

CHICAGO MARKET—June 10, 1899.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

	CLOSING PRICES JUNE 5 TO JUNE 9.					PRICE-UP TO 12.30.			
	5	6	7	8	9	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing
Wheat—									
July.....	78½	75	75½-½	74-75	74½-½	74½-½	75½	74½	75½
Sept.....	77½	75	76½-½	75-½	75½-½	75½-½	76½	75	76½
Dec.....	78½	77	77½	76½	76½	76½	77½	76½	77½
Corn—									
July.....	33½	33½-½	33½-½	33½	33½	33½	33½	33½	33½
Sept.....	34½	34	34½-½	34½	33½-½	.....	34½	33½	34½
Dec.....	33½	33½-½	33½	33½	33½	.....	.....	.....	33½
Oats—									
July.....	23½-½	23½	23½-½	23½-½	23½	23½	23½-½	23½	23½-½
Sept.....	20½-½	20½	20½	20½	20½-½	20½	20½	20½	20½-½
Dec.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20½	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pork—									
July.....	8 20	8 22	8 25	8 17	8 07	.....	8 05	8 02	8 02
Sept.....	8 30	8 40	8 40	8 35	8 25	8 20	8 20	8 17	8 20
Dec.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8 45	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lard—									
July.....	5 02	5 07	5 05	5 00	4 97	4 95	5 95	4 92	4 95
Sept.....	5 15	5 20	5 17	5 15	5 10	5 07	5 07	5 05	5 07
Dec.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sht ribs—									
July.....	4 65	4 70	4 67	4 65	4 62	4 60	4 62	4 60	4 62
Sept.....	4 75	4 80	4 80	4 77	4 75	4 72	4 75	4 70	4 72
Dec.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Puts and Calls for June 10 —									
Puts, July Wheat.....					72½	Puts, July Corn.....			33½
Calls, " ".....					75	Calls, " ".....			33½

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES.

STOCKS.	Shares, Par Value	CAPITAL. Paid up.	Rest as per Last Statement.	Div. perct. Last half year.	Buy- ers
MISCELLANEOUS.					
British America.....	50	\$ 750,000	\$ *78,381	3½	127
Western Assurance.....	40	1,067,000	†298,743	5	185½
Canada Life.....	400	125,000	.....	10	.....
Confederation Life Association.....	100	100,000	.....	7½	.....
Imperial Life Assurance Co.....	100	450,000	47,821	.....	155
Consumers' Gas.....	50	1,700,000	.....	2½qr	230
Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land Co.....	40	400,000	.....	.....	60
Victoria Rolling Stock Co.....	5000	60,000	60,000	10	.....
Toronto Electric Light Co., Old.....	100	1,400,000	.....	1½	139
“ “ “ New.....	.....	240,000	.....	1½	134½
Canadian General Electric Co.....	100	900,000	40,000	4	153
“ “ “ Pref.....	100	300,000	.....	3	107
Hamilton Electric Light.....	100	250,000	60,000	1	78½
LOAN and SAVINGS CO.					
British Canadian Ln & Invest. Co.....	100	398,481	120,000	3	.....
Building and Loan Association.....	25	750,000	100,000	1	.....
Can. Landed & Nat'l. Inv't Co.....	100	1,004,000	350,000	3	101
Canada Permanent Ln. & Sav. Co.....	.....	2,000,000	.....	.....	112
“ “ “ 20 per cent.....	50	600,000	1,200,000	3	100
Canadian Savings & Loan Co.....	50	734,175	220,000	3	116
Central Canada Ln. & Sav's Co.....	.....	875,000	.....	.....	134½
“ “ “ 20 per cent.....	100	325,000	360,000	1½qr	.....
Dominion Savings and Invest. Soc.....	50	930,627	10,000	2½	75
Freehold “ “ “.....	.....	476,100	300,000	3	.....
“ “ “ 20 per cent.....	400	843,000	.....	3	.....
Hamilton Provident & Inv't Soc.....	100	1,100,000	300,000	3	112
Huron & Erie Ln. & Savings Co.....	50	1,000,000	750,000	4½	180
“ “ “ 20 per cent.....	.....	400,000	.....	4½	170
Imperial Loan & Inv't Co.....	100	725,155	160,000	3	85
Landed Banking & Loan Co.....	100	700,000	250,000	3	110
London & Can. Ln. & Agency Co.....	50	700,000	210,000	1½qr	.....
London Loan Co.....	50	631,500	83,000	3	108½
London & Ontario Investment.....	100	550,000	100,000	3	22
Manitoba & North-West Loan Co.....	100	375,000	50,000	.....	35
North of Scotland Can. Mortg. Co.....	£10	730,000	418,533	5	.....
Ontario Loan & Debenture Co.....	50	1,200,000	490,000	3½	124½
Peoples Loan & D. Co.....	50	599,429	40,000	.....	25
Real Estate Loan Co.....	40	373,720	50,000	2	60
Toronto Savings & Loan.....	100	600,000	105,000	3	121
Union Loan & Savings Co.....	50	693,020	200,000	1	.....
Western Canada “ “.....	50	1,900,000	.....	3	115
“ “ “ 25 per cent.....	.....	590,000	770,000	3	95

