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THE BARBADOS MARKET.

The Barbados lumber market is thus reviewed by Messrs. Clairmonte, Mann & Co. in their report dated August 18th:

The only arrival of lumber within the past fortnight was the cargo per Andrew Burnham, from Newfoundland, which sold as follows: 35 M. feet white pine boards at \$18.60, 4 M. feet spruce boards at \$13.60, 23 M. feet white pine at \$18.83, 17 M. feet spruce at \$14.13, 5 M. feet birch at \$14.14, and a small quantity of scantling at \$12.60. The demand for both white pine and spruce is good. Last sales of Nova Scotia lumber have been made as follows: White pine boards, \$23; planks, \$17.60 for first quality and \$17.30 for second quality; spruce at \$17.50 for first quality. Pitch pine sells at \$21.11 for merchantable, \$15.51 for refuse, and \$13.51 for second quality. Last sale of Gaspé cedar shingles was at \$3.83 to \$5.27 per M., according to quality. Cedar lathing sells at \$2.60 and spruce lathing at \$2.30.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS. ONTARIO.

The trade of the month now drawing to a close has been larger in volume than any August for several years past. While orders have not been as plentiful as in the spring season, yet the volume of lumber moved augurs well for a heavy fall trade. Competition in buying is very keen, and it is a singular fact that retail prices have not advanced in proportion to the higher prices asked by manufacturers. The result of this is that dealers are doing business on a small margin of profit. While most of the dealers are prepared to hold their stock at a price which would give a reasonable profit, others indulge in cutting prices and accepting a margin of profit of about 50 cents per thousand. Take, for instance, 2 x 10 and 2 x 12 pine plank, for which manufacturers are asking \$11 and \$12. For this stock it is impossible to obtain more than an advance of 50 cents or one dollar on this price from retail dealers in Toronto. The retailer and consumer are benefitting at the expense of the wholesale dealer. This fact serves to illustrate the necessity of some organization among the lumber trade by which a basis of prices would be fixed. Report is still heard of the scarcity of hardwood lumber, and in some instances substitutes are being sought for.

The completion of buildings is creating an increased demand for shingles, of which there is but a limited stock at the mills. It is probable that an advance in prices will take place at an early date. Lath is scarce and in good demand.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

As the season advances the position of manufacturers in Quebec and the maritime provinces continues to strengthen. There are many enquiries in the market for lumber for fall shipment, but few of the mill owners are in a position to enter into contracts, having disposed of their season's production. A considerable quantity of lumber and shingles is being shipped to the United States, where prices are steadily advancing. The advance in lumber in New Brunswick is well illustrated by a recent transaction. Last spring a dealer purchased 1,500,000 feet of deals at Hopewell Cape, paying \$7 per thousand. He is now reported to have sold this stock at \$10 per thousand, making a profit of over \$4,000 on the transaction.

Foreign orders represent no small volume of trade. Vessels are constantly sailing for British ports, while a bark has

just loaded at St. John for Australia, and another for South America. Indications point to a further advance in spruce deals.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Harvesting operations in Manitoba and the Northwest are now engaging the attention of farmers. The government crop bulletin shows a most satisfactory yield, and the first shipments of new wheat have already been made. In anticipation of a large demand for lumber by farmers this fall, retail dealers are stocking up quite liberally, as is shown by the large quantity of stock that is being shipped from Winnipeg. Prices on lumber remain unchanged, although lath has been advanced 50 cents per thousand. In British Columbia the mills are unable to fill all the orders, the requirement for mining purposes being very heavy. Over 1,000,000 feet of lumber is being used in the construction of a flume in connection with the Grand Forks smelter.

UNITED STATES.

The only change in the United States market is a further hardening of wholesale prices at eastern points. Dealers in the Lake Erie markets have been unable to accumulate stocks as rapidly as desired, and consequently have decided to mark up prices. This has also been necessary in order to keep pace with the upward tendency at producing points. The advance in the eastern markets has been most pronounced on white pine. At Buffalo thick fine common has advanced \$5 within a short time, while inch mill culls now sells at \$14.50. The advance in box averages \$1.50, 1 x 4 now being quoted at \$14 and thick as high as \$17.50. Inquiries for lumber have been so numerous from the east that many dealers are of the opinion that it would be better to hold the stock until the fall, when still higher prices are expected to rule. Hemlock and spruce have also improved, the former selling in the New York market on a basis of \$15 per thousand.

