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The steel ship, Orient has been fixed to load deals at St. John, N. B., for Melbourne at 60s.

CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The holiday season has somewhat reduced the volume of lumber transactions during the past week, yet our reports show that more activity prevails than is usual at this period. Prices continue to be firmly maintained, and are practically on the same basis as last reported. Reports from Northern Ontario state that stocks are moving actively in the following order. Better grades white pine, basswood, birch, black ash. Sales have recently been made of null run, culls out, at \$16.50. All reports agree in stating that pine stocks with the exception of mill culls are light. The same is true of hardwood with the exception, perhaps, of maple, for which the demand seems somewhat less active. The prediction is made in some quarters of a rise in the price of the higher grades of pine as well as hemlock. The demand for shingles and lath continues strong. One report sums up the situation thus: "The lumber business is in fair and healthy condition here, and the outlook is that it will remain so for this year's stock."

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The returns of the British Board of Trade show a falling off in imports of square timber from Canada for the first half of the present year to the amount of £32,000 and of sawn wood to the amount of £184,000. The increased home and United States demand is no doubt responsible for this reduction in shipments, which in view of the heavy stocks previously on hand at British ports, has assisted in bringing about the more satisfactory conditions and prices now prevailing on the other side of the Atlantic. New Brunswick manufacturers and shippers of planks would do well to restrict shipments for a time, at least, in view of the fact that there is an oversupply of these goods in the British market, and prices are very unsatisfactory. Negotiations are understood to be in progress looking to an early settlement of the strike of the ship laborers at Quebec.

MANITOBA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The lumber and shingle business in British Columbia is at present in a satisfactory condition. The mills are heavily stocked with orders but it is not thought that it will be impossible to fill them although some shipments may be delayed. The prospects for a good crop in Manitoba and the territories, and the large influx of settlers into that country has created an unusual demand for lumber to supply the trade there. This market,

which in the past has called for the higher grades of lumber only, has this year placed orders in Coast mills for considerable quantities of the rougher grades which can be shipped at a small profit. Prices on rough grades have been advanced one dollar per thousand and on some of the better grades of fir 1.50 dollars and fifty cents, while cedar has risen in price on nearly all grades.

Logs are more plentiful than they have been for months but are firm in price, ranging in price from \$5 to \$7 at the mill according to quality. If the weather continues fine, large quantities of fir and cedar will be put in the water during the next few months. Foreign trade is brisk and prices are firm.

Owing to the fishing industry being now in operation labor is scarce both for mills and logging camps and good woodsmen are in good demand at from \$2.75 to \$4.00 per day.

UNITED STATES.

The results of the first half year's operations in the lumber trade are now known and are found to be of such a satisfactory character as to give assurance that the business for the entire year will reach a high standard. The heavy movement of white pine continues and prices remain firm. There is a scarcity of most kinds of hardwoods which accounts for the satisfactory character of prices. Basswood and birch are leaders. There is request for inch and thicker rock elm, white maple, particularly of good thickness, sells readily and is reported to have advanced in price 30 per cent. within the last six months on the Chicago market. Spruce continues in good demand in the eastern States market, with supply moderate. For No. 2 good stock \$20.50 to \$21 is being paid in New York. Lath is in brisk demand both east and west. The closing down of the Pacific Coast mills for two weeks coupled with anticipated improved demand is expected to tone up the market for red cedar shingles. Lake freights are dull but firm, with the prospect of a rise later on in the season.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The temporary check occasioned to business by the illness of the King has now passed away and the trade has resumed operations. The outlook from the shippers point of view is decidedly encouraging. Notwithstanding that freights are extremely low deliveries in most lines are considerably under those of last year and much of the timber arriving is going directly into consumption. This is espec-

ally the case at Glasgow. In support of this statement we publish in another column a comparative table showing the stocks on hand at this port at 30th June 1901 and 1902. The belief that considerable quantities of timber will be required for South Africa, seems likely to assist in stiffening values in the British Market. It is stated however, that the demand from South Africa relates principally to the larger sizes of timber for mining and railway purposes. Aside from this it is believed that an advance in prices is probable later in the season, and that there will be a scarcity of deals for the opening of next season. Narrow sizes that have long been unsaleable are now bringing an advance of 10 to 15s. as compared with the prices which ruled early in the season. Importations of Quebec waney and square pine at Liverpool are very light and are mostly upon contract, while the consumption of pine deals and boards has been 1000 standards above the import. Canadian oak and birch logs are in demand. Of plank there is an oversupply. Steadiness marks the trade in hardwoods.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

Moore's new steam saw mill at Pleasant Point, St. John, N.B., is being tested and will shortly go into operation.

