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LOGGING OPERATIONS.

A LARGER quantity of saw logs than usual has been taken out during the past winter on the waters north of Lindsay, Omt, namely, the Gull and Burnt Rivers. The Rathbun Co. will have 80,000 pieces; the Dominion Bank, 25,000 pieces; John Dovey & Sons, 5,000 pieces; John Carew, 20,000 pieces; Dundas & Flavelle Co., 20,000 pieces; Burk Bros., alarge quantity of elm and basswood logs, to be manufactured into staves and heading. All the above will be manufactured in Lindsay. Howry & Sons have taken out a large cut of good pine-about 40,000,000 feet; about 25,000,000 are on the Burnt River, and 15,000,000 were taken out in the township of Sherbourne and will come down the Gull River. John A. Ellis has about 30,000 pine logs. Howry & Sons and Ellis will manufacture in Fenelon Falls, M. Boyd & Co. have taken out 60,000 logs, which will be taken down to Bobcay geon. Craig & Austin have about 30,000 ogs, which will be sawn at Kinma oun

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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

A BETTERMENT in the lumber business that was manifest in come degree the first two weeks of the month is not holding out. At least, trade of the past week has partaken of a dragging nature, that has been somewhat of a damper. Enquiries are too few for the time of the year, and it is remarkable what intense caution marks every movement of the trade. Where a few years ago dealers went in for big lots of lumber they are to-day buying in the most sparing car load lots. No one seems to be buying any more than what is needed for actual requirements. Mill men are giving consideration to the new cut upon which they are entering, and are looking about, most of them, for avenues to place their product. There will, no doubt, be a good sized cut this season, but with continued duliness in trade it looks a little doubtful just how far all will be sold. Some there be who doubt whether prices will remain firm. A good deal will depend on how active trade is during the next month. "I have yet, perhaps, 15,000,000 of last year's cut on hand," said a mill man to the writer a few days ago, "and we will commence runing on the new cut in another fortnight. I would like to dispose of last year's stock, and when we get a slow week, as has been the case this week, it makes one feel like taking-say 500 less per thousand for his lumber." No break of the kind has occurred, but the remark of this lumberman is an index as to how some of the trade are 'hinking. Travellers, who are working local trade throughout the province, say they have found a good deal of improvement within the past week or two. Orders are being picked up at nearly every call, though these, in most cases, are light. A representative of one of the largest wholesale concerns remarked a day or two since, coming in from a trip, that he had found business very fair, and fully as active as he had expected. An Ottawa correspondent writes. "There has been no increased demand for lumber in this district within the past two weeks, although I hear on all sides that there are far more enquiries for stocks and price lists, which shows that a number are contemplating purchasing some stocks in the near future, and I do not think when the 1st of May opens, that there will be any doubt that a large amount of lumber will be moved. both for home and foreign consumption. Although there is a large amount of last season's lumber on hand the greater portion of it has been sold, and it is waiting orders for shipment, and as the lumber firms in th's district are not exceeding their cut of last season I do not see any reason why prices should be any lower."

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The record of shipments for export from the Lower Provinces shows that the season's trade has commenced. Some fair sized shipments, and with a good deal of frequency, are going to United States ports and there is an increase in the charters to carry lumber to the United Kingdom. The English market still keeps slow and vie ved from the other side of the Atlantic does not look any too encouraging for these ason's business. But exporters here believe that it will be found that the trade of the season taken altogether will be represented by fair figures.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The mills of British Columbia are busy, and there seems to be no great difficulty to find a market for their products, so far, this season. Shipments to California keep up, and the shipping records tell of a number of good charters that have been fixed for the carrying of lumber to Australia, South Africa and the United Preparations are being Kingdom. made for the season's logging, and considerable stock will be taken out of the woods during the coming summer.

UNITED STATES.

