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CURRENT TRADE CONDITIONS.

ONTARIO.

The lumber trade during the last week of August was not particularly active, and although it was expected that orders for fall stocking up would counteract the falling off in the demand for building material, there has been a slackening in business which was scarcely anticipated. No pine lumber of any account is being shipped to the United States, but some mills report enquiries for the better grades for future delivery. The local requirement is confined largely to finishing lumber, and there are evidences that the time for the commencement of new buildings is nearly over for the present season. Complaint is still made that much lumber is being sold on a margin of profit altogether too small. Hardwoods are still meeting with ready sale, and are being bought up close to the saw by wholesale dealers and local industries. On some lines prices are a little better, and there is reason to expect still higher quotations before the winter sets in. Shingles have been moving freely, but the production this season has been quite heavy, and there is now no scarcity of stock, while prices are a shade weaker.

Preparations are being made by lumber men for going into the woods. In the Ottawa valley and Georgian Bay pine districts some camps have already been put in, and from what can be learned logging operations will be conducted on about the same scale as last winter. Of course, in the Georgian Bay district, the cut will be much less, as nothing will be done on limits owned by Michigan manufacturers.

QUEBEC AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

The decrease in the quantity of lumber shipped from the St. Lawrence to British ports this season will be offset to some extent by the shipments to South America, which have been the largest in ten years. This is due to the prosperity prevailing in the Latin Republics. Five ships have already cleared from Montreal for South America. The barques Strathmair, Bjorne and C. W. Janes, and the ship Mary L. Burrell, now in port, are also loading deals at Hochelaga for Buenos Ayres, and will carry one million feet each. Four other ships and several tramp steamers have also been chartered for the same purpose. The season's shipment to South America is expected to exceed fifty million feet. Chartering is fairly active, the rate to London being 42s 6d, and to Manchester and Bristol 45s. Local trade is dull, and retail dealers are buying only as necessity demands. In New Brunswick there is a feeling that there will be some demand from the United States for provincial lumber. Since the cessation of the war the market has been strengthening, and more business is doing in spruce lumber, shingles and laths. Clapboards are still dull and no improvement in prices can be reported. Shipments to the British market were not as heavy last week as earlier in the month.

UNITED STATES.

The greatest obstacle in the way of more liberal buying of lumber by the wholesale dealers of the Eastern States is the high prices asked by manufacturers, while as yet it has been found impossible to advance retail prices. Were the wholesale dealers able to sell at a greater margin of profit, it is believed that heavy purchases for fall trade would be made, as there has been, within the past month, a marked revival of confidence. It would seem that the only course is for wholesalers to gradually raise their prices, as there is no hope of manufacturers' quotations weakening. On the other hand, within the past week the Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association have advanced quotations 50 cents per thousand, and the tendency generally is upward. Pine lumber is selling freely at Buffalo and Tonawanda, and the exceptionally active demand for box lumber which has been a feature of the season's trade shows but little abatement. A Tonawanda report states that enquiries for 4.4 have been very numerous within the past two weeks. The New York market is lifeless with respect to pine, but

hardwoods are decidedly lively, and prices are stiffening. This also reflects the situation in other markets. The supply of dry hardwoods is comparatively small, and the great question to dealers is how to obtain the necessary stock to fill orders. Birch seems to be improving, and thick maple and soft elm are required in excess of supply.

FOREIGN.

Considering the active consumption of wood goods in the British market, it is somewhat surprising that dealers do not exhibit more activity to secure stocks, more especially as the import season will close in a couple of months. The receiving ports present a scene of activity, but much of the goods arriving are contracted for and will go direct into consumption. There has been a slight improvement in the London trade, and several cargoes of spruce have been placed at satisfactory prices. White pine is also a little firmer. Liverpool reports state that a couple of cargoes of spruce deals and some consignments of waney board pine and elm timber have changed hands, and inquiries are in the market for waney board pine and spruce deals for the Mersey Docks and Harbor Board. Complaint is made by some importers that the quality of St. John spruce deals is deteriorating, a point which should be carefully watched by our shippers, as the lumber meets with strong competition from the Baltic, and the trend of trade is easily changed. Prices of wood goods for the west coast of England will be found in another column.

STOCKS AND PRICES.

