

# CHICAGO MARKET.

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**STRENGTH YESTERDAY CHIEFLY OWING TO LACK OF OFFERINGS—LIVERPOOL, NEW YORK AND CHICAGO ALL WEAK.**

Chicago, Jan. 4.

The week's decrease of over half a million bushels in visible supply for U. S. and Canada, and its decrease of over a million for the world created yesterday a strong market. There is a report that strong markets will have to be made. Several large holders of wheat are known to be willing to make markets for the disposal of their holdings, and farmers knowing this hope to profit by the occasion. It has been in the expectation that something like this would occur that farmers have kept back their wheat from the market so long. The strength of yesterday has been lessened by liquidation and the influence of decreased visibles did not show in the openings.

March wheat at Liverpool was  $\frac{1}{8}$  lower at 5-11 $\frac{1}{2}$ , and May wheat  $\frac{1}{4}$  lower at 5-10 $\frac{1}{2}$ .

New York March wheat opened at 75 $\frac{1}{2}$ , that is  $\frac{1}{8}$  lower and May at 75 $\frac{1}{4}$ .

Wheat at Chicago at once worked lower  $\frac{1}{2}$  and kept about that level till towards noon. Pork, Lard and Ribs less active and strong than yesterday kept selling around the closing prices of yesterday.

Provision receipts were: Hogs, 45,000; cattle, 5,500; sheep, 18,000; not greatly more numerous than this day last year. Hogs opened 5 cents lower.

Grain receipts were:

Wheat, car lots 88, shipments 14,151.

Corn, car lots 315, shipments 55,785.

Oats, car lots 144, shipments 22,487.

N. W. cars at Minneapolis 827; at Duluth 18; total of 840, compared with 279 last week and 441 last year.

One telegraphing about the market says unless we get better support from abroad, wheat may drop. Commission houses still report very few buying orders from abroad.

### CRIPPLE CREEK MINING STOCKS

Jan. 2, 1900.

Capital.	Par Value.	Bid.	Asked
1,600,000	\$1.00	Acacia .....	.43
2,500,000	1.00	Battle Mt'n.....	.34
900,000	1.00	Ben Hur .....	.....
1,600,000	1.00	Bob Lee.....	.08
		Croesus.....	.....
2,000,000	1.00	Columb-Victor .....	.19
2,000,000	1.00	C. O. Cons.....	.15
2,000,000	1.00	C. O. & M.....	.17
1,250,000	1.00	Dante.....	.18
2,000,000	1.00	Damon.....	.29
1,250,000	1.00	Elkton.....	.....
1,500,000	1.00	Flower.....	.....
1,250,000	1.00	Findley .....	.15
1,000,000	1.00	Gold Coin .....	2.25
8,000,000	1.00	Gold Sovereign.....	.15
		Gold Stone.....	.....
1,000,000	1.00	Gould.....	.33
1,225,000	1.00	Independ. T. & M.....	.47
2,250,000	1.00	Isabella.....	1.39
500,000	1.00	Ida May.....	.....
1,250,000	1.00	Jack Pot.....	.59
1,500,000	1.00	Keystone.....	.15
1,500,000	1.00	Kimberly.....	.11
1,500,000	1.00	Lexington.....	.28
1,000,000	1.00	Linton.....	.30
800,000	1.00	Moon Anchor .....	.74
		Magnet.....	.....
		Maria A.....	.....
1,000,000	1.00	Mt'n Beauty.....	.12
1,000,000	1.00	Nugget.....	.16
		New Haven.....	.....
		Oriole.....	.....
2,000,000	1.00	Pappoose.....	.10
3,000,000	1.00	Portland.....	2.27
		Princess.....	.....
		Silver State.....	.....
2,000,000	1.00	Pinnacle.....	.....
		Sacramento.....	.0
1,500,000	1.00	Work.....	.29

