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ON FOREIGN CROP NEWS

General All Round Advance at the Chicago Market—Liverpool Easier for Wheat.

World Office.

Thursday Evening, Sept. 19.

Liverpool wheat futures closed today 1/4 lower than yesterday, and corn futures 1/4 higher.

At Chicago September wheat closed higher than yesterday, September corn 1/4 higher, and September oats 1/4 higher.

Winning cash lots wheat to-day 45, year ago 35.

Chicago cars to-day wheat 55, contract 12, corn 17, oats 13, 1/2.

Northwest cars to-day wheat 45, year ago 35.

Primary receipts to-day: Wheat 58,000, shipments 61,000; week ago 54,000, 63,000; year ago 1,025,000, 470,000; corn 580,000, 522,000; week ago 644,000, 394,000; year ago 550,000, 327,000; oats to-day 798,000, 522,000; week ago 644,000, 394,000; year ago 550,000, 327,000.

Weather favorable for agricultural interests. Much corn due to wire cables, and warm weather essential for maturing crop before frost.

Estimated Argentine shipments this week: Wheat 400,000, against 450,000 last week and 680,000 last year. Corn this week 2,000,000, against 1,747,000 last week and 2,222,000 last year.

Broomhills Liverpool cables say: Russia's grain harvest is reported with a surplus. The southwest confirms increasing stocks. Latest advices from the southeast report threshing returns late for wheat and for rye and barley good. Liberal exports are expected later on.

Australia: The drought continues and is spreading into Victoria and New South Wales, where some damage is reported. India-Late advices state that further complaints are heard as a result of the drought, but not sufficient to cause damage as yet.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Receipts of farm produce were 1000 bu. of grain, 20 loads of hay, 2 loads of straw, and several loads of potatoes.

Wheat—500 bu. sold at 65c.

Barley—400 bu. sold at 65c.

Oats—400 bu. sold at 52c for new, and 50c for old.

Hay—20 loads sold at \$18 to \$21 per ton for straw.

Potatoes—Two loads were reported steady at 50c to 60c per bu. by the load.

Dressed hogs—Prices were quoted at \$8.50 to \$9 per cwt.

Market Notes.

Joshua Ingham bought 50 lambs alive, at \$5.50 per cwt, and 3 dressed calves at \$9 per cwt.

Wheat, spring, bush, 40 to 45 to 50 to 55 to 60 to 65 to 70 to 75 to 80 to 85 to 90 to 95 to 100 to 105 to 110 to 115 to 120 to 125 to 130 to 135 to 140 to 145 to 150 to 155 to 160 to 165 to 170 to 175 to 180 to 185 to 190 to 195 to 200 to 205 to 210 to 215 to 220 to 225 to 230 to 235 to 240 to 245 to 250 to 255 to 260 to 265 to 270 to 275 to 280 to 285 to 290 to 295 to 300 to 305 to 310 to 315 to 320 to 325 to 330 to 335 to 340 to 345 to 350 to 355 to 360 to 365 to 370 to 375 to 380 to 385 to 390 to 395 to 400 to 405 to 410 to 415 to 420 to 425 to 430 to 435 to 440 to 445 to 450 to 455 to 460 to 465 to 470 to 475 to 480 to 485 to 490 to 495 to 500 to 505 to 510 to 515 to 520 to 525 to 530 to 535 to 540 to 545 to 550 to 555 to 560 to 565 to 570 to 575 to 580 to 585 to 590 to 595 to 600 to 605 to 610 to 615 to 620 to 625 to 630 to 635 to 640 to 645 to 650 to 655 to 660 to 665 to 670 to 675 to 680 to 685 to 690 to 695 to 700 to 705 to 710 to 715 to 720 to 725 to 730 to 735 to 740 to 745 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