CHICAGO MARKET.

VERY DULL AND STEADY MARKET FOR CORN AND WHEAT — PROVISIONS DULL AND WEAK — CHICAGO WILL BE CLOSED TUESDAY, MAY 1.

Chicago, April 28.

Liverpool—wheat closed quiet ¼ higher; corn steady, ¼ higher. Strong fluctuating tendency upward.

Paris wheat 5 higher; flour 5 lower.

Closing wheat, May 5.9⅝; July 5.9; corn, closing, May, 4.2¾; July 4.1⅝.

Broomhall predicts the world's shipments Monday next will be about 7,500,000, and expects decrease in quantity of breadstuffs on passage.

New York—Wheat opened dull and unchanged.

Chicago—Wheat opened unchanged and steady. Free offerings of May wheat by commission houses trying buy July and sell May 1⅝ to ¾ difference.

Some cable acceptances on wheat from other side this morning. See nothing to change opinion. Believe wheat sell higher.

Corn opened strong on higher cables, ⅜ higher; steady. Since July 1 to date our corn exports have been 169,702,000, against 139,663,000 during the same time year previous. Our total exports will probably be over 200 millions by July 1 next. Would buy July corn.

Oats dull and unchanged.

Provisions opened tame, nothing special doing. Pork trade dead, not over 500 sales so far. This is lard market now.

Primary receipts:

Last week, receipts 302,127; shipments, 169,540.

Last year, receipts 432,867; shipments, 336,119.

Four ports, receipts, 68,118; shipments, 34,579.

Exports flour last year 13,377 barrels.

Car lots wheat, estimates 0; receipts 23; contract 1; shipments, 131,000 spring;

Car lots corn, estimates, 0; receipts 167; contract, 52; shipments 65,674.

Car lots oats, estimates 0; receipts 180; contract 36; shipments none.

N. W. cars—Minn., 274; Duluth, 148; last week, 227; last year, 358.

Hogs to-day, 16,000; to-morrow, 34,000.

DULUTH S. S. & ATLANTIC.

Week ending April 14	$51,777
Increase	8,136
From January 1st	$666,364
Increase	133,717

NOTICE.

Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Co.

A Semi-annual Dividend of Three Per Cent. has been declared this day, payable to shareholders of record April 21st instant at 1 o'clock, and will be paid at the Company's offices, 228 St. Paul Street, on and after 1st May next.

By order of the Board,

H. M. BOLGER.
Secretary.

April 6th, 1900.

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From the Bartlett Frazier Co., Chicago. H. J. Coon, Manager, 39 St. Sacrament St.

	Closing prices Apr. 23 to Apr. 27.					To-day's prices.			
	23	24	25	26	27	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing
Wheat—									
May	64⅞ A	65¼ A	66 B	65⅝–½	65⅞ B	65⅞–66	66⅛	65⅝	65¾
July	66⅜ B	66¾ A	67¾ A	67 B	67½–⅝ B	67½–⅝	67¾	67⅝–½	67½
Sept	67⅜	67¾–⅞	68⅞ A	68⅛	68½ A	68½–⅝	68¾	68⅝–½	68⅝–½
Corn—									
May	37¼ B	38¼ A	39⅜ B	39½ A	39⅝–¾	39⅞–40	40	39⅝–⅞	39⅞
July	39–⅛ B	39½ A	40⅞ A	40½–⅝ A	40⅞ B	41⅛–½	41¼	40⅞	40⅞
Sept	39¾	40⅛ B	41¼–⅜ B	41 B	41⅜ A	41½–⅝	41½–⅝	41⅜	41⅜–½
Oats—									
May	22⅝–¾	22⅞	23⅜	23⅛–¼	23	23	23	22¾	22¾
July	23 A	23⅛–¼	23⅝–¾	23½	23½	23½	23½	23¼	23¼
Sept	22 B	22⅜	22¾	22½	22½–⅝	22¼	22½	22¼	22½
Pork—									
May	12 45	12 55	12 72	12 70	12 72	12 70	12 70	12 65	12 65
July	12 62	12 70	12 87–90	12 85	12 87	12 85	12 87	12 82	12 82
Sept	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lard—									
May	6 92 B	7 02	7 17	7 22	7 32	7 32–35	7 32–5	7 30	7 30
July	7 02	7 10 B	7 25	7 25–27	7 37	7 37	7 37	7 30–32	7 32
Sept	7 05	7 12–15	7 27	7 25	7 35	7 37	7 37	7 30	7 30
Short ribs—									
May	6 85	6 92–95	7 02	7 05	7 07	7 02–05	7 02–5	7 00	7 00
July	6 90 A	7 00–02	7 07–10	7 07	7 10–12	7 10	7 10	7 02	7 02
Sept	6 85	6 95	7 05	7 02–05	7 07	7 05–07	7 07	6 97	7 00