* 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.

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GOVERNMENT REPORT TO-NIGHT
EXPECTED TO SHOW 72-CABLES
CLOSE FIRM.

REVIEW FOR THE WEEK.

We have had a week of strong markets. Last Saturday July wheat was selling over 78 and since then it has maintained its strength even in face of weaker cables and a very poor export demand. Crop damage scares have been the ruling influence, this in fact, has been all that the bulls have had to work on, for statistics, and estimates have invariably been in favor of the bears.

A large increase of 1,193,000 bushels in the visible supply last Monday was certainly an unfavorable item. The enormously large shipments of wheat from this and other countries, swelling the European and English visible to much more than present requirements was also a bear argument, but failed to exert more than temporary influence.

Weather reports from European centres are generally favorable. France—warm weather has improved the appearance of fields. Earing will take place under normal conditions in the south and central departments. In the north and west the crop is said to be late for the season. Germany—Fair growing weather has prevailed, and crops are all making satisfactory progress. Hungary—Crops are generally good. In some districts the growth is almost too luxuriant. Italy—The outlook is very encouraging. It is the same in Holland and Belgium. Spain—Spain's crops in the aggregate will be inferior to last year's. Russia's winter wheat and rye are sadly in need of rain in the South and Southwest. In Roumania the grain crop is almost a total loss, owing to the drought.

Comparing our home supplies with former years, the Trade Bulletin says of the wheat situation. That the supplies of flour and wheat in all positions on July 1st, 1898 were equal to about 42,000,000 bushels. Crop of 1898 was 675,000,000, making total supplies for the crop year 1898-99 about 727,000,000 bushels and of this there will be disposed of as follows consumption 325,000,000; seed 72,000,000; export 220,000,000; total 617,000,000; and leave on hand in all positions on July 1st, 1899, 100,000,000 bushels. Calculation now is winter wheat yield of 1899 will be about 275,000,000 and spring wheat 275,000,000, or a total crop of 550,000,000 and with the quantity remaining on hand on July 1st, the total supply for coming crop year would be about 650,000,000 or 67,000,000 bushels less than the year of 1898-99.

Corn—The reports on the corn acreage are satisfactory. In most localities the loss of the wheat fields were replaced by corn planting, with present prospects realized the corn crop for the season will be considerably in excess of first expectations. Of severe storms, which are the kind that really damage crops, there has not been one, and corn which so many reports say is in a bad way owing to cold, wet ground, etc., is looking better than it is represented. Many fields are undoubtedly backward, but anybody who knows the corn country knows that plenty of corn has seen grown in seasons that start out worse than this.