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tioned, but these estimates are not in any way
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By Public Auction

VIRGIN

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North Shore Lake Huron

AT THE ROTUNDA, BOARD OF
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Wednesday, December 18th, 1901,
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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber trade of Ontario is moving
along in a satisfactory manner. There is
special activity in the movement of stock
by vessel, buyers being anxious to take
advantage of the water rate. While few
large transactions are reported, a number
of small lots have changed hands, and
the disposition to buy shown by dealers
is an indication that lower prices are not
expected. A lot of about 2,000,000 feet,
manufactured at an Algoma mill, was
sold last week in the Toronto market at a
satisfactory figure. Finishing material is
moving quite freely, as many buildings are
now nearing completion. If the winter
should be open, considerable building will
likely be done, as there are several large
projects in the hands of architects to be
carried out as soon as possible. The
lumbermen complain of a shortage of cars
to move stocks. In some instances it has
seriously interfered with trade owing to
inability to fill orders. What the log pro-
duction will be during the coming winter
is a matter of some speculation, but the
trade is inclined to the opinion that it
will be smaller than last year owing to the
high cost of labor and supplies and other
causes previously referred to. Hardwoods
are showing a little more strength on the
expectation of an increased demand and
a curtailment of production next year.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

From the standpoint of demand, spruce
lumber has improved. There has been
some buying for the United States
market, and considerable enquiry regard-
ing stock for shipment next year. Two
large cargoes cleared last week from St.
John for Australia, and a number of
cargoes from other provincial ports for
the United Kingdom, while there con-
tinues to be the usual shipments to South
America and the West Indies. The past
season has been very unprofitable for
many manufacturers in New Brunswick,
inasmuch as many of their logs are still
hung up, which has necessitated the
closing down of their mills. This cir-
cumstance, coupled with the scarcity of
labor and high wages, is likely to greatly
curtail the logging operations of the
coming winter, and some of the best
authorities predict that the production of
spruce lumber in the season of 1902 will
be much smaller than during the season
now closing. Numerous enquiries are
being received by manufacturers for cedar
shingles, which are selling at \$3 on
Boston rate of freight, and higher prices

are predicted. Large shipments of lath
have been made to Philadelphia.

UNITED STATES.

The past week has witnessed further
favorable developments in the lumber
trade of the United States. Yellow pine
is showing more strength, and the appre-
hension that white pine might suffer as a
result of price cutting by the manufactur-
ers of yellow pine is now almost dispelled.
There is a large current demand and
numerous enquiries for future delivery.
At the head of the lakes there is a short-
age of 12 inch boards and wide 2 inch
dimensions. Sales have been made with-
in the past week at \$13 for No. 3 boards.
From Toledo, Ohio, comes the report
of an advance of one dollar on 18 foot
Norway joists, making the price \$17. The
eastern market is quite buoyant. Con-
sumers are buying heavily, and are not so
exacting in respect to price and grade as
was the case throughout the summer.
There is a scarcity of piece stuff and all
high grade lumber, and the dealer who
has any quantity of this stock is holding
out for fancy prices, which he will no
doubt be able to obtain. Low grades are
selling on a small margin of profit, and
are not likely to be advanced in relation
to the high grades owing to the available
supply. In Northern New England the
scarcity of spruce timber is becoming
more apparent as the log season
advances. The mills are busy filling
orders, and the demand is increasing.
Prices range about \$1.50 above the last
established list. No significant change
can be reported in the hardwood situation.
The market is moving along quietly, but
there seems to be no indication of a sub-
stantial improvement in the near future.
There is a fairly good demand for birch
and maple. Lath is more plentiful at
Buffalo and Tonawanda, the receipts from
the upper lakes having been quite heavy
of late. There is a brisk demand for
shingles, dealers being unable to keep
up with their orders. White cedars are
selling in Chicago at \$2.65 for 8 inch
and \$2.75 and up for 10 inch.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Timber importers and dealers in Great
Britain are getting more confident that
the turning point in the market has been
reached and that prices have touched
rock bottom. The consumption during
the month of September was, almost
without exception, greater than the im-
port, and consequently stocks of lumber
show a reduction in comparison with one