Winnipeg lumber dealers report difficulty in securing supplies of shingle and lath and prices hold very firm for good stock.

An Order-in-Council of the Ontario Government has fixed at \$300 per thousand feet cubic as the trespass penalty on red and white pine square timber and \$3 per standard of 200 feet board measure upon saw logs.

J. D. McLean, secretary Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa, is inviting tenders until noon of the 16th inst. for the merchantable pine, spruce and other timber on the Indian Reserves Nos. 21 Manitou Rapids and 17 A Rainy Lake, Man.

A Wisconsin Syndicate organized by Col. H. A. Framback, is said to have bought 600,000 acres of spruce lands in Newfoundland and to be about to purchase large holdings in other parts of Canada, the intention being to manufacture paper on a large scale in Newfoundland and at different points in Canada.

Regarding lumber and cooperage stocks Messrs. Gordon, Grant & Co., of Port-of-Spain, W. I., in their trade circular of the 2nd inst., say:—The Britannia is the latest arrival with Pitch Pine, the stock of which is ample for present requirements. Supplies of American and Nova Scotian White Pine are reduced and both are saleable to some extent.

Messrs. Alfred Dobell & Co.'s circular, dated Liverpool, the 1st inst., states: "Although the last days of the month have been practically devoted to holiday-making and the usual half-yearly stock-taking, there has been a healthy demand for most descriptions of wood goods. Canadian Woods—Waney Board and Square Pine—The only arrivals are going into consumption from the quays. Values are very firm. Oak continues in good demand and stocks are very light. Elm The import is going steadily into consumption at full prices. Birch logs—There has been fair consumption at unchanged prices. Planks—The stocks are still too heavy and prices remain very low. Pine Deals and Boards—The higher qualities are in demand, but lower grades are difficult to sell at the values shippers place

upon them. New Brunswick and Nova Scotia Spruce Deals—The arrivals have been moderate and values well maintained with a good consumption."

There was a good attendance at the annual sale at Fredericton, N. B., on the 10th inst., of unmarked and mixed logs, rafted by the Fredericton Boom Company. There was sharp competition and the logs sold at high prices, spruce bringing the record price. The price paid for the spruce is for the merchantable, and battens go at two-thirds that price, and condemned is thrown in free. This sale was for such lumber as had been rafted up to July 8th, and that yet to be rafted is to go to the purchasers at the same rates. The sale this year was one month earlier than last year and was held early for the purpose of giving the purchaser the logs to use and also to get them off the shores and other places where the boom company has them tied up. The sales were: Hemlock, 24,900, purchased by John E. Moore at \$4.35; Cedar, 83,400 feet, purchased by T. E. Babbott & Son, at \$9.15; Pine, 12,880 feet, bought by T. E. Babbott & Son, at \$9.50; Spruce 305,066 feet of merchantable at \$13.45; 340,681 feet of battens, at \$8.97; and 79,822 feet of condemned.

