

WHEAT SUPPLY  
STAGGERED PIT

World's Figures Showed  
Nearly Double Increase of  
Year Ago.

CHICAGO, Sept. 23.—Wheat prices broke today owing to an extraordinary enlargement of the world's available supply, chiefly in Canada. The close was nervous. 1-2c to 1c under last night. Other leading staples, too, all showed net declines, corn 1-2c, oats 1-2c to 7-8c, provisions 1c to 1 1/2-2c.

World stocks of wheat nearly doubled the increase exhibited at this time a year ago. As soon as this news became public the market, which had previously been firm, began to give way under heavy selling. The decline was accelerated by assertions that almost surely Canada would make wheat free by Jan. 1. Before the descent was checked, December and May reached new low levels for the year.

Stop loss selling took place all the way down, and the market seemed to have but little power to rally. Trade appeared to have lost sight of what had bolstered prices in the early part of the day, the fact that the amount of wheat on hand in elevators was diminishing and promised to do so for an indefinite time.

Corn weakened late in the session on account of the bear turn on wheat. Prior to that the market had been controlled by the bulls with the aid of weather which was treated to interfere with current arrivals and possibly do some damage in late fields.

Oats were under considerable speculative selling pressure. Shippers took only moderate quantities. Lower prices for hogs and grain carried down provisions. There was heavy selling credited to the big packers especially in the last hour.

**NORTHWEST RECEIPTS.**

	Week.	Year.
Minneapolis	101	346
Duluth	391	575
Winnipeg	1137	815

**ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.**

	Sept. 23.	Sept. 22.
Wheat	1.00	1.00
Barley	1.00	1.00
Oats	1.00	1.00

**WHEAT CABLES WEAKER.**

Wheat futures closed at Liverpool to day unchanged to 1/4d lower. Corn 1/4d to 1/2d lower.

**INCREASE IN WORLD'S VISIBLE.**

Bradstreet's world's visible wheat increase, 12,988,000 bushels. Corn increase, 1,272,000 bushels. Oats increase, 2,207,000 bushels.

**WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.**

WINNIPEG, Sept. 23.—The local wheat market opened at 90¢ and closed at 88¢. The market was quiet, but firm. The price of wheat was 88¢, barley 85¢, and oats 80¢.

**DULUTH GRAIN MARKET.**

DULUTH, Sept. 23.—Close: Wheat, No. 1 hard, 85¢; No. 2, 84¢; No. 3, 83¢; No. 4, 82¢; No. 5, 81¢; No. 6, 80¢; No. 7, 79¢; No. 8, 78¢; No. 9, 77¢; No. 10, 76¢; No. 11, 75¢; No. 12, 74¢; No. 13, 73¢; No. 14, 72¢; No. 15, 71¢; No. 16, 70¢; No. 17, 69¢; No. 18, 68¢; No. 19, 67¢; No. 20, 66¢; No. 21, 65¢; No. 22, 64¢; No. 23, 63¢; No. 24, 62¢; No. 25, 61¢; No. 26, 60¢; No. 27, 59¢; No. 28, 58¢; No. 29, 57¢; No. 30, 56¢; No. 31, 55¢; No. 32, 54¢; No. 33, 53¢; No. 34, 52¢; No. 35, 51¢; No. 36, 50¢; No. 37, 49¢; No. 38, 48¢; No. 39, 47¢; No. 40, 46¢; No. 41, 45¢; No. 42, 44¢; No. 43, 43¢; No. 44, 42¢; No. 45, 41¢; No. 46, 40¢; No. 47, 39¢; No. 48, 38¢; No. 49, 37¢; No. 50, 36¢; No. 51, 35¢; No. 52, 34¢; No. 53, 33¢; No. 54, 32¢; No. 55, 31¢; No. 56, 30¢; No. 57, 29¢; No. 58, 28¢; No. 59, 27¢; No. 60, 26¢; No. 61, 25¢; No. 62, 24¢; No. 63, 23¢; No. 64, 22¢; No. 65, 21¢; No. 66, 20¢; No. 67, 19¢; No. 68, 18¢; No. 69, 17¢; No. 70, 16¢; No. 71, 15¢; No. 72, 14¢; No. 73, 13¢; No. 74, 12¢; No. 75, 11¢; No. 76, 10¢; No. 77, 9¢; No. 78, 8¢; No. 79, 7¢; No. 80, 6¢; No. 81, 5¢; No. 82, 4¢; No. 83, 3¢; No. 84, 2¢; No. 85, 1¢; No. 86, 0¢; No. 87, 0¢; No. 88, 0¢; No. 89, 0¢; No. 90, 0¢; No. 91, 0¢; No. 92, 0¢; No. 93, 0¢; No. 94, 0¢; No. 95, 0¢; No. 96, 0¢; No. 97, 0¢; No. 98, 0¢; No. 99, 0¢; No. 100, 0¢.

