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### CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

Beyond an increase in the number of inquiries for shingles and lath, the lumber market has not changed since tast issue. Pine stocks of all grades are being contracted for, and before the sawing season of 1900 shall open, there will be very little stock in the hands of manufacturers. This opinion, now common, is causing operators to direct their efforts towards securing a large production of logs this winter. The Georgian Bay mills will be operated to their full capacity next season, and it is possible that new mills will be erected by Michigan lumbermen owning limits on the Georgian Bay. A report from Saginaw states that many of the Michigan lumbermen are making arrangements to put in camps on their limits in Ontario, and if not allowed to export the logs, will manufacture them on this side. The manufacture them on this side. The Central Lumber Co. have already sent men to the Blind river, notwithstanding that they now have about 10,000,000 feet of logs stored on the river.

Some of the hardwood mills are closing down for the season, having cut their supply of logs and disposed of their production. Dealers report that there is actually no hardwood lumber of any account to be purchased.

OURBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The high freight rates from Canadian ports have had an effect upon lumber chartering, and it is probable that some goods intended to be shipped this fall will be held over for spring shipment. The insurance rate is now equal to about tos per standard, and at present prices for lumber it is almost impossible to pay this, together with other charges, and make a reasonable profit. There is a considerable quantity of lumber which must go forward from the St. Lawrence during October, and this will encause the during October, and this will engage the attention of shippers almost exclusively for the balance of the season. Local trade in Quebec is rather quiet, but some shipments are being made to the Eastern States. In New Brunswick and Nova Scotia he trade is in a prosperous condi-Scotia he trade is in a prosperous condition. More than the usual number of vessels have loaded at Nova Scotia ports for South America, and last week a cargo of lumber was shipped from St. John to Australia. In another column will be found the figures showing shipments of lumber from the port of Miramichi up to August 31st. It will be seen that all classes of lumber compare favorably in quantity with the shipments of last year. The total shipments from the province, however, have been considerably heavier however, have been considerably heavier this season, as last year more vessels lumthis season, as last year more vessels lumber laden sailed from Miramichi than for several years previous, while the shipments from St. John and from the provincial ports generally showed a substantial falling off as compared with previous years. There is some lumber yet to forward to Great Britain, but the quantity is not large. quantity is not large.

### MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Reports from Manitoba, the Territories Reports from Manitoba, the Territories and Bruish Columbia tell of a steadily increasing trade in limber and of difficulty in keeping pace with orders. In addition to large building operations, there are under construction in the province of Manitoba over three hundred miles of railway, which is consuming a large quantity of material. The only change in prices is an advance of 10 cents per thousand on an thicknesses of British Columbia shingles. The demand this season has been heavy, and the manufacturers felt that with the increased cost of shingle bates the conditions marranted of shingle bolts, the conditions warranted the advance made.

#### UNITED STATES.

For the first week for several months no advance in the price of lumber has been made in any market. While some grades of lumber may advance during the winter months, the general opinion is opposed to a further advance at the present time. The movement of lumber from the upper lakes to the Eastern from the upper lakes to the Eastern States has been restricted on account of high freights, \$4 being the ruling quotation from Duluth to Buffalo and Tonation from Duluth to Buffalo and Tonawanda. At Buffalo there is a continued scarcity of all grades of cutting up pine, while mill culls sell at the exceptional figure of \$15.50. The lath trade is improving, and dealers are selling plenty of stock at \$3.90 for 1½-inch No. 1 white pine, \$3.75 for mixed No. 1 and No. 2, and \$3.50 for straight No. 2. Inch sells at \$3.75. The stock of hardwoods has practically passed out of first hands, and, judging from present indications, there will be a shortage for manufacturing purposes. facturing purposes.

#### FOREIGN.

As the autun:n approaches the lumber market in Great Britain shows an upward tendency. Prices are strengthening, and holders of stock report a heavy demand. All advices are to the effect that spruce prices are likely to go considerably higher, and that there is a scarcity of that lumber. St. John deals are selling in the Liver-pool market at about £6 15s c.i.f., but as high as £7 has been paid at the out-ports. At London several sales of third quality At London several sales of third quality spruce have been made at 5s to 10s advance upon earlier contracts. Pine deals are slightly stronger, but for some reason the improvement in these bears little relation to that which has taken place in spruce. It may be expected, however, that owing to high freight rates prices will harden considerably in the pear future. near future. In Scotland Canadian goods are becoming more in favor. A cargo of Quebec red pine deals, 9×4, is reported to have been sold at Glasgow at 18d per cubic foot, while some 7,000 spruce deals, 9×11×3, have been contracted for at Greenock at £8 8s per standard.

