LIVELY LITTLE CURRENT.

THE WORLD'S REPRESENTATIVE AT THIS NORTHERN VILLAGE.

Its Charming Scenery, Splendid Situation and Hopeful Prospects—A Campers' Paradise—Its Fish and Game—Interminable Channels and Charming Islands

Commencing with Manitowaning, we referred in a general way to the Grand Manitoulin Islands. It is now next in order for us to notice Little Current, a rapidly-growing centre of this charming northern district.

In another commendable supplement of the enterprising Manitoulin Expositor we are told in no exaggerated terms that a few years ago Little Current was generally supposed to be in the neighborhood of the Lake of the Woods, and that even now many people in Ontario have a hazy idea that the war whoop of the Iroquois may be heard at any moment.

It is stated that next to Sault Ste. Marie Little Current is the most important point in Eastern Algoma. Its situation on the only navigable channel for lake craft at this point makes it the key of the Georgian Bay, and all the various vessels plying on these waters have to pass close by its docks, and it thus forms a convenient point of supply. To the farmer and mechanic Little Current offers special advantages. Its convenient shipping facilities in summer and its nearness to the C.P.R. in winter render it an essentially "front" settlement, and the demand for labor, skilled and unskilled, insures to the newcomer a good living, while the certain development of the place guarantees to the investor a profitable return for his money. Lumbering and building interests are active, and the place in general has a prosperous and go-ahead appearance. The village of Little Current itself is pleasantly situated on the channel from which it takes its name and in the midst of the most delightful scenery in Canada. There is quite a perceptible current here which runs both ways, but does not in any way interfere with navigation or even with pleasure boating. The population of Little Current is 700 and it can easily be seen that the lumbering interests are largely represented here from the fact of the annual output of lumber being 20,000,000 feet.

A projected railway, which is to be completed within the next three years, will connect it with the general railway system of Canada and bring it within 15 hours' ride of Toronto.

Good farming land can be purchased at reasonable figures and a ready market is had for all kinds of agricultural produce. No fancy prices are asked for either farm or village property, and even the speculator, be he honest and upright in principle, may find in Little Current a good field. The honest and conservative Islanders, however, have no use for any dead beat real estate agents. Three good hotels, which will be more fully referred to later on, furnish excellent accommodation to travelers, and those in search of health and pleasure will find unending variety and beauty in the thousand rocky and picturesque islands which dot the channels, with the bold and rugged outlines of the Laurentide range, here called the Lacloche Mountains, reaching an elevation of 2500 feet above the sea.

Little Current as a summer resort has only to be known to become popular.

The channels between the Grand Manitoulin and the mainland are studded with islands, which in variety of form and picturesque beauty equal the far-famed Thousand Islands of the St. Lawrence, while from an artistic standpoint they have the immense superiority of still retaining their natural scenery and primeval wild grandeur and beauty, and backed as they are with the picturesque outline of the mountain scenery of Lacloche Island the ever-changing beauty of which adds the charm of constant variety to the scene.

The scenery at the mouth of the White Fish River opposite Little Current is equal to anything of the kind in Canada, and in a smaller country that this grand land of ours would have long since become a crowded resort for tourists. The narrow channels between the islands are full of black bass running from 2 to 5 lbs. and the fly fishing for this truly game fish in June and July will afford sport enough to satisfy the most exacting. Muskalonge are also plentiful and can be caught up to twenty-five and thirty pounds at almost all seasons and lake trout from five to twenty pounds for about two weeks in June and late in the fall.

Wild duck and geese congregate in thousands in the fall and are especially plentiful in the wild rice beds at the mouth of the White Fish.

On Lacloche Island, opposite Little Current, bears are an everyday occurrence in the summer and autumn. Partridge and rabbits are numerous and on the mainland moose, cariboo and red deer are plentiful and are as yet seldom disturbed.

As a spot for camping and canoeing the islands opposite Little Current are without an equal. The many sheltered channels and charmingly beautiful small lakes on Lacloche Islands abounding in fish are a veritable sportsman's paradise, and the campers, canoeists, tourists and pleasure-seekers generally would find it well worth their while to pay this highly favored and picturesque region a visit. Why run away in crowded railway trains to the barren sands of the sea shore while there are so many places of much greater interest and beauty nearer home almost unexplored, and offering innumerable charms o'er island, lake and river?