The course of the hardwood trade is being watched with much interest. There are some dealers who anticipate a reaction, but the general opinion is that prices will not weaken before next spring at any rate, as the bulk of the consumption is for manufacturing purposes, and this branch of commerce is in a most healthy condition. Ash is very scarce throughout the eastern market, and implement manufacturers are substituting maple therefor. The scarcity of elm and basswood continues.

It is somewhat difficult to give a fair

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review of the shingle market. Some of the dealers report a large stock on hand, while others have a very small supply and are in the market to buy all they can find. An advance of 15 cents over the July price list is announced, which places 18-inch at \$3.85 and 16-inch at \$3.40. Red cedar shingles are selling about 20 cents per thousand less than pine.

FOREIGN.

The imports into Great Britain from Canada have been heavy of late, but from the north of Europe ports the reverse is the case, due to the extraordinary position of the freight market. A state of things similar to that now existing has not been known for years. Every class of vessel has been called into requisition to supply the demand, and the natural result is high rates of freight. This has caused a further strengthening of the lumber market. At a recent sale held by Churchill & Sim, London, Eng., waney pine timber sold at high values, but square pine and birch planks scarcely realized average quotations. Spruce deals are experiencing a steady consumption. At Manchester £7 2s 6d to £7 5s is being asked for large lines ex ship, and there is every prospect of a further increase in price. Concerning the Liverpool market a correspondent writes as follows: "The spruce market is very stiff, and no signs of relaxation are apparent up to the present time; nor do we see why any such hopes should be entertained. The season for shipping from the St. Lawrence ports is drawing to a close, and with it the rates of freights and insurance will increase. This serves to strengthen the position of shippers.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

G. Elias & Bro., of Buffalo, are said to be negotiating for the purchase of a hardwood limit in Canada.

The city of Toronto recently invited tenders for the supply of a quantity of oak and elm timber. Only one tender was submitted, and the council have not yet let the contract.

Prices at Philadelphia have advanced within the past fortnight. Hemlock sells at \$14 to \$14.50, 8 and 9 inch spruce at \$17 and \$19, and 8 inch and under boards, up to 20 feet, at \$17.

The Bonny River Lumber Co., who recently acquired the Todd property at Bonny river, Charlotte county, N.B., expect to get out this winter about 5,000,000 feet of logs. The mill, which has been idle for some years, is now being repaired.

Very little lumber is on the wholesale market at Duluth. A price of \$9.25 is said to have been refused for some No. 4 boards, but the greatest advance pertains to lath. One year ago lath was selling in the Duluth market at 75 cents and \$1. To-day quotations are \$1.60 and \$2.

A report from Ottawa, dated Aug. 21st, stated that there were at the Cascades, on the Gatineau river, about 15 miles from Ottawa, the largest number of logs that has ever been got together in one mass. Owing to the lateness of the spring and consequent high water, the lumbermen of the Gatineau could not start their run until very recently. When they did start they placed 240,000 logs in the river within ten days, with the result that there gathered at the foot of Little Cascade rapids 130,000 saw logs, 70,000 railway ties, 7,500 pieces of cedar, and 5,000 pieces of timber. The logs were 25 tiers deep, and beneath these runs the river at the rate of 25 miles an hour. It is proposed to use dynamite to break this jam.

It was recently recorded that the Saginaw Lumber & Salt Co. had purchased 3,000,000 feet of Canadian logs cut on exempted limits. It is now learned

that the company has purchased 2,000,000 feet more, making a total of 5,000,000 feet to be rafted to the Saginaw river this season. The price paid for these logs was the highest ever given for Canadian logs.

Following is a comparative statement of timber, &c., measured and culled at Quebec to August 29th, 1899:

Table with 3 columns: Species (Waney white pine, Square white pine, Red pine, Oak, Elm, Ash, Bluestem, Lutternut, Tamarac, Birch and Maple), 1897 volume, 1898 volume, 1899 volume.

There promises to be great activity in logging operations in the districts north of Bobcaygeon and Lindsay. M. M. Boyd & Co., of Bobcaygeon, will operate on about the same scale as last year, and will have one large camp on their Glamorgan township limits. McCormack & McLeod will have two gangs on Trout creek, Muskoka, and are already cutting cedar in Haliburton county. The Dickson Co., of Lakefield, will make a large cut on the old Scott limits in Cavendish and Anstruther. The Gilmour Company have sent a gang of men into Harvey township, about eight miles from Bobcaygeon. It is the intention to clean up this limit, taking off all the pine, cedar, hemlock, birch and elm. Turner & Fisher, of Saginaw, will have four camps in Muskoka and Georgian Bay limits, and the Rathbun Company will operate extensively in Muskoka and Haliburton.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

The shipments of lumber from British Columbia to foreign countries up to July 31st of this year were as follows:

Table with 4 columns: Name of Vessel, From, For, Cargo-Ft. Lists various ships like John Smith, Coloma, W. F. Witzemann, Louisiana, etc., and their destinations.

