

New York Wheat

New York, Sept. 11.—Wheat, Sept. opened 73c b, closed 73 1/4c a. Dec. opened 75 3/4c, closed 76 b. May opened 79c, closed 79 1/8c. No. 1 hard spot closed 79 1/8c.

New York, Sept. 12.—Wheat, Sept. opened 73 3/8c, closed 73 1/4c a. Dec. opened 76 1/4c, closed 76 1/8c b. May opened 79 3/8c, closed 79 3/8c a.

New York, Sept. 13.—Wheat, Sept. opened 72 3/4c, closed 72 1/2c. Dec. opened 75 5/8c, closed 76 1/8c a. May opened 78 3/4c, closed 79 1/4c.

New York, Sept. 14.—Wheat, Sept. opened 73 3/4c, closed 73 1/8c. Dec. opened 76 3/8c, closed 75 3/4c b. May opened 79 1/2c, closed 78 3/4c.

New York, Sept. 15.—Wheat, Sept. opened 72 3/4c b, closed 73 1/4c. Dec. opened 76 5/8 to 3/4c, closed 75 7/8c a. May opened 78 5/8 to 3/4c, closed 78 7/8c b.

New York, Sept. 16.—Wheat prices closed to-day as follows: Sept., 73 1/2c. Dec., 76 1/8c.

Chicago Board of Trade Prices.

Chicago, Sept. 11.—Wheat, Sept. opened 70 3/4c, closed 70 3/8c. Dec. opened 73 3/4c, closed 71 1/8c b. May opened 78 3/4c, closed 74 1/4c. Corn, Sept. opened 31 to 1-8c, closed 31 1/8c a. Dec. opened 28 1/4 to 1-8c, closed 28 3/8c a. May opened 29 to 1-8c, closed 29 1/4c a. Oats, Sept. opened 21 1/3 to 1/4c, closed 21 1/4c. Dec. opened 26 3/8 to 1/2c, closed 26 3/4c. May opened 22c, closed 22 1/4c. Pork, Sept. opened \$8, closed \$8.10. Oct. opened \$8.12 1/2, closed \$8.20. Lard, Sept. opened \$5.25, closed \$5.27 1/2. Oct. opened \$5.30, closed \$5.27 1/2. Ribbs, Sept. opened \$5.20 to \$5.22 1/2, closed \$5.25. Oct. opened \$5.40, closed \$5.45. Flax, cash N. W. \$1.07. Sept. \$1.04. Oct. \$1.01 1/2. Dec. \$1.02.

Chicago, Sept. 12.—Wheat, Sept. opened 70 5/8c, closed 70 5/8c. Dec. opened 71 to 1-8c, closed 71c b. May opened 74 1/8 to 1/4c, closed 74c. Corn, Sept. opened 31 to 30 7/8c, closed 31c. Dec. opened 28 3/8c, closed 28 3/8c b. May opened 29 1/4c, closed 29 3/8c. Oats, Sept. opened 21 1/4c, closed 21 1/4c b. Dec. opened 26 3/4c, closed 26 7/8c. May opened 22 1/2c, closed 22 3/8c. Pork, Oct. opened \$5.05, closed \$8. Dec. opened \$8.20, closed \$8.10. Lard, Oct. opened \$5.25, closed \$5.25. Dec. opened \$5.30, closed \$5.30 a. Ribbs, Oct. opened \$5.22 1/2, closed \$5.17 1/2. Dec. opened \$5.42 1/2, closed \$5.40. Flax, cash N. W. \$1.17. Sept. \$1.05. Oct. \$1.03. Dec. \$1.03.

Chicago, Sept. 13.—Wheat, Sept. opened 70 1/2c, closed 71 7/8c. Dec. opened 70 5/8 to 1/2c, closed 71 3/8c a. May opened 73 5/8c, closed 74 1/4c. Corn, Sept. opened 31 1/8c, closed 31 5/8c b. Dec. opened 28 3/8c, closed 28 5/8c. May opened 29 1/4c, closed 29 1/2c b. Oats, Sept. opened 21 1/8c, closed 21 1/4c. Dec. opened 26 7/8c, closed 26 7/8c. May opened 22 3/8c, closed 22 3/8c. Pork, Sept. opened \$8.02 1/2, closed \$8.15 to \$8.17 1/2. Lard, Sept. opened \$5.22 1/2, closed \$5.32 1/2. Oct. opened \$5.30, closed \$5.37 1/2. Ribbs, Sept. opened \$5.15, closed \$5.22 1/2. Oct. opened \$5.35, closed \$5.40. Flax, cash N. W. \$1.09. Sept. \$1.07 1/2 b. Oct. \$1.04 3/4. Dec. \$1.05 asked.