James Carr, of Woodstock, has received the contract for supplying the timber for the new C.P.R. elevator at St. John.

It is reported that Dan Arpin and William Scott, of Grand Rapids, Mich., have purchased 110,000,000 feet of pine timber in the vicinity of Winnipeg.

At Toledo bill stuff is selling at the following prices: 2 x 4 to 2 x 8, 12 to 16 feet, \$12; 2 x 10, \$13; 2 x 12, \$14; one dollar advance for every two feet over 16 foot lengths.

The Mississippi Valley Lumbermen's Association have advanced the price of lumber 40 cents per thousand. This applies to all grades excepting No. 3 boards which has been advanced only 25 cents.

The mills of the Columbia Valley Lumber Company, at Golden, B.C., are working to their full capacity. The greater portion of the output is taken by the C.P.R. for construction and repairs.

At a recent sale of Churchill & Sims, London, Eng., some lines of spruce sold at £8 15s and 3rds at £7. The square oak ex. Castlewood from Quebec was at

most given away at the price of 85s per lead.

The tug Calumet, of Marquette, Mich., lost a raft of logs valued at \$150,000 belonging to the Sutherland & Innes Company, of Chatham, Ont. The raft went ashore at Grand Marais and broke up.

The Saginaw Lumber & Salt Company recently sold 5,000,000 feet of Canadian logs to Bousfield & Co., of Bay City, Green & Braman, of same place, have sold a like amount to Eddy Bros. & Co.

The feature of the Tonawanda market is the numerous enquiries for box lumber 4 1/4 and thicker. It is said that more enquiries were received during the past week than for the previous six months. It is expected that higher prices will rule at an early date.

At Buffalo all white pine above No. 1 cuts in quality is in strong demand at firm prices. Box lumber seems to be less inquired for, although prices are holding their own. The rush orders for boxes have apparently reached their limit, a condition which is accounted for by the closing of the Spanish war.

A. Murphy, of Antrim, Ont., invites tenders up to September 26th for the supply and delivery at the Waba Creek, on the town-line between Fitzroy and Pakenham townships, of upwards of 300 pieces of round and square timber, varying from 16 to 32 feet in length. The timber is to be delivered by the 1st of March, 1902.

It is reported to be the intention of the New Brunswick government to offer for lease all the Crown lands not yet licensed under the provisions of the twenty-five years' lease system. There are 4,000 square miles of such lands, much the larger portion in the northern part of the province, and some in Sunbury, Queen's and Albert counties.

The wholesale firm of Putnam & Pope, of Beverly, Mass., last week purchased 300,000 feet of hemlock boards from R. A. Estey and 3,000,000 shingles from the Phoenix mills, Fredericton, N.B. This is said to be the first sale of hemlock boards made by the Fredericton mill owners for over a year, and the manufacturers regard it as an indication of a brightening market.

The Manchester correspondent of the Timber News, Liverpool, Eng., says: We fail to understand why one or two of our Liverpool friends should be so anxious to sell spruce deals at low figures, unless it may be that what they offer are inferior shipments, as most assuredly within a very short time spruce deals must harden in price. The present rush in the import is only likely to last a short time.

The tug Duncan City left Cheboygan, Mich., on August 26th, for the Georgian Bay, for a raft of 2,000,000 feet of logs. This, it is said, will be the last tow of logs to go to Cheboygan this season. The figures in the custom house at Cheboygan show the quantity of logs received from Canada this year to be about 34,000,000 feet. This is about one-half the average season's cut of the Cheboygan mills.

At the Crown Lands office, Fredericton, N. B., the following timber berths were sold recently. Two mile berth west of Lake George, York county, to John McMurray, at upset price; two and one-half miles east of mouth of Cain's river, to R. W. L. Tibbitts, at \$8.25 per mile; three and one half miles at head of main north branch of Jacquet river, to Sumner & Co., of Moncton, at \$204 per mile.

Concerning the Manitoba lumber market, the Commercial says: Retailers will not have time to more than supply their requirements before the grain rush begins, after which there will be delay in securing the filling of orders. Prices are firm, and with no likelihood of lower quotations, and the prospects for a good fall trade, retailers can hardly make a mistake in securing a fair stock before the car shortage sets in.