No more favorite route could be chosen than that offered by the fine steamers of the Great Northern Transit Company from Collingwood, Meaford, Owen Sound and Wiarton, at any of which points the steamers can be taken. They are the Pacific, Atlantic and Baltic, all officered by experienced and courteous gentlemen who take a pride and pleasure in pointing out and describing to travelers and tourists the many special features and interesting places along this picturesque route. Full particulars, fares and rates, which are very reasonable, can be obtained from local agents, or will be readily furnished to correspondents who address the well and favorably known manager of the company, Mr. Charles Cameron of Collingwood.

It is understood that $10,000 is to be expended by the government this year in the channel here and a like sum each year for six years in improving the waterways of this important route.

In Little Current there are 3 churches, Methodist, Episcopal and Presbyterian. The first named is a fine solid looking structure of native stone, a kind of granite found here in large quantities. There is also a first-class school, and altogether an enterprising, sociable and well informed class of people.

The Press

is well represented here by The Manitoulin Expositor, which under the able management of its popular editor and proprietor, Mr. Stuart Jenkins, has lately assumed a new dress, and Little Current now has one of the neatest and best printed as well as one of the most sensibly edited of our provincial newspapers. It is an independent and patriotic Canadian newspaper, and with it the interests of the district in which it is published are very properly first. Mr. Jenkins is well known throughout this districts and probably no one here is better acquainted with the surroundings, and to him we are indebted for many interesting particulars of Little Current and vicinity. He is a splendid canoeist, an adept at fishing, fond of camping and an ardent sportsman generally.

The following are the principal business interests of Little Current:

S. Ball

Has what is well known as the old drug store facing the wharves and steamboat landings. He has had an experience of 35 years in the drug business, having been engaged at it since the early age of 11.

He has been here 4 years. Besides a full stock of pure drugs and chemicals he also has stationery, fancy goods, seeds, grains, paints, oils, colors, and varnishes, also fishing tackle. He is a member of the P. S. of G. R. and O. C. P., and a member of the Royal College of Dental Surgeons of London, England.

Sims Bros.

established their business six years ago. They have one of the largest stores here and a wharf in connection where the steamers call. They have a large stock of general drygoods, groceries, boots, shoes, fancy goods, etc., in a store 60x30. They supply a large lumbering trade and do considerable jobbing, paying cash for furs and farmers' produce, and they supply large quantities of provisions to the north shore lumbering districts. They also supply a general line of all kinds of goods required throughout the district.

H. Currie

has the new drug store directly opposite The Expositor office and next door to the postoffice. Besides a large and full stock of drugs and medicines he has stationery, fancy goods, wall papers, paints, oils, varnishes of the Toronto Lead and Color Co., etc. Although only opened in business here about one month the store presents a neat and attractive appearance and is fitted up equal to a city drug store, and superior to most of them. It is a credit to the growing village of Little Current.

The Royal Hotel,

of which Porter & Mackay are proprietors, was built in 1876 by Bryan Mackay, father of one of the present enterprising proprietors, who assumed control of it last May. It is the nearest hotel to the steamboat landings and Sims' dock; 30 guests can be accommodated and travelers and tourists are always welcome and made comfortable. Commodious sample rooms for commercial travelers. Boats and guides are furnished for tourists. There is first-class fishing in the immediate vicinity. Mr. Porter is an authority on sporting news in Little Current.

Isaac Turner

started business in Little Current 10 years ago, being the oldest established here. Seven years ago he was appointed postmaster, and still holds that office. He has a large general store and carries all the lines of a first-class general store and supplies a large lumbering trade. They have a storehouse and wharf opposite the store, and in the hall above the storehouse the local courts and council meetings are held.

Alexander Irving,

a brother of the well-known J. C. Irving of Manitowaning, has a general store here opposite the Queen's Hotel, where he keeps a large general stock of drygoods, boots, shoes, clothing, hats and caps, crockery, groceries, flour and feed, seeds, canned goods, etc., etc., and has a large lumbering and milling trade. He intends enlarging his present premises to accommodate larger stock.

Wm. McMinn

two years ago purchased the well-known Queen's Hotel here on the corner of Robinson and Water-streets. It has a prominent and central situation and from the upper windows commands views of the surrounding channels and islands; 40 guests can be comfortably accommodated and there are large sample rooms. Boats are kept for the use of guests. Mr. McMinn says in all his experience he never saw any place where the bass and pike fishing is as good as it is here. Pike weighing as much as 25 lbs. are frequently taken, and last August one reaching the remarkable weight of 29 lbs. was captured in a shallow channel among the islands.

