# CHICAGO MARKET.

# UHIOAGO MARKET-October 7, 1899.

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## REVIEW OF THE WEEK.

During the last two days the grain narket was lower on general realizing sales, but it has secured for the week's range 23 cents increase for the May wheat at least. Last week's high and low for this option were 75, 71\frac{1}{8}, this week these stand at 71\frac{3}{2}, 70. December wheat has registered the same figures, 74\frac{3}{8}, 72\frac{1}{8}, May corn is \frac{1}{8} higher, while the December variety is 1\frac{1}{2} lower. Both May and December oats are up \frac{1}{2}. Of Provisions October Pork has advanced 2 2 cents, Jan. and December selling at the same price as last week. An average advance of 2\frac{1}{2} cents has to be recorded about Lard, while Short Ribs are if anything a little higher, though the difference is offset by some recessions.

The confidence of buyers which had strengthened on improved cash Jennands and exports during the ten days' buil market, has been shaken by the two days' decline but the situation seems as strong as ever it has been. The chief support to prices consists as before in the no nore than moderate wheat movement at primary centres, in the steady export demand and ir, the com-

but the situation seems as strong as ever it has been. The chief support to prices consists as before in the no nore than moderate wheat movement at primary centres, in the steady export demand and in the complaint of drought in the winter wheat district. Active outside speculative demand is absent, however, and in its absence the aggressive bear party is making the most of visible supplies increased to four or five times the figures of a year ago. Argentine exports are shrinking to small dimensions, the large Russian shipment is inconsistent with Russian crop reports, so that the hearish reaction must be temporary and only a pause in the upward tendency. Primary receipt movements are of the same character in other countries as in America. In Britain, they recently reached 80,000 quarters which, with the exception of 1890 is the biggest mid September figure for a quarter of a century. An English authority says "Liverpool opinion is divided as to the future course of prices, but it is conceded that if war should break out, prices might advance a shilling per quarter on speculative buying by bakers and millers affecting the sensitive future market as merchants are not well bought forward, but as soon as the first impulse had spent itself; it is claimed by many that prices would surely relapse and probably settle on a lower basis than that from which they started.

Damage to wheat is reported from Cincinnati owing to drought and at Kansas, owing to grasshoppers, which are attacking whole fields. Cudahy was reported as a large seller at Chicago and several bids from Britain have been accepted there. Money continues to harden at Chicago; sales firmly 5½ to 6 p.c.; bulk of business being done at the latter figure, though an occasional transaction is made at 7 p.c.

#### CHICAGO RANGE FOR WEEK.

Wheat May	773	76	76k
Oct		713	713
Dec	742	73	73½ b
Corn May	32	301	30}
Oct		302	31 a
Dec	30½	297	30
Oats May		23 ξ	241
Octi	•		•
Dec	232	223	221
Pork Jan		9.72	9.72
Oct		8.10	8.10
Dec		8.27	8.27
Lard Jan		5.55	5.55
Oct		5.37	5.37
Dec		5.45	5.47
Sht Rbs Jan		5.05	5.07
Oct		5.05	5.10
Dec		4.95	4.95

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	2	3	4	5	6	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing
Wheat-									
May	773	77 B	761	761	751 B	759	75 <b>9-</b> I	751	75
Oct	72	721	71 Å A	••••	71		*****		
Dec	741 B	74 B	73 A	731 B	723-A	721	721-1	721-1	72
Corn.=	-	•	•	-	• •	ū	• •	- •	-
May	314	31# A	31 A	30} B	311-1	81}	314-	811	81}
Oct	312-3	301	31	81. A	31 B		314	*****	
Dec	301-1	80 <u>1-1</u>	30-1 A	30 B	30[-] B	301	30 į	301-1	30
Oats-	. •	• •	. •		• •	_	•	• •	
May	24] A	24j-j	241-1	241-1	241	241	24 🖁	24	241-3
Oct				*****	228	221	23	224	23
Dec	231-1	231-1	23	227	22]	22]	23	223	23
Pork—		•		-	-	,		•	
Jan	9 85	9 77	9 75	9 72	9 72 B	9 72	9 75	9 72	9 75
Oct	8 20	8 17	8 10		8 15	8 15	8 15		****
Dcc	A 04 8	8 32	8 30	8 27	8 30	8 30	8 30	*****	*****
Lard									
Jan		5 62-65		5 55	5 55-57	5 55 <b>-</b> 57	5 57	5 55	5 57
Oct	5 47-50	5 40-42	5 37	•••••	ถี 35	•••••	*****	*****	*****
Dec	5 55	5 50	6 45	5 42	5 42 B	5 42	5 45	5 42-45	5 45
Sht ribs—									
Jan			5 07-10	5 07	5 07-10в	5 07-10	ŏ 10	.5 07	5 10
Oct	5 10 B	5 07 B	5 12	5 10 A	5 07 B	*****	*****	*****	•••••
Doc	5 07	5 02 A	4 97	••••	4 97 B	•••••	*****	*****	•••••