month earlier. The stock at London is proportionately heavier than at other ports. In the Surrey Commercial Docks there was on September 30th of this year 763,320 pieces of spruce deals, as compared with 598,285 pieces one year ago. At Liverpool the stock of spruce deals is only 15,000 pieces, as against 28,000 pieces one year ago. Quebec pine deals are represented in Liverpool by 13,000 pieces, an increase of 4,000 pieces over the corresponding period in 1900. Trade circulars to hand state that stocks are being held with considerable firmness, and if this policy is continued lower prices may be said to be out of the question. There is a dearth of Canadian deals and timber of the higher grades, but complaint is made that the stock of inferior grades is too heavy. Quebec pine deals range from £22 to £28 per standard for first quality, £17 to £20 for second quality, and £11 to £12 for third quality. Quebec spruce deals are quoted from £6 10s to £8 10s, and New Brunswick spruce deals from £6 to £7 10s. Prices for 7 and 8 x 3 inch deals are weak, but 9 inch are wanted. Waney pine timber has been imported very moderately and is firm in price, while square pine is dull of sale. Best rock elm timber is wanted and brings from 3s 1d to 3s 2d per cubic foot. Birch timber ranges from 15d to 17½d for 13 to 15 inch average.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

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

From Halifax, N.S.: Str. Demava, for Liverpool, 81,214 ft. lumber, value \$1,218. Barque Active, for White Haven, Eng., 415,819 ft., value \$4,140. Barque Nellie Moodie, for Great Britain, 634,582 ft., value \$6,315. Schr. Wenola, for Bridgeport, Conn., 319,125 ft., value \$3,051. Schr. Monitor, for Boston, 93,350 ft., value \$933. Schr. Grecian, for Liverpool, 625,762 ft., value \$6,206.

From Chatham, N.B.: Schr. L. Saker, for Garton, Eng., 1,951,241 ft. deals, etc., by F. E. Neale. Barque Nova Scotia, for Newport, 951,254 ft. deals, etc., by F. Dyke. Schr. Juno, for Belfast, 1,692,000 ft. deals, by J. B. Snowball Co. Schr. McClure, for New York, 1,205,000 lath, by William Richards Co.

From Vancouver, B.C.: Str. Salfordia, for China, 3,000,748 ft. rough lumber,

200,000 laths, 5 spars, value \$30,450, by Pacific Export Lumber Co. Tug Albion, for United States, 312,000 ft. cedar logs, value \$2,030, by Atkins & Co. Tug Hopo, for United States, 316,000 ft. fir logs, value \$1,344, by W. R. Jones. Tug Vulcan, for United States, 151,220 ft. cedar logs, value \$800, by Hamilton Logging Co.

From St. John, N. B.: Barque Gregorio Padre, for Melbourne, Aus., 1,051,844 ft. deals, 42,319 ft. ends, by George McKean. Barque Favell, for Melbourne, Aus., 1,154,649 ft. deals, 25,036 ft. ends, by W. Mackay. Str. Teresa, for Liverpool, Eng., 2,451,493 ft. deals and battens, 161,002 ft. scantling, 121,761 ft. ends, 131,532 ft. boards, 43,256 ft. birch planks, 3,283 ft. birch ends, 1,398 ft. birch timber, by W. M. Mackay. Schr. Ida May, for New York, 161,744 ft. deals, by A. Cushing & Co. Schr. Carrie Belle, for City Island, 193,629 ft. deals, 676,000 laths, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Prudent, for Vineyard Haven, 17,573 ft. scantling, 163,214 ft. planks, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Ada G. Shorland, for City Island, 282,589 ft. deals, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Canaria, for Philadelphia, 827,300 laths, by J. H. Scammell & Co.; 154,000 laths, by A. Cushing & Co.; 650,000 laths, by Dunn Bros. Schr. Annie Laura, for Boston, 85,671 ft. plank, 52,603 ft. scantling, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Sower, for Fair Haven, 104,678 ft. plank, 20,258 ft. deals, 13,704 ft. scantlings, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Speedwell, for Beverley, 17,330 ft. plank, 90,457 ft. plank boards, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Jennie Palmer, for Boston, 103,448 ft. planks, by Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr. Evangeline, for London, 252,012 ft. deals, 31,957 ft. ends.