A. Meetch

has the watchmaking and jewelry shop of Little Current and has been here for two years. He also carries a stock of silver-plated ware, fancy goods, stationery and musical instruments. He warrants all his work and gives satisfaction to his customers. He keeps on hand a varied stock of Indian goods, which he deals in both wholesale and retail.

John Hastie

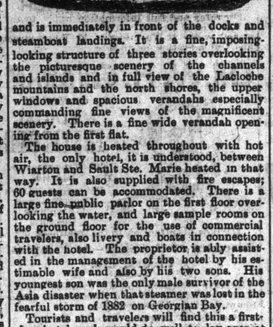
has been in the carriage making and blacksmithing business in Little Current for the past 5 years. He builds all kinds of carriages and does repairing in all its branches. He has a prosperous and increasing business, but on account of a change he desires to make he will dispose of his property and business here cheap for cash. For further particulars apply to John Hastie, Little Current, Manitoulin.

Humphrey May

forty-five years ago was born at Manitowaning, being the first white boy born in the Manitoulin. Both his parents were, as he called them, Canucks, and came from near Toronto. Twenty-six years ago Mr. May came to Little Current and now has a comfortable home here. He is conductor, a livery stable, and supplies conveyances of all kinds and keeps boats for tourists, travelers, fishing and camping parties. Anyone visiting Little Current should see Mr. May, as he can give very interesting details of the early settlement of Manitoulin Islands, too lengthy to be published in this present article.

J. Tinkiss,

is the well-known and popular proprietor of the Mansion House. It was built last summer,



and is immediately in front of the docks and steamboat landings. It is a fine, imposing-looking structure of three stories overlooking the picturesque scenery of the channels and islands and in full view of the Lacloche mountains and the north shores, the upper windows and spacious verandahs especially commanding fine views of the magnificent scenery. There is a fine wide verandah opening from the first flat.

The house is heated throughout with hot air, the only hotel, it is understood, between Wiarton and Sault Ste. Marie heated in this way. It is also supplied with fire escapes; 60 guests can be accommodated. There is a large fine public parlor on the first floor overlooking the water, and large sample rooms on the ground floor for the use of commercial travelers, also livery and boats in connection with the hotel. The proprietor is ably assisted in the management of the hotel by his estimable wife and also by his two sons. His youngest son was the only male survivor of the Asia disaster when that steamer was lost in the fearful storm of 1882 on Georgian Bay.

Tourists and travelers will find this a first-class hotel, and would do well to lay over at Little Current when making the Manitoulin trip.

The Picnic Island Mills,

owned and operated by Messrs. J. & T. Conlon, though in operation only since 10th May last, are already doing an extensive business. Messrs. Conlon, who have their headquarters at Thorold and large paper mills at Merritton, seeing the advantage of establishing a large saw mill at Little Current to handle their timber limits on the North Shore, purchased Picnic Island here from Captain Campbell, the well known lake captain of the popular steamer Pacific, and established their extensive saw mills at the date named. They have already cut about 1,500,000 feet of lumber and are at present cutting about 100,000 feet per day. They employ about 100 men. The mill is 154x50 feet with engine and boiler attached and consists of two circular saws and gang saw. They have all kinds of pine lumber on hand and export large quantities, using a steam barge and consort and steam tug of their own for that purpose. Their improved waterworks system for the protection of their mills decreases the rate of insurance they would otherwise have to pay. The senior member of the firm makes frequent trips up here to inspect and supervise the management of the mills. This enterprising firm have an extensive dredging contract on hand with the Harbor Commission of Toronto and other important interests which require careful attention.

CHAT ACROSS THE CABLE.

Seminarists in France will now have to undergo a year's military service, and clerical reserves will perform infirmary services.

The indictment against the Boulangists charges Boulanger, Dillon and Rochefort with conspiracy against the State.

The Pope, at the recent consistory, advised that Cardinal Lavigerie be selected as his successor.

Despatches received at Zanzibar say Capt. Wissmann has attacked the Arab forces at Bangani.

It is stated the Delagoa Bay Railway Company will oppose arbitration unless the line is first replaced in its hands.

