

## Statistical Wheat Report.

## WHEAT IN CANADA.

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

Montreal	141,000
Toronto	108,000
Kingston	50,000
Coteau Que.	109,000
Depot Harbor, Ont.	162,000
Prescott, Ont.	195,000
Winnipeg	4,875,000
Manitoba elevators	2,287,000
Fort William, Port Arthur and Keewatin	7,325,000

Total Oct. 21 ... 7,325,000  
Total a year ago ... 2,683,000

## BRADSTREET'S REPORT OF STOCKS.

Total stocks in the United States and Canada, as reported by Bradstreet's on Oct. 21 were 72,498,000 bushels.

Total stocks in the United States and Canada a year ago were 29,487,000 bushels, according to Bradstreet's report.

Pacific coast wheat stocks on October 1 were 8,859,000 bushels, compared with 4,671,000 bushels a year ago; 4,281,000 bushels two years ago; 5,454,000 bushels three years ago; and 9,700,000 bushels four years 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 Oct. 28 was 49,635,000 bushels, being an increase of 1,020,000 bushels for the week. A year ago the visible supply was 15,473,000 bushels, two years ago 26,969,000 bushels, three years ago 58,680,000 bushels, and four years ago 52,990,060 bushels.

## STOCKS OF OATS AND CORN.

The visible supply of oats in the United States and Canada, east of the Rocky Mountains is 6,013,000 bushels, compared with 6,373,000 bushels a year ago. The visible supply of corn is 13,716,000 bushels, compared with 24,374,000 bushels a year ago, according to the Chicago statement.

## WORLD'S WHEAT STOCKS.

Stocks of wheat in America and Europe and afloat for Europe Oct. 1 in each year, for a series of years, were as follows—Bradstreet's report:

	Bushels.
1890	185,698,000
1898	21,949,330
1897	26,053,000
1896	127,909,000
1895	158,838,000

## 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 movement, Aug. 1, 1899, to date compared with the same period of last year:

	This crop.	Last crop.
Minneapolis	26,009,990	21,949,330
Milwaukee	3,483,272	3,852,735
Duluth	21,374,909	27,922,465
Chicago	10,204,220	12,674,186

Total ... 59,069,391 66,399,016

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, 1899, to date, compared with the same period of last year:

	This crop.	Last crop.
Toledo	9,412,588	8,340,753
St. Louis	5,931,457	7,409,567
Detroit	2,484,043	2,457,740
Kansas City	8,522,150	13,902,980

Total ... 26,350,278 32,111,840

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## Winnipeg Grain Inspection.

Returns for the week ending October 21 report 1,335 cars of grain inspected, which graded as follows: 1 hard, 1,078; 2 hard, 120; 3 hard, 81; 1 northern, 29; 2 northern, 0; 1 spring, 1; 1 frosted, 6; 2 frosted, 5; 3 frosted, 3; No. 1 rejected, 23; 2 rejected, 0; no grade, 2 cars. Oats, No. 1 white, 0; 2 white, 16 cars; 1 mixed, 7 cars. Flax seed No. 1, 4 cars; No. 2, 4 cars.

For the week ended October 28 there were 1,333 cars of grain inspected, grading as follows:

Wheat—1 hard, 1,047; 2 hard, 144; 1 northern, 18; 2 northern, 1; 3 hard, 44; 1 frosted, 7; 2 frosted, 2; 1 rejected, 28; 2 rejected, 8; no grade, 2; 1 white type, 1 car.

Oats—1 white, 3; white, 13; feed, 3; mixed, 5 cars.

Barley—No. 3, 1; feed, 1 car.

Flax seed—No. 1, 4; No. 2, 1 car.

Following shows the quantity of grain inspected at Winnipeg—including exports via Emerson—for the two months of September and October, 1899. Wheat—Hard, 8,342 cars, 2 hard 1,295, 1 northern 307, 2 northern 25, 1 spring 11, 3 hard 250, 1 frosted 33, 2 frosted 24, 8 frosted 8, 1 rejected 191, 2 rejected 35, no grade 62. Total wheat, 10,583 cars.

Oats—1 white 27, 2 white 96, mixed and feed 23. Total oats, 146 cars.

Barley. Total, 14 cars.

Flax. Total, 14 cars.

Grand total of all grains, 10,787 cars.

The above returns show that the large quantity of 8,784,000 bushels of wheat of this crop have already been inspected en route eastward, averaging the cars at 830 bushels each, which is the average capacity. The oats at 1,200 bushels per car would amount to 175,200 bushels; barley, 614,000 bushels; flax, 49,000 bushels, or a grand total of over 9,000,000 bushels.

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