The Timberman, of Chicago, states that Ernest J. Fawke, of Liverpool, England, and Alex. Fraser, of Toronto, Ont., have been negotiating for the establishment of

an extensive wood-working and furniture factory in Cincinnati. It is said that they have secured extensive areas of hardwood timber lands in the States of Michigan, Ohio and Kentucky, and that it is their intention to utilize the Michigan and Ohio resources at once.

The S. P. Benjamin Company, of Wolfville, have made the following shipments of deals this season. Bark Prince Patrick, one million feet, for Grangemouth; bark Salen, 900 M., for Newcastle-on-Tyne; bark Fram. ad. 400 M., for Ayr; bark Josra, 450 M., for Tralee. These vessels were all loaded at Horton Bluff. There are at present at the Bluff, bark Trio, loading 900 M., and Conductor, one million. There are also loading at Port Williams for South America, the bark Louva, 600 M., and Skoda, 675 M.

A public sale of pine and spruce deals was held on the 17th inst. by Messrs. Edmiston & Mitchells, of Glasgow, Scotland, with the following result: 1st Michigan deals 12 1/2 x 10 x 30 x 4 sold at 3s 2d per cubic ft.; 1st pine sidings 12 1/2 x 23 1/2 x 1 1/2 at 2s 1 1/2d and 1 1/2 in. at 1s 10 1/2d; 1st pine ends 7 x 7 1/2 x 3 at 2s; 15 lots of 4th pine deals were put up without reserve, ranging from narrow to broad widths, and were hammered at from 7d to 8 3/4d per cu. ft., and a parcel of quartered oak 1 in. boards were disposed of at 2s 4d per cubic foot.

S. G. Parkin, of Lindsay, Ont., is reported to have purchased a large cedar limit in the townships of Monmouth and Cavendish. The limit was formerly owned by J. M. Irwin, and passed from him into the hands of a Peterboro bank. Mr. Parkin has not yet decided whether to place a couple of camps on the limit this winter or have the cutting done by jobbers. The timber from the new limits will be floated down the Burnt river. Mr. Parkin has also purchased a considerable quantity of shingle timber from M. M. Boyd & Co., of Bobcaygeon.

The brigantine Gabrielle is loading lumber at Montreal for Porto Rico, West Indies. The s.s. Wildcroft sailed last week for Quebec, where she will finish taking on her deck load of deals for Fleetwood. The s.s. Chatfield sailed on Sunday last from Pierreville, Que., for London, England, with a cargo of deals, consigned by Anderson, McKenzie & Co. The s.s. Cundall sailed from Montreal on August 28th for London, with a cargo of 1,100 standards of deals, consigned by the same firm. The s.s. Thomas Wayman, from Montreal to Glasgow, Scotland, sailed last week with 925 standards of deals.

Reviewing the timber market of Cork, Ireland, a correspondent says. The cargo per the Saerimmer consists of planed boards, deals and box shooks, shipped by the Gravel Company, of Quebec. This is only the second cargo from these shippers landed here, and it will be interesting to see if the goods will supersede the same class shipped so extensively from Sweden and Norway. The Durwent Home has just arrived from Montreal and Three Rivers. The steamer has brought an assortment comprising oak, ash, elm, hickory, spruce deals and boards shipped by the well-known house of Messrs. Dobell, Beckett & Co. to Messrs. Eustace & Co.

Following are the average prices for reasonably large quantities of Canadian woods on the west coast of England:

	Per Foot.	Per Std.
White pine, Quebec square wood.....	15 6d to 25 0d	
" " Waney board.....	25 0d to 35 6d	
Red pine.....	15 2d to 25 6d	
Oak, 1st quality.....	25 0d to 35 6d	
" and quality.....	15 4d to 25 6d	
Elm.....	15 0d to 25 6d	
Ash.....	15 6d to 25 3d	
Birch, St. John.....	15 3d to 25 3d	
" Quebec.....	15 4d to 25 8d	
" Nova Scotia.....	15 0d to 25 0d	
Birch planks.....	05 0d to 15 3d	
Quebec pine deals, 3 x 11 and under:		
1st quality.....	20 0 10 55 0	
2nd quality.....	15 0 10 17 0	
3rd quality.....	9 5 10 10 0	
Spruce deals, St. John, &c., 7-in., 9-in., and 11-in.....	6 7 1/2 to 7 0	
Spruce deals, Nova Scotia, &c., 7-in., 9-in., and 11-in.....	5 17 1/2 to 6 7 1/2	
Spruce boards, &c.....	5 15 0 to 6 10 0	

WINNIPEG LUMBER PRICES.

