

## Statistical Wheat Reports.

## WHEAT IN CANADA.

Stocks of Wheat in Canada at principal points of accumulation are reported as follows:

Montreal . . . . .	113,000
Toronto . . . . .	32,000
Kingston . . . . .	
Winnipeg . . . . .	293,000
Manitoba elevators . . . . .	2,325,000
Fort William, Port Arthur and Keewatin . . . . .	874,000

Total March 12 . . . . 3,637,000

## BRADSTREET'S REPORT OF STOCKS.

Total stocks in the United States and Canada, east of the Rocky Mountains as reported by Bradstreet's on March 12, were 44,167,000 bushels.

Total stocks in the United States and Canada a year ago were 59,206,000 bushels, according to Bradstreet's report.

Pacific coast wheat stocks on March 1 were 4,424,000 bushels, compared with 1,857,000 bushels a year ago.

## THE VISIBLE SUPPLY.

The Chicago visible supply statement of stocks in the United States and Canada, east of the Rocky Mountains for the week ended March 19, was 31,417,000 bushels, being a decrease of 998,000 bushels for the week. A year ago the visible supply was 40,430,000 bushels, two years ago 61,348,000 bushels, three years ago 75,773,000 bushels, four years ago 72,163,000 bushels.

## WHEAT STOCKS AT U.S. POINTS.

Chicago . . . . .	7,796,000 bushels
Duluth . . . . .	3,020,000 "
Minneapolis . . . . .	11,379,000 "
New York . . . . .	1,670,000 "
Buffalo . . . . .	648,000 "

## STOCK OF OATS AND CORN.

The visible supply of oats in the United States and Canada, east of the Rocky Mountains is 12,854,000 bushels, compared with 13,528,000 bushels a year ago. The visible supply of corn is 43,388,000 bushels, compared with 26,077,000 bushels a year ago, according to the Chicago statement.

## WORLD'S WHEAT STOCKS.

Stocks of wheat in the United States, Canada, in Europe and afloat for Europe, on February 1, for a series of years, were as follows, Bradstreet's report: February 1, 1898, 129,123,000; February 1, 1897, 128,629,000; February 1, 1896, 160,425,000; February 1, 1895, 161,419,000; February 1, 1894, 183,927,000; February 1, 1893, 178,038,000; February 1, 1892, 155,303,000; February 8, 1891, 105,037,000; February 1, 1890, 105,533,000.

## CROP MOVEMENT.

The following table gives the receipts of wheat at the four principal United States spring wheat markets from the beginning of the crop year, August 1, 1897, to date, compared with the same period of last year:

	This Crop	Last Crop
Minneapolis . . . . .	60,950,950	47,081,050
Milwaukee . . . . .	7,352,462	6,096,195
Duluth . . . . .	34,425,340	35,143,029
Chicago . . . . .	28,680,676	14,373,141

Total . . . . 131,408,568 102,696,415

The following table gives the receipts of wheat at the four principal United

States winter wheat markets from the beginning of the crop movement, July 1, 1897, to date, compared with the same period of last year:

	This Crop	Last Crop
Toledo . . . . .	9,024,930	6,307,735
St. Louis . . . . .	10,775,956	10,451,341
Detroit . . . . .	4,381,275	2,973,276
Kansas City . . . . .	26,187,566	6,346,200
Total . . . . .	51,269,727	26,168,552

## Winnipeg Raw Fur Prices.

Prices as to size and color, for prime skins. Skins taken out of season range much lower:

Badger . . . . .	\$ .05	\$ .50
Bear, black . . . . .	5.00	25.00
Bear, brown . . . . .	4.00	20.00
Bear, yearlings . . . . .	2.00	8.00
Bear, grizzly . . . . .	5.00	16.00
Beaver, large . . . . .	5.00	6.50
" medium . . . . .	3.00	4.00
" small . . . . .	1.50	2.25
" cubs . . . . .	.50	1.00
" castors, per lb . . . . .	2.50	5.50
Fisher, dark . . . . .	6.00	9.00
Fisher, pale . . . . .	3.00	5.00
Fox, cross dark, large . . . . .	5.00	15.00
" cross pale . . . . .	2.50	5.00
" kitt . . . . .	.10	.50
" red . . . . .	1.00	1.60
" silver dark . . . . .	40.00	75.00
" peale . . . . .	25.00	60.00
Lynx, large . . . . .	1.50	2.00
" medium . . . . .	1.00	1.25
" small . . . . .	.50	.75
Marten, dark . . . . .	2.50	5.00
" pale or brown . . . . .	1.50	4.00
" light pale . . . . .	1.00	2.25
Mink, dark . . . . .	1.00	1.50
Mink, pale . . . . .	.75	1.25
Musquash, winter . . . . .	.04	.10
" fall . . . . .	.04	.07
Otter, dark . . . . .	6.00	10.00
Otter, pale . . . . .	5.00	8.00
Skunk . . . . .	.25	.50
Wolf, timber . . . . .	1.00	1.50
" prairie . . . . .	.40	.75
Wolverine . . . . .	1.00	3.50

## Winnipeg Prices a Year Ago.

Following were Winnipeg prices this week last year:

Wheat—No. 1 hard, afloat Fort William, 72@72½c.

Flour—Local price per sack: Patent, \$2.05@2.10; Bakers, \$1.85@1.90.

Bran—Per ton, \$6.

Shorts—Per ton, \$8.

Oats—Per bushel, car lots on track, Winnipeg, 18@24c.

Barley—Feed, 20 @ 23c; Malting, 25@28c per bushel.

Flax Seed—Price to farmers at country points, 45@50c per bushel.

Butter—Dairy, dealers' price, 16@18c.

Cheese—Dealers selling at 9½@10c.

Eggs—Fresh selling at 17@18c.

Beef—City dressed, fresh, 5½ @ 6c; country beef, 3@4½c.

Mutton—Frozen 7@8c.

Hogs—Dressed, 4½c in round lots.

Cattle—Butchers nominal 2½@3½c.

Hogs—Live, off cars, 4c for best bacon.

Sheep—Nominal at 3½@4c.

Hides—Green frozen, 6½@7c.

Seneca Root—Dry, 19@20c.

Poultry—Chickens, 6@7c per pound; turkeys, 9@10c per lb.

Potatoes—30@35c per bushel.

Hay—\$5.00 for baled on track.

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