From Montreal, Que.: Str. Belgian, for Antwerp, 5,681 pcs. deals, 824 pcs. boards, 446 pcs. ash boards, 1,113 pcs. boards, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Str. Gilitra, for Newcastle and Aberdeen, 2,354 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 4,838 pcs. deals, 734 pcs. deal ends, by McArthur Export Co.; 2,692 pcs. deals, 287 pcs. deal ends, by J. Burstall & Co. Str. Rosarian, for Glasgow, 2,403 pcs. deals, by McArthur Export Co.; 5,353 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd; 3,644 pcs. lumber, by C. P. R.; 1,592 pcs. lumber, by G.T.R. Str. Dunmore Head, for Belfast, 771 bundles staves, by Steinhoff & Gordon; 2,140 bundles staves, by Sutherland, Innes & Co.; 7,240 pcs. deals, by W. & J. Sharples; 1,107 pcs. boards, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 375 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd; 5,646 pcs. boards, by E. H. Lenay. Str. Teutonia, for Hamburg, 49 walnut logs, by C. P. R. Str. Lake Megantic, for Quebec, 9 cases basswood boards, by G. E. Jaques & Co.; 3,021 maple boards, 545 pcs. oak lumber, by C.P.R.; 461 pcs. lumber, by G.T.R.; 5,537 pcs. boards and deals, by McLaurin Bros.; 2,682 bundles boards, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 24,000 pcs. pine and

spruce boards and ends, by Watson & Todd. Str. Pretorian, for Liverpool, 1,971 pcs. deals, 309 pcs. ends, by W. & J. Sharples; 1,342 pcs. boards and deals, by E. H. Lemay; 6,374 pcs. boards, 589 pcs. deals, 5,471 pcs. ends, by R. Cox & Co. Steamer Hurona, for London, 10,605 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co. Steamer Ontario, for Glasgow, 7,154 pcs. deals, by R. Cox & Co.; 13,498 pcs. deals, by W. & J. Sharples. Steamer Montford, for Bristol, 1,809 pcs. spruce deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 6,187 pcs. deals and boards, by Watson & Todd; 20 bundles pulp, by Laurentide Pulp Co. Steamer Orcadian, for Glasgow, 2,535 pcs. deals and boards, by W. & J. Sharples; 967 pcs. deals, by G. T. R.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

The steamer Gisland has sailed from Cape Tormentine, N.B., for Bristol, Eng., with a cargo of lumber, supplied by S. Wood & Sons.

The steamer City of Hankow sailed last week from Barnet, B.C., for Sydney, Aus., with 1,000,000 feet of lumber. Several lumber carriers have just sailed from Chemanus, B.C., for foreign destinations.

B. B. Bahnsen and A. Buchholtze, of Pembroke, Ont., who recently formed a

partnership, have sent a number of men to their limits in the township of Cartier. These limits were purchased at the recent Government sale and comprise 33 square miles.

J. A. Gregory, of St. John, N.B., has leased for ten years a large block of timber lands at Lepreaux, N.B., paying therefor \$10,000.