CANADIAN LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

From Montreal: SS. L'Ontario, sailed June 27th for Liverpool, 122 pcs. lumber, by McLaurin Bros.; 17,093 pcs. lumber by Elder Dempster Co.; 1,747 pcs. lumber by R. Cox & Co. SS. Rosarian sailed June 20th for Glasgow, 2,867 pcs. boards and deals, by E. H. Lemay; 104 pcs. logs, 3,631 pcs. deals by W. & J. Sharples, 7,271 pcs. boards and deals, by Watson & Todd; 2,344 pcs. deals by R. Cox & Co. SS. Kastalia sailed July 3rd for Glasgow, 17,563 pcs. deals, etc., by J. Burstall & Son; 1,522 pcs. deals, by Watson & Todd; 1,247 pcs. deals, by McLaurin Bros; 6,132 pcs. deals by R. Cox & Co.; 18,383 pcs. deals by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 344 pcs. fir lumber by C.P.R. SS. Torthead sailed July 3rd for Belfast, 2 blls. staves, 415 pcs. elm lumber, 442 bundles beech squares by C.P.R.; 13,741 pcs. deals and boards, by J. Burstall & Son; 5,640 pcs. deals and boards, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 3,011 pcs. deals and boards, by Watson & Todd. SS. Lycia for Bristol, sailed June 26th, 9,983 pcs. lumber, by Watson & Todd; 1,864 pcs. lumber, by R. Cox & Co.; 2,049 pcs. lumber by Dobell, Beckett & Co. SS. Milwaukee sailed June 27th for London, 35 pcs. hardwood lumber, by M. & L. Sam'l Benjamin; 11,826 pcs. lumber by Watson & Todd; 25,869 pcs. lumber by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 39,040 pcs. lumber, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 2,610 pcs. lumber by W. & J. Sharples, 7,674 pcs. lumber by J. Burstall & Son, 2,238 doors, by C. P. R. SS. Roman sailed July 5th for Liverpool, 13,789 pcs. deals, boards and ends, by Watson & Todd. SS. Escalona sailed July 6th for Aberdeen, 704 pcs. deals, by J. Burstall & Son; 1,450 pcs. deals, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 1,053 pieces deals, by Watson & Todd. SS. Kiedona sailed July 5th for London, 296 pcs. deals, by R. Cox & Co.; 4,193 pcs. deals by McArthur Export Co. SS. Aquila sailed July 5th for Hull, 98,790 pcs. deals, boards and ends, 100 logs lumber by W. and J. Sharples. SS. Dora, sailed July 4th for Bristol, 56,060 pcs. deals, etc., W. and J. Sharples; SS. Alcides sailed July 9th for Glasgow, 1,601 pcs. deals and boards, by Dobell, Beckett & Co.; 3,495 pcs. deals, boards

and ends, by Charlemagne Lumber Co.; 1,823 pcs. deals and boards, by J. Burstall & Son; 7,114 pcs. deals by Watson & Todd. SS. Malinhead, sailed July 7th for Dublin, 8,614 pcs. deals and ends, by J. Burstall & Son. SS. Norwegian sailed July 7th for Glasgow, 10,609 pcs. deals and ends, by W. & J. Sharples, 357 pcs. deals, by E. H. Lemay; 5,110 pcs. deals, by R. Cox & Co.

From Halifax, N.S.: Str. Peruvian, for Liverpool, 734,518 ft. deals, value \$7,434. Str. Manchester Skipper, for France, 2,869,619 ft. lumber, value \$32,597. Str. Auroela, for Brow Head, 1,936,800 ft. lumber, value \$19,441. Barque Audhild, for Preston, 406,547 ft. lumber, value \$4,330.

From Hillsborough, N.B.: July 1, barque W. W. McLaughlin, for Preston, England, 495,772 sup. ft. spruce deals, value \$5,453, 38,497 sup. ft. spruce scantling, value \$307, 55,411 ft. spruce boards, value \$443, 12,734 sup. ft. spruce ends, value \$95, by J. Nelson Smith. July 8, barque, Carrie L. Smith, for Preston, 593,945 sup. ft. spruce deals, value \$6,533, 28,672 sup. ft. scantling, value \$229, 25,402 sup. ft. boards, value \$177, 42,316 sup. ft. ends, value \$338, by J. Nelson Smith.

From Hopewell Cape, N. B.: July 2, ship Monravia, for River Mersey, spruce and birch deals, value \$12,700, by J. Nelson Smith. Schr. H. R. Emerson, for Boston, spruce boards, value \$946, by John M. Hicks.

From Vancouver, B.C.: Str. Pentaur, for Germany, 38,284 ft. rough fir, value \$766, by British Columbia Mills, Timber & Trading Co. Ship Antigua, for Australia, 1,087,994 ft. rough fir, 152,820 laths, value \$11,200, by British Columbia Mills, Timber & Trading Co. Str. Athenian, for Japan, 2,000 feet dressed fir, value \$37, by Vancouver Sash and Door Factory. Str. Amur, for Alaska, 682 ft. dressed fir, value \$24, by Columbia Co. Str. Aorangi, for Sydney, 699,750 laths, value \$1,642, by British Columbia Mills, Timber & Trading Co. Str. Aorangi, for Melbourne, 299,000 laths, value \$896, by Victoria Lumber Co. Tug St. Clair, for United States, 539,717 ft. cedar logs, value \$3,510, by J. G. Woods.

Among recent deliveries of Canadian timber at Glasgow are the following: The "Concordia," from Montreal, 207 standards for R. Sheriff, Calder, Hendersen & Livingston, and F. A. Lightbody & Co.; the "Arcadian" from Montreal, 240 standards besides several parcels timber, for Cant & Kemp, R. Sheriff, Allison, Cousland & Co., and Edmiston & Mitchells; and the "Marina" from same port, 600 standards consigned to Calder, Hendersen & Livingston.