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Puts, May Corn......

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### TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES.

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STOCKS.	Shares Par Valt	Paid up.	Statement.	Last half year.	Buy- ers
MISCELLANEOUS.	 \$	*	s	<del></del>	-
British America	50	750.000	*79,381	31	122
Western Assumnce	40	1,000,000	1296,743	5	164
Canada Life	400	125,000	1200,1-10	10	550
Confederation Life A ociation	100	100,000	****************	74	*****
Imperial Life Assurance Co	100	450,000	47,821	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	151
Conaumers' Gas	50	1,700,000	************	2lgr	222
Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land Co	40	400,000	***********	***	57
Victoria Rolling Stock Co	5000	60,000	60,000	10	••••
Toronto Electric Light Co., Old	100	1,4( ,000	***********	13	133
" " New	*****	240,000		1}	131
Canadian General Electric Co	100	900,000	40,000	4	166
" " " 20 p.c	100	300,000		3	103
Hamilton Electric Light	100	250,000	60,000	1	79
LOAN and SAVINGS CO.		·			
British Canadian Ln & Invest. Co	100	398,481	120,000	3	
Building and Loan Association	25	750,630	100,000	ĭ	******
Can. Landed & Nat'l. Inv't. Co	100	1,004,000	350,000	3	97
Canada Permanent Ln. & Sav. Co	)	2,000,000 }	•	=	120
" 20 per cent	<b>}</b> 50	600,000 }	1,200,000	3	106
Canadian Savings & Loan Co	50	734,175	220,000	3	113
Central Canada Ln. & Sav's Co	100	875,000		•1	133
" " 20 per cent		325,000	360,000	1½qr	*****
Dominion Savings and Invest. Soc	50	30,627	10,000	$\mathfrak{L}^{\frac{1}{2}}$	75
Freehold " "	100	£ 476,100	300,000	3	*****
" "20 per cent		<b>\</b> 843,000	***********	3	75
Hamilton Provident & Inv't Soc	100	1,100,000	300,000	3	112
Huron & Erie Ln. & Savings Co	50	1,000,000	750,000	41	180
20 per cent	•••••	400,000	***********	41/2	170
Imperial Loan & Inv't Co	100	725,155	160,000	3	80
Landed Banking & Loan Co	100	700,000	160,000	3	1113
Loudon & Can. Ln. & Agency Co	50	700,000	210,000	ışqr	66
London Loan Co	50	631,500	83.000	3	107
London & Ontario Investment	100	550,000	100,000	3	85
Manitoba & North-West Loan Co	100	375,000	50,000	****	49
North of Scotland Can. Mortg. Co	£10	730.000	418,533	Б.	*****
Ontario Loan & Debenture Co	50	1,200,000	490,000	3}	120
	50	599.429	40,000	****	20
Real Estate Loan Co	40	373,720	50,000	2	64
Toronto Savings & Loan	100 50	600,000	105,000	3	121
Union Loan & Savings Co	50 50	699,0:20	200,000	1	35
25 per cent		1,000,000 500,000	} 770,000	3 3	112 90
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After deducting \$511.982 for reinsurance. † After deducting \$792,049 for reinsurance. This List is compiled from the fortnightly circular issued by the Secretary Toronto Stock Exchange.