THE MARKETS

WINNIPEG GRAIN.

Winnipeg, Man., July 9.—On the local wheat market the trading was more active, the demand was improved, and prices were higher, special reports on crop conditions were interpreted by the trade as more bullish than was expected.

World conditions also were less favorable and options opened 7-8c higher for July and 1-4 cent higher for October, and following the opening, advanced a further one cent for July and 3-8 for October. Later fluctuations were wider than usual, the market being nervous and prices closed 1 3-8 cents higher for July, and 1-8 cent lower for October.

Continental cables were erratic, and Liverpool, although opening 1-8 to 3-8 cents higher, closed unchanged to 1-2 cent lower and tone easy. American markets were 1-8 cent lower to 3-8 cent higher at opening, but were also influenced by the Free Press interim report being construed as of a more bullish character than was expected, and prices advanced 3-8 cents to one cent higher, and closed in Minneapolis 1-4 cent lower for all months.

Chicago closed 3-8 cent lower for July and 1-8 cent lower for September, and 1-4c higher for December.

The cash demand was much improved, all grades being more in request, with prices 1 1-2 cents higher for No. 1, 2, and 3, and although receipts are continuing heavier, offerings were not liberal.

Oats were steady in price, but the volume of trading was small, and conditions very much less favorable than at the same date last year. The price for oats is only 1-2 cent stronger.

Flax is one of the most interesting features of the market, and under present conditions of the growing crop, October flax at $1.67 looks like a buy.

Receipts were 375 cars today.

Spring wheat—No. 1 Northern 10, No. 2 Northern 47, No. 3 Northern 99, No. 4 74, feed 28, rejected 1 1, rejected 2 3, no grade 136, rejected 10, condemned 5, No. 5 35, No. 6 47.

Winter wheat—No. 2 Alberta red 1, No. 3 Alberta red 12, No. 4 white winter 2, no grade 2, No. 4 red winter 12, No. 5 red winter 4.

Oats— No. 2 C.W. 45, No. 3 C.W. 16, extra No. 1 feed 54, No. 1 feed 43, No. 2 feed 8, no grade 77, condemned 10.

Barley—No. 3 5, No. 4 7, rejected 2, no grade 3, feed 2.

Flax seed—No. 1 N.W. Man. 3, No. 1 Man. 20, rejected 49, no grade 7, condemned 27.

Totals—Wheat 528, oats 269, barley 19, flax seed 106. Total 922.

Cars—C. P. R. 502, C. N. R. 244, G. T. P. 33, Calgary 138, Duluth 5. Total 922.

	Open	Close
Wheat—		
July	108	107½
Oct.	95¾	95
Oats—		
July	40	39¾
Oct.	36½	36
Extra No. 1 Feed (July)	..	40
Flax—		
July	180½	180½
Oct.		165

Cash Prices

Wheat—	Close
No. 1 Northern	107½
No. 2 Northern	104½
No. 3 Northern	99½
No. 4	84
No. 5	71½
No. 6	58½
Feed	52½
Oats—	
No. 2 C. W.	39½
No. 3 C. W.	38
Barley—	
No. 4	56

AMERICAN MARKETS

Minneapolis:

Wheat—	Open	Close
July	106	104¾
Sept.	100¾	99⅝
Dec.	101¼	100

Chicago:

Wheat—	Open	Close
July	104¼	103¼
Sept.	99¾	99⅛
Dec.	101⅛	100¾

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Minn., July 9.—The tone of the market was firmer, but appeared to be chiefly from shorts, who covered before government. There was no special character to the trading. Some talk was heard that rains were becoming excessive. Heavy storms have swept over a large area, and while doing a great deal of good have exacted some toll by hail damage. Red River Valley sent reports that it did not care for any more moisture, and that fair weather until grain was cut was desirable.

Local cash market was strong. Decrease in elevator stocks will be heavy, and receipts are light. There was a good demand for all milling grades, with No. 1 Northern quoted 2¼ at 2½ cents over July. Flour reports were encouraging. Most of the mills sold fair sized round lots.

Southwest crop news was good. Offernigs of winter wheat are being made to market and some sales have been made.