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During the quarter ended September 30th the total value of lumber shipped from St. John, N.B., to the United States was \$509,744.27. Of this sum \$174,128.01 represented New Brunswick lumber, as follows: Long lumber, \$69,161.46; lath, \$48,922.10; shingles, \$8,240.90; piling, \$9,790.10; staves, \$490.83; wood pulp, \$56,540.80; kiln wood, \$981.12. Maine lumber manufactured at St. John totaled in value \$335,616.26, as follows: Long lumber, \$273,525.50; lath, \$36,260.30; shingles, \$23,029.00; clap-boards, \$1,877.25; pickets, \$663.21; box shooks, \$261.00.

THE GLASGOW MARKET.

From Edmiston & Mitchell's monthly timber circular of 30th September we extract the following: We annex the usual comparative statement of stock of timber and deals at this date. In Quebec goods, red pine logs are considerably less than for the last two years, and elm and ash considerably more; while in deals, though there is an increase on the past year of 4,000 standards, it has to be borne in mind that last year's stock was abnormally low, being less than half of the previous year's. The consumption of log timber during the nine months amounts to about 94,500 loads, against 81,300 loads, and 35,400 standards deals, against 38,475 standards last year. Business this past month has been, on the whole, rather quiet, buying being rather of a retail character, and prices have not moved much either way. Scotch shipbuilders have launched during September 17 vessels, representing 40,910 tons, as compared with 16 vessels of 27,000 tons for same month last year. A fair number of new orders have been booked during the month, the aggregate being about 35,000 tons, which is about the same as last month.

BIRCH.—Quebec.—The import for September amounts to 200 loads, and has all gone into store. A few retail sales have been made during the month at prices ranging from 15 to 17½d. for 13 to 15 inch average, but there is only a very languid demand, and prices show no evidence of improvement. Birch Planks.—The stock is unusually heavy, and prices are most unsatisfactory. A small shipment of Halifax planks which arrived recently was sold at £5 10s. c. i. f.

ASH.—The import for the month is about 110 loads, which has gone into store. The stock on hand at this time is heavy compared with recent years, and there is very little demand for it, owing partly to the dullness of the furniture trade, and partly

to the fact that other woods are now substituted for ash, such as soft elm, etc. Nominal value of good 1½ inch is about 2s. 2d., but the bulk of the ash on hand is inferior.

WANey BOARDWOOD.—A noticeable feature is the falling-off in the import of this well-known manufacture of white pine logs, which only amounts to 2,510 loads, while square timber—3,526 loads—makes up the balance of the white pine imports. Sales are anything but lively, and the disappointed consumer who expected to buy cheaper will only buy from hand to mouth. 75 cubic feet average wood is reported sold at 3s. 1d., while some very long timber of about 19 inches average fetched 3s. 3d. Short, girthy wood is scarce, while for good second-class timber we hear 2s. 6d. is being asked. The consumption has been fair, and the stock on hand is exceptionally light.

SQUARE WHITE PINS.—Owing to the scarcity of waney pine, consumers will sooner or later have to resort to square, but in the meantime, as the former can be got, the latter is left severely alone, waney being much preferred by converters. We hear of a sale of freshly-imported timber 24 feet and up, 45 cubic feet average; price, however, has not transpired. Short 16-inch wood is worth 2s. 5d., while 2s. has been paid for fair average.

RED PINE LOGS.—Owing to an abnormally small import, combined with a full average consumption, the stock of 500 loads is exceedingly light. The outlet for this timber in any quantity is exceedingly limited. The present market value is about 1s. 9d. for 45 cubic feet average.

OAK.—There has been a fair demand, and the nine months' consumption compares favourably with previous years. It is gratifying to see this, for our railway companies, who are the chief consumers, have been buying most sparingly. There are several inquiries for long wood 48 or 50 feet and up.

ELM.—This year's imports have, on the whole, not been very satisfactory, and there seems to be a growing difficulty in obtaining the hard rock elm that used to come forward so regular in quality. Now hard grey and soft logs are to be found in all shipments. The stock, which is large, contains a considerable percentage of soft wood. Really first-class rock elm is in demand, and can be sold at 3s. 1d. to 3s. 2d., but soft wood is a drug.

