

LUMBER IS ACTIVE

Many Dealers Here Buying for Spring.

PRICES REMAIN VERY STEADY

Shingle and Hardwood Lumber Markets Are Firm—Heavy Demand for Candles.

The annual lumber convention in this city during the week brought in a large number of retail dealers...

Shortages in Stocks Numerous. Shortage in the supply of white pine lumber continues to increase...

Hardwood Lumber is Firmer. Hardwood lumber has shown a strengthening tendency during the past fortnight...

The Shingle Situation. Red and white cedar shingles continue to show increasing strength...

Quiet Coverage Market. An indifferent coverage market exists, largely owing to the light demand for made-up packages from local millers...

Good Candy Market. An active candy market is reported by local manufacturers, with all factories busily engaged at full capacity...

QUEBEC GRAIN TRADE Harbor Commission Wants Steel Elevators Erected.

Hides, Pelts, Tallow and Wool. Green salted heavy steer hides No. 1 No. 2...

Minneapolis Fur Prices. Prices for prime No. 1 furs, No. 2 and lower grades, set for 1902...

Mining Stocks. New York, Jan. 15.—Yesterday's closing prices were: Adams Consolidated, 25; Breese, 75; Brunswick Consolidated, 8; Comstock Tunnel, 55; Consolidated California and Nevada, 10; DeWitt, 10; Horn Silver, 30; Iron Silver, 60; Leadville Consolidated, 5; Littlefield, 10; Ontario, 80; Ophir, 17; Phoenix, 5; Potomac, 12; Savage, 5; Sierra Nevada, 15; Small Hoop, 40; Standard, 35.

Boston Wool. Boston, Jan. 15.—The outlook here is for the maintenance of firm prices for some time. Manufacturers are keeping in close touch with the market and are taking fair lines from time to time at present prices...

NEW YORK METALS.

New York, Jan. 15.—The local market for pig tin was about 2¢ higher, with the closing price yesterday standing at \$23.35 bid. London closed at 24 1/2. Copper was unchanged here at 1 1/4 for lake, 1 1/2 for electrolytic and 1 1/2 for casting...

Midway Horse Market. Minnesota Transfer, St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 15.—Barrett & Zimmerman report the movement in stock very light. Retail trade was fair...

GENERAL PRODUCE The Minneapolis Market. Wednesday, Jan. 15.

Extra creamery butter, easy; eggs, firm. Dressed hens, steady; spring chickens, steady; fancy turkeys, scarce; potatoes, easier; peas, firm. Fancy country dressed lard, steady. New oranges, easy.

BUTTER—Extra creameries, per lb. 22c; firsts, lb. 21c; seconds, lb. 20c; imitations, firsts, per lb. 16c; dairies, extras, per lb. 15c; dairies, firsts, per lb. 14c; dairies, seconds, lb. 13c; roll and print, fancy, 16c; roll and print, choice, 14c; lard, firsts, lb. 12c; lard, seconds, lb. 11c; packing stock, per lb. 11c; grease, 25c; fresh held, per doz. 16c; checks, seconds, pickled and limed, per case, 35c.

CHEESE—Twins or flats, fancy, lb. 12c; twins or flats, choice, 9c; fair to good, 7c; young swiss, fancy, made in America, lb. 9c; brick, No. 1, 12c; brick, No. 2, 10c; brick, No. 3, 8c; limburger, No. 1, per lb. 12c; limburger, No. 2, 10c; primos, No. 1, per lb. 6c; primos, No. 2, 5c; round swiss, No. 1, 12c; round swiss, No. 2, 10c.

DRY GOODS—Turkey, fancy, per lb. 10c; young toms, lb. 9c; old toms and hens, lb. 8c; chickens, fancy, per lb. 10c; fair to good, 8c; hens, fancy, 8c; young chickens, fancy, per lb. 10c; fair to good, 8c; geese, lb. 10c; ducks, lb. 8c.

DRY GOODS—Veal, fancy, per lb. 12c; fair to good, lb. 10c; over-ought, per lb. 8c; mutton, fancy, lb. 10c; choice white, lb. 8c; mutton, off, 7c; hogs, light, lb. 7c; hogs, medium, 7c; heavy, 6c.

FRUIT—Apples, jack, doz. \$2.50; white, doz. \$2.50; cottons, doz. \$1.20; squirrels, doz. \$1.20; pineapples, doz. \$3.00; grapefruit, doz. \$3.00; lemons, doz. \$3.00; oranges, doz. \$3.00.

POTATOES—White stock, per lb. in car lots, 5c; in car lots, 4c; small lots, 3c; mixed red, in car lots, 6c; small lots, 4c.

SWISS POTATOES—Illinois, per brl. \$4.50; ONIONS—Red Globe, lb. \$1.25; Red Wethers, lb. \$1.25; Spanish, per crate, \$2.

BEANS—Fancy navy, per bu. \$2.25; choice, medium, hand-picked, per bu. \$2; navy, per bu. \$2.25; brown, fair to good, per bu. \$1.90.

DRYED PEAS—Fancy yellow, per bu. \$1.45; green, per bu. \$1.35; green, fancy, per bu. \$1.30; green, medium, per bu. \$1.25; white, per bu. \$1.20; Lima, California, per bu. \$1.20.

APPLES—Lumber Twigs, per brl. \$4.50; Jonathans, per brl. \$3.50; Missouri Pippins, per brl. \$4.50; Winesaps, \$4.50; Baldwin, per brl. \$3.50; Ben Davis, \$4.50.

ORANGES—California navels, fancy, \$2.25; choice, \$2; California seedlings, \$2.25; Florida seedlings, \$2.25; Florida, 1/2-bu. box, \$2.50; Florida, 1/2-bu. box, \$2.50; grapefruit, California, per box, \$4.50; Florida, \$4.50.

LEMONS—Messina, fancy, \$3.75; choice, \$3.50; California, fancy, as to size, \$3.50; choice, \$3.25.

CHEESE—Wisconsin Bell and Cherry, \$2.50; Jersey, per brl. \$2.50; late Howe, per brl. \$3.75; Jersey, per bu. boxes, \$2.50; Malaga, extra fancy, per keg, \$7; fancy, per keg, \$6.

MALAGA—Large bunches, \$2.50; medium bunches, \$2.25; small bunches, \$2; HONEY—New, fancy, white, 1-lb. sections, \$1.50; old, 1-lb. sections, \$1.25; golden rod, 1 1/2-lb. sections, \$1.25; buckwheat, \$1.25; extracted amber, 75c.

FRUIT—Apples, per doz. \$2.50; carolinas, per doz. \$2.50; cantaloupe, crates, \$3.25; cucumbers, \$2.50; parsnips, lb. 50c; rutabagas, doz. 20c; spinach, lb. 15c; turnips, per bu. 40c; tomatoes, California, per bu. \$2.50; celery, doz. 20c; salsify (oyster plant), doz. 20c; watercress, doz. 20c.

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