# World's Visible Shows Decrease And Wheat Market Strengthens

WEDNESDAY MORNING

Buying Force Receives Impetus From Big Falling Off in Available of wheat here and near at hand. Cables Prices as a Rule Were Easier-Supplies-Corn and Oats Firm.

FARM PRODUCE WHOLESALE.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Peas-No. 2, \$1.15 to \$1.25, outside.

CHICAGO, March 19.-Buying force | day from a big falling off in the world's available supply total. Forecast of a cold wave strengthened coarse grain and indirectly had also a bullish effect on wheat. The latter cereal finished 1-8c to 3-8c net higher, corn up 1-4c to 1-2c, oats at an advance of 1-4c to 1-2c, Turkeys, dress

thought in view of cable despatches telling of further decreases in European stocks. There was likely fear of crop damage reports as the snew and ice disappeared in the winter crop belt of the United States. On the other hand, the huge pile of contract wheat in store here was not diminishing to any appreciable extent, whereas shipments to this city continued from Illi-ncis, Indiana and Michigan. Notwithstanding important selling which took place on all swells, the wheat market averaged well above last night's level, except during the first hour. The highest point of the day was reached after the news of 2,709,000 bushel decrease in

Corn irregular, Oats Strong.

It was the general impression in the corn crowd that one of the largest shorts was trying to cover May, but meanwhile selling July. There was a great deal of realizing by longs on the buige. Prospects of an extension of the feeding season kept the bears subdued and induced purchasing of futures here by the southwest, May ranged from 70 3-8c to 71 1-2c, closing steady at 71c to 71 1-8c, a gain of 3-8c to 71 1-2c, closing steady

Speculators who were buying corn were Country his companion feed stiff

The visible supply of wheat in Canada is week is 2,551,000 bushels, an intease for the week of 700,000 bushels, at snow 6,398,000 bushels, increase 13,000 bushels.

Fort William ..... 10,795,000
Port Arthur ..... 5,333,000 

World's Visible. World's Visible.

Bradstreet's estimates show that the world's total visible wheat supply during the past week decreased 2,709,000 bushels, corn increased 467,000 bushels, and oats decreased 1,802,000 bushels. The details of the wheat changes follow: Wheat east of Rockies, decrease 1,619,000; west of Rockies, decrease 1,619,000; Canada, decrease 1,890,000: U. S. and Canada, decrease 1,890,000: U. S. and Canada, decrease 1,509,000. Total decrease, 2,709,000 per bushels.

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European Visible.

European visible wheat this week, 78,700,000 bushels, against 77,282,000 bushels last week, an increase of 1,418,000 bushels against an increase of 1,418,000 bushels. Last year there was an increase of 600,000 bushels. Last year there was an increase of 600,000 bushels. When the total was 114,200,000 bushels.

Winnipeg Grain Market.

J. P. Bickell & Co., Standard Bank Building, report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade:

eign crop conditions is as follows:

United Kingdom—Sowing of the new crop is progressing slowly as a result of unfavorable weather.

France and Germany—In the lowlands the outlook is mostly favorable. Offerings of native wheat are moderate owing to the fact that farmers are busy with field work. The weather is seasonable.

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of wheat here and near at hand. Cables on the whole were stronger and bids were 1940 higher. The local and outside demand for oats for prompt shipment was fairly sood, of which supplies are small and process steady. The demand for four tor consentic and export account countries of the state of the state

Liverpool Grain Prices.

Liverpool, Mar. 18.—Closing—Wheat—Spot steady. No. 3 Man., 8s 8d; futures firm; March, 8s 34d; May, 7s 8%d; July, 7s 6%d.

Corn—Sput steady: American mixed, new, 6s 4d; do., old, 8s 11d; do., new, kiln dried, 6s 7%d; futures dull; May, 6s 3d; Sept., 5s 2%d.

Flour—Winter patents, 29s 3d.

Hops—In London (Pacific Coast), £10 to £11 5s.

Wheat Market

Dosed. Prices ranged we heard of one cow bringing \$60.

Veal Caives.

Good veal caives are in demand at \$6 to \$8.50; common to medium, \$4 to \$5, and "Bobs", \$2 to \$3 each.

Sheep and Lambs.

Wesley Dunn reports sheep ewes at \$4.50 to \$5.50 per ewt.; rams, \$3.50 to \$4.50; lambs, \$6.50 to \$8.

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Representative Sales.

Ontario flour-Winter wheat flour, \$3.98 seaboard. Millfeed-Manitoba bran, \$25 per ton: shorts, \$27; Ontario bran, \$25, in bags; shorts, \$27, car lots, track, Toronto.

DULUTH, March 19.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, \$1.07%; No. 1 northern, \$1.06%; No. 2 do., \$1.03% to \$1.04%; May, \$1.06%; July,

Minneapotis Grain Market.

Minneapotis Mar. 13-Close—Wheat
—May, \$1,05½; July, \$1.07½; No. 1 hard.
\$1.08; No. 1 northern, \$1.07½; No. 2 northern, \$1.05½; No. 3 wheat, \$1.081½.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, \$7c to \$7½c.
Oats—No. 3 white, \$1½c to \$7½c.
Oats—No. 2 \$8c to \$8½c.

Rye—No. 2, \$8c to \$8½c.

Bran—\$25 to \$25.50.

