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## January 2026 News & Sales Flyer

### Tool and Hardware Specials:

While Supplies Last

<b>Little Giant</b> Jumbo 3 Step Stepladder Type 1AA 375lb Rating <b>\$99.89ea</b>  790209	<b>Milwaukee</b> 25' Magnetic Tape Measure (2-Pack) <b>\$19.93ea</b>  371559	<b>Milwaukee</b> 6pc Oscillating Blade Assortment <b>\$27.18ea</b>  314065	<b>Milwaukee</b> 50pc Milwaukee SHOCKWAVE Impact Duty Drill & Drive Set <b>\$21.73ea</b>  393233	<b>DEWALT</b> Tough Series Construction Jack <b>\$94.87ea</b>  376162
<b>METALTECH</b> 5'X5' Scaffold Frame <b>\$87.58ea</b> 771057  7'x4' Scaffold Cross Brace <b>\$31.85ea</b> 771060 	<b>WERNER</b> 20' Fiberglass Extension Ladder Type IA <b>\$238.80ea</b>  782122	<b>Dolt Best</b> Utility Knife Blades 100CT <b>\$8.29ea</b>  301299	<b>STANLEY</b> Surform Pocket Rasp <b>\$7.22ea</b>  315554	<b>Lutz</b> Drywall Screw Setter (Dimpler) <b>\$2.45ea</b>  2SSB

### Building Material Specials:

### Paint Specials:

<b>USG</b> 2x4x5/8" Ceiling Tile 8pcs/CT <b>\$63.47ct</b>  BD562	<b>Wood Marking Stakes</b> 5'- <b>\$2.25ea</b> 6'- <b>\$2.55ea</b>  5MS 6MS	<b>BEST LOOK</b> Brilliant White Ceiling Paint 1gal <b>\$24.84ea</b>  772170	<b>Dolt Best</b> Pro Blue Masking Tape 1.88" <b>\$5.93</b>  799836	<b>Purdy</b> Clearcut Glide 2- 1/2" Angular Trim Stiff Paint Brush <b>\$9.92ea</b>  793309
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### Around the House Specials:

<b>DURACELL</b> Coppertop Battery 4pk AAA AA <b>\$5.35pk</b>  820776 807095	<b>simple green</b> Simple Green Industrial All-Purpose Cleaner/Degreaser 1gal <b>\$8.97gal</b>  602280	<b>Dolt Best</b> 32 Oz. Plastic Spray Bottle <b>\$1.99ea!</b>  610100	<b>Steel Pro</b> Brushed Nickel Entry Door Knob <b>\$12.49ea</b>  225580
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## Commodities Update:

Dimension lumber: **SPF lumber** is generally up double digits (per MBF) in the last few weeks. Production curtailments among mills is prevalent and taking much wood out of the supply chain. Will the market continue in this direction and to what degree is questionable. **SYP (PT) lumber** is seeing the usual slowdown, kind of limping to the end of the year, but prices are relatively stable to up. Timbers- 4x4 and 6x6 are trending upward.

Panels: **OSB** pricing is still low but showing indications of some strengthening. **Huber products (Zip and Advantech)** have not moved at all in the last month. **SYP plywood** prices have been unchanged the last few weeks as well.

We received word in late December that the January 5, 2026 **steel stud** increase from Clark Dietrich, our main vendor for this product line, will be a minimum of 15%. They indicated for us to expect further price increase announcements in the months to come.

USG has announced a January 5, 2026 increase in **Durock cement board**. Percent increase has not been specified yet.

In late January and early February Therma-Tru and Reeb Millwork will be raising prices on some door and door related items:

- import stile and rail products 7-10%
- Reeb finish on exterior doors 5-6%
- Therma-Tru composite frames 3-4%
- commercial doors/ frames/hardware 4%

We're expecting an increase this month for **LP SmartSide siding** in the 5-8% range.

Bagged **portland** and **masonry cements** will increase by \$.50/bg and \$.40/bg respectively on January 2, 2026 as previously reported.

## Fun Reading:

*Ten things I know about you:*

1. You are reading this.
2. You are human.
3. You can't say the letter "P" without separating your lips.
4. You just attempted to do it.
6. You are laughing at yourself.
7. You have a smile on your face and you skipped number 5.
8. You just checked to see if there is a number 5.
9. You laugh at this because you are a fun-loving person and everyone does.
10. You are probably going to show this to others and see who else falls for it.

## Words worth reading:

When I was fifteen, I worked at an orchard hoeing strawberries, and most of my coworkers were day laborers. A couple teachers worked there too, earning a little extra cash for the summer. I made a comment to my dad about the job being beneath those teachers. (I guess I was implying that the job was beneath me too.) My dad gave me the tongue lashing of a lifetime. He believed manual labor was beneath no one. He said he'd prefer that I worked hard and became the best ditch-digger in the world rather than coasting along as a self-impressed elitist behind a desk.

I went back into that strawberry field and still didn't like the job. But I had my Dad's words. I watched my attitude and hoed a little harder.

From The Last Lecture by Randy Pausch

## Quote to think about:

*On maintaining a positive mindset:*

*"I am convinced that life is 10% what happens to me and 90% how I react to it."*

Charles Swindoll

## Dad joke of the month:



What do you call someone who refuses to fart in public?

A private tutor.

## Hardware Humor:

