

### CHICAGO MARKET.

CASH WHEAT CLOSES AT 68c,  
A DECLINE OF 1 1/4.

OTHER OPTIONS LOSE 3/4 OF  
A CENT.

PROVISIONS STRONG.

Chicago, August 10, 1898.

Some parcels of wheat were thrown on the market and have caused a decline. The "Government Monthly Report" is due this afternoon and very good conditions for spring wheat crop are anticipated.

Cash wheat which closed strong yesterday at 70 1/2c finishes off to-day at 68c.

Sept. and Dec. options travelled pretty much together, but as the former was the more active its range was slightly wider than that of Dec. They both close about 3/4 of a cent down.

Corn, business in which was light, only varied 3/8c to 1/4c in price, the closing being 1/4c under yesterday's.

Provisions have had a little boom all to themselves and on limited transactions advanced, for Pork 32c per bbl., and for Lard 12 1/2c per 100 lbs. Pork closes at its best price for the day, whilst Lard sold at 5c over its close near end of session.

### CHICAGO.

|                       |        |
|-----------------------|--------|
| Weather—66 South.     |        |
| Curb Wheat Sept ..... | 66 1/2 |
| CARS RECEIVED—        |        |
| Winter wheat .....    | 94     |
| Spring " .....        | 17     |
| Corn .....            | 303    |
| Oats .....            | 217    |
| Rye .....             | 24     |
| Barley .....          | 8      |

### STOCK YARDS—HOGS.

|   |                  |
|---|------------------|
| Est'd rec'ts .....                        | 24,000           |
| Offic'l yest. y .....                     | 12,556           |
| Shipped .....                             | 4,376            |
| Left over .....                           | 5,026            |
| Est. to-morrow .....                      | 27,000           |
| Rec'ts for week .....                     |                  |
| Shipped .....                             |                  |
| Market slow, steady opening prices light. |                  |
| Light mxd .....                           | \$3 55 to \$3 90 |
| Mxd pack'g .....                          | \$3 60 to \$3 95 |
| Heavy shpg .....                          | \$3 55 to \$3 97 |
| Rough .....                               | \$3 55 to \$3 65 |
| Receipts of Pork .....                    | 100              |
| Shipments .....                           | 1,112 bbls.      |
| Receipts Lard .....                       | 201,450 lbs.     |
| Shipments .....                           | 1,678,993 "      |
| Receipts Cut Meats .....                  | 835,756 "        |
| Shipments .....                           | 3,285,367 "      |

### STREET RAILWAY EARNINGS

#### MONTREAL STREET RAILWAY.

|                                |             |
|--------------------------------|-------------|
| For month of July, 1898 ..Inc. | \$15,387.15 |
| Aug. 1, Increase .....         | \$363.90    |
| " 2, " .....                   | 787.36      |
| " 3, " .....                   | 780.72      |
| " 4, " .....                   | 291.69      |
| " 5, " .....                   | 439.64      |
| " 6, " .....                   | 530.49      |
| " 7, " .....                   | 309.65      |
| " 8, " .....                   | 705.02      |
| Aug. 9, 1898 .....             | \$4,557.10  |
| Same day, 1897 .....           | 3,762.20    |
| Increase .....                 | \$ 794.90   |

#### TORONTO STREET RAILWAY.

|                               |              |
|-------------------------------|--------------|
| For month of July, 1898 ..... | \$103,892.93 |
| Aug. 1, Decrease .....        | \$549.09     |
| " 2, Increase .....           | \$356.50     |
| " 3, " .....                  | \$200.64     |

### MONTREAL STOCK MARKET.

(Continued from page 1.)

#### SALES TO-DAY.

|  |
|--|
| Canadian Pacific.—250 at 83, 5 at 83 1/2, 125 at 83 1/2.   |
| Toronto Railway.—25 at 99 1/4, 55 at 100 1/2, 5 at 100, 125 at 100 1/2, 100 at 100 1/2, 10 at 100 1/2.               |
| Bell Telephone Rights.—1/2 at 71, 1/4 at 71, 1/2 at 71, 1/4 at 71, 2 1/2 at 70, 1 1/2 at 70, 10 at 70, 10 at 69 1/2. |
| Hochelaga Bank.—4 at 165, 1/2 at 165.  |
| Molsons Bank.—2 at 200.  |
| Montreal Street Ry.—250 at 275.  |
| Dominion Coal pfd.—5 at 111.   |
| " " common.—25 at 23.  |
| Dominion Cotton.—10 at 96 1/2.   |
| War Eagle.—16000 at 265.   |

### EUROPEAN MARKETS.

London (opening).