Chicago, Sept. 14.—Wheat, Sept. opened 72 1/4 to 72c, closed 71 1/8c. Dec. opened 71 3/8 to 1/2c, closed 70 3/4c to 7/8c. May opened 74 1/4 to 3/8c, closed 73 5/8c. Corn, Sept. opened 31 3/4c, closed 31 3/4c b. Dec. opened 28 5/8c, closed 28 1/2 to 5/8c b. May opened 21 1/4c, closed 21 1/4c. Dec. opened 26 7/8 to 21c, closed 26 7/8c b. May opened 22 3/8c, closed 22 3/8c a. Pork, Sept. opened \$8.07 1/2, closed \$7.97 1/2. Oct. opened \$8.17 1/2, closed \$8.12 1/2. Lard, Sept. opened \$5.32 1/2, closed \$5.30 b. Oct. opened \$5.37 1/2, closed \$5.27 1/2. Ribbs, Sept. opened \$5.22 1/2, closed \$5.20. Oct. opened \$5.40, closed \$5.35. Flax, cash N. W. \$1.11. Sept. \$1.09. Oct. \$1.06 1/2 a. Dec. \$1.06 1/2 a.

Chicago, Sept. 15.—Wheat, Sept. opened 71 1/8c, closed 70 1/2c b. Dec. opened 70 5/8c, to 3/4c, closed 73 7/8c b. May opened 73 1/2 to 5/8c, closed 73 7/8c a. Corn, Sept. opened 31 5/8c, closed 32 1/4 b. Dec. opened 28 1/2c, closed 28 5/8c b. May opened 29 1/2 to 3/8c, closed 29 5/8c b. Oats, Sept. opened 21 1/4c, closed 21 3/4c a. Dec. opened 20 7/8c, closed 21 1/4 to 3/8c b. May opened 22 3/8 to 1/4c, closed 22 3/4c. Pork, Sept. opened \$8, closed at \$7.92 1/2. Oct. opened \$8.12 1/2, closed \$8.05. Lard, Sept. opened \$5.30, closed \$5.25 to \$5.27 1/2. Oct. opened \$5.40, closed \$5.32 1/2. Ribbs, Sept. opened at \$5.20, closed \$5.17 1/2. Oct. opened at \$5.35, closed \$5.25. Flax, cash N. W. \$1.12. Sept. \$1.10 a. Oct. \$1.07 1/2. Dec. \$1.07 1/2.

Chicago, Sept. 16.—Wheat opened at 71 1/4c for December option and ranged from 70 3/4 to 71 1/4c. Closing prices were:

Wheat—Sept. 71 1/8c, Dec. 70 3/4c.
Corn—Sept. 32 3/4c, Dec. 28 3/4c.
Oats—Sept. 21 5/8c, Dec. 21 1/4c.
Pork—Oct. \$7.97 1/2.
Lard—Oct. \$5.30.
Ribbs—Oct. \$5.17 1/2.

A week ago September option closed at 70 3/4c. A year ago September wheat closed at 65 1/4c; two years ago at 62 1/2c; three years ago at 60 1/2c, four years ago at 57 1/2c, and five years ago at 52 1/2c.

Winnipeg Wheat Inspection.

Returns for the last week report 174 cars of wheat inspected, which graded as follows: 1 hard, 123; 2 hard, 29; 3 hard, 10; 1 northern, 5; 2 northern, 1, no grade, 6 cars. The "no grade" is old wheat, while the 1 hard is about all new wheat.

Manitoba Wheat Stocks.

There were 784,000 bushels of wheat in store at Fort William on Sept. 9, compared with 1,012,000 bushels one week previously. Receipts for the week were 47,000 bushels and shipments were 275,000 bushels. A year ago stocks at Fort William were about 125,000 bushels. Stocks of wheat at Fort William, Fort Arthur, Keewatin, Winnipeg and interior country points are estimated approximately at 2,000,000 bushels compared with about 150,000 bushels a year ago.

