

# CHICAGO MARKET.

# CHICAGO MARKET—August 1, 1899.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

GRAIN PRICES DID NOT GAIN STRENGTH—MUCH BUSINESS ON OLD BASIS.

Chicago, Aug. 1.

Options here received this morning about the same attention as usual from Montreal, that is about 50,000 bushels are expected to be traded in, this form. Real handling of grain between these cities is of the smallest dimensions. Wheat grain had been stored in Montreal is being got rid of in the locality.

Liverpool cable mentions weather as hot and forcing. Stocks 2,085,000 centals; wheat  $\frac{1}{2}$  lower and inactive with prices steady; corn  $\frac{1}{4}$  lower, dull, very little demand. Curb wheat 69 $\frac{1}{2}$ , corn 30 $\frac{1}{2}$ .

Openings in Lard and in Short Ribs were 5c higher with values tending upwards, but in wheat, corn, and oats the openings were at the same low figures as yesterday's close with a slight movement towards lower level.

|                           | CLOSING PRICES JULY 26 TO JULY 31. |                  |                  |                  |                  | TO-DAY'S PRICES. |                  |                   |                  |
|---------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|
|                           | 26                                 | 27               | 28               | 29               | 31               | Opening.         | Highest.         | Lowest.           | Closing.         |
| Wheat—                    |                                    |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                   |                  |
| July.....                 | 70 $\frac{1}{2}$                   | 69 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 70 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 70 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 68 $\frac{1}{2}$ | .....            | .....            | .....             | .....            |
| Sept.....                 | 71 $\frac{1}{2}$                   | 70 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 71 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 71 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 69 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 69 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 69 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 69                | 69 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Dec.....                  | 76 $\frac{1}{2}$                   | 72 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 73               | 73 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 71 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 71 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 72               | 71                | 71 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Corn—                     |                                    |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                   |                  |
| July.....                 | 32 $\frac{1}{2}$                   | 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 31               | .....            | .....            | .....             | .....            |
| Sept.....                 | 32 $\frac{1}{2}$                   | 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 30 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 30 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 30 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 30                | 30 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Dec.....                  | 31 $\frac{1}{2}$                   | 29 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 30 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 29 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 29 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 29               | 29               | 28 $\frac{1}{2}$  | 28 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Oats—                     |                                    |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                   |                  |
| July.....                 | 24                                 | 23 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 23 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 24 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 20 $\frac{1}{2}$ | .....            | .....            | .....             | .....            |
| Sept.....                 | 19 $\frac{1}{2}$                   | 19 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 19 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 19 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 19 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 19 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 19 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 19                | 19               |
| Dec.....                  | 20 $\frac{1}{2}$                   | 19 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 19 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 19 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 19 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 19 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 19 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 19 $\frac{1}{2}$  | 19 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Pork—                     |                                    |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                   |                  |
| July.....                 | .....                              | .....            | .....            | 8 85             | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....             | .....            |
| Sept.....                 | 8 77                               | 8 75             | 8 80             | 8 85             | 8 25             | 8 32             | 8 42             | 8 25              | 8 27             |
| Oct.....                  | 8 80                               | 8 77             | 8 95             | 8 87             | 8 30             | .....            | 8 47             | 8 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 8 35             |
| Lard—                     |                                    |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                   |                  |
| July.....                 | .....                              | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....             | .....            |
| Sept.....                 | 5 35                               | 5 35             | 5 45             | 5 42             | 5 22             | 5 27             | 5 32             | 5 22              | 5 25             |
| Oct.....                  | 5 40                               | 5 40             | 4 50             | 5 47             | 5 27             | 5 32             | 5 37             | 5 30              | 5 30             |
| Short Ribs—               |                                    |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                   |                  |
| July.....                 | .....                              | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....             | .....            |
| Sept.....                 | 5 07                               | 5 10             | 5 20             | 5 17             | 4 90             | 4 90             | 5 02             | 4 90              | 4 90             |
| Oct.....                  | 5 12                               | 5 15             | 5 25             | 5 20             | 4 95             | 4 97             | 5 02             | 4 95              | 4 95             |
| Puts and Calls for Aug 2— |                                    |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                   |                  |
| Puts, Sept. Wheat.....    | .....                              | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....             | .....            |
| Calls, " ".....           | .....                              | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....             | .....            |
| Puts, Sept. Corn.....     | .....                              | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....             | .....            |
| Calls, " ".....           | .....                              | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....             | .....            |
| Puts & C. for next week—  |                                    |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                   |                  |
| Puts, Sept. Wheat.....    | .....                              | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....             | .....            |
| Calls, " ".....           | .....                              | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....             | .....            |
| Curb.....                 | .....                              | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....            | .....             | .....            |