No. 1 hard on track closed at $1.08¼; No. 1 Northern on track, $1.07¼, to arrive, $1.07¾; No. 2 Northern, $1.04½ at $1.05¼; to arrive, $1.04¼ at $1.05¼. 1 Dur., spot $1.02, arrive $1.02; 2 Dur., spot 97, arrive 97.

Oats 46 cents, rye 68, barley 55 at 95, 1 flax spot 203, arrive 203.

Chicago Grain Market.

Chicago, Ill., July 9.—A scare in the corn trade sprang up today over reports of extreme heat in Kansas, and brought about a lively advance. The market finished with a net gain of 5-8 to 1 1-8. Wheat closed 5-8 off to 1-8 1-4 up, and oats varied from 1-4 loss to 5-8 gain.

Aside from the flurry concerning the reports of the heat, there was more than usual interest regarding the government's crop report as to corn. Guesses on acreage were near the official figurs, but forecasts of condition proved too optimistic, so that the total estimated yield, as sent from Washington, was construed as favoring the bull side of the market, too late, however, to affect the price today.

Later advices from Kansas declared the crop was in shape to go two weeks yet without damage. Reports of danger of injury southwest had found the pit heavily oversold, and for the moment left the majority of speculators no alternative but to cover in a hurry.

Cash grades were firm. Commission house buying of wheat improved in volume today, in consequence of the bulge in corn, and because there had been nearly a continuous week of declining prices. A big increase in the world's available supply and the poor showing made by the French crop, helped to encourage investment. The weather, however, both in the spring and winter belts, acted as an offset to a large extent. The total yield estimated by the government was accurately figured out here in advance. Oats merely reflected the course of other cereals, with a firmness as the rule; early and an easier feeling afterwards.

Toronto Live Stock.

Toronto, Ont., July 8.—Although there were only 360 cattle on sale today at the city cattle market, this number was ample at hot weather deover from Monday's run at the Union stock yards were sent to pasture for better conditioning. Only a few were sold.

At neither market were there more than a few good cattle, and the rough ones were very low. There was hardly any falling from Monday, however—conditions being so bad then that over 500 cattle could not be sold at any price. Dealers complain that too many unfinished cattle are being sent in and they maintain that the farmers earn more money on them by keeping them at home longer.

Sheep and lambs were about steady, and hogs were just a shade easier. Calves were too numerous and sold from 50 to 90 cents lower. Receipts at the city cattle market totalled 350 cattle, 360 sheepand lambs, 350 hogs, and 356 calves.

Today's quotations—Export cattle, choice, 750 at 810. Medium, 725 at 750. Bulls, 500 at 600. Butcher's cattle, choice, 610 at 750. Medium, 600 at 725. Common, 450 at 550. Butcher's cows, choice, 500 at 550. Medium and Common, 300 at 550. Cannar's, 150 at 250. Bulls, 450 at 525. 500 at 550. Stockers, choice, 500 at 575. Light, 450 at 475. Milkers, choice, each, $40 at $75. Springers, $40 to $60. Ewes, light, 400 to 500. Heavy, 350 at 400. Bucks and Culls, 300 at 350. Spring Lambs, light, 750 at 890. Hogs, fed and watered, 786. F.O.B., 760. Calves, each 350 at 760.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, July 9.—Cattle receipts, 30,000. Market generally, steady. Beeves, 570 at 970. Texas steers, 580 at 740. Western steers, 625 at 775. Stockers and feeders, 400 at 675. Caws and heifers, 280 at 800. Calves, 600 at 900.

Hog receipts, 13,000. Market active and 5c higher. Light, 750 at 765. Mixed 710 at 765. Heavy 700 at 765. Rough 700 at 730.

Pigs 540 at 720. Bulk of sales 735 at 760.

Sheep receipts, 20,000. Market 335 at 550. Western, 375 at 550. Yearlings, 460 at 660. Lambs, native, 470 at 800. Western, 500 at 815.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, July 9.—In the early part of today's market session stocks made pronounced recovery from the weakness manifested yesterday, but in the latter dealings the list sold off to a level. Most gains were replaced by net losses. Trading was much lighter than on the proceeding day, but obviously no less professional.