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WESTERN LUMBER PRICES.

Following is the now wholesale list of white pine lumber prices for Winnipeg and the Northwest. The terms applicable to these prices are 60 days or 2 per cent. off for cash in 20 days from date of invoice. These prices are on a delivered basis, but the freight is cash.

TIMBER AND DIMENSION—Timber 4x10 and 12, 6x10 and 12 and 8x8 to 12x12, 12, 14 and 16 feet long, \$20; 6x6, to 6x8, 4x4 to 4x8 and 3x6 to 3x12, 12, 14 and 16 feet long, \$18.50; dimension, 2x4 to 2x8, 12, 14 and 16 feet long, \$18; 2x10, 2x12, 12, 14 and 16 feet long, 18.50; 2x4 10 feet long, \$19; 2x8 to 2x12, 10 feet long \$17.50; 2x6 to 10 feet long, \$16.50; 2x8, 2x10, 2x12, 6 and 8 feet long, \$18.50; 2x4 and 2x6, 6 and 8 feet long, \$15; 2x4 to 2x8, 12, 14 and 16 feet, spruce, \$17; 2x10 to 2x12 12, 14 and 16 feet, spruce, \$17.50; No. 2 dimensions, 12 to 16 feet \$1.50 less than No. 1. \$1 per M advance on each inch over 12 in. in depth and width. \$1 per M advance on each 2 feet over 16 feet.

BOARDS—1st common stock pine, 12 in. \$25; do., 8 and 10 inch, \$24; second common stock, 12 inch, 10 to 18 feet, \$20; do., 8 to 10 in., 10 to 18 feet, \$19; second common boards, all widths, 10 to 18 feet, \$18.50; third do., 10 to 18 feet, \$17.50; fourth do., 10 to 18 feet, 15.50; fifth do., 10 to 18 feet, \$11.50; 1/2 inch sheathing, S.L.S., 10 to 18 feet, \$15.50; No. 1. wide box boards, 10 to 18 feet, \$28.50; No. 2. wide box boards, 10 to 18 feet, \$21. \$2 per M less for 6 and 8 feet. Re-sawing boards \$1 per M extra.

SHIPLAP—8 to 10 in., \$19.50; 6 in., \$18.50; culls 8 to 10 in., \$17; 6 in., \$14. \$52 per M less for 8 feet and under.

FLOORING, SIDING AND CEILING—Flooring and siding, 8 and 10 in., \$20.50; do., 8 and 10 in. culls, \$17; flooring, siding and ceiling, 4, 5 and 6 in., 1st and 2nd white pine, \$35.50; do., 3rd white pine,

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FINISHING—1/4, 1/2 and 2 in. 1st, 2nd and 3rd clear white pine, under 12 in. wide, \$52; do., 12 in. and wider, \$54; do., select white pine, under 12 in. wide \$42; do., 12 in. and wider, \$44; do., shop, under 12 in. wide, \$37; do., shop 12 in. and wider, \$39; \$5 per M advance on 2 1/2 in. and thicker. 1/4, 1/2 and 2 in. clear red pine, under 12 in. wide, \$34; do., 12 in. and wider, \$36; do., select red pine, under 12 in. wide, \$29.50; do., 12 in. and wider, \$31.50; 1 in. 1st and 2nd clear white pine, under 12 in. wide, \$54.50; do., 12 in. and wider, \$56.50; 1 in. 3rd clear white pine, under 12 in. wide, \$43.50; do 12 in. and wider, \$45.50; 1 in. B select white pine, under 12 in. wide \$37; do., 12 in. and wider, \$39; 1 in. C select white pine, under 12 in. wide, \$32; do., 12 in. and wider \$34; 1 in. clear red pine, under 12 inches, wide \$34; do., 12 in. and wider \$36; 1 in. select red pine, under 12 in. wide, \$29; do., 12 in. and wider, \$31.

MOULDINGS—Parting strips, per 100 lineal feet, 40c.; windows stops, 50c.; door stops, 75c.; quarter round and cove, 50c.; 4 inch casing, \$1.75; 5 in. casing, \$2.25; 6 in. casing, \$2.65; 8 in. base, \$3.50; 10 in. base \$4.40. All other mouldings 50 per cent. discount off universal moulding list. Lath, per M, \$3.75.

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TIMBER STATEMENT.