Following are the current retail quotations for lumber at Winnipeg. The mills quote delivered prices at Winnipeg and add the freight to outside points:

DIMENSION AND TIMBER.—No. 1, 2 x 4 to 2 x 12, 12, 14 and 16 ft. \$18.50, 18 ft. \$19.50, 20 ft. \$20.50, 22 ft. \$21.50, 24 ft. \$22.50; 3 x 6 to 3 x 12, 4 x 4 to 4 x 12, 6 x 6 to 6 x 12 and 8 x 8, 12, 14 and 16 ft. \$20, 18 ft. \$21, 20 ft. \$22, 22 ft. \$23, 24 ft. \$24; 8 x 10 to 12 x 12, 12, 14 and 16 ft. \$22, 18 ft. \$23, 20 ft. \$24, 22 ft. \$25, 24 ft. \$26; 2 x 4, 10 ft. \$20.50; 2 x 6 to 2 x 12, 10 ft. \$18. No. 2 dimension, \$2 less than No. 1. Dimension, 26, 28 and 30 ft., \$26. Timber, 26, 28 and 30 ft., \$28. \$1 per M. advance on each inch over 12 inch in depth and width. Tamarac dimension same price as pine. Spruce dimension at \$2 per M. less than pine. Cull plank, all widths, \$12 per M. B.C. fir dimension up to 32 ft. \$28 per M., 33 to 40 ft. \$30, 41 to 60 ft. \$36. \$1 per M. extra for each 2 in. over 12 in. in width or depth.

BOARDS.—1st common red pine, \$25, 2nd common \$18.50, 3rd common \$16.50; No. 1 cull \$13, No. 2 cull \$9; spruce, \$16.50. \$1 per M. extra for stock boards. \$2 per M. less for 6 to 8 ft. and under. \$1 per M. less for 10 ft. No. 1 box, 14 in. and up \$30, No. 2 box boards, 14 in. and up \$23. Extra dressing \$2 per M.

SIDING, FLOORING AND CEILING.—2nd, 4 5 and 6 inch, white pine, \$36; 3rd, 4, 5 and 6 inch white pine, \$28; 1st and 2nd, 4, 5 and 6 inch red pine, \$30; 3rd, 4, 5 and 6 inch red pine, \$25; 4th, 4, 5 and 6 inch, red and white, \$20; cull siding, red and white, \$16; B.C. No. 1 and 2 edge grain flooring, 3, 4 and 6 inch, \$32. \$2 per M. advance for dressing both sides.

BEVEL SIDING.—No. 1 white pine, \$26; No. 2 red and white, \$23.

SHIPLAP.—Pine, 6 inch \$18, 8 and 10 inch \$20; spruce, 8 and 10 inch \$19, 6 inch \$18; cull shiplap, 8 and 10 inch, \$17; do., 6 inch, \$14.

SHINGLES.—B. C. cedar, per M, No. 1, \$2.75, No. 2, \$2.50; B. C. cedar dimension shingles, \$4; B. C. cedar dimension hand sawed, \$5.

LATH.—Pine lath, No. 1, per M, \$3; No. 2, \$2.50.

FINISHINGS.—1 1/2, 1 1/4 and 2 inch—White pine, 1st and 2nd clear \$65, 3rd clear \$55, selects \$45, shops \$36; red pine, clear \$40, selects \$32; B. C. cedar clears, \$50; do., over 12 in. ch, \$55; B. C. fir edge grain No. 1 stepping \$45, No. 2 \$40; B.C. fir, flat grain, No. 1 \$37, No. 2 do. \$32.50; B.C. finishing up to 12 in., \$37.50; do., over 12 in., \$42.50. \$5 per M advance on 2 1/2 inch and thicker. One inch—White pine, 1st and 2nd clear, \$55, 3rd clear, \$48, selects, B, \$38, selects, C, \$30; red pine, clear, \$40, selects, \$30; B.C. cedar, clear, \$50; B.C. fir finishing, \$37.50; do., over 12 inch, \$42.50.