Some fear was shown regarding the money situation, this feeling being slightly justified in the higher rate in the call loans. Copper shares, which were among yesterday's heaviest features, were appreciably stronger today, their best prices following the publication of the producers' statement for June, disclosing a further decrease in the supply, due chiefly to reduced production. This favorable feature of the statement was offset, however, by a decided reduction in both domestic and foreign demand. Private advices from London conveyed intimations that the European copper situation continues somewhat precarious with heavy realprices. Another factor of some importance was the government crop report issued in the expiring hour of the market. The condition of corn, according to this report is, of course, better than a year ago, with a light increase of acreage.

Winter wheat conditions is given at 73.3, a decline of 1 per cent. from last month and of three per cent. from last year. The combined condition of winter and spring wheat is placed at 80.1, a falling off of over three per cent. from the previous month, but far ahead of last year.

The bond market was steady. Total sales, par value, $1,970,000.

U.S. government unchanged on call.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

London, July 9.—Money in smaller supply and discounts were firmer. The stock market was again generally weak, the break in copper metal unsettled American rails and copper shares, but these issues hardened in the afternoon.

Consols, home rails, and Marconi stocks eased on realizing, while Paris offered mines, and only a few foreign rails finished higher. American securities declined early, owing to the break of fifty shillings in copper.

There were rumors that small American dealers were cutting prices 1-2c per pound, and fears of an unfavorable copper producers' report today. The market, however, improved later in the session on New York buying, and the final tone was steady.

TO LOOK FOR NORTH-WEST PASSAGE

Berlin, July 8.—A German Arctic expedition, under the leadership of Lieutenant Schoeder-Stranz, will start in June, 1913, for a three or four year trip of exploration in the Northeast passage, the water route north of Europe and Asia between the Atlantic and Pacific oceans.

Princess Therese of Bavaria, the Duke of Altenburg, Duke Adolph Friedrich of Mecklenburg, the Duke of Urach and other prominent personages are among the supporters of the expedition.

The scientific equipment will be supplied by the Berlin museum, and a corps of able scientists will be of the party. The Northwest passage was first explored in 1878-1879 by Nordenskjold in the Vega.

WINNIPEG PREPARES FOR VICE-REGAL PARTY

Winnipeg, July 9.—Never in our history has Winnipeg looked so gay as this afternoon, in preparation for the vice-regal party this evening. All arrangements are completed, even the Osborne street bridge, which will give access to the Hon. Robert Rogers' residence, where his royal highness will stay.

WOMAN IS AIDING PREVENTION OF FIRE

Miss Frances Perkins Is Inspecting Factories of New York and Is Specializing

New York, July 8.—Specialized philanthropy is what Miss Frances Perkins calls the new work on which she became engaged recently when chosen executive secretary of the committee of safety of the city of Nw York.

Philanthropy, because she is going to devote her time and talents to improving the condition and talents to improving the condition of industrial workers, and specialized because it will be for the prevention of loss of life by fire, chiefly, and also by disease and accident.

Miss Perkins usually may be found in her office, 165 Broadway, when she is not inspecting city factories and workshops. That is her laboratory, where the committee on safety, an organization formed by prominent citizens after the Triangle fire, hopes to discover ways and means of proving benefactors to humanity.

"We co-operate with the bureau of fire prevention, and, of course, our first object will be to inspect fire escapes and exits," Miss Perkins said. "We are recommending the horizontal fire escape, which is a sliding iron or fireproof door connecting one section of a factory building with another through a solid wall."

OLYMPIC AGROUND TO AVOID CRASH

Liner Veers to Escape Collision With Yacht—Steering Geaf Damaged

New York, July 6.—The White Star liner Olympic, with more than 250 passengers in her saloons and cabins, went aground off Ellis island today, after veering her course to avoid collision with the yacht Viking.

Tugs quickly surrounded her and pulled her clear, after half an hour's work.

Undamaged, she started on he voyage to Europe.

After proceeding down the bay the Olympic anchored off Tompkinsville, Staten Island, and signalled "not under control."

Her commander sent word ashore that her steering gear had been disarranged. He hoped to get under way again soon.

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT IS AT FORT WILLIAM

Fort William, Ont., July 9.—There was no civic celebration here this morning when His Royal Highness, the Duke of Connaught passed through on his way to Winnipeg, owing to the early hour and brief stay.

The special train, with George Bury's private car "Manitoba" attached, departed at 8.45, in charge of Conductor William Fogg, of Winnipeg, this making the eighth royal train he has taken care of since entering the employ of the C. P. R.

