$16 a year ago, are running from \$10 to \$12 now.

Business is brisk at the mills and logs plentiful. Low water in the Gatineau threatened a tie up, but heavy rain has improved the situation.

Over 500 men have gone up to the woods. Some place the figures even higher, and gangs are being hired daily. Wages are even higher than last season, ranging from \$20 and board for road-making to \$30 and board for axe men.

It is reported that the Bronson & Weston Company will next season erect a saw mill at the Chaudiere, on the site of their old one. They have been out of the business for a couple of years.

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Ottawa, August 30, 1901. A. P.

BUSINESS NOTES.

A meeting of the creditors of the Chequasset Lumber Co. was held in New York on August 27th. Representatives of all the banks interested as well as the merchandise creditors were present. The meeting was called at the request of Chas. E. Corkran, president of the Chequasset Lumber Co., who made a proposition to form a new company, of which he was to have control, to take over all the assets and liabilities and continue business. The Chequasset Lumber Co. is a parent organization controlled by fifteen subordinate companies. Mr. Corkran submitted a statement showing that the liabilities of all the concerns amounted to \$965,960, and the assets would amount to nearly \$500,000.

A committee of three creditors was appointed to examine the books and to report to another meeting, which will be called in about three weeks.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The following shipments of lumber, etc., from Canadian ports are reported since last issue:

From Chatham, N. B.: Schr. Morancy, for New York, 1,106,500 pieces lath, by William Richards Co.

From Ship Harbor, N. S.: Barque Broughton, for Llanally, Ireland, spruce deals, value \$6,000, by Alfred Dickie.

From Halifax, N. S.: Str. Oruro, for British West Indies, 6,000 feet lumber, value \$90. Schr. Regina B., for St. Pierre, 5,000 feet lumber, value \$50. Schr. Dahome, for London, England, 519,986 feet deals, etc., value \$5,119. Barque Vianca Casanova, for Swansea, England, 723,512 feet lumber, etc., value \$7,105.

From Montreal: Str. Anduri, for Liverpool, 18,683 pieces lumber, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 20,697 pieces lumber by Watson & Todd; 8,427 pieces lumber by R. Cox & Co.; 756 pieces of lumber by McArthur Bros. & Co.; 3,395 pieces lumber by Gillies Bros.; 2,307 pieces lumber by C. P. R. Str. Amarynthia, for Glasgow, 5,454 pieces deals by Watson & Todd; 4,892 pieces deals by E. H. Lemay; 2,922 pieces deals by McLaurin Bros.; 7289 pieces deals by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 8,302 pieces deals by J. Burstall & Co.; 1,680 bbls. birch lumber by Canada Atlantic Ry. Str.

Montevideo, for Glasgow, 95 pieces lumber by G. T. R.; 9,583 pieces deals and boards by Watson & Todd. Str. Frisin, for Hamburg, 9,871 pieces boards by Watson & Todd; 1,116 pieces lumber by G. T. R.; 42 Walnut logs by C. P. R. Str. Manchester City, for Manchester, 1,998 pieces ends, 3,782 deals and boards, by R. Cox & Co.; 9,378 deals and ends by Watson & Todd; 4,547 pieces deals by McLaurin Bros.; 16,194 pieces boards by W. & J. Sharples; 295 rolls pulp board by Laurentide Pulp Co. Str. Devona, for Dundee, 7,982 pieces deals by Charlemagne Lumber Co. Str. Lord Iveagh, for Belfast, 5,282 pieces deals by J. Burstall & Co.; 4,096 pieces deals by McArthur Export Co.; 5,690 pieces deals by Watson & Todd; 2,466 pieces deals by G. T. R.; 1,800 barrel staves, 500 barrel hoops, by the C. P. R.; Str. Degana, for Liverpool, 11,126 pieces lumber by Watson & Todd; 1,185 pieces of lumber by Montreal Lumber Co.; 10,691 pieces lumber by W. & J. Sharples; 3,000 pieces lumber by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Lake Megantic, for Liverpool, 3,357 pieces lumber by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 11,787 pieces lumber by McLaurin Bros.; 19,833 pieces lumber by Watson & Todd; 1110 pieces walnut lumber, 414 pieces oak lumber, 251 pieces oak scantling, 610 pieces walnut lumber, by C. P. R. Str. Bark Poseidon, for Kragero, 5,111 pieces spruce deals, 2,168 pieces red pine deals, 603 pieces of spruce deals and ends, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Sicilian, for Glasgow, 553 bbls hickory, 14 pieces boards, by G. T. R.; 1,680 pieces lumber, 601 bbls lumber, by C. P. R.; 964 bbls. wood pulp, by Laurentide Pulp Co.; 8,478 pieces deals and boards, 37,787 pieces deals and boards, by W. & J. Sharples. Str. Carrigan Head, for Belfast, 1,300 bbls. staves, by C. P. R.; 9,158 pieces deals, boards and ends, by Robt. Cox & Co.; 18,863 pieces deals, boards and ends, by Watson & Todd; 2,557 pieces deals, boards and ends, by McLaurin Bros.; 4,862 pieces deals and ends, by J. Burstall & Co.; 3,983 pieces deals and ends, by Robt. Cox & Co.; 2,500 bbls. staves, by C. P. R. Str. Pretorian, for Glasgow, 1,109 pieces deals, by G. T. R.; 7,313 pieces deals and boards, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 6,168 pieces deals and boards, by W. & J. Sharples.