**CHESTER MARKET.**

CHESTER, Sept. 23.—Close: Wheat, No. 1 hard, 85¢; No. 2, 84¢; No. 3, 83¢; No. 4, 82¢; No. 5, 81¢; No. 6, 80¢; No. 7, 79¢; No. 8, 78¢; No. 9, 77¢; No. 10, 76¢; No. 11, 75¢; No. 12, 74¢; No. 13, 73¢; No. 14, 72¢; No. 15, 71¢; No. 16, 70¢; No. 17, 69¢; No. 18, 68¢; No. 19, 67¢; No. 20, 66¢; No. 21, 65¢; No. 22, 64¢; No. 23, 63¢; No. 24, 62¢; No. 25, 61¢; No. 26, 60¢; No. 27, 59¢; No. 28, 58¢; No. 29, 57¢; No. 30, 56¢; No. 31, 55¢; No. 32, 54¢; No. 33, 53¢; No. 34, 52¢; No. 35, 51¢; No. 36, 50¢; No. 37, 49¢; No. 38, 48¢; No. 39, 47¢; No. 40, 46¢; No. 41, 45¢; No. 42, 44¢; No. 43, 43¢; No. 44, 42¢; No. 45, 41¢; No. 46, 40¢; No. 47, 39¢; No. 48, 38¢; No. 49, 37¢; No. 50, 36¢; No. 51, 35¢; No. 52, 34¢; No. 53, 33¢; No. 54, 32¢; No. 55, 31¢; No. 56, 30¢; No. 57, 29¢; No. 58, 28¢; No. 59, 27¢; No. 60, 26¢; No. 61, 25¢; No. 62, 24¢; No. 63, 23¢; No. 64, 22¢; No. 65, 21¢; No. 66, 20¢; No. 67, 19¢; No. 68, 18¢; No. 69, 17¢; No. 70, 16¢; No. 71, 15¢; No. 72, 14¢; No. 73, 13¢; No. 74, 12¢; No. 75, 11¢; No. 76, 10¢; No. 77, 9¢; No. 78, 8¢; No. 79, 7¢; No. 80, 6¢; No. 81, 5¢; No. 82, 4¢; No. 83, 3¢; No. 84, 2¢; No. 85, 1¢; No. 86, 0¢; No. 87, 0¢; No. 88, 0¢; No. 89, 0¢; No. 90, 0¢; No. 91, 0¢; No. 92, 0¢; No. 93, 0¢; No. 94, 0¢; No. 95, 0¢; No. 96, 0¢; No. 97, 0¢; No. 98, 0¢; No. 99, 0¢; No. 100, 0¢.

**FARM PRODUCE, WHOLESALE.**

May, No. 1, car lots, \$11.00 to \$12.00; No. 2, car lots, \$10.00 to \$11.00; No. 3, car lots, \$9.00 to \$10.00; No. 4, car lots, \$8.00 to \$9.00; No. 5, car lots, \$7.00 to \$8.00; No. 6, car lots, \$6.00 to \$7.00; No. 7, car lots, \$5.00 to \$6.00; No. 8, car lots, \$4.00 to \$5.00; No. 9, car lots, \$3.00 to \$4.00; No. 10, car lots, \$2.00 to \$3.00; No. 11, car lots, \$1.00 to \$2.00; No. 12, car lots, \$0.50 to \$1.00; No. 13, car lots, \$0.25 to \$0.50; No. 14, car lots, \$0.10 to \$0.25; No. 15, car lots, \$0.05 to \$0.10; No. 16, car lots, \$0.02 to \$0.05; No. 17, car lots, \$0.01 to \$0.02; No. 18, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 19, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 20, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 21, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 22, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 23, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 24, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 25, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 26, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 27, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 28, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 29, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 30, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 31, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 32, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 33, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 34, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 35, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 36, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 37, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 38, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 39, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 40, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 41, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 42, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 43, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 44, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 45, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 46, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 47, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 48, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 49, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 50, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 51, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 52, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 53, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 54, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 55, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 56, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 57, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 58, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 59, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 60, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 61, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 62, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 63, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 64, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 65, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 66, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 67, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 68, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 69, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 70, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 71, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 72, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 73, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 74, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 75, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 76, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 77, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 78, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 79, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 80, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 81, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 82, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 83, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 84, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 85, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 86, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 87, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 88, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 89, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 90, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 91, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 92, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 93, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 94, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 95, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 96, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 97, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 98, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 99, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 100, car lots, \$0.00 to \$0.01.