	—MARCH PRICES DEC. 28 TO JAN. 3.—					—TO-DAY'S PRICES.—			
	28	29	30	?	3	Openings.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closings.
<b>Wheat—</b>									
Jan.....	65	65	65	66	66	.....	66	.....	66
May.....	69	68	70	70	69	69	69	70	69
July.....	69	69	69	70	70	70	70	70	70
<b>Corn—</b>									
Jan.....	80	80	80	80	80	80	80	80	80
May.....	80	80	80	83	83	83	83	83	83
July.....	82	82	82	84	83	83	83	83	84
<b>Oats—</b>									
Jan.....	23	23	22	21	22	.....	.....	.....	22
May.....	23	23	23	24	23	23	23	23	23
July.....	23	23	23	.....	.....	.....	22	22	22
<b>Pork—</b>									
Jan.....	8 90	8 90	10 47	10 31	10 60	10 55	10 52	10 87	10 87
May.....	10 17	10 12	10 10	10 77	10 65	10 60	10 60	10 87-90	10 87-90
July.....	10 47	10 47	10 42-5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
<b>Lard—</b>									
Jan.....	5 45	5 45	5 82	5 75	5 76	5 67	5 75	5 87	5 87
May.....	5 65	5 65-67	5 65	5 00	5 90	5 87	5 05	5 87	5 00-5
Dec.....	5 82	5 82	5 82	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
<b>Ribs—</b>									
Jan.....	5 25	5 25	5 57	5 50	5 65	5 67	5 53	5 67	5 67
May.....	5 35	5 35	5 35	5 70-2	5 65	5 65	5 65	5 65	5 65
July.....	5 52-5	5 55	5 52	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Puts and Calls for Jan. 5 — Puts, May Wheat 69  
 Calls " " 69  
 Puts, May Corn 83  
 Calls, " " 83

### TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES.

STOCKS.	Shares.	Par Value.	CAPITAL.		Div. per cent.	Buyers.
			Paid up.	Ret. as per Last Statement.		
<b>MISCELLANEOUS.</b>						
British America.....	50	\$	750,000	\$	78.381	3
Western Assurance.....	40		1,000,000		129,743	5
Canada Life.....	400		125,000		.....	10
Confederation Life Association.....	100		100,000		.....	7
Imperial Life Assurance Co.....	100		450,000		47,621	.....
Consumers' Gas.....	50		1,700,000		.....	2
Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land Co.....	40		400,000		.....	.....
Victoria Rolling Stock Co.....	5000		60,000		60,000	10
Toronto Electric Light Co., Old.....	100		1,400,000		.....	1
" " " " " " New.....	.....		240,000		.....	1
Canadian General Electric Co.....	100		900,000		40,000	4
" " " " " " 20 p.c.....	100		300,000		.....	3
Hamilton Electric Light.....	100		250,000		90,000	1
<b>LOAN and SAVINGS CO.</b>						
British Canadian Ln & Invest. Co.....	100		398,481		120,000	3
Building and Loan Association.....	25		750,000		100,000	1
Can. Land & Nat'l. Inv't. Co.....	100		1,004,000		350,000	8
Canada Permanent Ln. & Sav. Co.....	50		2,000,000		1,200,000	3
" " " " " " 20 per cent.....	.....		600,000		.....	.....
Canadian Savings & Loan Co.....	50		734,175		220,000	3
Central Canada Ln. & Sav'g Co.....	100		875,000		380,000	1
" " " " " " 20 per cent.....	.....		325,000		.....	.....
Dominion Savings and Invest. Soc.....	50		930,627		10,000	2
Freehold " " " " " ".....	100		478,100		300,000	3
" " " " " " 20 per cent.....	.....		843,000		.....	.....
Hamilton Provident & Inv't Soc.....	100		1,100,000		300,000	3
Huron & Erie Ln. & Saving Co.....	50		1,000,000		750,000	4
" " " " " " 20 per cent.....	.....		400,000		.....	.....
Imperial Loan & Inv't Co.....	100		725,155		160,000	80
Landed Banking & Loan Co.....	100		700,000		150,000	3
London & Can. Ln. & Agency Co.....	50		700,000		210,000	1
London Loan Co.....	50		631,500		83,000	3
London & Ontario Investment.....	100		550,000		100,000	3
Manitoba & North-West Loan Co.....	100		375,000		50,000	40
North of Scotland Can. Mortg. Co.....	200		730,000		418,533	5
Ontario Loan & Debenture Co.....	50		1,200,000		450,000	3
Peoples Loan & D. Co.....	50		1,99,429		40,000	25
Real Estate Loan Co.....	40		3,3,720		50,000	2
Toronto Savings & Loan.....	100		600,000		105,000	3
Union Loan & Savings Co.....	50		621,020		200,000	1
Western Canada " " " " " ".....	50		1,000,000		770,000	3
" " " " " " 25 per cent.....	.....		500,000		.....	.....

\* After deducting \$511,962 for reinsurance. † After deducting \$792,049 for reinsurance. This List is compiled from the fortnightly circular issued by the Secretary Toronto Stock Exchange.