A number of bishops and others have petitioned the Vatican to canonize Christopher Columbus on the anniversary of the discovery of America.

The marriage of Princess Louise of Wales and the Earl of Fife will take place on July 27.

Thomas P. Gill and Joseph R. Cox, Nationalists M.Ps. were arrested in London yesterday.

While Emperor William and party were viewing the Buan glacier in Norway, a great mass of ice became displaced and a fragment struck the Emperor, dashing him violently to the ground.

MARKETS AND EXCHANGES.

Local Stocks Dull and Firmer—The Money Market Easy.

TUESDAY EVENING, July 9.

Prices on the local stock exchange were a little stronger to-day, but business continued dull. Transactions totaled 153 shares. Quotations are as follows:

BANKS.	12 M. Ask'd.	12 M. Bid.	3.30 P.M. Asked.	3.30 P.M. Bid.
Montreal	228¼	228¼	228¼	227
Ontario	139	138	139½	138
Molsons	...	...	...	...
Toronto	253	251½	254½	250
Merchants'	147	144	145	144
Commerce	123	122½	122¾	122¼
Imperial	149¼	148	148	148
Dominion	224	223	224	223
Standard	126	125¼	126	125¼
Hamilton	...	148¼	...	148¼
MISCELLANEOUS.				
British America	98	96½	98½	98
Western Assurance	146	145	...	145
Consumers' Gas	...	171¾	...	171¾
Dominion Telegraph	85	84½	85	84¾
Northwest Land Co.	...	...	...	...
Can. Pacific Rail. Grant Bonds	85¼	85	85¼	85¼
LOAN COMPANIES.				
Canada Permanent	206	...	...	...
Freehold	140	141	...	141
Western Canada	...	184	...	184
Union	102	102	...	102
Can. Landed Credit	...	116¼	...	...
B. & Loan Association	...	107¼	...	...
Farmers' L. & Savings	...	...	...	...
Lon. & Can. L. & A.	125¼	120	...	...
People's Loan	117	...	...	...

Transactions: In the forenoon—15 of Western Canada at 185, 2 of Landed Credit at 116¼, 24 of B. and Loan Association at 107½. In the afternoon—20 and 52 of Standard at 126; 25 of British America at 98; 20 of Dominion S.S.L. at 93.

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MONTREAL STOCKS.

MONTREAL, July 9, 12.50 p.m.—Montreal, 229 and 227½; Ontario, 140 and 137; People's, 102½ and 102; Molsons, 178 and 176; Toronto, 255 and 249½; Merchants', 147 and 145; Union, offered, 94; Commerce, 123 and 122½; Mont. Tel., 95 and 94½; N. W. Land, 85½ and 81; Richelieu, 64½ and 63; Passenger, 210 and 209½; Gas Co., 203½ and 202½; C. P. R., 55½ and 54½, sales 200 at 55; Canada Cotton Co., 50 and 35; Dundas Cotton Co., 42 and 38; Hochelaga Cotton Co., 170 and 140.

MONTREAL, July 9, 2.40 p.m.—Montreal, 229 and 227; Ontario, asked, 140; People's, 102 and 101; Toronto, asked, 256; Merchants', 146½ and 146; Union, asked, 94; Commerce, 123½ and 122½; Mont. Tel., 95 and 94½; Richelieu, asked, 61; Passenger, 210 and 205; Gas Co., 204 and 203; C. P. R., 55½ and 54½.

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LONDON STOCKS AND BONDS.

LONDON, July 9, 12.30 p.m.—Consols, 98½ for money and account; U. S. 4's, 131; U.S. 4½'s, 108½; Erie, 36½; Erie 2nds, 104½; C.P.R., 56¾; N.Y.C., 108¾; Ill. Cen., 114½; bank rate, 2½.

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	Buyers.	Sellers.	Counter.
New York Exchange	⅛ dis	1-16 dis	¼ to ¼ pm
Sixty days' sterling	9 5-16	9 5-16	9¾ to 9⅞
Demand do	9⅞	9¾	9⅞ to 10

RATES FOR STERLING IN NEW YORK.

	Posted.	Actual.
Sixty days	4.87	4.85¾ to 4.86
Demand	4.88¾	4.87¾ to 4.88
Bank of England rate	2½ p.c.	

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THE MONEY MARKET.