DEALS, &c.—Business during the month has been quiet. Several fair lines were cleared "ex quay," but yarded goods have been difficult to move. The stock of white pine deals, while heavier than at this time last year, is low, and prices of the better qualities are almost certain to harden. Prices of red pine deals, owing to the heavy import, are weak. Current values are as under: Broad first pine deals, £26 to £29; 11-inch, £23 to £25; ends and non-dimensions, £18 to £22. Second pine deals, 11-inch and up, £18 10s. to £21; non-dimensions, £12 10s. to

£15. Third pine deals.—11-inch and up, £11 15s. to £12 10s.; ends and narrows, £8 10s. to £10. Fourth pine deals.—11-inch and up, £10 to £10 15s.; narrows, £8 5s. to £8 15s. Red pine deals.—Nine and 11-inch, £8 10s. to £9 10s.; narrows, £7 5s. to £7 15s. First pine sidings and strips.—£14 to £22, according to specification. Spruce deals.—9 inch and up, £8 to £8 15s.; 7 and 8 inch, £6 10s. to £7 5s.

The steamer Loughrigg Holme has sailed from Montreal for London with a full cargo of deals.

It is reported that men are asking as high as \$40 per month to go into the woods in the Mississippi Valley this winter.

A quantity of pine from Montreal was sold at an auction sale in London on October 2nd at the following prices: 12-18 ft., 4x9 in., second quality red, £11 10s. per std.; 12-18 ft., 3x8 in., first quality red, £10; 12-18 ft., 3x8 in., 2nd quality red, £7 15s. and £8; 5-18 ft., 1x7-11,

first quality red, £18 15s.; 1x6, £10 10s.; 1x4 and 5, £9; 13-18 ft., 4x11 in., third quality red, £9 5s.; 13-18 ft., 4x9 in., £9 15s.; 12-18 ft., 3x8 in., £7 5s.

On the Barbados lumber market Messrs. E. P. Musson, Son & Company say: There have been no arrivals of either white pine or spruce during the fortnight, and our market is in good condition for first receipts. We could place one or two cargoes of white pine with full proportions of second quality at \$24.50 and \$16 respectively; if no immediate arrivals take place, an advance on these rates may be obtained. In spruce there is some enquiry, and we value a couple of cargoes, each of about 100,000 feet shipping and 50,000 second quality, in the neighborhood of \$18.50 and \$14.50 respectively. The only arrival of shingles to report is a small lot by a Canadian steamer, which sold as follows: Long Gaspe, \$4.21; 8-inch, \$8.05; 7-inch, \$7.86; 6-inch, \$6.96; 5-inch, \$5.71; 4-inch, \$3.1. Laying shingles are wont from \$1.80 to \$2.

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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. battean.			

