

# CHICAGO MARKET.

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WHEAT LOWER EVERYWHERE IN OPENING TO-DAY — THE MARKET STRENGTHENED SLIGHTLY LATER — PROVISIONS WERE UNCHANGED

Chicago, Nov. 27.

Wheat openings this morning were lower everywhere. Liverpool at 5-8½ for Dec, 5-9½ for March, 5-10½ for May, was ½d lower total decline ½d in the past fortnight.

New York at 70½ for Dec., 74½ for March and 74½ for May was ¾c lower.

Chicago at 65½ for Dec. was ½ lower than previous close, and at 60½ for May was ½ lower.

Corn and oats at Chicago were each ¾c lower in all options. The tendency of the grain market was slightly upward in early sales.

Provisions also seemed to gather vigor with each succeeding sale, but the openings were identical practically with the closing of Friday's market. Prices at Chicago have suffered an almost uninterrupted decline for two months. There are many circumstances which possibly in the future may elevate the price standard and promote a better condition of speculation. So far as the present goes they seem to be powerless. Strong French cables good sized clearances, reports of moderate enquiry and predictions of small increases for the week in western wheat stocks go apparently for nothing. For six months the parallel is almost complete between this year and 1895, when the price advance movement was delayed till the following January. Probabilities are that good crops will be had over all the world except India and that the Southern Hemisphere will push forward into even greater prominence as a caterer for the European markets.

Wheat in sight and on passage.			
Vis'd on s'p- 1899.	1899.	1898.	
ply U.S. Nov. 27,	Nov. 20,	Nov. 28,	
& Ca'da. 55,836,000	54,000,000	23,369,000	
On pass.			
to U.K. 14,000,000	15,120,000	14,160,000	
On pass. to			
Cont'ent. 10,106,000	10,720,000	10,200,000	
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>80,796,000</b>	<b>79,840,000</b>	<b>47,769,000</b>

The total amount of wheat in sight and on passage shows an increase of 956,000 bushels compared with a week ago, and an increase of 33,027,000 compared with a year ago.

The amount of wheat on passage to the United Kingdom shows a decrease of 320,000 bushels compared with a week ago, and an increase of 640,000 compared with a year ago.

The amount of wheat on passage to the Continent shows a decrease of 560,000 bushels compared with a week ago, and a decrease of 80,000 compared with a year ago.

## VISIBLE SUPPLY OF GRAIN U. S. AND CANADA.

	Nov. 27,	Nov. 20,	Nov. 28,
	1899.	1899.	1898.
Wheat	55,836,000	54,000,000	23,369,000
Corn..	11,572,000	11,057,000	22,263,000
Oats...	5,917,000	6,125,000	5,586,000
Barley	3,556,000	1,362,000	3,892,000

	On last week.	On last year.
Wheat inc.....	1,836,000	Inc....32,467,000
Corn inc.....	515,000	Dec...10,690,000
Oats dec.....	208,000	Inc.... 331,000
Barley inc.....	2,194,000	Dec.... 342,000

	FADING PRICES NOV. 20 TO NOV. 24.					TO-DAY'S PRICES.			
	20	21	22	23	24	Openng.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing
Wheat—									
Dec.....	07 A	07½ B	06½-07	00½-1	05½-66	05½	05½	05½	65½-1A
Jan.....									
May.....	71½ B	71½ B	71½ A	70½ B	70½-1	69½	70½	69½	69½-70
Corn—									
Dec.....	32½-1	32½-1	32½-1	32½ B	31½-1	31½	31½	31½	31½ B
Jan.....	31½-1	31½ B	31½	31½ A	31½ A	31	31	30½-1	30½-1 B
May.....	33 B	33½ A	33½ B	33½ A	32½-33	33½	32½	32½	32½ B
Oats—									
Dec.....	2½-1	23½	23½-1	22½-23	22½	22½	22½-1	22½-1	22½-1 B
Jan.....									
May.....	24½-1	24½	24½	24½ A	24 A	24½	23½	23½	23½ B
Pork—									
Dec.....	8 02	8 10	8 05 A	8 05 B	8 05 B	8 05	8 07-10	8 02	8 05
Jan.....	9 47	9 52 A	9 50 B	9 50	9 50-12	9 47	9 52	9 47	9 50 B
May.....	9 57	9 05 A	9 02 A	9 00-02	9 00-01	9 60	9 05	9 67	9 60-62
Lard—									
Dec.....	4 87 A	4 90	4 87 B	4 90	4 90 B	4 90	4 92-5	4 90	4 92
Jan.....	5 10	5 12	5 10 B	5 12	5 12 B	5 12	5 15	5 12	5 12-15
May.....	5 27-30	5 30-32	5 27-30	5 30	5 32	5 20	5 32-5	5 30	5 32
Strips—									
Dec.....	4 85	5 10	4 85		4 87 B				4 87 B
Jan.....	4 95	4 85-87	4 92-95	4 95	4 95	4 95	4 97	4 95	4 95 B
May.....	5 07-10	4 97	5 07-10	5 10	5 10 B	5 07-10	5 12	5 07-10	5 10 B

