

**“SS City of Alpena”  
Cargo Conversions from 1900**

Wood Shingles: 8000 pieces = 1 ton or 4 Bunches

Wheat: # of Bushels x 30/1000 = Ton(s)

Oats: # of Bushels x 17/1000 = Ton(s)

Salt: 200# = 1 Barrel (bbl.)

Salt: 1 bbl. = 3/20 Ton

Barley: # Bushels x 24/1000 = Ton(s)

Rye: # Bushels x 30/1000 = Ton(s)

Flax: # Bushels x 25/1000 = Ton(s)

Lath: 4000 pieces = 1 Ton or 8 Bundles

Lime: 200# = 1 bbl.

Flour: 10 bbls. = 1 Ton

Oil: 1 bbl. = 300# on shipments, 5bbls on receipts

Cement: 5bbls. = 1 Ton

Sugar: 5 bbls. = 1 Ton

Ties, Poles, Posts: 10 pieces = 1 Ton

Sand or Gravel: 1 cubic yard = 1 Ton

Pulp Wood: 1 Cord = 4600# or # of Cords x 23/10 = Ton(s)

Apples: 150# = 1 bbl.