It cannot be said that there is any actual improvement in United States lumber markets during the past week, over that of the week preceding. There is a good deal in the way of preparing for business. Mills that are not running, are completing arrangements to get to work immediately. Navigation is opened at some points, and shipping of lumber by vessel has commenced, but the men, who have lumber to sell, and have been anxiously waiting from month to month to receive orders that would indicate an encouraging movement of stock, are not having their expectations anything nearly met. It is a case now of looking forward until May for the expected turn in the tide. But this continued hoping against hope has much of discouragement, and many are coming round to the view, that whilst there will not be a depression in trade, that there is going to be no boom in the lumber business this summer. Stocks will be wanted. There is going to be an increased amount of lumber required to meet the demands of the railways in car building, and in many of the large centers building operations will be active. But one swallow does not make a summer. The question is from time to time raised whether prices will continue firm throughout the season. Misgivings are entertained in some quarters, and there are grounds to fear that prices will relax a little later in the

season. It is to be said, however, that in the meantime these keep firm.

FOREIGN.

The cheering news is contained in the current wood circular of Denny, Mott & Dickson, of London, Eng., that lumber business during the past month has been brisker in appearance, as many of the orders and deliveries which could not be executed a month ago, owing to the prolonged frosts, has swelled the business of the present month. The qualification, however, is put in, that it is fairly certain that the crippled business in February has not yet been compensated for, and the first quarter of 1895, so far as trade in the United Kingdom is concerned, has not been an encouraging one for the timber trade. Farnworth & Jardine, of Liverpool, from whose circular we quote at length in another column, state that although the deliveries have generally been more satisfactory than during the past few months, that yet business has continued quiet, values have run low and stocks of all articles are sufficient. In London a gloomy view is taken of the situation of Canadian timber, it being stated that Canadian shippers have found it necessary to somewhat lower their high demand for pext season's supplies and some fair business has resulted. To quote: "The high cost of timber in Quebec and the dull market here (London) combined, however, make Quebec timber a dwindling and disheartening trade to all on this side." Indications tell of some slight improvement in Australian affairs, and the liklihood of a fair trade being done with South Africa. South America trade remains very dull.

HARDWOODS.

The volume of business done in Canadian hardwoods is light when contrasted with the trade in pine. But, relatively, there is a large trade done. At the present time the hardwood branch of the lumber business has taken on more activity than any other department. A talk with the men who handle hardwoods shows that they are all doing a fair business, nothing to startle anyone, yet a steady outgo is the record of each week. There is a growing trade in the United States for Canadian hardwoods, and as they come, and are coming more wildely into use for many different purposes dealers are looking to Canada for a good share of supplies. Prices in some respects are advancing, as was noted before, for example, for birch. Basswood is also in good demand, and whilst a much larger trade could be done yet, on the whole the hardwood men feel in pretty good feather.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

CANADA

The Pacific Coast Lumber Co., New Westminster. B. C., is shipping shingles east.

The St. Anthony Lumber Co. has taken out, it is said, 200,000 logs at Long Lake, Ont., equivalent to about 25,000,ooo feet, board measure.

One million white pine shingles from Ontario parties have been received by Donald Y. Leslie, of Buffalo. He-has 4,-500,000 more to come.

Shipments from St. John, N. B., for the past week, were 2,000,000 feet of long lumber, 2,500,000 lath and 1,250,000 shingles. The total shipments to the United States from this port for the three months ending March 31, were \$192,000.

Quotations for Douglas fir lumber at British Columbia in cargo lots for foreign shipments are as follows:

Rough merchantable, ordinary sizes, in lengths to 40 feet inclusive, per M feet		50
Deck plank, rough, average length, 35 feet per	3	20
M	18	00
Dressed T. and G. flooring, per M.	14	00
Pickets, rough per M	8	00
Laths, 4 feet 6 inch, per M	1	00

Ex-mayor Savage, of Rat Portage, Ont., states that 40,000,000 feet of saw logs are lying on the boom teady for sawing by the Lake of the Woods mills. The lumber prospects are not of the brightest this season, and many of the mills will run only a small portion of the season.