Puts and Calls for Nov. 28— Puts, Dec. Wheat 65½  
 Calls " " 86½  
 Puts, May Corn 32½  
 Calls, " " 32½-1  
 Ourb Dec. Wheat 65½ B

## TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES.

STOCKS.	Shares.	Par Value	CAPITAL.		Rest as per Last Statement.	Div. per cent.	Last half year.	Buyers
			Paid up.					
<b>MISCELLANEOUS.</b>								
British America.....	50	\$	750,000	\$	*70,381	3½	125½	
Western Assurance.....	40		1,000,000		†296,743	5	165	
Canada Life.....	400		125,000			10	535	
Confederation Life Association.....	100		100,000			7½	277½	
Imperial Life Assurance Co.....	100		450,000		47,821		148	
Consumers' Gas.....	50		1,700,000			2¼qr	227½	
Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land Co.....	40		400,000				59	
Victoria Rolling Stock Co.....	5000		60,000		60,000	10		
Toronto Electric Light Co., Old.....	100		1,400,000			13	137½	
" " " " New.....			240,000			13	136½	
Canadian General Electric Co.....	100		800,000		40,000	4	178	
" " " " 20 p.c.....	100		300,000			3	106½	
Hamilton Electric Light.....	100		250,000		60,000	1	80	
<b>LOAN and SAVINGS CO.</b>								
British Canadian Ln & Invest. Co.....	100		398,481		120,000	3		
Building and Loan Association.....	25		750,000		100,000	1	30	
Can. Landed & Nat'l. Inv't. Co.....	100		1,004,000		350,000	3		
Canada Permanent Ln. & Sav. Co.....			2,000,000				125	
" " " " 20 per cent.....	50		600,000		1,200,000	3	118	
Canadian Savings & Loan Co.....	50		734,175		220,000	3	115	
Central Canada Ln. & Sav's Co.....			875,000				134	
" " " " 20 per cent.....	100		325,000		380,000	1¼qr		
Dominion Savings and Invest. Soc.....	50		930,627		10,000	2½	75½	
Freehold " " " " 20 per cent.....	100		476,100		300,000	3		
" " " " " " " " 20 per cent.....			843,000				75	
Hamilton Provident & Inv't Soc.....	100		1,100,000		300,000	3	112	
Huron & Erie Ln. & Savings Co.....	50		1,000,000		750,000	4½	180	
" " " " " " " " 20 per cent.....			400,000			4½	170	
Imperial Loan & Inv't Co.....	100		725,153		160,000	3	80	
Landed Banking & Loan Co.....	100		700,000		160,000	3	112	
London & Can. Ln. & Agency Co.....	50		700,000		210,000	1¼qr	64	
London Loan Co.....	50		631,500		93,000	3	107	
London & Ontario Investment.....	100		550,000		100,000	3	85	
Manitoba & North-West Loan Co.....	100		375,000		50,000	3½	45	
North of Scotland Can. Mortg. Co.....	£10		730,000		418,533	5		
Ontario Loan & Debenture Co.....	50		1,200,000		490,000	3½	122	
Peoples Loan & D. Co.....	50		598,426		40,000		25	
Real Estate Loan Co.....	40		373,720		50,000	2	64	
Toronto Savings & Loan.....	100		600,000		105,000	3	126	
Union Loan & Savings Co.....	50		699,020		200,000	1	36	
Western Canada " " " " " " " " 25 per cent.....	50		1,000,000		770,000	3	108	
" " " " " " " " " " " " " " 25 per cent.....			500,000			3	93	

\* After deducting \$511.92 for reinsurance. † After deducting \$782,049 for reinsurance. This List is compiled from the fortnightly circular issued by the Secretary Toronto Stock Exchange.