

## THE MARKET REPORT.

Edwards-Wood & Co. report: Wheat opened with a considerable show of strength, on the rainy weather in the southwest, light receipts at primary receipt points, and accumulated buying orders. The bulge carried prices up a half cent and these were met by some solid selling, by operators who have long convinced that American surplus at this level will prove entirely too great for the demand that is likely to be exerted. Winnipeg received 202 cars today against nine last year, and other northwest receipts were in proportion. Kansas City and St. Louis expected a big run, but the serious washout along the various southwestern grain carrying roads stalled miles of freight cars and cut down the total receipts away below expectations. Chicago, of course, only got a few cars, mostly re-shipped stuff. While the total receipts were not far from normal, they were not so great as the trade expected, and the early strength in the market was the result. Close was a shade over last night, and the market was steady. More or less rain is predicted for the northwest over Sunday and as a result the receipts may not reach very large figures Monday. It is fortunate at this time that the full amount of northwestern wheat cannot be shipped because prices would be likely to break too sharply in case of a real flood of wheat should be dumped into the pits. As it is, the holding back of the surplus shipments on account of the rain will have the effect of making receipts at markets very much more steady later in the season.

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MINNEAPOLIS, SEPT. 16.	
Sept.	81 1/4
Dec.	82 1/2
May.	85 1/4
Cash.	
1 Hard.	85
1 Northern.	84
2 Northern.	81
3 Northern.	78

1 Northern arrived, new.	83 1/4
2 Northern arrived, new.	80 1/4
1 Durum.	87 1/4
2 Durum.	85 1/4
1 Hard.	1.00 1/4
To arrive.	1.00 1/4
Sept. old.	82 1/4
Sept. new.	79 1/4
Dec.	78
May.	81 1/4
1 Hard.	83 1/4
1 Northern, new.	83 1/4
2 Northern, new.	80 1/4
1 Durum, new.	89 1/4
2 Durum, new.	86 1/4
Cash.	
To arrive.	1.00 1/4
Sept.	1.00 1/4
Dec.	1.00
May.	84 1/4
Sept.	84 1/4
Oct.	14.85
Jan.	12.37

LOCAL MARKETS.	
1 Northern, new.	76
2 Northern, new.	73
1 Northern, new.	70
2 Northern, new.	69 1/4
Rejected.	68 1/4
Flax.	1.00

### WHEAT

The undertone of strength which has been noted in the wheat market has led many otherwise well informed persons to reach apparently false conclusions with regard to the course of the market. The fact that bull operators have emphasized the importance of disappointing yields in certain small localities, is given a fictitious value by many country traders.

On the basis of the latest Government crop estimate, our former figures of an exportable surplus from the United States of at least 200 million bushels is supported and verified. When this fact is taken into consideration in connection with the big Canadian yield and fair crops abroad, it will be seen that a tremendous supply of American wheat must be marketed at the world's level.

The best informed section of the trade believes that it will be difficult to maintain prices even at their present level when the new crop really begins to move to market. The foreigners watch our news very closely and naturally enough are disposed to reduce bids when big supplies are available.

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A handsome painting of John G. Carlisle has been received by the Kentucky Historical Society and placed in the historical rooms at Frankfort alongside of pictures of the former governors and distinguished Kentuckians. The painting is life size. It was painted in 1893, while Mr. Carlisle was secretary of the treasury, by H. Hulke.

### SEVEN LIVES LOST IN FUSE FACTORY

Avon, Conn., Sept. 16.—An explosion of a fuse followed by fire in the building of the Climax Fuse Co., here yesterday afternoon caused a panic among the twenty employees in the building and resulted in the death of seven and injury that doubtless will prove fatal to several others. There was no way of coping with the flames which soon spread rapidly and in less than an hour after the explosion occurred those who were unable to escape were in the clutches of the fire that eventually burned their bodies to ashes. As the day wore on the great crowd that collected in the hamlet saw the bodies of men and women roasting in the fire and were powerless to check the flames.

The exact cause of the accident which caused the loss of seven lives may never be known, but it is the accepted theory here that in the effort to burn out the stoppage in one of the machines a workman caused an explosion, with the hot iron he held in his hands. Those who were in the room where the explosion occurred say that the explosion was not severe and ordinarily would not have caused a panic. Inflammable material, however, was set on fire and in a few minutes the room was a mass of flames. In an instant there was a mad rush for doors and windows and during the scramble many were pushed back into the building while others were severely burned.

There was only sixty hands at work in the entire plant. It was stated tonight that some of the dead may have been overcome by smoke before they had a chance to flee and that it is improbable that any one of the seven victims lost his life by the force of the explosion.

The scene at the fire was heart-rending. Friends and relatives of the missing were almost frantic with grief when it became known that the bodies of those close to them were being burned to a crisp in the ruins of the factory. As there is no fire department in the town it was utterly useless to cope with the flames with buckets. As one of the walls of the second largest building fell several bodies could be seen entangled in the mass of masonry in the basement and in a short time they, too, were reduced to ashes. Early in the evening the body of a woman was seen near the edge of the fire and an effort was made to pull it away from the flames, but on account of the great heat this was impossible. The loss on the four buildings burned is estimated to be \$100,000.