OAK.—Red and White—3/4 sawed, \$85; 1st and 2nd, \$55 to \$65; common, \$40.

MOULDINGS AND BASE.—Parting strips, 100 feet lineal, \$60c; lattice, 1 1/2 x 1 1/2, 100 feet lineal, 75c; 1 1/2 x 1 1/2, 100 feet lineal, 85c; window and door stop, 1 1/2 inch lineal, \$1.25; ditto, 2 inch lineal, \$1.50; 1 round and 1/2 cove, 75c; 1 1/2 inch mould, \$1.50; 2 inch mould, \$1.75; 2 1/2 inch mould, \$2; 3 inch mould, \$2.25; 3 1/2 inch mould, \$2.50; 4 inch mould, \$2.75; 4 1/2 inch mould, \$3; 5 inch mould, \$3.25; 6 inch mould, \$4; 5 inch window stool, 11, \$4.50; 6 inch window stool, 1 1/2, \$5.25; 4 inch casings, \$2.25, 5 inch casings, \$2.75; 6 inch casings, \$3.25; 8 inch base, \$4.25; 10 inch base, \$5; 12 inch base, \$7; hand rail, 2 x 4, \$5.50; wainscot cap, 2 1/2 inch, \$2.35; 3 inch, \$2.75; paper mould, 60c. Moulding made from 1 1/2 stock add 25 per cent; 1 1/2 add 50 per cent. Hardwood mouldings or mouldings to detail at special prices. All shop work at special net prices.

The saw mill of Joseph Cawthorpe, and the cooper shop of James McKay, at Thamesford, Ont., were destroyed by fire on August 23rd.

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BUSINESS NOTES.

W. C. Hunter & Co. are the new dealers, Philadelphia, Pa. to be assigned.

It is reported that Arch Stewart, who operated a saw mill at Rapid City, Man., was seceded, leaving a number of creditors.

C. D. Chitty, of Ottawa, is said to have secured a writ in the High Court against McLaren & McLaren, mill owners, claiming a balance of \$1,900 for the sale of a lumber lot purchased from Andrew McFadden.

The Howry firm, who it was reported operated a large saw mill at Leberon, Ont., and owned extensive lands in Georgian Bay, but became financially embarrassed are announced to have again entered the lumber business in Wisconsin.

The failure of Graham, Horton & Co., of William, will not be felt severely in the circles, as their miscellaneous holdings are small. It is said that the assets of the Bank of Montreal's claim, will amount to \$2,000. The firm took but about ten feet of logs last season, a considerable part of which had been cut, and the balance will doubt be cut this season. About 6,000,000 feet of lumber are in the yard.

SHIPPING MATTERS.

The current freight rates on lumber to British Columbia points are as follows: Sydney, 42s. 6d.; Melbourne, 41s. 6d.; Port Pirie, 50s.; Fremantle, 48s. 6d.; Yokohama, 47s. 6d. to 48s. 6d.; Shanghai, 55s.; Tientsin, 52s. 6d. to 54s. 6d.; O., 40s. to 42s. 6d.; U K. or Continent, 6s. to 67s. 6d.

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Betram, John & Sons, Dundas, Ont.
Canadian Locomotive and Engine Co., Kingston Ont.
Carrier, Laine & Co., Lewis, Que.
Darting Bros., Montreal.
Kennedy & Sons, Wm., Limited, Owen Sound, Ont.
Lancaster Machine Works, Lancaster, Ont.
Lloyd Manufacturing Co., Kentville, N. S.
Mershon, W. B. & Co., Saginaw, Mich.
Mowry & Son, B. R., Gavenhurst, Ont.
Northey Mfg. Co., Toronto, Ont.
Payette, P. & Co., Penetanguishene, Ont.
Sawyer & Massey Co., Ltd., Hamilton, Ont.
Small & Fisher Co., Woodstock, N.B.
The Wm. Hamilton Mfg. Co., Peterboro', Ont.
The Jencks Machine Co., Sherbrooke, Que.
The Waterous Co., Brantford.
The Oxford Foundry & Machine Co., Oxford, N. S.
The DeLancey Machine Works, DeLancey, Ohio, U.S.A.