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

UPPERS AND SELECTS.		SELECTS, 2 in., 8 in. and up wide	
Uppers, 1 n., 10 n. and up	\$63 00	1 1/2, 1 3/4 and 2 in.	63 00
1 1/2, 1 3/4 and 2 in.	63 00	2 1/2 and 3 in.	60 00
2 1/2 and 3 in.	68 00	4 in.	65 00
4 in.	70 00		
FINE COMMON.		FINE COMMON.	
1 in., 8 in. and up wide	45 00	1 1/2 and 3 in., 8 in. and up wide	55 00
1 1/2 and 1 3/4 in.	45 00	4 in.	60 00
2 in.	45 00		
B. FINE COMMON OR NO. 1 CUTTING.		B. FINE COMMON OR NO. 1 CUTTING.	
1 in., 7 in. and up wide	30 00	1 1/2 and 3 in., 7 in. and up wide	48 00
1 1/2 and 1 3/4 in.	40 00	4 in.	30 00
2 in.	42 00		
STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).		STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).	
1 1/2 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	43 00	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide	43 00
6 in. wide	43 00	6 in. wide	43 00
FINE COMMON OR C.		FINE COMMON OR C.	
1 in., 4, 5 in. wide	34 00	1 1/2 in., 4, 5 in. wide	38 00
1 1/2 in., 6 in. wide	40 00	1 in., 6 in. wide	40 00
SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.		SELECTED NO. 1 SHELVING OR FENCING STRIPS.	
1 1/2 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	30 00	1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide	25 00
BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.		BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.	
No. 1, 12 in.	27 00	No. 2, 9 in.	19 00
10 in.	23 00	8 and 7 in.	19 00
9 in.	21 00	No. 3, 12 in.	19 00
8 and 7 in.	22 00	10 in.	17 50
No. 2, 12 in.	23 00	9 in.	17 50
10 in.	20 00	8 in.	17 50
SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.		SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.	
1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide	15 00	1 in., 13 in. and up wide	17 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	16 00	1 1/2, 1 3/4 and 2 in., 7 in. and up wide	17 00
1 in., 7 in. wide and up	16 00		
SHAKY CLEAR.		SHAKY CLEAR.	
1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9 in. wide	28 00	1 in., 10 in. and up wide	28 00
1 in., 6 in. wide	28 00	1 1/2, 1 3/4 and 2 in., 8 in. and up wide	30 00
SHINGLES, 18-IN.		SHINGLES, 18-IN.	
Pine, XXXX	4 00	Cedar, XXXX, 18 in.	3 25
Clear Butts	2 85	Clear Butts	2 25

LATH.		LATH.	
No. 1. White Pine	3 50	No. 2. White Pine	3 00
Hemlock	2 75	Hemlock	2 75

ALBANY, N.Y.

UPPERS, 3 in. up		UPPERS, 3 in. up	
3 in. up	\$70 72	1 1/2 inch shippers	\$ 21
3 1/2 in. up	70 72	4/4 inch	23
4 in. up	70 72	4 1/4 Box boards, 6" and up	17 18
4 1/2 in. up	68 65	10-in. dressing and better	28 30
5 in. up	55 57	10-in. common	18
5 1/2 in. up	55 57	12-in. dressing and better	32 34
6 in. up	45 48	Common, 12 in.	19
No. 1 cuts, 1 to 2 inch	30 40	No. 1 barn, 12 in.	25 26
No. 2	25 30	12 in.	27 24
No. 3	21 26	12 in.	21 22
No. 4	21 26	No. 2 barn, 12 in.	23
No. 5	38 40	12 in.	21
No. 6	38 40	12 in.	20
No. 7	38 40	12 in.	20
No. 8	38 40	12 in.	20
No. 9	38 40	12 in.	20
No. 10	38 40	12 in.	20
No. 11	38 40	12 in.	20
No. 12	38 40	12 in.	20
No. 13	38 40	12 in.	20
No. 14	38 40	12 in.	20
No. 15	38 40	12 in.	20
No. 16	38 40	12 in.	20
No. 17	38 40	12 in.	20
No. 18	38 40	12 in.	20
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No. 42	38 40	12 in.	20
No. 43	38 40	12 in.	20
No. 44	38 40	12 in.	20
No. 45	38 40	12 in.	20
No. 46	38 40	12 in.	20
No. 47	38 40	12 in.	20
No. 48	38 40	12 in.	20
No. 49	38 40	12 in.	20
No. 50	38 40	12 in.	20

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

UPPERS, 2, 2 1/2, 3 and 3 1/2 in.		UPPERS, 2, 2 1/2, 3 and 3 1/2 in.	
2 in.	\$57	1 1/2 and 2 in.	35 50
2 1/2 in.	61 00	2 1/2 in.	34 50
3 in.	67 00	3 in.	