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An improved demand is reported from Australia. This country was a few years ago a large consumer of Pacific coast lumber, and from present indications a large volume of trade may be expected from that quarter in the near future. From South America comes the report of renewed activity in building and an increased consumption of lumber. increased consumption of lumber.

#### STOCKS AND PRICES.

No. 1 lath is quoted at Michigan points at \$3.75 and No. 2 at \$3.50

Rhodes, Curry & Co., of Amherst, N. S., have just received a cargo of hard pine from Richmond, Va

The barks Trinidad and W. W. Mc-Lauchlan loaded lumber at Annapolis, N, S., last week for South American ports.

J. 1 & Freeman Goodman, of Hopewell Hill, N. B., have just finished sawing a brow of logs containing 1,300,000 feet.

The steamer Mimac sailed recently from Parrsboro, N. S., for Liverpool, Eng., with 2,391,765 feet of deals, shipped by W. M. Mackay.

This season Senator Wood has loaded with lumber twelve vessels, six at Cape Tormentine, three at Shediac, N. B., and three at Gaspe, Que.

The first steamer to load lumber at Richibucto, N. B., is now taking on a cargo of deals there. She will carry about 1,300 standards.

The Conger Lumber Co., of Parry Sound, Ont., last week loaded the vessel Ed. Kelly with 1,200,000 feet of lumber, for shipment to Philadelphia.

The ship Akershus cleared from St.

John, N. B., lor Melbourne, Australia, with a cargo of over 1,000,000 feet of lumber, shipped by A. Cushing & Co.

Gunter Bros., of Fredericton, N. B., expect to cut about 3,000,000 feet of logs this winter upon the New Brunswick Railway Co.'s lands on the Restigouche

Walker & Dockwook are about to engage in the manufacture of hub blocks at Tweed, Ont., and are prepared to pur-chase 10,000 oak blocks 10 inches in diameter and upwards.

D. S. Collins, manager of the Fossil Flour Co. Bass River, N. S. is reported to have purchased a lumber property in West Virginia, and purposes sending some Nova Scotia parties to superintend operations.

The Golden Lumber Co., of Golden, B. C., have decided to operate their Cedar creek timber limit, on which there is some of the finest timber in the province. The company will also have a camp this winter on their limit at Spilimachene.

It is reported that Clarke Bros., of Bear River, N. S., have purchased a valuable timber property in the Annapolis valley. This firm have just chartered two vessels. to load lumber, one for Buenos Ayres and the other for Cienfuegas, Cuba. They will shortly ship a cargo to Trinidad.

Following is a comparative statement of timber, &c., measured and culled at Quebec to September 26th, 1899:

Wancy white pine, cu feet. 4,00,9,850, 815,975,1,774,268
Square white pine, cu, feet. 821,00,61,005,014, 587,070
Red pine, cu feet. 153,328, 217,708, 159,037
OAk, cu, feet. 1309,200, 948,044, 522,178
Elm, cu, feet. 137,009, 34,735, 56,546
Hasswood, cu, feet 15, 955
Butternut, cu, feet 503
Tamarac, cu, feet 306
Birch and Manker 506 
 Rasswood, cu. feet
 15
 955

 Butternut, cu. feet
 673
 60

 Tamarac, cu. feet
 306
 415

 Birch and Maple, cu. feet
 271,174
 112,500
 244,530

At Fredericion, N. B., last week six timber berths were sold by the Crown Lands Department, as follows: Kedgewick river, above Clearwater brook, 2 miles, sold to A. E. Alexander, at upset price; Black brook, branch of Rockwell stream, 2 miles, to John Barry, at \$23 per mile, head of Thorn's and Rider's brooks, 2 miles, to John E. Moore, at \$8.25 per mile; north branch of Can's river, 3 miles, to W. R. McCluskey, at upset price; south-east of Gaspereaux river, 3 miles, to Daniel Duffy, at upset price; Big Forks, Salmon River, 2 miles, to Daniel Duffy, at \$8.50 per mile