MAGNOLIA ANTI-FRICTION METAL

Magnolia Metal Co., New York.

PULP MACHINERY

The Jencks Machine Co., Sherbrooke, Que.
The Waterous Co., Brantford.

PULLEYS

The Dominion Leather Board Co., Montreal, Que.

RAILROAD BRASSES

Magnolia Metal Co., New York.

SAW MANUFACTURERS

Burns, E. R., Saw Co., Toronto, Ont.
Ottawa Saw Works Co., Ottawa, Ont.
Shurly & Dietrich, Galt, Ont.
The James Robertson Co., Montreal, Que.

TURBINES

Barber, C., Meaford, Ont.
Kennedy & Sons, Wm., Limited, Owen Sound, Ont.
Madison Williams, Port Perry, Ont.

WHOLESALE LUMBER DEALERS

Sher, J. D., Bracebridge, Ont.
Wiggin, H. D., Boston, Mass.

MISCELLANEOUS

Axes, Campbell Bros., St. John, N. B.
Canadian Photo Engraving Bureau, Toronto.
Can. Office and School Furniture Co., Preston, Ont.
Illinois Central R.R.
Lumbering Tools, Thos. Pink, Pembroke, Ont.
Machine Knives, Peter Hay, Galt, Ont.
Silver Solder, P. W. Ellis & Co., Toronto, Ont.
The Bradstreet Mercantile Agency, New York and Toronto.

WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT.

TORONTO, ONT.

TORONTO, August 31, 1898.

CAR OR CARGO LOTS.

Table listing lumber prices for car or cargo lots, including items like 1 1/2 inch dressing and up, 2 inch pick and uppers, etc.

HARDWOODS—PER M. FERT CAR LOTS.

Table listing hardwood prices per m. fert car lots, including items like Ash, white, 1 to 2 in., Elm, soft, etc.

OTTAWA, O.T.

OTTAWA, August 31, 1898.

Table listing lumber prices in Ottawa, including items like Pine, good sidings, per M feet, b.m., Pine, 8 s.c. and bet. ter stock, etc.

QUEBEC, QUE.

QUEBEC, August 31, 1898.

WHITE PINK—IN THE RAFT.

Table listing lumber prices in Quebec, including items like Common and railroad, for interior and ordinary according to average, quality, etc., measured off.

RED PINK—IN THE RAFT.

Table listing lumber prices in Quebec, including items like Measured off, according to average and quality.

OAK—MICHIGAN AND OHIO.

Table listing lumber prices in Quebec, including items like By the dram, according to average and quality.

K.M.

Table listing lumber prices in Quebec, including items like By the dram, according to average and quality.

ASH.

Table listing lumber prices in Quebec, including items like 14 inches and up, according to average and quality.

BIRCH.

Table listing lumber prices in Quebec, including items like 14 inch average.

DRALS.

Table listing lumber prices in Quebec, including items like Hright spruce, according to mill specification.

NEW YORK CITY.

NEW YORK, N. Y., August 31, 1898.

WHITE PINK TIMBER.

Table listing lumber prices in New York City, including items like Bridge timber, Decking.

SPRUCE.

Table listing lumber prices in New York City, including items like 6 to 9 in., 6 to 12 in., 9 to 12 in.

HARDWOOD.

Table listing lumber prices in New York City, including items like 1 inch, No. 1 and 2 Black Ash, 10 to 16, 1 1/2 to 2 in., etc.

ALBANY, N.Y.

ALBANY, N. Y., August 31, 1898.

PINE.

Table listing lumber prices in Albany, including items like Uppers, 3 in. up, Dressing boards, narrow, West India shipping boards, etc.

LATH.

Table listing lumber prices in Albany, including items like Pine, Spruce.

SHINGLES.

Table listing lumber prices in Albany, including items like Sawed Pine, ex. XXXX, Clear butts, Smooth, 6 x 18.

BOSTON, MASS.

BOSTON, August 31, 1898.

EASTERN PINK—CARGO OR CAR LOAD.

Table listing lumber prices in Boston, including items like Ordinary planed boards, Coarse No. 5, Refuse, etc.

WESTERN PINK—BY CAR LOAD.