Stops will be made at Ignace and Kenora, the divisional points, and also at Wabigoon for luncheon, and at Selkirk for dinner, arriving in Winnipeg at 8.40 o'clock.

Those accompanying Canada's governor-general are his daughter Princess Patricia, Miss Adams, lady-in-waiting, Lieut. Lowther, Captain Buller and Captain Long.

HAIL VISITS THE DAKOTAS; DAMAGE REPORTED

Winnipeg, July 9.—At the Grain Exchange today a number of pessimistic reports were afloat regarding damage to crops in North Dakota and Minnesota by hail and windstorms, but no very definite information could be gathered, as this city is practically cut off from telegraphic communication with the south. Messages for Chicago are being routed via Montreal or Vancouver.

POLICE CHIEFS MEET

Toronto, Ont., July 9.—The International Association of Police Chiefs met here this morning in annual convention. About 300 delegates are here or on the way, and they come from nearly every city of importance in the United States and Canada. The only routine business was transacted at the first session this morning. A big programme of entertainments have been provided for the delegates.

PRINCE SHOOTS HIMSELF

Loved American Girl, But Religion Proved an Obstacle

Paris, July 9.—The European edition of The New York Herald says that Prince Ludovic Pignatelli d'Aragon shot himself last night with a revolver and lies in a grave condition. The attending physicians are unable to say if he will recover.

The prince returned recently from the United States, where he fell in love with an American girl, but the difference in their religion, The Herald says, stood in the way of marriage and it is understood that despair led the prince to attempt his life.

Prince Ludovic Pignatelli is a Spaniard and was at one time secretary of the Spanish legation at Washington. He had been reported engaged to various American women, but the engagements have been dnied.

He visited the United States in 1911, being a conspicuous figure in the social activity of New York and Hot Springs.

WAS TIRED OF LIFF

Vancouver, B. C., July 9.—Leaving a note that she was tired of life, Miss Maud Harris, aged 20, telephone operator, committed suicide by taking gas last night.

GUARDED HOME WITH RIFLE

Woman Refused to Pay Assessments in Single Tax Colony

Wilmington, Del., July 9.—Mrs. Monte Beane, who has been guarding her bungalow at Arden, the single tax colony above this city, with a Springfield rifle for a week, has at last relieved her vigilance and been evicted.

Mrs. Beane, like her husband, does carpenter work. A feminine carpenter would be a rarity outside of Arden, but in that colony, where the common folk are artists, writers and sculptors, a woman carpenter attracts no more than ordinary attention.

Mrs. Beane was engaged to do work on the new school house and she began her duties the other day, sending her small children to the home of her mother. When she was safely out of sight, Robert Rautenberg, the Philadelphia sculptor, who purchased the bungalow at a constable's sale, after he had purchased the lease on the ground from the trustees, because, they say, the Beanes did not pay the assessment on the land, crept up the back way and threw her furniture out in the road, he and his family then and there taking possession.

Mrs. Beane was nailing boards on the new institution of learning when the news reached her, she rushed back to her bungalow, where she confronted Rautenberg and his family, who were sitting on the front porch. She supposed at first that a constable from this city had been engaged, and she demanded to see the legal papers. When Rautenberg informed her that there were none she asked:

"Did you throw these things out on your own responsibility?"

Rautenberg said he did, and he also told Mrs. Beane that he had given her four weeks to get out, and now he wanted her to stay out.

Later Mrs. Beane said she was coming to Wilmington to hire a lawyer. "They did not dare to come while I was at home," she said, "but sneaked up while I was at work. They did it all without process of law. I will push the case through every court to get my rights."

Mr. and Mrs. Beane were in the South when the sale took place. When they returned home she learned that Rautenberg was planning to take possession, she oiled up her rifle and served notice that she would shoot.

LOANS FOR THE LOSERS

Regina, Sask., July 9.—The government of Saskatchewan has arranged to place half a million dollars at the disposi of the civic authorities for loans to citizens, whose property was wrecked in the recent cyclone.

DISASTROUS HAIL AT HALBRITE.

Halbrite, Sask., July 9.—A heavy hailstorm, with heavy wind was experienced west and southwest of Halbrite yesterday afternoon. The crop damage was heavy.

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