

Statistical Wheat Reports.

WHEAT IN CANADA

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

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| Montreal | 114,000 |
| Toronto | 22,000 |
| Kingston | 13,000 |
| Winnipeg | 90,000 |
| Manitoba elevators | 540,000 |
| Fort William, Port Arthur and Keewatin | 587,000 |
| Total July 2 | 1,366,000 |

BRADSTREET'S REPORT OF STOCKS.

Total stocks in the United States and Canada, east of the Rocky Mountains as reported by Bradstreet's on July 2, were 18,069,000 bushels.

Total stocks in the United States and Canada a year ago were 25,730,000 bushels, according to Bradstreet's report.

Pacific coast wheat stocks on July 1 were 2,035,000 bushels, compared with 1,112,000 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 July 9, was 12,516,000 bushels, being a decrease of 2,185,000 bushels for the week. A year ago the visible supply was 16,609,000 bushels, two years ago 47,220,000 bushels, three years ago 41,237,000 bushels.

WHEAT STOCKS AT U.S. POINTS.

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|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Chicago | 470,000 bushels |
| Duluth | 2,623,000 " |
| Minneapolis | 5,763,000 " |
| New York | 2,131,000 " |
| Buffalo | 507,000 " |

STOCK OF OATS AND CORN.

The visible supply of oats in the United States and Canada, east of the Rocky Mountains is 5,940,000 bushels, compared with 6,949,000 bushels a year ago. The visible supply of corn is 22,855,000 bushels, compared with 15,425,000 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 July 1, for a series of years, were as follows, Bradstreet's report: July 1, 1898, 79,600,000; July 1, 1897, 78,500,000; July 1, 1896, 124,681,000; July 1, 1895, 148,517,000.

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 | 72,201,910 | 61,679,130 |
| Milwaukee | 9,398,553 | 8,251,062 |
| Duluth | 42,415,881 | 45,772,305 |
| Chicago | 36,907,428 | 15,219,715 |

Total 160,983,772 130,922,212

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:

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|-----------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Toledo | 43,893 | 26,146 |
| St. Louis | 294,000 | 252,804 |
| Detroit | 16,332 | 28,256 |
| Kansas City | 146,200 | 157,800 |
| Total | 500,425 | 465,006 |

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 | .09 |
| " spring | .07 | .10 |
| Otter, dark | 6.00 | 10.00 |
| Otter, pale | 5.00 | 8.00 |
| Skuuk | .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, in store Fort William, 76c; No. 2 hard, 73c.
Flour—Local price per sack: Patent, \$1.95; Bakers, \$1.75.

Bran—Per ton, \$8.
Shorts—Per ton, \$10.

Oats—Per bushel, car lots on track, Winnipeg, 23@25c.

Barley—Feed, 23@24c per bushel.

Butter—Dairy, Shippers buying at 10 @ 11c, and 15c paid for creamery at the factory.

Cheese—6 1/2c paid to factories.

Eggs—Buyers paying 10c net.

Beef—City dressed, fresh, 5 1/2 @ 6 1/2c.

Mutton—5 1/2 @ 7c.

Hogs—Dressed, 5 1/2 @ 6c.

Cattle—Butchers, grassers 2 1/2 @ 3c.; Selected 3 1/2c.

Hogs—Live, off cars, 4 1/2 @ 4 3/4c for best bacon.

Sheep—3 @ 3 1/2c off cars here.

Hides—No. 1 green, 6 1/2 @ 7c.

Wool, 8 @ 9 1/2c.

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