Flour—First patents, \$5 to \$5.30; second patents, \$4.65 to \$4.90; first clears, \$3.40 to \$3.75; second clears, \$2.30 to \$2.70. ©

Buffalo Grain Market

BUFFALO. March 19.—Spring wheat dull; No. 1 northern. carloads, store, \$1.16½; winter firm, No. 2 red, \$1.03; No. 2 red, \$1.03; No. 2 red, \$1.01.

Corn—Higher; No. 3 yellow, 72½c; No. 4 yellow, 70c; No. 3 corn, 72½c; No. 4 corn, 69¾c, all on track, thru-billed.
Oats—Stronger; No. 2 white, 57; No. 3 white, 55%c; No. 4 white, 55

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Ings of native wheat are moderate owing to the fact that farmers are busy with field work. The weather is seasonable.

Roumania, Bulgaria, Hungary and Turkey—The condition of the winter crops is good. The outlook for the spring crops is favorable. Supples of native wheat are light, but an increase is expected, but in wheat the increase in the movement will be moderate. The weather is easesonable.

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Wheat—Our advices from Minneapolis are to the effect that interior elevators condition. Full particulars from any

are to the effect that interior elevators are shipping freely, owing to better transportation facilities, but the farmers are not selling on the recent decline. This would indicate, therefore, that fairly liberal receipts may be looked for some time to come. We do not care to express an opinion about May wheat, and would advise our friends to ignore it as a trading proposition, but purchases of July wheat on the weak spots still seem to be profitable.

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Lola, aged five, had spent the afternoon at a neighbor's. "I hope you behaved like a lady," said her mother when she returned.

"Sure I did," Lola replied. "Every time I yawned I put my hand ever my mouth."—Washington Post.

Winnipeg Wheat Markst.

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Barley—No. 3, 62c; No. 4, 61c; rejected, 46c.
Flax—No. 1 N.W. 51.89; No. 1 Manitoba, 51.83; rejected, 51.67.
Inspections: Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 9: No. 2 do., 17; No. 3 do., 100; No. 4 do., 34; feed, 39; rejected No. 1, 1; rejected No. 2, 2; no grade, 116; rejected, 71 condemned, 1; No. 5, 67; No. 6, 70.
Winter wheat—No. 3 Alberta red, 2; No. 4 red winter, 8; No. 5 do., 5.
Oats—No. 2 Canadian western, 14; No. 3 do., 7; extra No. 1 feed, 14; rejected, 4; no grade, 26; No. 2 mixed, 1.
Flax—No. 1 Man., N.W., 4; No. 1 Man., 56; no grade, 2; condemned, 1.

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Market Notes.

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Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2400. Market active, firm. Choice lambs, \$7.90; to \$7.90; culls to fair, \$8 to \$7.75; yearlings, \$6 to \$7; sheep, \$2 to \$6.25.
Hogs—Receipts, \$500. Market active, 15c to 35c higher. Yorkers, \$7.40 to \$7.70; pigs, \$6.75 to \$6.25; mixed, \$7.60 to \$7.70; heavy, \$7.50 to \$7.60; roughs, \$6 to \$6.75; stags, \$5 to \$5.50.

CHICAGO, March 19.—Cattle—Receipt 4500; market steady to strong; beeve

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OBSOLETE LAWS

What should be done with obsolete laws; laws that were enacted many years ago when conditions were different and when public sentiment was quiee unlike that of the present day? Almost any lawyer could cite scores if not hundreds of statutes that are very severe in themselves, but are never enforced, and ninety-nine per cent. of the people do not know that they exist.

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they exist.

The so-called "blue laws' 'are in this category. So is the law which permits a railroad company to run only one train a day each way over its road on Sunday. So are many others that have long been virtually dead, the they have never been repealed by the legislature or invalidated by direct decision of the courts.

Many claim that such laws are harm-

legislature or invalidated by direct decision of the courts.

Many claim that such laws are harmless, and that even upon rare and unexpected occasions they may be invoked with advantage; but the judgment of less lenient citizens is that every law should either be enforced or be wiped off the statute book. Disresard for one law breeds disregard for other laws, and weakens respect for laws generally. Furthermore, an old law that is invoked as a trap to catch the unwary is, nearly always, invoked thru motives of personal vengeance rather than the public good.

Ohio is struggling with the problem of its dead letter laws. It has a constitutional convention: something New Jersey has not had since 1844 and is not likely to have for many years to come. The remedy which Ohio is considering is that of limiting the life of every law to ten years. If an enactment remains on the statute books for

every law to ten years. If an enact-ment remains on the statute books for a decade, it expires at the end of that time. If it is a good, necessary is re-enacted: if not, it passes out

such a plan. It would reduce the num-ber of laws; it would eliminate ob-solete or unconforceable acts; it would utterly east down solete or unenforceable acts; it would insure up-to-date laws rather than acts half a century old; it would provide a body of enactments representing the spirit of the times and existing conditions, rather than those of a past cra.

On the other hand, it might deprive the state of many valuable, fundamental enactments which present-day legislatures dare not repeal, but which they might refuse to re-enact. It would also to a degree render useless the detailed. If you could only read some of the contract of

legislatures dare not ropeal, but which they might refuse to re-enact. It would also to a degree render useless the decisions of the courts defining personal rights and privileges in so far as they were affected by the expired statutes. The only way New Jersey could obtain the remedy Ohio is considering is by a

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