Rates for loans in the local market are as follows:

Call Money on Stocks	4½ to 5	per cent.
On Bonds	4 to 4½	" "
On Commercial Paper	6 to 7	" "
On Real Estate	6 to 6½	" "

Call money in New York is quoted at 4 per cent. The Bank of England rate remains at 2½ per cent.

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Grain and Produce.

On call at the Board of Trade to-day $1.05 was asked for No. 2 fall at outside points, $1 bid; $1.04 was bid for spot No. 2 fall; $1.09 was asked for No. 1 spring, $1.03 bid; 88c was asked for year spring; $1.08 was asked for spot spring and $1.03 for No. 2 red on track; No. 1 hard was offered at $1.15, Port Arthur inspection, $1.12 bid.

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THE STREET MARKET.

The receipts of grain to-day were one load of goose, one load of peas and one load of oats. We quote nominally spring $1, red and fall $1.03, goose 83c, barley nominal at 53c, oats 34c, peas 57c. Thirteen loads of hay were received and three loads of straw. There were nine loads of new hay, but the demand for it is not, of course, as good as for old hay. We quote old hay $13 to $14.50, new hay $9 to $10; straw $9 to $10; loose straw nominally $6. Dressed hogs, $6.50 to $7.25. Mutton, $8 to $9. Spring lamb, hindquarters, $1 to $1.75; forequarters, 75c to $1.25. Veal, $5 to $7 forequarters, $11 to $12 hindquarters.

THE RETAIL MARKET.

At the St. Lawrence market there was a better market and a better enquiry to-day. Quotations: Beef, sirloin, 15c; round steak, 10c to 12½c. Mutton, legs, 12½c; chops, 15c. Lamb, 18c for hind, and 12½c for forequarters. Veal, best cuts, 15c; inferior, 5c to 10c. Pork, chops, 12c. Butter, pound rolls, 18c to 22c; inferior, 11c to 12c. Lard, tubs, 15c. Cheese, 11c to 12c. Bacon, 10c to 14c. Eggs, fresh laid, 13c to 15c. Chickens, 50c to 65c per pair. Ducks, 80c to $1. Potatoes, bag, 65c to 70c; new Canadian, per peck, 40c. Onions, new, per doz., 15c to 30c. Celery, 75c per doz. bunches. Canadian cabbages, doz., 75c to $1.25. Beans, 75c a peck. Peas, 40c per peck. Lettuce, per dozen, 30c. Radishes, per doz. bunches, 30c to 40c. Rhubarb, per dozen bunches, 40c. Asparagus, per dozen bunches, 60c. Cucumbers, 50c to $5 per dozen. Cauliflower, 10c to 25c apiece. New beets, per bunch, 5c. New carrots, 5c per bunch. Tomatoes, 75c a basket. Watermelons, 50c each.

PROVISIONS.

The provision trade is steady. Prices: butter, 11 to 13c per lb; eggs, 11½c per doz.; lard, American, 9 3-4 to 10c per lb; Canadian, 10½ to 11c; cheese, 9 to 9½c per lb; hams, 12c per lb; bacon, 8¾ to 9 3-4c per lb; smoked hams, 12c per lb; breakfast bacon, 12c per lb.

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FLOUR, ETC.

Wholesale quotations for the product of country mills are as follows: Patent winter, $5.15 to $5.30 per bbl; patent spring, $5.15 to $5.40; straight roller, $4.50 to $4.60; strong bakers, $4.65 to $4.80. City mills quote as follows: Patent spring, $5.30; patent fall, $5.75; Manitoba patent, $6; Manitoba bakers, $5.50; choice family, $5.05; family, $4.35 to $5.05; strong bakers, $5.25; straight roller, $4.40; bran, $11 a ton.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

Wholesale quotations are as follows: Water melons, 35 to 40c each; musk melons, $3 to $3.50 per crate; California pears, $5 a box; California plums, $2.75 to $3 a box; oranges per box, $5 to $6; lemons per case, $5 to $5.50; bananas per bunch, $1.25 to $1.75; strawberries, Canadian, 75c to $1 a box; cocoanuts, 40c each; tomatoes, $3.50 to $4 a crate; cucumbers, $3.50 a crate; Bermuda onions, $1 a crate; cabbage, $1.25 a crate; apples, $1.75 to $2 a barrel; Californian peaches, $3.25 a box; Californian apricots, $2.25 a box; St. Louis potatoes, $2.25 a barrel; cherries, $1.75 a basket.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, July 9.—Wheat firm, demand poor, holders offer sparingly. Corn quiet; demand poor. Spring wheat, 7s 2d to 7s 3d; red winter, 6s 8½d to 6s 9½d; No. 1 Cal., 7s 1½d to 7s 2½d; corn, 3s 10d; peas, 5s 6d; pork, 63s; lard, 33s 6d; bacon, long cleared, 38s; short cleared, 33s 6d; tallow, 24s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 45s.