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES.

STOCKS.	Shares, Par Value	CAPITAL. Paid up.	Rest as per Last Statement.	Div. per ct. Last half year.	Buyers
MISCELLANEOUS.	$	$	$		
British America	50	750,000	*79,381	3½	115
Western Assurance	40	1,000,000	†296,743	5	157
Canada Life	400	125,000	... .	10	535
Confederation Life Association	100	100,000	.....	7½	277½
Imperial Life Assurance Co	100	450,000	47,821	...	147
Consumers' Gas	50	1,700,000	.....	2½qr	213
Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land Co	40	400,000	.....	...	54
Victoria Rolling Stock Co	5000	60,000	60,000	10	.....
Toronto Electric Light Co., Old	100	1,400,000	.....	1¾	131
" " " " New	.....	240,000	.....	1¾	131
Canadian General Electric Co	100	900,000	40,000	4	166⅔
" " " " 20 p.c.	100	300,000	.....	3	107
Hamilton Electric Light	100	250,000	60,000	1	80
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	38
Can. Landed & Nat'l. Inv't. Co	100	1,004,000	350,000	3	80
Canada Permanent Ln. & Sav. Co	50	2,000,000	1,200,000	3	114
" " 20 per cent		600,000			130
Canadian Savings & Loan Co	50	734,175	220,000	3	115
Central Canada Ln. & Sav's Co	100	875,000	360,000	1½qr	135
" " 20 per cent		325,000			128
Dominion Savings and Invest. Soc	50	930,627	10,000	2½	75
Freehold " "	100	476,100	300,000	3	77
" " " 20 per cent		843,000	.....	3	75
Hamilton Provident & Inv't Soc.	100	1,100,000	300,000	3	110
Huron & Erie Ln. & Savings Co	50	1,000,000	750,000	4½	177
" " 20 per cent	.....	400,000	.....	4½	169
Imperial Loan & Inv't Co	100	725,155	160,000	3	80
Landed Banking & Loan Co	100	700,000	160,000	3	112
London & Can. Ln. & Agency Co	50	700,000	210,000	1½qr	60
London Loan Co	50	631,500	83,000	3	107
London & Ontario Investment	100	550,006	100,000	3	95
Manitoba & North-West Loan Co	100	375,000	50,000	....	45
North of Scotland Can. Mortg. Co	£10	730,000	418,533	5	.....
Ontario Loan & Debenture Co	50	1,200,000	490,000	3½	122
Peoples Loan & D. Co	50	599,429	40,000	....	112
Real Estate Loan Co	40	373,720	50,000	2	63
Toronto Savings & Loan	100	600,000	105,000	3	127
Union Loan & Savings Co	50	699,020	200,000	1	38
Western Canada " "	50	1,000,000	770,000	3	85
" 25 per cent	.....	500,000		3	90

* After deducting $511.982 for reinsurance † After deducting $792,049 for reinsurance. ‡ex rights.

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