**HIDES AND SKINS.**

Prices revised daily by E. T. O'Neil & Co., 100 East Front street, Detroit, Mich.

**Wool, Yarns, Hides, Calves and Sheepskins.**

Raw, Fur, Tallow, etc.

**Inspected hides are nominal.**

Lambskins and pelts, \$0.25 to \$0.50; Horsehair, per lb., \$0.25 to \$0.50; Sheepskins, No. 1, per lb., \$0.25 to \$0.50; Tallow, No. 1, per lb., \$0.25 to \$0.50.

**COARSE, UNWASHED.**

Coarse, unwashed, \$0.25 to \$0.50; Coarse, washed, \$0.25 to \$0.50; Fine, washed, \$0.25 to \$0.50.

**TORONTO SUGAR MARKET.**

Sugars are quoted in Toronto, in bags, per cwt., as follows:

**GRAIN AND PRODUCE.**

Local grain dealers' quotations are as follows:

**Ontario wheat—New, white, 3c to 3 1/2c, outside; 3c to 3 1/2c, track, Toronto.**

**Manitoba flour—Quotations at Toronto are: First patents, \$5.50, in cotton linc; second patents, \$5.00, in cotton linc; more; strong patents, \$4.50, in linc.**

**Manitoba oats—No. 2, C.W., 40c; No. 3, C.W., 39c, lake ports.**

**Ontario wheat—New, No. 2, 3c to 3 1/2c, outside; 3c to 3 1/2c, track, Toronto.**

**Beans—Imported, hand-picked, \$2.30 to \$2.40 per bushel; Canadian, hand-picked, \$2.10 to \$2.20 per bushel.**

**Manitoba wheat—New crop, for Sept. 1st, 3c to 3 1/2c, outside; 3c to 3 1/2c, track, Toronto.**

**Rye—No. 2, 5c to 5 1/2c per bushel, outside, nominal.**

**Peanut—No. 2, 3c to 3 1/2c, outside, nominal.**

**Buckwheat—No. 2, 5c to 5 1/2c, outside, nominal.**

**Barley—For malting, 5c to 5 1/2c (47-lb. test); for feed, 4c to 4 1/2c, outside, nominal.**

**Corn—American, No. 2 yellow, 75c, c.l.f.; Midland, 85c, track, Toronto.**

**Milled—Manitoba flour, \$2.30 to \$2.40 in bags; track, Toronto, \$2.10 to \$2.20 in bags; shorts, \$2.10 to \$2.20 in bags; middlings, \$2.10 to \$2.20 in bags.**

**Ontario flour—Winter wheat flour, 90 per cent. patents, new, \$3.50, bulk, sea-board.**

BIG MARKET FOR  
CANADIAN CATTLE

Heavy Exports From Toronto to  
Buffalo of Wide  
Significance.

Bradstreet's report says: "Of far reaching interest in Canadian commercial affairs is the fact that something like 15,000 head of stock cattle have been exported from Toronto to Buffalo since the middle of July this year. Last week alone about 2000 were shipped. Most of these exports have brought substantial profit to local shippers, and moreover, the demand for stock cattle in this country is now being met by the export of Canadian stock. If there is profit to stockers exported to the States under such a handicap, profits should be handsome when the tariff is taken off, and that is practically assured. While most other classes of cattle, excepting common stuff are now barred by the duty, if it is removed, profits promise to be large. In these also, when shipped to United States markets."

**CHICAGO MARKETS.**

J. P. Bickell & Co., Standard Bank Building, report the following quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade:

**Wheat.**

Sept. 23. Open. High. Low. Close.

Dec. 88 1/2 89 1/4 88 3/4 88 3/4

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**CATTLE MARKET**

**ACTIVE AND FIRM**

**Hogs Easier—Sheep, Lambs and Calves Are Steady.**

Receipts of live stock at the Union yards, up to 9 a.m., were 214 cars, comprising 4400 cattle, 1100 hogs, 2172 sheep and lambs, and 238 calves and calves.

The quality of fat cattle was not nearly as good as those of last week, that is, there was not as many of the good to choice quality.

Trade in cattle was very active, and prices firm at last Tuesday's quotations. The sheep and lamb trade was steady at last Thursday's quotations, and calf prices were unchanged.

The hog market was lower.

**Butcher's.**

Choice butchers' steers sold at \$4.50 to \$5.00; good, \$4.25 to \$4.50; medium, \$4.00 to \$4.25; inferior, \$3.75 to \$4.00; common, \$3.50 to \$3.75; inferior, \$3.25 to \$3.50; common, \$3.00 to \$3.25