A St. John, N. B., dispatch says: Spruce deals are selling at last year's prices. Birch deals cannot be sold at any price, and birch timber is down to \$5.50 for 15 inch. Word has been received from New York that there is likely to be a good demand in that market all through the season for 2-inch spruce plank.

A sale of 3,000,000 feet of lumber for shipment to South America has been closed by Clark Bros., of Bear River, N. S. Some of the stock is now on the way. Recently this concern became possessors of 2,000 acres of timber lands, making 5,ooo acres, which they control and which will realize between 15,000,000 and 20,-000,000 feet of standing timber.

Farnworth & Jardine, Liverpool, Eng., record the following sales for the past month: Quebec, by auction, birch 1714 in average, at about 201/2d per foot. St. John, N. B., by auction 1436 in. average, about 17d per foot. Spruce deals of Miramichi, by auction, 3x11 inch at from £6 5s to £6 12s 6d per standard: 9 inch, at from £5 17s 6d to £6 5s per standard; 21/2 and 3x7 inch, at from £5 13s 9d to £5 15s per standard.

UNITED STATES.

Sales of 4,000,000 ft. at \$18 are noted at Saginaw. Some small lots have gone at \$15.50. Dry log run at Saginaw is pretty well sold out. Log run is held at \$14 to \$18; box \$10 to \$10.50; bill stuff \$8.50.

Col. A. T. Bliss, Saginaw, Mich., has contracted to cut 4,000,000 feet of lumber for Cleveland parties. He is selling good log run stock at \$18, similar stock, it is said, to what he sold in 1892 at \$22. He has contracts of recent date aggregating 7,000,000 feet.

A report from Manistee, Mich-, says that up to a week ago there was loaded at the mill docks there 50 barges and vessels with an aggregate of over 11,000,000 feet of lumber of all kinds. Dry pine piece stuff brings from \$9.521 to \$9.75

and green is firm at \$9; hemlock piece stuff \$6.50 and mch at \$7.25 to \$7.50; pine laths \$1.60 and hemlock \$1.25 to \$1.30; cull pine inch \$7.25 to \$7.50 and cull two inch at \$6.25 to \$6.50.

LUMBER IN THE UNITED KINGDOM.

In their monthly wood circular for April, Farnworth & Jardine, of Liverpool, Eng. say: The arrivals from British North America during the past month have been 2 vessels, 3,297 tons, against 2 vessels, 2,804 ton: during the corresponding month last year, and the aggregate tonnage to this date from all places during the years 1893, 1894 and 1895 has been 16,952, 19,750 and 24,915 tons respectively.

CANADIAN WOODS.—In both waney and square little has been doing, values are unchanged, and the stock is ample; contracting for the coming season so far has been difficult. Red pine has been more enquired for but prices rule low. Oak has moved off more freely, but prices are unchanged, and the stock still too heavy Ash.—The arrivals have been from the United States; the demand has been fair, but the stock is too heavy. Elm has moved off slowly; there is no change in value, and the stock is moderate. Pine deals.—The deliveries have been disappointing; there is no change in value to report, the stock remains much too heavy.

NEW BRUNSWICK AND NOVA SCOTIA SPRUCE AND PINE DEALS.—The arrivals have consisted of 1,200 standards during the past month, against 1,174 standards and 317 standards corresponding time in 1894 and 1895. The deliveries have been fair, but prices rule low, and the stock is still too heavy.

BIRCH.—The arrivals have consisted of one parcel of logs from St. John, which was sold by auction at a fair rate. The deliveries have been small, and the stock is still ample. Planks have not been imported; there is rather more enquiry, but prices still rule very low, and the stock is too heavy.

UNITED STATES OAK .-- Of logs only a few small parcels have arrived, which have gone direct into consumption; the stock is still too heavy and prices low. Of oak planks there is little change to report; values do not improve, and the stock is quite ample.