TIMBER STATEMENT.

Following is a comparative statement for three years of the timber, etc., measured and culled at the port of Quebec up to Sept. 3rd, as reported by the Supervisor of Cullers:

	Cu. ft. 1899	Cu. ft. 1900	Cu. ft. 1901
White pine	1,611,562	1,366,183	984,375
Red pine	544,171	505,666	412,132
Oak	159,541	60,796	77,790
Elm	514,763	429,302	385,432
Ash	446,403	586,031	916,032
Basswood	56,543	81,227	134,430
Butternut	60	142	944
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Uppers, 3 in. up	\$68 70	1x12 inch shippers	\$ 21
1 1/2 in.	65 70	4/4 inch " 13" & up	22
1 to 2 in.	60 62	4/4 box boards, 6" and up	17 18
4 inch uppers	70 72	10-in. dressing and better	28 30
Selects, 2 1/2 in. up	60 62	10-in. common	18
1 to 2 in.	50 52	12-in. dressing and better	32 34
Fine common, 2 1/2 in. and up	50 52	Common, 1x12	19
1 to 2 in.	40 42	No. 1 barn, 1x12	25 26
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 in.	30 40	1x10	23 24
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	21
No. 2 molding, 1 to 2 in.	28 30	1x8	20
Stained saps	25 30	Shaky clear, 1 to 6 1/4 in.	21 28
Bracket plank	30 35	" " 2 inch	28 30
Shelving boards, 12-in. up	32 35	Dressing	26 32
Dressing boards, narrow	32 35	Common	20
1x10 inch shippers	19		

SHINGLES.

Sawed Pine, ex. xxxx	\$4 40 \$4 75	Bound butts, 6 x 18	\$5 25 5 50
Clear butts	3 50 3 75	Hemlock	2 2
Smooth, 6 x 18	4 50 4 75	Spruce	2 25

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WHITE PINE. (Wholesale selling price.)

Uppers, 1, 1 1/2, 1 3/4 and 2 in.	\$57	Dressing 1 1/2 in.	13 50
2 1/2 and 3 in.	67 00	1 1/2 x 10 and 12	35 50
4 in.	72 00	1 1/2 in.	34 00
Selects, 1 to 2 in.	66 00	2 in.	36 50
2 1/2 and 3 in.	62 00	Shelving, No. 1, 13 in.	
4 in.	66 00	and up, 1 in.	38 50
Fine common, 1 in., up to 12 in. wide	43 00	fold st'ps No. 1 to 2	
1 1/2 and 1 3/4 in.	45 00	in.	35 00
2 in.	48 00	Barn, No. 1, 12 in.	27 00
3 in.	57 00	6, 8 and 10 in.	23 00
4 in.	62 00	No. 2, 12 in.	21 00
Cut'g up, No. 1, 1 in.	34 00	No. 3, 12 in.	23 00
1 1/2 and 1 3/4 in.	40 00	No. 3, 10 in.	19 00
No. 2, 1 in.	22 00	No. 3, 12 in.	20 00
No. 2, 1 1/2, & 1 3/4 in. 32	33 00	Box, 1 x 4	17 00
No. 3, 1 1/2, 1 3/4 and 2 in.	25 00	1 x 6 to 12 in.	16 50
		1 x 10 to 12 in.	18 00
		1 1/2 and 1 3/4 in.	17 50 18 00
		Mill Culls, 1, 1 1/2, 1 3/4 and 2 in.	14 00 14 50

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

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, 11 00	33 00	Com. & good culls	14 00 16 00
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BIRCH.

1st & 2nd, white, 6' & up	20 00 22 00	Com. & good culls	11 00 13 00
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MAPLE.

1 & 2d, hard, 6 in.	18 00 20 00	1st & 2d,
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