Table listing lumber prices in Boston, including items like Uppers, 1 in., 1 1/2 and 2 in., Selects, 1 in., etc.

SHINGLES.

Table listing lumber prices in Boston, including items like Spruce, Cedar, extra, Clear.

LATH.

Table listing lumber prices in Boston, including items like Spruce, By car.

BUFFALO AND TONAWANDA, N.Y.

TONAWANDA, N. Y., August 31, 1898.

WHITE PINE.

Table listing lumber prices in Buffalo and Tonawanda, including items like Uppers, 1 1/2, 1 1/4 and 1 1/2 in., Shelving, No. 1, 1 1/2 in., etc.

WHITE ASH.

Table listing lumber prices in Buffalo and Tonawanda, including items like 1st & 2nd, 1 inch, 1 1/2 to 2 in.

BLACK AND BROWN ASH.

Table listing lumber prices in Buffalo and Tonawanda, including items like 1st & 2nd, 6 inch up, 25 00 26 00.

K.M.

Table listing lumber prices in Buffalo and Tonawanda, including items like 1st & 2d, rock, 8 in. & up, 20 00 22 00.

MAPLE.

Table listing lumber prices in Buffalo and Tonawanda, including items like 1st & 2d, hard, 6 in. & up 18 00 20 00.

BAY CITY AND SAGINAW, MICH.

BAY CITY, Mich., August 31, 1898.

UPPERS AND SELECTS.

Table listing lumber prices in Bay City and Saginaw, including items like Uppers, 1 in., 10 n. and up, 1 1/2, 1 1/4 and 1 1/2 in., etc.

FINE COMMON.

Table listing lumber prices in Bay City and Saginaw, including items like 1 in., 8 in. and up wide, 33 50.

B FINE COMMON OR NO. 1 CUTTING.

Table listing lumber prices in Bay City and Saginaw, including items like 1 in., 7 in. and up wide, 23 50.

STRIPS, A AND B (CLEAR AND SELECTS).

Table listing lumber prices in Bay City and Saginaw, including items like 1 1/2 in., 4, 5 and 7 in. wide, 34 00.

FINE COMMON OR C.

Table listing lumber prices in Bay City and Saginaw, including items like 1 in., 4, 5 in. wide, 29 00.

SELECTED NO. 1 SHIRLING OR FENCING STEPS.

Table listing lumber prices in Bay City and Saginaw, including items like 1 1/2 in., 4, 5, 6 in. wide, 24 00.

NO. 1 FENCING OR NO. 3 FLOORING.

Table listing lumber prices in Bay City and Saginaw, including items like 1 in., 4, 5 and 7 in., 16 00.

NO. 2 FENCING OR NO. 4 FLOORING.

Table listing lumber prices in Bay City and Saginaw, including items like 1 in., 4, 5 and 7 inch, 23 50.

SHIRLING.

Table listing lumber prices in Bay City and Saginaw, including items like No. 1, 1 in., 10 in. stocks, 25 00.

BARN BOARDS OR STOCKS.

Table listing lumber prices in Bay City and Saginaw, including items like No. 1, 12 in., 21 00.

SHIPPING CULLS OR BOX.

Table listing lumber prices in Bay City and Saginaw, including items like 1 in., 4 and 5 in. wide, \$9 00.

SHANKY CLEAR.

Table listing lumber prices in Bay City and Saginaw, including items like 1 in., 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 and 9 in. wide, 18 00.

COFFIN BOARDS.

Table listing lumber prices in Bay City and Saginaw, including items like No. 1, 1 in., 12 in. and up, 22 00.

TIMBER, JOIST AND SCANTLING.

Table listing lumber prices in Bay City and Saginaw, including items like Norway, 2x4 to 10, 12 to 16 ft., \$9 50.

SHINGLES, 18-IN.

Table listing lumber prices in Bay City and Saginaw, including items like Country brands, XXXX, 2 75.

WHITE PINK LATH.

Table listing lumber prices in Bay City and Saginaw, including items like No. 1, 1 1/2 in., 1 50.

PRICES OF COOPERAGE STOCK.

Table listing prices of cooperage stock, including items like No. 1 2 1/2 inch jointed elm staves, per net 1,000, \$5 00.