THE AUSTRALIAN LUMBER MARKET.

Messrs. Fraser & Co., of Melbourne, in their last monthly report, review the Australian market as below:

Sales of timber during the past four weeks have been of a moderate character, few important operations having been made from stocks in the yard and "ex wharf." In no line, however, has there been a decline upon last rates; while in some instances slightly better prices have been asked and secured, and for several descriptions of lumber there are indications of better value being shown at no distant date. There are signs of an improvement in the demand from the country districts when the spring season opens, also at which time there will most probably be an increase in the town and suburban orders, as many contracts for building requirements have lately been arranged to commence operations very shortly; and as further local contracts are now in view to be concluded within the next few months, we are, therefore, hopeful of seeing in the near future a much improved demand for all classes of timber, and for an actual consumption of the same.

SPRUCE AND BALTIC WHITE DEALS.—Imports: Nil. Some further business, but of a limited extent, has been done in stocks at

2 3/4d per foot of 9 x 3 for an assorted specification.

OREGON PINE.—Imports: Nil. The trade having been well supplied out of the last cargo from Hawaiian Isles, consequently there has been but little business done in the past four weeks. Some small sales have been concluded at from £6 to £6 5s per 1000 feet super., which basis the market is firm for the remainder of supplies at the wharf.

SHELVING AND CLEAR PINE.—Imports: Nil. £8 10s is now required for shelving, at which figure some sales have been concluded. Michigan clear pine is in poor demand at £14 10s per 1000 feet super.

LUMBER FREIGHT RATES.

CANADA ATLANTIC RAILWAY.

Lumber freight rates on the Canada Atlantic Railway, according to the summer schedule effective April 1st, are as follows. Ottawa, Rockland, Hawkesbury and intermediate points to Toronto, 10 cents per 100 lbs.; Parry Sound to Toronto, pine to cents, hardwood, 11 cents; Ottawa to Oswego, \$1.90 per M ft.; Ottawa to Syracuse, \$2.20 per M ft. (3,000 lbs. and under per M ft.); Ottawa to Montreal, \$1.00 per M ft., lath 20 cents per M pieces; Quebec, \$2.00 per M ft., lath 40 cents per M pieces; Arnprior to Montreal, \$1.50 per M feet, lath 30 cents per M pieces; Quebec, 12 cts.; Pembroke to Montreal, \$1.75 per M ft., lath 35 cents per M pieces; Quebec, \$2 75 per M ft., lath 55 cents per M pieces; Ottawa to New York, \$3.00 per M ft., lath 55 cents per M pieces; Arnprior to New York, \$3.50 per M ft., lath 65 cents per M pieces; Pembroke to New York, \$3.75 per M ft., lath 70 cents per M pieces; Parry Sound to New York, \$4.00 per M ft., lath 80 cts. per M pieces; Ottawa to Buffalo, 12 cts. per 100 lbs.; Ottawa, Rockland and Hawkesbury to Boston and common points, local 15c.; exports 11c. per 100 lbs.; Arnprior to Boston and common points, local 17 cents, export 15 cts. per 100 lbs.; Parry Sound to Boston and Portland and common points, local 21 1/2 cents, export 20 cts. per 100 lbs.; Ottawa, Rockland and Hawkesbury to Portland, &c., 15 cts.; Arnprior to Portland, 17 cts.; Ottawa to Burlington, 6c. per 100 lbs.; Ottawa to Albany, 20 cts. per 100 lbs.; Arnprior to Albany, 12 cts. per 100 lbs.; Parry Sound to Albany, 17 cts. per 100 lbs.; Ottawa to Scranton and Wilkesbarre, Pa., also Binghamton, N.Y., 23 cents per 100 lbs., from Arnprior 15 cents, from Parry Sound 20 cents per 100 lbs.; Ottawa to St. John, N.B., and common points, 20 cents per 100 lbs.; Ottawa to Halifax, N.S., and common points, 21 cents per 100 lbs. Minimum carload weight for shipment of lumber, lath, shingles, etc., is 30,000 lbs., and rates quoted above are in cents per 100 lbs., except

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COOPERAGE PRICES.

