

# CHICAGO MARKET.

**SUBSTANTIAL DECREASES CAUSE SATISFACTORY RALLY--PROVISIONS INACTIVE.**

Chicago, May 15.

The market commenced the week with a dull opening. Cables were only just steady at a decline of 1/2, the feeling on the curb was inclined to be bearish. The satisfactory ending to the Buffalo strike exerted an influence antagonistic to those in favor of higher prices.

Wheat can yet arrive in sufficient quantity to let out the local shorts.

During the early hours, however, the market was dull; the trade was anxiously awaiting the Visible Supply, and was inclined to remain idle until the result was known.

The following is the visible supply of grain in New York on the dates mentioned:

	May 15, 1899.	May 8, 1899.	May 16, 1898.
Wheat	26,028,000	27,466,000	21,994,000
Corn	19,180,000	22,065,000	22,460,000
Oats	7,733,000	7,950,000	8,704,000
Barley	1,519,000	1,604,000	582,000

The amount of wheat on passage to the United Kingdom shows an increase of 880,000 bushels compared with a week ago, and an increase of 6,320,000 with a year ago.

The amount of wheat on passage to the Continent shows a decrease of 320,000 bushels compared with a week ago, and a decrease of 6,720,000 with a year ago.

The total amount of wheat in sight shows an increase of 878,000 bushels compared with a week ago, and an increase of 4,634,000 with a year ago.

The wheat in sight, with comprissions, is as follows:

	May 15, 1899.	May 8, 1899.	May 16, 1898.
Vis'bl s'p'y			
U.S. & Can.	26,028,000	27,466,000	21,994,000
On pass. U.K.	27,520,000	28,640,000	21,900,000
On pass. Con't	13,360,000	13,680,000	20,080,000
Total	66,908,000	67,786,000	63,274,000

## CHICAGO VISIBLE SUPPLY.

Wheat Dec.	1,458,000
Corn "	2,905,000
Oats "	206,000

## Answers To Correspondence.

As we have special facilities for obtaining correct information on all matters pertaining to the value of stocks, we shall be pleased at all times to give our subscribers the benefit of same.

All correspondence must be accompanied with the name and address of the writer, as only enquiries from bona fide subscribers will be answered.

J. L., City.—The highest sale of O. P. R. stock recorded, was on May 3, when 25 shares sold at 99 1/2.

## MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

Money on call from Banks to Brokers 5%.

OVER THE COUNTER.	PARIS FRANCS.
Sixties	93 1/2
Demand	91 1/2
Cables	91 1/2
N. Y. Fds.	10 1/2 pm.
DOCUMENTARY.	NEW YORK.
3 days	Call money 4-5 p.c.
60 days	St'g Dm. 4 87 1/2
	Sixties 4 84 1/2

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FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

	CLOSING PRICES MAY 9 TO MAY 13.					TO-DAY'S PRICES.			
	9	10	11	12	13	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Clos'ng.
Wheat—									
May	71 1/2	71 1/2	69	69 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2	69 1/2	68 1/2	69 1/2
July	72 1/2	72	70	70 1/2	70	70 1/2	70 1/2	69 1/2	70 1/2
Sept.	71 1/2	71 1/2	69 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	69 1/2	70 1/2	69 1/2	70 1/2
Corn—									
May	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	33 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
July	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Sept.	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	34 1/2	33 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	33 1/2	34 1/2
Oats—									
May	25 1/2	25 1/2	26	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2	26	26
July	23	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Sept.	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	21 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	21	20 1/2	21
Pork—									
May	8 35	8 25	8 12	8 15	8 25	8 35	8 42	8 32	8 27
July	8 50	8 40	8 27	8 30	8 42	8 50	8 55	8 40	8 40
Sept.	8 65	8 55	8 45	8 45	8 57	8 55	8 55	8 50	8 55
Lard—									
May	4 72	4 90	4 87	4 92	5 00	4 72	4 90	4 87	5 02
July	5 02	4 97	4 97	4 97-5	5 07	5 07	5 12	5 02	5 07 1/2
Sept.	5 15	5 12	5 07	5 12	5 22	5 17	5 22	5 17	5 22
Sht ribs—									
May	4 55	4 52	4 50	4 55	.....	4 55	4 55	4 55	4 65
July	4 65	4 62	4 60	4 65	4 47	4 70	4 82	4 67	4 72
Sept.	4 77	4 75	4 75	4 77-80	4 85	4 82	4 85	4 80	4 85
Puts and Calls for May 16—									
Puts, July Wheat	70 1/2								33 1/2
Calls, " "	71								33 1/2
Puts, July Corn									33 1/2
Calls, " "									33 1/2

## MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.

May 15, 1899.

	Asked.	Bid.
\$2.50 Payne	3.93	3.89
1.00 War Eagle	3.70	3.63
1.00 Republic	1.28 1/2	1.26
1.00 Virtue	.72	.65
.24 Montreal-London	.67	.65 1/2
1.00 Big Three	.24	.23
1.00 Brandon & G'ld'n Crown	.26 1/2	.24
1.00 California	.10	.06 1/2
.10 Canada Gold Fields Syn.	.06	.05
5.00 Cariboo Hydraulic	1.42	1.37
1.00 City of Paris	.....	.64
1.00 Evening Star	.12	.10 1/2
.25 Fern	.50	.20
1.00 Gold Hills Developing	.08	.05
1.00 Iron Colt	.14	.12
1.00 Iron Mask	.71	.62
1.00 Knob Hill	.95	.92
1.00 Monte Christo Con.	12 1/2	.11
.25 Montreal Gold Fields	.21	.20
1.00 Noble Five	.50	.26
.10 Novelty	.05	.03 1/2
1.00 Old Ironsides	1.15	1.09
1.00 Virginia	.25	.15
1.00 Rambler Cariboo	.45	.43
1.00 Bullion	.....	.....
.10 Summit	.05	.03
1.00 St. Elmo	.06 1/2	.02 1/2
1.00 Barley	.18	.14
1.00 Decca	.27 1/2	.26
1.00 Morrison	.17	.17
1.00 Golden Star	.52	.50
1.00 Slocan Sov	.29	.24

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## CRIPPLE CREEK MINING STOCKS

May 13, 1899.

	Bid.	Asked.
Anchoria-Leland	.....	.....
Battle Mt'n	.32	.....
Columb-Victor	.19 1/2	.20
Elkton	.89 1/2	.90 1/2
Gold Coin	.....	2.00
Gold King	.....	.....
Independent T. & M.	.63 1/2	.63 1/2
Isabella	.88 1/2	.89
Jack Pot	.43 1/2	.44 1/2
Matoa	.36 1/2	.37 1/2
Moon Anchor	.....	1.14
Portland	1.97 1/2	1.98
Work	.....	.19 1/2

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