PITCH PINE.—The arrivals during the past month have been 5 vessels, 5,186 tons, against 5 vessels, 5,729 during the same time last year. Of hewn there have been several parcels, and a considerable quantity has gone into consumption though there is no improvement in value to record; the stock is ample though not excessive. Of sawn the only arrivals have been two small parcels, both from Apalachicola; the consumption has been small, prices continue as low as ever, and the stock is too heavy. Planks and boards .--The import for the month consisted of two part cargoes, a portion having gone into consumption, which has been small: the stock is much too heavy.

BRITISH COLUMBIA AND OREGON PINE.—This wood still moves off very slowly and stock is too heavy; there is no change in value.

UNITED STATES STAVES have arrived freely but have been in fair request without change in value.

SEQUOIA (CALIFORNIA REDWOOD) .-There has been no import, the deliveries from the yard have been quite of a retail character, prices continue very low, and the stock is heavy.

BALTIC AND EUROPEAN WOODS.—The arrivals during the past month have been 15 vessels, 9,951 tons, against 10 vessels, 4,771 tons, during the like time last year. Of fir timber there has been no arrivals: the deliveries have been small and the stock is ample. Red and white deals have not been imported; there has been a little enquiry, but the stock is much too excessive. Flooring boards: The import has been large, but the deliveries have been disappointing, and the stock has accumulated and is now too heavy. Contracting is very low, and it is difficult to make sales without reducing values. Masts and spars have not been imported, there is no change in value.

EAST INDIA TEAK AND GEEEN-HEART.-Teak-In addition to the usual arrivals by steamer, a cargo of Moulmein timber has arrived which is going direct into consumption, the deliveries have subsequently shewn an improvement, but the stock is still ample. Planks continue to arrive too freely, and prices are decidedly easier. Greenheart.-The arrival consists of one cargo of large average wood, values are easier, and the stock is suffi-

SHIPPING MATTERS.

Sch. Keewaydin goes from St. John to Grenada with lumber at \$5.

Fisher & Turner, of Bay City, Mich., report a good rail business.

Schr. Hunter will load piling at Tynemouth Creek, N. B., for New York,

Barque St. Vincent in port at St. John, N. B., has been fixed to take deals to Belfast at 38s od.

The Chillian barque, Lake Leman, is loading lumber at the Hastings Mill, Vancouver, B. C.

The Loanda has been chartered to load deals from West Bay, N. B., for the United Kingdom. Barkentine British American has been fixed to

load deals at Miramichi N. B., for Belfast at

A large amount of Rat Portage lumber will, it is expected, be shipped east during the coming

Shipping intelligence from New Brunswick indicates that large quantities of lumber of various kinds are being shipped by vessel.

Vessel owners at St. John, N. B., are finding it difficult to effect charters even at the low rate of \$2 to Boston and \$2.50 to New York.

The following charters are reported at St. John. N. B.: Barque Jennie Burrill, Pensacola to Grennock or Parrow, sawn timber, 90s; barktn. F. F. Lovitt, Yarmouth or Bridgewater to Buenos Ayres, lumber, \$15.50, Rosario, \$7.50.

Four vessels are on their way to New Westminster. B. C., to load lumber at the Brunette Saw Mills for foreign points: American barkentine Mary Winkelman from Honolulu; the American schr. Lucy from San Predo; American schr. Meteor from San Predo; American schr. Falcon from San Francisco.

Towing on the river at Albany has opened with brisk business. Rates this spring are \$25 down for loaded western boats, and \$18 for northern boats. Up freights are stiff according to cargo arrangements from \$25 to \$30 for western boats and \$18 over on 100 tons loaded, which is all that is taken for the canals.

