CHICAGO MARKET.

ON WAR NEWS WHEAT AT LIVERPOOL ADVANCED ¼ — THE RALLY WAS TAKEN UP BY NEW YORK AND CHICAGO — NO SPECULATIVE STIMULUS IN THE SITUATION.

Chicago, Oct. 31.

With war news and the consequent covering of shorts, there was an advance in wheat at Liverpool today. Openings were less strong, but they were firm, they being ¼ higher in December and March wheat, while in May closing and opening were the same. Dec. wheat closed 5-11; March 6-0¼; May 6-0½, and they opened at 5-11¼, 6-0⅜, 6-0⅜.

Corn at Liverpool was ¼ lower with fair demand, but at lower rates.

New York—Here on the cabled Liverpool advance December wheat opened at 75¼, being ⅜ higher than the closing price, 74⅞; and May wheat at 78⅜-¾, ¼ or ⅜ above yesterday's close.

Chicago—Openings in provisions were for pork at the same price; for lard 2 and 3 cents down; for short ribs 2 cents down. In corn and oats the market opened dull on the same levels, but wheat showed an advance of ⅜ in May and December varieties. Northwest cars were 906 this week, as against 798 last week and 1,725 last year. There is still a want of speculative interest One authority gives assurance that Europe will need all America's surplus. Another claims that the world's supply and demand are just about equal. Still another points to the liberal visible supplies, augmented this year by South American exports, and to foreign buyers holding aloof and on any of these conditions alone speculation is at a standstill. The Liverpool higher cable on the war news may give the initial impulse that is required. It will cause a rally from covering of short contracts and perhaps will reach into more lasting effects.

BRADSTREET VISIBLE SUPPLY.

Wheat, inc., east of Rockies ...	2,090,000
Wheat, dec. Europe	900,000
	1,190,000
Corn, inc.	462,000
Oats, dec.	220,000

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

	Closing prices Oct. 25	26	27	28	30	To-day's prices: Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Wheat—									
May	74⅛ B	74⅜	74 A	73⅝-¾	73½-⅝	73⅞	74⅛	73⅞	74⅛ A
Oct	.....	.....	.....	68⅝	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dec	70½-⅝	70⅛	70⅝ B	70⅛	69⅞-70 B	70⅛	70⅛	70⅛	70⅝ B
Corn—									
May	33⅛	33⅜	33 A	32⅞	32⅞ A	32⅞	33	32⅝	32⅞ B
Oct	31⅝	.....	31⅝	.....	31⅛	.....	31⅛	.....	31⅛
Dec	31½-⅝	32	31⅞ A	31⅝	31⅝ A	31⅝	31⅝	31⅛	31⅛ B
Oats—									
May	24½	24⅛	24⅛-⅜	24⅜	24⅛ A	24⅛	24⅜	24⅛	24⅛
Oct	22⅛	22⅛	22⅛	.....	22⅛	.....	.....	.....	22⅛
Dec	22⅝	22⅛	22⅜	22⅛	22⅛ A	22⅛	22⅛	22⅜	22⅛
Pork—									
Jan	9 60	9 57 A	9 57-60	9 60-5	9 70	9 70	9 75	9 62	9 72
Oct	8 00	.....	.....	.....	8 05	....	8 05	.....	8 05
Dec	8 05	8 02 A	8 05	8 07	8 17	.....	8 15	8 10	8 15
Lard—									
Jan	5 37	5 37	5 37-40	5 37-40	5 37-40	5 35	5 35	5 32	5 32
Oct	5 17	.....	.....	.....	5 17	.....	.....	.....	5 12
Dec	5 20	5 20	5 20 B	5 22	5 20-22	5 17	5 17	5 15	5 15 B
Sht ribs—									
Jan	4 97	4 95-97	4 95-7	4 95-5	5 00	4 95	4 97	4 95	4 95 B
Oct	4 82	4 80	4 80	.....	4 85	.....	4 85	4 80	4 85
Dec	4 82	4 80	4 80	4 85	4 87 A	.....	.....	.....	4 82

Puts and Calls for Nov. 1— Puts, Dec. Wheat 70⅛ Calls " " 70⅝ Puts, May Corn 32⅞ Calls, " " 33

Curb Dec. Wheat 70⅝

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	123½
Western Assurance	40	1,000,000	†296,743	5	164
Canada Life	400	125,000	... .	10	535
Confederation Life Association	100	100,000	.....	7½	.....
Imperial Life Assurance Co	100	450,000	47,821	...	148
Consumers' Gas	50	1,700,000	.....	2½qr	225
Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land Co	40	400,000	.....	...	59
Victoria Rolling Stock Co	5000	60,000	60,000	10	.....
Toronto Electric Light Co., Old	100	1,400,000	.....	1¾	134¾
" " " " New	.....	240,000	.....	1¾	132
Canadian General Electric Co	100	900,000	40,000	4	166
" " " " 20 p.c	100	300,000	.....	3	106
Hamilton Electric Light	100	250,000	60,000	1	66
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	97
Canada Permanent Ln. & Sav. Co	50	2,000,000	1,200,000	3	121
" " 20 per cent		600,000			112½
Canadian Savings & Loan Co	50	734,175	220,000	3	113
Central Canada Ln. & Sav's Co	100	875,000	380,000	1½qr	134
" " 20 per cent		325,000			.....
Dominion Savings and Invest. Soc	50	930,627	70,000	2½	75
Freehold " "	100	476,100	800,000	3	.....
" " " 20 per cent		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	4½	180
" " 20 per cent	.....	400,000	.....	4½	170
Imperial Loan & Inv't Co	100	725,155	160,000	3	80
Landed Banking & Loan Co	100	700,000	160,000	3	111½
London & Can. Ln. & Agency Co	50	700,000	210,000	1½qr	67
London Loan Co	50	631,500	83,000	3	106½
London & Ontario Investment	100	550,000	100,000	3	85
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	121½
Peoples Loan & D. Co	50	599,429	40,000	....	20
Real Estate Loan Co	40	373,720	50,000	2	64
Toronto Savings & Loan	100	600,000	105,000	3	121
Union Loan & Savings Co	50	699,020	200,000	1	38
Western Canada " "	50	1,000,000	770,000	3	100
" 25 per cent	.....	500,000		3	95

* After deducting $511,982 for reinsurance. † After deducting $792 049 for reinsurance.
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