Wheat, off coast, less active.  
" on passage, buyers and sellers apart, 2  
" Red Winter stmr. pss'ge 38s 3d.  
English country markets steady.  
Maize, off coast, nearly due.  
" on passage rather firm.  
Mxd Am'n sail grade Stmr Aug. 16s 3d.  
La Plata yellow, pss'ge 16s 3d Am'n.  
Oats, Aug. 14 parcel old.

London (closing.)

Wheat, arrived, 2  
" waiting orders, 6.  
Wheat, off coast, steadier, 6d higher.  
" on passage, very little doing.  
" No 1 Cal. arr'd 31s  
" Walla arr'd 30  
Maize, off coast, nothing doing.  
" on passage, quiet steady.  
" spot Dan. 17s 3d  
" Am'n, 16s  
Minneapolis flour, 39s 8d.  
Mark Lane Eng. wheat poor demand.  
Mark Lane forg'n, wheat dull.  
Maize, Am'n, quiet.  
" Dan. quiet steady.  
Flour, Am'n easy.  
" English dull  
Spot wheat firm  
No. 1 Cal. 18 1/2, R. W. 18 1/2.

Paris, Aug. 10.

Wheat, Aug. 21.35.  
" Nov-Feb. 20.60.  
Flour, Aug. 49.50  
" Nov-Feb. 44.10  
French country markets, quiet.

Paris, Aug. 10.

Wheat, tone firm.  
" Aug. 21.60  
" Nov-Feb 20-85  
Flour, tone strong  
" Aug. 50.50  
" Nov-Feb 44.50  
Weather in France, fine

### LIVERPOOL GRAIN MARKET.

August 10, 1898.

|                           |          |           |          |
|---------------------------|----------|-----------|----------|
| Spot wheat steady.        |          |           |          |
| Spot maize firm.          |          |           |          |
|                           | Last     | (TODAY'S) |          |
|                           | Close.   | Opp.      | Close.   |
|                           | s. d.    | s. d.     | s. d.    |
| Wheat—                    |          |           |          |
| No. 1 Califa .....        | 6 7      | 6 8       | 6 10     |
| " 2 R. W. per entl .....  | 6 4      | 6 6       | 6 6      |
| " 1 Nor. Spg .....        | 6 9      | 6 7       | 6 7      |
| Sept .....                | 5 9 1/2  | 5 11 1/2  | 5 10 1/2 |
| Dec .....                 | 5 5      | 5 6 1/2   | 5 5 1/2  |
| Corn .....                | 3 3      | 3 3 1/2   |          |
| Peas .....                | 4 11 1/2 | 5 0       |          |
| Pork .....                | 51 3     | 51 3      |          |
| Lard .....                | 26 9     | 26 6      | 26 6     |
| Maize—                    |          |           |          |
| Mxd. Am .....             | 3 3 1/2  | 3 3 1/2   | 3 3 1/2  |
| Sept .....                | 3 3 1/2  | 3 3 1/2   | 3 3 1/2  |
| Oct .....                 | 3 4 1/2  | 3 4 1/2   | 3 4 1/2  |
| Flour—                    |          |           |          |
| Min 1st Bkrs p sack ..... | 23 6     | 23 6      | 23 6     |
| Bacon—                    |          |           |          |
| Long cuts hvy .....       | 30 0     | 30 0      | 30 0     |
| " light .....             | 29 6     | 29 6      | 29 6     |
| Short cuts hvy .....      | 29 0     | 29 0      | 29 0     |
| " light .....             | 29 0     | 29 0      | 29 0     |
| Cheese—                   |          |           |          |
| White .....               | 37 0     | 37 0      | 37 0     |
| Col'd .....               | 37 0     | 37 0      | 37 0     |

### MINING.

The success of many of the Canadian mines has created with the investing public a confidence in the honestly worked properties of this description.

That many Canadian companies have robbed the confiding investor in the last three years is no reason for doubting the richness of the returns from the well and energetically conducted properties in the country. Our readers are cautioned against mining ventures of which no one knows anything.

Flaring advertisements appear in a morning paper setting forth the richness of Cripple Creek properties. That the companies in that district are necessarily under American mining law is, to begin with, against them. The first care of the B. A. A. in acquiring a property is to place it under Canadian laws. Amongst others, such mines as the Virginia, Monte Christo, Deepark, Gertrude and War Eagle have changed their charters from American to Canadian register.

A few years ago some Colorado gentlemen of more enterprise than honesty sold broadcast over Canada such stocks as Gold Rock, May Mazepa, and a host of others, which paid liberal dividends so long as dupes were found to furnish them with money.

Little Rule was recommended by a party known in Canada, but investigation proved the mine (?) to have been composed of a quantity of boulders with a few dollars worth of labor thrown in.

Before trusting your spare money to strangers, ascertain how much cash they and their friends have embarked in the enterprise.