Further exports from St. John, N. B.: Per schr, Speedwill for Boston, by Chas. Miller, x,-097,000 cedar shingles. Sch. Hazelwood for Fall River, by James R. Warner & Co., 142,357 plank, 34,293 deals. Schr. Vera for Boston, by Stetson, Cutler & Co., 48 618 rleals. Schr. Vamoose for New York, by Miller & Woodman, 1,171,000 laths, 225,852 deals.

Exports by sea from St. John, N. B.: 14 schr. Sally E. Ludlam, for City Island, by Sie. son, Cutler & Co., 264,426 deals. Per schr Al aska, for Boston, by W. C. Purves, 147-300 boards; per barque Siddartha for Sligo, by Geo. McKean, 483,888 deals and battons, 11,698 ends per schr, A. P. Emerson, for New York by Miller & Woodman, 297,139 deals.

J. H. Scammell & Co., of St. John, N. B. have fixed the following vessels. Four ma ted steel ship Arracan, 2,282 tons. St. John to W C. E., deals, p. t.; barks Hannah Blanchard West Bay to W. C. E., deals, ,37564 ; Dunvegan, St. John to Belfast, deals, at 375 6d; Nostra Ng. nora del Monte, Pugwash to Cork, deals, 383 sch. Abbie G. Cole, St. John to New York, lumber, \$2.25; Keewaydin, St. John to Grenada, \$5, and sugar back from San Domingo, \$2 50.

BUSINESS DIFFICULTIES AND CHANGES.

Buzzall & Fuller, produce and lumber, Coa. ansville, Que., have dissolved.

A demand of assignment has been made on Thos, M. De Groisbois, lumber, Boucherville, Que.

The effects of Webster & Edmond's saw mil, Vancouver, B. C., are advertised for sale under chattel mortgage.

J. F. Lillicrap, lumber, Lakefield, Ont., has admitted as a partner J. F. Moore. The style of the new firm is J. F. Lillicrap & Co.

A boom of John Dewar & Sons, containing about 175,000 feet of logs, 300 knees and a large quantity of sleepers, were skept away by the recent freshets in New Brunswick.

The building of a large shingle and pulp me at Boystown. N. B., is talked of. It is said that Alex. Gibson, the Lumber King, is interested in Alex. Gibson this scheme.

Richard. Rompre & Co., planing mills, & Anne De La Perade, Que., have dissolved partnership. J. B. Richard retires, and the business is continued by the remaining partners under the style Rompre & Co. A report is current that a lumber concern d

Montreal, Que., will establish a branch at Paus-burg, Pa., for the purpose of competing in the local trade. This will be a direct invasion of United States territory.

The Queen City Planing Mill property, Buffalo, N, Y, has been sold under a foreclosure, subject to two mortgages, one for \$25,000 and the other for \$50,000. It was bid in by an attorney of the for \$50,000. It was bid in German Bank for \$10,000.

The owners of the Port Discovery. B. C., say mills are going to spend \$100,000 in improvements, and they will operate soon to their full capacity of 300,000 feet per day.

The partnership existing between Jacob Snyder and Geo. Jennings, planing mill, and sush and door manufacturers, Huntsville, Ont., has breadissolved by mutual consent. The business will be carried on in future by Samuel Snyder and Geo. Jennings.

The Southern States Land and Timber Co., The Southern States Land and Timber Co., as English corporation, which has offices in New York and London, has been placed in the hands of receivers. The company is the largest lumber concern in the South. The capital stock is \$825.000, all of which is owned in England. Lord Rosebery is one of the stockholders.

LUMBER FREIGHT RATES.

LUMBER FREIGHT RATES.

LUMBER freight rates for pine on the Grand Trunt Railway have been made a fixture, until, at least, April oth 1863. Of any intended change after that date do notice will be given the lumbermen at a conference to be held in February.