### ENGLEWOOD DOG SHOW.

Englewood, N. J., Sept. 16.—The second annual bench show of the Englewood Kennel Club opened here today. The number of entries is far

greater than last year and the quality of the dogs exhibited is also superior to that of last year. A specialty has been made this year of bulldogs and Boston terriers. The attendance at the armory, where the show is held, was exceedingly large.

### ADJUDGED INSANE.

Grand Forks, N. D., Sept. 16.—George Reineke was adjudged insane at Rugby and committed to the Jamestown asylum. Reineke is the man who was brought to the Deaconess Hospital from Rugby for treatment. Two hours later he disappeared, and it was several weeks before he was located near Crookston. He had left the hospital while his mind was in an unbalanced state, and his trouble has grown worse since his return to Rugby.

### FOSSIL FOR CHICAGO.

Lander, Wyo., Sept. 16.—The first installment of the fossil bones of a gigantic dinosaur, which Professor Williston, of the University of Chicago, unearthed about six miles from here, has been sent to Chicago today. The enormous bones have been carefully collected and boxed and will be put together at their destination, to form part of the paleontological exhibit of the Field Museum. The rest of the skeleton will be shipped in a few days. Professor Williston is continuing his explorations and hopes to be able to make another important find before he has to return to Chicago to resume his duties at the university.

### CANADIAN CONTESTS.

Montreal, Que., Sept. 16.—Athletes from all parts of Canada, the United States and even a few from England are taking part in the athletic meet for the annual championships under the auspices of the Canadian Amateur Athletic Union. A large crowd congregated on the grounds of the M. A. A. A. this morning to witness the various track and field events. The entries were unusually numerous and included some of the best sprinters, endurance runners, vaulters and other athletes of Canada and the United States.

The New York Athletic Club is well represented, far better than last year. The Canadian meeting was originally set for Sept. 23, but was advanced one week, when it was discovered that that was the day for which the athletic meet of the New York Athletic Club was set. Among the entries for the athletic events are Morrow, Molson, Lukeman, Palmer, Stanley, Arthur Smith, Peter Deer, Desmatteau and McBride.

The programme will include a 100 yard run; a 220 yard run, 440 yard run, 880 yard run, one mile run, one mile relay race, two mile run, 120 yard hurdle race, running high jump, running broad jump, throwing 56 pound weight, throwing 16-pound hammer, putting 16-pound shot and throwing the discus.

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### CHICAGO WOMAN WAS DESERTED BY HER SIXTH

Chicago, Sept. 16.—Though she had no complaint to make, Mrs. William Cleve Hodges, who was married last Saturday in the private office of Justice Wolff, went to detective headquarters yesterday afternoon and informed Secretary William Luthart that her husband had deserted her two days after the marriage ceremony was performed.

As a result the Chicago police have sent a letter to the police at Michigan City, Ind., asking them to send information here in regard to Hodges, who is believed to be there.

According to the story of Mrs. Hodges, who was formerly Laura Perkins, 3913 Fifth Avenue, she first learned of her husband through a matrimonial bureau. Several letters which she received from Hodges were postmarked "Michigan City, Ind." Last Saturday Hodges arrived in Chicago and late in the afternoon Hodges and Mrs. Perkins appeared in Justice Wolff's private office and there the marriage ceremony was performed.

While Justice Wolff was listening yesterday afternoon to the arguments of attorneys in a lawsuit Mrs. Hodges walked into court. For several minutes she waited patiently for Justice Wolff to notice her. Finally she was rewarded when the magistrate beckoned to her.

"What is the trouble?" he questioned. "Oh, nothing. I just thought I would

stop and tell you that he had gone," answered Mrs. Hodges as she looked about the courtroom with evident interest. "He left Monday night and I haven't seen him since." But never mind, this is the sixth time that I have been married," she continued when Justice Wolff inquired for further particulars.

### GENERAL SHOOTING.

Chicago, Sept. 16.—Grant Edwards after having slain his wife and fired a shot into his own head was shot twice more through the head by his wife's brother with the same revolver that had been used by Edwards. None of the bullets received by Edwards will result fatally. Edwards and his wife had quarrelled and separated. The woman's refusal to be reconciled was Edward's motive.

### FEVER FUND.

New Orleans, La., Sept. 16.—Many thousands of tickets have been sold for the baseball game between the Parker-Blake baseball club and the Glycozone baseball club which will be played this afternoon at the ball park. The proceeds of the game are to go to the yellow fever fund. The game had been arranged between the managers of the two clubs and the proposition to play the game for the benefit of the yellow fever fund submitted to the mayor, who approved of the plan. The merchants and the public in general willingly supported the plan and a handsome sum will be realized from the sale of tickets.

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