At a recent auction sale held by At Fredericion, N. B., last week six

At a recent auction sale held by Churchill & Sim, London, Eng., birch planks, ex London City, from Halifax, N. S., sold as follows: 9-15 ft., 4 x 10-12 in., 1s 1d: 4-15 ft., 4 x 7, 10½d; 8-19 ft., 3½; 7-16, 10½d; 5-15 ft., 3x 10-13, 1s, 4-17 ft., 3 x 8, 10½d; 6-16 ft., 2½ x 12-14, 1s; 7-17 ft., 2½ x 10, 7d; 4 15 ft., 2½ x8, 9½d; 4-17 ft., 2 x 10-12, 1s 2d; 4-15 ft., 2 x 8, 1s 1d; 8-16 ft., 2 x 6-7, 1s. A small quantity of pine, ex Yola from Montreal, sold as follows: 11-16 ft., 3 x 5-10 in. first and second quality, £8 5s; 10-16 ft., 3 x 10 third quality, £8 5s; 9 16 ft., 3 x 8, £7 10s; 10-16 ft., 3 x 7, £7 10s.

Writing under date of September 9th, At a recent auction sale held by

Writing under date of September 9th, Messrs. Douglas L. White & Co., of Albara, N. Y., say We encose quoutions as adopted at a meeting of dealers held this week. A further advance may be looked for before close of season on account of the starcity of boats and cars and advanced freight. To cover cost of replacing stocks at prevent high prices. replacing stocks at prevent high prices and high freights at Western and Canadian mills, advanced prices are necessary. The increased consumption and urgent demand for lower grades of pine and spruce for immediate delivery present any accumulation of stocks, and advanced prices of the better grades are required to replace and the better grades are required to replace old stocks. The difficulty of moving lumber from Michigan and Canada is increasing all the time, owing to the rush in shipments of pulp, ores, tron and all products.

The lumber market at Beston has not changed since last issue. Spruce and hemlock are firm, and spruce shingles are in particularly good request. Prices are as follows: Spruce frames, nine inches and under, \$17; 12 inches and up, \$18; 10 and 12 inch randoms, 10 feet and up, \$17.50; 2 x 3 and 2 x 4, 2 x 5, 2 x 6, 2 x 7, and 3 x 4, 10 feet and up, \$15; other randoms, \$16.50, merchantable boards, \$14; out boards, \$12; extra spruce clapboards, \$29 to \$31; clear, \$27 to \$28; second clear, \$24 to \$26; laths, 136 m., \$2.65; laths, 136 in., \$2.50; eastern hemlock, \$13.50 to \$14.50, with ususal advance for over 16 feet; eastern hourds, \$12.10 tr over 16 feet; eastern boards, \$13 to 15; No. 1, \$12 to \$13; planed one side and matched, \$15 to \$16; extra cedar shingles, best brands, \$3.10 to \$3.25; clear, \$2.75 to \$2.85; second clear, \$2.25 to \$2.40; clear white, \$2; extra No. 1, \$1.50; extra pine clapboards, \$34 to \$36, clear, \$30 to \$33; second clear, \$28; less than carloads, \$1 to \$1.50 more.

#### SALE OF CANADIAN LUMBER.

Messrs. W. & L. Crowe, Dublin, Ireland, held their annual sale of wood goods on Wednesday, September 13th. The bidding for Miramichi spruce deals ex Platea was very brisk, and all the lots were sold at satisfactory brisk, and all the lots were sold at satisfactory prices. Quebec spruce was also in good demand, but there were very few bids for floorings and matchings. The prices given below are per Dublin standard of 120 pieces, 12 ft. 9 x 3, or 3,240 superficial feet.

SECOND QUEBEC SPRUCE.—12 ft., 9 x 3, £13 and £13 2s. 6d; 13 ft., 9 x 3, £13; 14 ft, 9 x 3, £13 10s.; 12 ft., 11 x 3, £13 10s.; 10 ft., 8 x 3, £12 7s. 6d.; 10 ft., 7 x 3, £12 7s. 6d; 12 ft., 7 x 3, £12 10s.; 13 ft., 7 x 3, £12 10s.; 14 ft., 7 x 3, £12 12s. 6d.

THIRD QUEBEC SPRUCE.—12 ft., 9 x 3, £12 7s. 6d.; 11 ft., 9 x 3, £12 7s. 6d.; 12 ft., 11 x 3, £12 10s.