Following is a comparative statement for three years of the timber, etc., measured and culled at the port of Quebec up to 15th July, 1902, as reported by the Supervisor of Cutters:

	Cu. ft 1900	Cu. ft 1901	Cu. ft 1902
Waney white pine	617,642	655,814	1,291,370
White pine	190,794	241,588	258,295
Red pine	7,233	30,419	4,231
Oak	111,425	27,734	197,159
Birch	138,916	510,205	487,372
Ash	69,455	91,649	65,437
Blackwood			332
Hutternut	98	642	
Tamarac	71	22	
Birch and Maple	292,551	295,641	66,540

SHIPPING MATTERS.

At Belfast the following deliveries of Canadian wood goods have recently been made: Str. "Ranmore Head" from Quebec, 23 loads hewn wood logs, 300 loads hewn wood fir, and 300 loads sawn fir deals; from Montreal, 8 loads oak staves and headings, 29 loads sawn wood elm planks, 1,234 loads sawn fir deals, and 365 loads sawn wood boards; from Riviere du Loup, 1,775 loads sawn fir deals, for T. Dickson & Sons; "Glen Head," from Miramichi, 2,114 loads sawn fir for P. J. Corry & Sons Co., Ltd.

Recent shipments of Canadian woods at Manchester include: Full cargoes of spruce by the "Farnham," from West Bay, and the "Trunkby," from Miramichi, for Crossfield & Co. From Quebec, the "Birmingham" a large cargo, which, with the exception of about 100 standards of spruce for Geo. Evans & Sons, is to the account of J. H. Holme & Co. The last mentioned firm's lot consists of about 3,000 waney pine logs, about 1,000 birch

logs, and 150 standards spruce deals. The "Manchester Commerce," from Montreal has spruce deals for J. & W. Bellhouse and Southern & Nephew; pine deals

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TRADE OPENINGS.

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A North of England firm inquire for names of Canadian manufacturers of wood chimney pieces, or overmantels.

A Hamburg firm ask to be referred to

Canadian wood pulp manufacturers desiring representation on the Continent.

A commission house established for some years in London are open to do business with Canadian exporters of wood pulp, pulp wood, food and dairy products such as cheese, butter, eggs, etc., and fruit pulp.

Messrs. Mitchell & Blair have succeeded to the lumber business of John Mitchell at River John, Nova Scotia.

THE MARKET FOR LUMBER IN JAPAN.

A correspondent of The CANADA LUMBERMAN writing from Japan, promises to send for publication shortly some particulars regarding the lumber trade of that country and the methods of shipping and marketing there. "At this writing," he says, "I have not much time to cover the question of prospects of foreign lumber in Japan, but may say that sales can be effected if the business is entrusted to

some one directly in the business who will introduce the lumber in various ways. Advertising alone will not do that in this country so far as my experience goes. Lumber in Japan, is as a rule sold on consignment, and merchants get their lumber which, when sold, rice is sent generally in return—therefore the price of rice affects the quotations on lumber."

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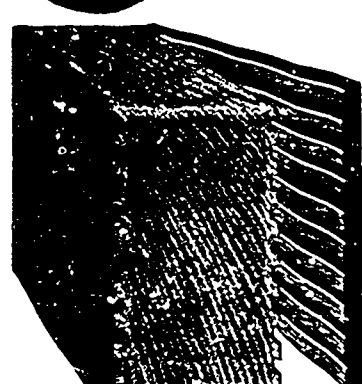
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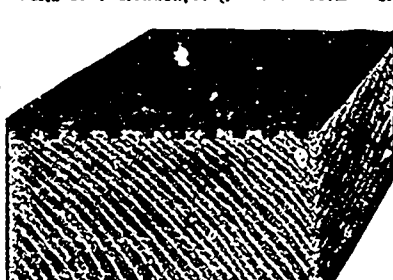
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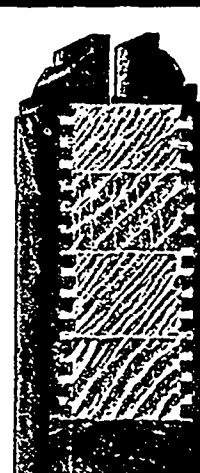


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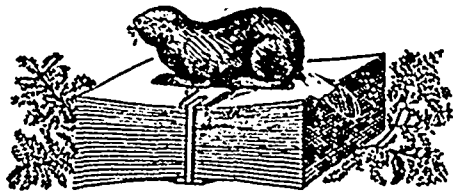
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Table listing lumber prices in Albany, N.Y., including White Pine and Hemlock.

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LATH.

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