BEERBOHM'S REPORT.

LONDON, July 9.—Floating cargoes—Wheat hardening; corn nil. Arrivals—Wheat 2; sold, nil; waiting orders, wheat 4. Cargoes on passage—Wheat strong; corn firm. Mark Lane—Spot good No. 2 club Cal. wheat, 32s 6d was 32s 3d; present and following month, 32s 6d was 32s; present and following month, 33s 6d was 33s 3d; do Walla off coast, 33s 6d was 33s; present and following month, 33s 6d was 33s; do mixed American corn, present and following month, 18s 9d was 18s 6d; No. 2 red winter wheat, prompt steamer, 31s 6d was 31s; present and following month, 31s 6d was 31s. French country markets quiet. Weather in England fine. Liverpool—Spot wheat and corn strong; No. 1 Cal., 7s 2½d; No. 2 Cal., 6s 11½d; both 1½d dearer; American red winter, 6s 9d; India, 6s 11½d; both ½d dearer; spring nominal; flour, 24s, 5d dearer; corn, 3s 10½d, unchanged; peas, 5s 3d, 3d dearer. On passage to United Kingdom—Wheat, 1,615,000 qrs.; corn, 600,000 qrs.; do to continent—Wheat, 212,000 qrs.; corn, 153,000 qrs.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, July 9.—Cotton—Firm, fairly active; uplands 11 3-16. Flour—Very firm, fairly active, 5c to 10c higher. Wheat—Receipts 550 bush., exports 76,593 bush.; sales, 1,656,000 bush. futures, 52,000 bush. spot; spot dull, ¼c to ½c higher, firm; No. 2 red 88c to 88½c store; No. 1 red $1; No 1 white 92½c to 93c; options dull, 8c to ½c higher, strong; No. 2 red July 88¼, Aug. 87¾, Sept. 87, Oct. 87⅞, Dec. 89⅛, May 94. Corn—Receipts 5400 bush.; exports 171,902 bush.; sales 816,000 bush. futures, 312,000 bush. spot; spot active, ½c higher, firm; ungraded mixed 45½ to 45¾; options moderately active, stronger, July 42¾, Aug. 43, Sept. 43⅛, Oct. 43¼. Oats—Receipts 36,000 bush.; sales 450,000 bush. futures, 72,000 bush. spot; spot dull, weaker; options fairly active, lower, steady; July 28, Aug. 28¼, Sept. 27⅞, Oct. 28¼, May 31¼, spot No. 2 28 to 28¼, mixed western 28 to 30, white western 33 to 39. Sugar—Dull, firm; standard "A" 9, cut loaf, crushed and powdered 9 5-8, granulated 9⅛.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, July 9.—The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—July 84¾, Aug. 84½, Sept. 80¼, Dec. 82⅞. Corn—Aug. 35¼, Sept. 36¼, Oct. 36¼. Oats—Aug. 22, Sept. 22¼. Pork—Aug. $11.50, Sept. $11.55, Oct. $10.50. Lard—Aug. $6.32½, Sept. $6.40. Short-ribs—Aug. $5.80, Sept. $5.85, Oct. $5.75. Cash quotations were: No. 2 spring wheat 84¼, No. 2 red 83¾, No. 2 corn 36, No. 2 oats 22½, pork $11.50, lard $6.30, short-ribs sides, $5.80 to $5.85, dry-salted shoulders $5.25, short clear-sides $6.12½ to $6.25. Receipts—Flour 12,000 bbls, wheat 10,000 bush, corn 311,000 bush, oats 136,000 bush, rye 5000 bush, barley 1000 bush. Shipments—Flour 16,000 bbls, wheat 68,000 bush, corn 42,000 bush, oats 41,000 bush, rye 4000 bush, barley none.

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