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FIRST QUEBEC PINE.—12 in. x 3 in., £40;
13 in. x 3 in., £40 78. 6d.; 18 in. to 27 in. x 3
in., £46 58.
MIRAMICHI SPRUCE.—10 ft. and 11 ft., 9x

3, £12 7s. 6d.; 12 st., 9 x 3, £12 7s. 6d.; 13 st., 9 x 3, £12 7s. 6d.; 14 st. to 19 st., 9 x 3, £12 12s. 6d.; 20 st., 9 x 3, £13 12s. 6d.; 21

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#### NEW BRUNSWICK SHIPMENTS.

The following figures show the shipments of wood goods from the port of Miramichi, N. B., up to the end of August, and a comparison with last year:

•	1899. 68 ship≪	1898. 26 ships
	75,098 tons.	71,211 tons.
Deals	76,883,479	74,841,967 2,897,415
Ends .	3,003,494	3,877,927
Boards Palings	3,783 6-7 1,638,171	173,100
Spoolword	4,312,098	1,136,039

#### INQUIRY FOR BUTTER DISHES.

We have received an inquiry for the address of a manufacturer of butter dishes, made in one piece and scooped out of the timber. Manufacturers of these will confer a favor by sending us their business card.

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#### BRITISH COLUMBIA SHINGLES.

The British Columbia Shingle Manufacturers' Association have issued a new price list on red cedar shingles, making an advance of to cents per thousand on No. 1 quality. The quotations delivered to dealers in Ontario are quotations tenvered to dealers in Ontario are as follows: No. 1, shingles, six butts to two inches, \$2.65; No. 2, five inch clear, \$2.25; No. 1, six butts to 2½ inches, \$2.80; No. 1, five butts to two inches, \$3.05. For plain dimension shingles add to above prices 50 cents, and fer fancy butts \$1.

### SCARCITY OF COOPERAGE STOCK.

As the season advances the scarcity of cooper age stock becomes more apparent. Writing of the prevailing conditions in the United States and Conada, the Sutherland-Innes Company, of Chatham, say:

"The millmen have not been able to get in a supply of logs during the summer months for to keep their mills running. The consequence is that the majority of the mills are closed down for lack of raw material, and their steeks of manufactured material have almost entirely

vanished.

"In the Northwest the prices on staves and hoops have advanced considerably during this month. While the price on No. 1 elm staves is nominally \$7 per net M f.o.b. cars Minneapolis, we know of \$7.15 per net M having been refused for No. 1 28½ inch staves during this week. The buyers were willing to pay \$7 15, but the sellers were not willing to sell at less

than \$7.25 We should say that \$7.25 is the market price in Minneapolis at the present time, but it is a question if there will be many sellers at this figure. While the coopers claim they can obtain elm hoops at \$6.75 to \$7, we believe that \$7.50 is about the market price for hoops at Minneapolis. These figures also apply to the head of the lakes.

"The eastern trade has brightened up very much of late, the demand for apple barrel material being very heavy. Apple barrel staves are quoted at Buffalo from \$5.75 to \$6, \$6 being about the market price for small lots, and \$5.75 for carload lots.

"Patent coiled elm hoops have gone almost out of sight on the eastern market, \$5.50 to \$9

being the price of 6 foot hoops at Buffalo, with

being the price of 6 foot hoops at Buffalo, with other sizes in proportion.

"Heading has also taken an advance on the eastern market \$1c\$, per set, and the only trouble is to supply the coopers with all the stock they want. It is difficult to say to what price hoops will go this season. We should not be surprised to see 6 foot hoops at \$10, on the basis of Buffalo prices. Apple barrel staves are getting scarce, as the quantity manufactured was only very small, and they are likely to go very much higher in price.

"The market as the present time is a using one on all classes of cooperage material in the slack barrel line, and it is a question where the prices will go before the end of the season, as

manufacturers are very cautious about selling anything ahead at present, as they are doubtful anything ahead at present, as they are doubtful about being able to get the stock to fill orders for future delivery."

The shingle mill of Alexander Johnson, near Cloverdale, B.C., is reported to have been destroyed by fire.

The saw and planing mill of the Digby Manufacturing Co., at Digby, N.S., was burned a few days ago. The mill contained a rotary saw and a complete equipment of planing and moulding machinery. It was owned by Mr. Sydney Wood, who will probably rebuild.

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Bright spruce, according to mill specification, \$39 to \$42 for 211, \$25 to for 2nd, \$22 to \$25 for 4rd, and \$18 to \$21 for 4th quality. F.O.B. batt	\$27 cau

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