General instructions in shipping by Grand Tounk are embodied in these words in the tariff schedule: On lumber in carloads, minimum weight, 30,000 lbs. per car, unless the marked capacity of the car be less, in whice case the marked capacity (but not less than 24,000 lbs.) will be charged, and must not be exceeded. Should in be impracticable to load certain descriptions of light number up to 30,000 lbs. to the car, then the actual weight only will be charged for, but not less than 24,000 lbs. The rates on lumber in the tariff will not be higher from an intermediate point on the straight run than from the first named point beyond, to the same detination. For instance, the rates from Tara or Hepworth to Guelph, Brampton, Weston or Toronto, wook not be higher than the specific rates named from Winton to the same points. The rates from Cargill and Southampton to points east of Listowel and south and west of Stratford will be the same as from Kincardine, but in no case are higher rates to be charged than as per mileage table published on pages of tariff.

Rates from leading the points on pine and other southers.

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Rates from leading lumber points on pine and other softwood lumber, shingles, etc., are as follows: From Glencairn. Creemore, Aurora, Batrie and other points in group B to Toronto, 6½c.; Collingwood, Penetang, Coldwater, Waubaushene, Sturgeor Bay, Victoria Habor, Midland, Fenelon Falls, Longford, Gravenhust and other points in group C, to Toronto, 6½c.; Bracebridge to Toronto oct. Utterson, Huntsville, Nave, Emsdale, Katrine to Toronto, 7½c.; Burk's Falls, llerietlale and Sundridge, to Toronto, 8c.; South River, Powassen and Callender to Toronto, 9c.; Nipiwig Junction and North Bay, 10c. Rate from Goderich Kincardine and Wastron to Toronto, 6½c. These rais are per 100 lbs. Rates from Toronto east to Belleville are 7½c. per 100 lbs.; to Deseronto, 9c.; to Brockville and Prescott, 10c.; to Montreal and Ottawa, 11c. The

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rates on hardwoods average about from 1c. to 2c. per 100 lbs. higher than on softwoods. For rates on railway its. mahogany, rosewood, walnut, cherry, and other valuable woods, application must be made to the district

restuable woods, application must be made to the district freight agent.

On the Canadian Pacific the rates on pine and softwoods may be illustrated as follows: Cache Bay, North Bay, Surgeon Falls and Warren, to Toronto, ioc; Aleona, Cook's Mills, Massey, Spanish River and Whitefals to Toronto, 13c.; Ottawa to Toronto, 10c. From Ottawa, Hull, A) Imper and Duchesne Mills to station on the Lake Eric and Detroit River, Eric and Huron, Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo, and Michigan Central Railways, the rate is 14½c, per 100 lbs. Regulations apply as to minimum size of carload of 30,000 lbs., and an advanced rate is charged for hardwoods.

Lumber freight rates on the Canada Atlantic sailway are as follows: Ottawa to Toronto, 10 cents per 100 lbs.; Ottawa to Oswego, \$1.00 per M ft., (3,000 lbs. and under per M ft.)

Montreal, \$1.50 per M ft., (3,000 lbs and under per M ft.); Ottawa to Quebec, \$2.00 per M ft., Arnprior to Quebec, \$2.00 per M ft., Clawa to Buffalo, 12 cents per 100 lbs. Ottawa to Port Huron and Detroit, 14 cents per 100 lbs. Ottawa to Port Huron and Detroit, 14 cents per 100 lbs. Ottawa to Port Huron and Detroit, 14 cents per 100 lbs. Ottawa to New York, \$3.50 per M ft.; Ottawa to Boston, Portland and common points, local 15 cents; exports 15c. per 100 lbs.; Arnprior to Boston, Portland and common points, 100 lbs.; Ottawa to Burlington, 6 cents per 100 lbs.; Ottawa to Albany, a cents per 100 lbs.; Ottawa to Albany, a cents per 100 lbs.; Ottawa to Albany, a cents per 100 lbs.; Ottawa to Halifax, N. S. and common points, 225 cents per 100 lbs. Minimum carload weight for Shipment of lumber, lath, shi 21es, etc., is 50,000 lbs., and rates quoted above are in cents per 100 lbs., except when quoted per M ft. the minimum carload charged is 10 M ft., lumber not exceeding 300 lbs. to the M feet. Ottawa rates apply on hipments from Rockland and Hawkesbury.