### MONTREAL EXPORTS.

PER S. S. BJORGIN

to  
London — Aug. 3.  
Deals, Boards and Ends—W. & J. Sharples, 118,306 pes.

PER S. S. SALONICA

to  
Glasgow — Aug. 4.  
Corn—Bartlett, Frazier & Co., 34,400 bush.; Wm. Dunn & Co., 17,137 bus.  
Peas—A. G. McBean & Co., 8,325 bush.

Flour—Lake of the Woods Milling Co., 250 sacks; C. P. R., 500 sacks.  
Cheese—W. A. Johnston, 260 boxes; Yost & Co., 197 boxes; Hodgson Bros., 510 boxes; F. Fowler, 629 boxes; C. W. Society, 118 boxes; P. W. McLagan, 184 boxes; G. T. R., 1,029 boxes; C. P. R., 307 boxes.

Butter—G. T. R., 10 boxes.  
Eggs—G. T. R., 911 cases; G. Wait & Co., 100 cases.

Meats—G. T. R., 30 cases.  
Deals, Ends and Boards—W. & J. Sharples 5,842 pes.; E. H. Lemay, 11,808 pes.; J. Burstall & Co., 24,288 pes.; Charlemagne Lumber Co., 7,991 pes.; Robt. Cox & Co., 10,442 pes.; Watson & Todd, 56,415 pes.

Pulp—Canada Paper Co., 5,760 bbls.  
Oak—G. T. R., 482 pes.  
Shooks—Can. Govt R., 998 bbls.  
Cattle—R. Reford & Co., 126 head.  
Horses—R. Reford & Co., 18 head.  
Hay—R. Reford & Co., 14 tons.  
Feed—R. Reford & Co., 7 tons.

PER S.S. CONCORDIA

to  
Glasgow — Aug. 4.  
Corn—A. G. Thomson, 26,175 bush.; A. G. McBean & Co., 25,713 bush.

Flour—Lake of the Woods Milling Co., 750 sacks; G. T. R., 1,200 sacks.  
Asbestos—C. P. R., 300 sacks.  
Deals—J. Burstall & Co., 11,769 pes.; W. & J. Sharples, 7,188 pes.; Charlemagne Lumber Co., 10,688 pes.; Watson & Todd, 2,565 pes; Robt. Reford & Co., 874 pes.

Cattle—Robt. Reford & Co., 222 head.  
Sheep—Robt. Reford & Co., 90 head.  
Hay—Robt. Reford & Co., 23 tons.  
Feed—Robt. Reford & Co., 11 tons.

PER S. S. MONTEREY

to  
Avonmouth — Aug. 6.  
Wheat—H. McLennan, 32,009 bush.  
Corn—A. G. Thomson, 59,999 bush.  
Oats—Melady & McNairn, 18,466 bus.  
Crane & Baird, 18,861 bush.; A. G. McBean & Co., 18,716 bush.; Jas. Scott & Co., 350 bags.

Peas—Melady & McNairn, 12,350 bush.  
Cheese—J. C. & G. D. Warrington, 7,154 boxes; A. W. Grant, 3,039 boxes; D. A. Macpherson, 11,641 boxes; Wm. Niven, 177 boxes; Jas. Alexander, 464 boxes; Hodgson Bros., 1,326 boxes; P. W. McLagan, 283 boxes; F. Fowler, 553 boxes; J. J. Kirkpatrick, 513 boxes; Co-operative Wholesale Society, 185 boxes; A. A. Ayer, 2,834 boxes; F. Fowler, 2,178 boxes; C. P. R., 250 boxes.

Flour—C. A. R., 2,433 sacks; C. P. R., 750 sacks.  
Rice Meal—Mt. Royal Milling Co., 745 sacks.

Butter—Wm. Niven, 243 pkgs.; A. W. Grant, 366 pkgs.; Yost & Co., 359 pkgs.; A. A. Ayer & Co., 588 pkgs.  
Bacon—Laing Packing Co., 29 pkgs.  
Eggs—Wm. Meldrum & Co., 50 cases; G. T. R., 50 cases.

Deals and Ends—Watson & Todd, 12,167 pes.; Dobell, Beckett & Co., 23,287 pes.; J. Burstall & Co., 5,300 pes.

Feed Meal—Jas. Scott & Co., 42 bags.  
Dross—B. & S. H. Thomson, 206 pkgs.

Provisions—G. T. R., 762 pkgs.; C. P. R., 51 pkgs.

Sugar—C. A. R., 968 bags.  
Starch—C. A. R., 270 bags.  
Cattle—Elder, Dempster & Co., 386 head.

Hay—Elder, Dempster & Co., 38 tons.  
Leather Heels—Elder, Dempster & Co., 6 cases.

Feed—Elder, Dempster & Co., 19 tons.

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