Montreal Stocks.

Montreal, Sept. 15.—The most notable slump in the stock market since the banking troubles of nearly two months ago took place to-day. The cause was drops in London and New York, the local market acting in sympathy. The Canadian Pacific declined 1 1/2 per cent; Montreal Street Railway 3 per cent, Gas 2 1/2 per cent, Royal Electric 3 5/8, War Eagle 4 and Republic 3 per cent.

New Jobbing Firm.

The Winnipeg jobbing firm of Mackenzie & Mills, wholesale teas, coffees, etc., has sold out to Beatty, Mills & Co. who have taken over this old established business and will continue it as heretofore. The lines handled are mainly teas, coffees, jams, etc. The agency of the Lipton teas, held by the late firm will also be continued by Beatty, Mills & Co. F. J. Beatty, of the new firm, was formerly connected with Mackenzie & Mills as traveller, and the last year or so has been with the Dyson, Gibson Co., so that he is well known to the western trade. R. E. Mills has been with Mackenzie & Mills for the past

eight years, both on the road and in the office, and he is therefore thoroughly familiar with the business.

The firm of Mackenzie & Mills was established in Winnipeg early in the eighties, by A. A. Mackenzie and G. C. Mills. Mr. Mackenzie has been a resident of Rossland, B. C., for some years, and has not been actively connected with the business. G. C. Mills, who now withdraws from the business, is taking an active part in the management of the Lac Du Bonnet Manufacturing Co., an industry which promises to become a very important one within a short time.

WINNIPEG CLOSING WHEAT.

Wheat is quiet and steady to rather easier to-day, at 67 to 57 1/4c for No. 1 hard, on spot, Fort William.

CHICAGO FLAX MARKET.

Chicago, Sept. 16.—Flax seed closed to-day at \$1.12 for cash, for September \$1.10, and December \$1.07 1/2.

DULUTH WHEAT MARKET.

No 1 northern wheat at Duluth closed as follows on each day of the week:

Monday—Sept. 67 3/8c, Dec. 67 3/4c.
Tuesday—Sept. 67 5/8c, Dec. 68 1/8c.
Wednesday—Sept. 67 1/2c, Dec. 68 1/8c.
Thursday—Sept. 67 1/2c, Dec. 67 3/4c.
Friday—Sept. 67c, Dec. 68c.
Saturday—Sept. 67 7/8c, Dec. 67 7/8c.
Cash No. 1 hard closed on Saturday at 74 3/8c, and cash No. 1 northern at 67 7/8c.

A week ago December wheat closed at 67 7/8c. A year ago December wheat closed at 61 1/8c, two years ago at 59 1/4c; three years ago at 61c; four years ago at 56c.

LIVERPOOL PRICES.

Liverpool, Sept. 15.—Wheat, spot No. 2 red western winter steady at 5s 3d. Liverpool, Sept. 16.—Market closed 1/2a higher.

MINNEAPOLIS WHEAT.

Saturday, Sept. 16.—No. 1 northern wheat closed to-day at 66 7/8c for September option, and 67 3/8c for December, cash No. 1 northern 70c.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, Sept. 16.—The stock market is experiencing quite a slump to-day in many stocks.

ONTARIO CHEESE MARKETS.

Woodstock, Ont., Sept. 13.—There is practically a suspension of business in the cheese trade this week. Factory-men decline to sell at prices and buyers will not venture beyond 10 3/4c to 10 13/16c, and that only for selections.

Pictou, Ont., Sept. 13.—Highest bid 10 13/16c; no sales.

Napanee, Ont., Sept. 13.—Highest bids 10 1/2c; no sales.

Movements of Business Men.

O Rumpel, western representative of the Brown & Erb Co., of Berlin, Ont., arrived in Winnipeg this week.

S. H. Willis, manager of the Western Co-operative Loan and Investment Co., Winnipeg, left the city on Thursday for a business trip over the Dauphin railway.

John Mathers, of Ottawa, is in the west looking over the business situation, and his various investments here. George Burn, general manager of the Bank of Ottawa, is with Mr. Mathers.