MODIFICATION OF HARDWOOD RATES.

THE Grand Trunk Railway and Canadian Pacific have receded in part from their arrangement of a few weeks since when they combined and made the rates on hardwood from certain points to Toronto and Hamilton 8½c, per 100 lbs. John Earls, W.D. F.A., of the Grand Trunk, has written the hardwood men as follows: "After careful co-sideration we have come to the conclusion that, on and after Jan. 1st, 1805, a modification will be made in the present arrangements for hardwood lumber, to the effect that the rate will be 7½c, per 100 lbs, from our Northern and Northwestern branches to Twonto and Hamilton. This rate, however, will not npply from main line points and the straight run between Toronto, Sarnia and Windor; also that so far as rates on common lumber to points like Guelph, Galt, London, Woodstock, Ingervoll, etc., from all lumber shipping stations the rate will be the same on hardwood as on pin. On the old principle, we suppose, that half the loaf is better than none, hardwood with the same than the same have something, possibly, to be thankful for, though there

is no good reason why the rates generally on hard-wood should not be as low as on pine. It is understood that the C. P. R. rate will be made uniform at 75c, from same points.

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Goodhue, J. L. & Co., Danville, Que. Robin, Sadler & Haworth, Montreal and Toronto.	Pine, " sidings " " "	SPRUCE. 6 to g in 13 00 13 50 10 to 12 in 15 00 16 00
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Parmenter, J. S., Woodstock, Ont. Williams, A. R., Toronto.	OUEBEC, OUE.	SAGINAW, MICH.
LOC TRUCKS	QUEBEC, April 24, 1895. WHITE PINE—IN THE RAFT.	SAGINAW, Mich., April 24, 1895. UPPERS AND SELECTS.
Bain Bros. Mfg. Co., Brantford, Ont. The Chatham Mfg. Company, Chatham, Ont.	For inferior and ordinary according to average, quality etc., measured off	Uppers, 1 in., 10 in. and up Selects, 1 in., 8 in. and up wide \$38 to 1½, 1½ and 2 in. 40 to 1½, 1½ and 2 in. 45 to 1½ and 3
LUMBERMEN'S SUPPLIES Davidson & Hay, Toronto Eckardt, H. P. & Co., Toronto.	For fair average quality, according to average, etc., measured off. 20 26 For good and good fair average, " " " " 25 30 For superior " " " " 32 40 In shipping order " " " " " " " " 64	3⅓ and 3 in
MACHINERY	In shipping order " " " " 36 42 Waney board, 18 to 19 inch " " " " 36 42 Waney board, 19 to 21 inch " " " " 38 45	t in., 8 in. and up wide 33 00 2½ and 3in., 8 in. and up wide 40 00 1½, t½ and 2 in
Bertram, John & Sons, Dundas, Ont. Darling Bros., Montreal. Drake, P. J., Belleville, Ont.	RED FINE—IN THE RAFT. Measured off, according to average and quality	п рим соммом ок но. 1 ситтик. 1 in., 7 in. and up wide 25 ∞ 2½ and 3in., 7 in. and up wide 35 ∞ 1¾, 1½ and 2 in 38 ∞
Eastman Lumber Co., Eastman, Que., Payette, J. B. & Co., Penetanguishene, Ont.	In shipping order, 35 to 45 feet "	STRIPS. A AND B (CLRAR AND SELECTS). 134 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide
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The Wm. Hamilton Mig. Co., Peterboro', Ont. The Waterous Co., Brantford.	ASH. 14 inches and up, according to average and quality 28 32	1½ in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide 30 00 1 in., 6 in. wide 32 00 1 in., 4, 5 iu. wide