The Suther and Innes Company, manufacturers of cooperage stock, Chatham, Ont., in a letter to the CANADA LUMBERMAN, give the following information regarding the cooperage market:

There has been a considerable advance in cooperage stock, and the markets of the United States during the past 60 days have advanced rapidly. The following is our new price list for cars: No. 1, 28 1/2" jointed elm staves, \$5.75 per net 1,000; No. 1, 30", \$5.75; No. 2, 28 1/2", \$4; No. 2, 30", \$4. Millrun, 5 to 2", \$5.25; 6 to 2", \$4.75. No. 1, 24" jointed elm staves, \$4; No. 2, 24", \$2. No. 1, 14" to 14 1/4" kiln dried basswood heading, 3 1/2 per set; No. 1, 15" to 16", 3 1/2; No. 1, 17 1/2", 4 1/2. No. 1, 17 1/2", \$3.75 per 100 sets; No. 2, 17 1/2", 50; No. 1, 18" to 18 1/4", 4 1/2 per set; No. 1, 19", 4 1/2; No. 1, 19 1/2", 5c. No. 1, 3 1/2 ft patent elm hoops, \$4.60 per set 1,000; No. 1, 5 1/2 ft., \$6.50; No. 1, 6 ft., \$6.75; No. 1, 6 1/2 ft., \$7; No. 1, 6' 9 in., \$7.25. 12 in. liners, 40c per 1,000. 13 to 15 in. liners, 50c per 1,000. 34 to 35 in. syrup barrel staves, \$18. 30 in. half syrup barrel staves sell at \$16 for straight, and bent stock \$2 per 1,000 more.

These are the prices that we are selling at, but it is quite possible that with the large advances that have taken place in the United States we may be compelled to advance our figures, particularly for Canadian business, to cover the advance that has taken place in timber, timber and wages.

SALE OF CANADIAN TIMBER.

Messrs. Churchill & Sim, London, Eng., held an auction sale of wood goods on August 16th, at which Canadian timber sold as follows:

SPRUCE.—Ex St. John city, from Quebec—12 ft., 3 x 9, third quality, £7 10s. and £7 15s. Ex Vols, from Montreal—12-13 ft., 3 x 9-11, second quality, £8 10s.; 12-13 ft., 3 x 7-9,

third quality, £7 15s. Ex Euxima, from Quebec—13 ft., 3 x 9, third quality, £7 15s. Ex Ormiston, from Quebec—6-13 ft., 2 x 7-10, unassorted, £7 5s.

OAK TIMBER.—Ex Kirriemoor, from Quebec—651 cubic ft. at 5s. 5d. per load, 552 cu. ft. at 5s. 10d., 397 cu. ft. at 5s. 10d., and 458 cu. ft. at 5s.

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PINE TIMBER.—Ex Krim, from Quebec—24-26 ft., 16-30 in., first class waney, 97s. 6d. per load; 18-20 ft., 16-26 in., 92s. 6d.; 23-25 ft., 16-21 in., 92s. 6d. Ex Fernmoor, from Quebec—36-39 ft., 13 1/2 in., first class square pine, 92s. 6d. per load; 39-34 ft., 14 1/2 in., 54s.; 42-47 ft., 14-17 in., 58s.; 20-29 ft., 14-23 in., 59s.; 20-27 ft., 14 22 in., 55s.; 32-40 ft., 12-20 in., 60s.; 29-32 ft., 12-16 in., 57s.

THE SHINGLE SITUATION.

During the current season of constantly advancing prices, shingles of no kind have responded to increased values at any such rate as have all kinds and qualities of lumber. The explanation of this is that the immense consumption of lumber throughout the country for the year has been required more for manufacturing enterprises than for building operations.

It is not to be inferred from this that there has not been a large demand for shingles throughout the season. The sales, says the American Lumberman, have far outstripped any former year. The Washington mills, with-

out one exception, are way behind their orders, and it would doubtless be impossible for an eastern dealer, on a present order, to receive shingles in time for his fall trade. The stocks of pine shingles in the northwest are extremely low, and those of white cedar probably not more than one-half those of a year ago. New Brunswick cedars coming into the eastern field are in short supply. The same can be said of Pennsylvania hemlock shingles and the cypress shingles of the south.

In the face of the foregoing facts, it can safely be prophesied that shingles are a purchase at current values, as it is almost certain that a sharp advance in prices will be instituted within a very short time.

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