Williams, A. R., Toronto. SAW MANUFACTURERS	16 inch average, according to average and quality 23 23	13/in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide 24 co 1 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide 23 co NO. 1 FENCING OR NO. 3 FLOORING.
Burns, E. R., Saw Co., Toronto, Ont. Shuriy & Dietrich, Galt, Ont.	Square, according to size and quality	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in
WHOLESALE LUMBER DEALERS Buffalo Hardwood Lumber Co., Buffalo, N. Y.	Merchantable Pipe, according to qual, and sp'cfct'n—nominal . \$330 \$350 W. O. Puncheon, Merchantable, according to quality 90 100	1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in
Bell, L. H., Pittsburgh, Pa. Donogh & Oliver, Toronto. Elias & Bro., G., Buffalo N. Y.	Bright, according to mill specification, \$115 to \$123 for 1st, \$78 to \$82 for 2nd, and \$40 to \$43 for 3rd quality.	SHRLVING. No. 2, 2 in., 20 in. stocks 25 00 No. 2, 2 in., 7 and Sin. stocks 19 00 2 in., 20 in. and up wide 26 00 t in., 20 in. stocks 21 00
Haines & Company, Buffalo, N. Y. Maitland, Rixon & Co., Owen Sound, Ont. Reid Co. of Toronto, The	Bright spruce, according to mill specification, \$40 to \$43 for 1st, \$27 to \$28 for 2nd, \$23 to \$25 for 3rd, and \$10 to \$21 for 4th quality. F.O B. batteau.	1 in., 12 in. stocks
Scatcherd & Son., Buffalo, N. Y. MISCELLANEOUS	BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y. TONAWANDA, N. Y., April 24, 1895.	up wide
Boiler Improvement, Peterboro' Steam Boiler Co., Peterboro' Can. Office and School Furniture Co., Preston, Unt. Canada Atlantic Railway.	. WHITE FINE. Up'rs, 1, 11/4, 11/2 and 2 Shelving, No. 1, 13 in	
Can. Photo Engraving Büreau, Toronto, Ont. Dominion Leather Board Co., Moutreal. Dodge Wood Spilt Pulley Co., Toronto, Ont.	in	10 in 17 50 8 and 7 in 13 00 8 and 7 in 17 50 10 in 12 00 No. 2, 12 in 12 00 No. 2, 12 in 15 00 9 in 12 50 10 in 12 50
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Penberthy Injector Co., Detroit, Mich. Pike Poles, John Adamson, Toronto, Ont. Silver Solder, P. W. Bills & Co., Toronto.	2 in 34 00 35 00 No. 2, to and 12 in. 17 00 18 00 3 in. 45 00 No. 3, to and 12 in. 14 00 16 00 4 is 45 00 Cut'g up, No. 7, t in. 26 00 27 00 6 and 8 in 13 50 15 50	1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9in, wide 17 00 12 in., 10 in. and up wide 17 00 12, 13, 24 and 2 in., 8in. and up wide 17 00 wide
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energy of my mind upon the subject."—Kepler.	No. 3, 13/2 to 2 in 18 00 19 00	DEVELED SIDING—DRESSED. Extra clear (perfect)
The Price Lists that here follow will be revised each		TIMBER, JOIST AND SCANTLING. Norway, 2x4 to 10, 12 to 16ft.\$ 8 50 Hemlock, 2x4 to 10, 12 to
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TORONTO, ONT. TORONTO, April 24, 1895.	No. 2 molding, 2 to 2 in	OSWEGO, N.Y.
CAR OR CARGO LOTS, 1 1-4 in. cut up and better	Bracket plank	USWEGO, N. Y., April 24, 1895. WHITE FINE.
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HARDWOODS—FER M. PEET CAR LOTS. Quality, 15 and 25 unless otherwise specified. Ash, white storing \$56.00 \$20.00 [Cherry. " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	3 and 4 in 58 co 63 co x¾, x¾ and 2 in 29 co 31 co	xx4 inches.
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