## BRADSTREET'S VISIBLE SUPPLY.

|                                 |           |
|---------------------------------|-----------|
| Wheat, dec. ....                | 352,000   |
| Corn, " .....                   | 2,918,600 |
| Oats, " .....                   | 427,000   |
| Wheat East of Rockies, dec..... | 552,000   |
| " Europe, inc.....              | 200,000   |

## TWIN CITY RAPID TRANSIT CO.

|                 |                |      |              |
|-----------------|----------------|------|--------------|
| July 1.....     | \$53,828.95    | Inc. | \$4,516.95   |
| " 8.....        | 45,348.20      | "    | 3,936.37     |
| " 15.....       | 47,960.65      | "    | 4,416.76     |
| Year to date... | \$1,279,778.93 | Inc. | \$143,312.54 |

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## TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES.

| STOCKS.                               | Shares.<br>Par Value | CAPITAL.   |            | Rest as per<br>Last<br>Statement. | Div.<br>per cent.<br>Last<br>half<br>year. | Buy-<br>ers       |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------|------------|------------|-----------------------------------|--|-------------------|
|                                       |                      | Paid up.   |            |                                   |  |                   |
| <b>MISCELLANEOUS.</b>                 |                      |            |            |                                   |  |                   |
| British America.....                  | 50                   | \$ 750,000 | \$ *79,381 |                                   | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$                            | 12                |
| Western Assurance.....                | 40                   | 1,000,000  | †286,743   |                                   | 5  | 164               |
| Canada Life.....                      | 400                  | 125,000    | .....      |                                   | 10   | .....             |
| Confederation Life Association.....   | 100                  | 100,000    | .....      |                                   | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$                            | .....             |
| Imperial Life Assurance Co.....       | 100                  | 450,000    | 47,821     |                                   | .....                                      | 155               |
| Consumers' Gas .....                  | 50                   | 1,700,000  | .....      |                                   | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ qr                         | 231               |
| Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land Co.....   | 40                   | 400,000    | .....      |                                   | .....                                      | 60                |
| Victoria Rolling Stock Co.....        | 5000                 | 70,000     | 60,000     |                                   | 10   | .....             |
| Toronto Electric Light Co., Old ..... | 100                  | 1,400,000  | .....      |                                   | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$                            | 136               |
| " " " " New.....                      | .....                | 240,000    | .....      |                                   | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$                            | 122               |
| Canadian General Electric Co .....    | 100                  | 900,000    | 40,000     |                                   | 4  | 168               |
| " " " " 20 p.c.....                   | 100                  | 300,000    | .....      |                                   | 3  | 108 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Hamilton Electric Light.....          | 100                  | 250,000    | 60,000     |                                   | 1  | 78                |
| <b>LOAN and SAVINGS CO.</b>           |                      |            |            |                                   |  |                   |
| British Canadian Ln & Invest. Co..... | 100                  | 398,481    | 120,000    |                                   | 2  | .....             |
| Building and Loan Association .....   | 25                   | 750,000    | 100,000    |                                   | 1  | .....             |
| Can. Lauded & Nat'l. Inv't. Co .....  | 100                  | 1,004,000  | 350,000    |                                   | 3  | 101               |
| Canada Permanent Ln. & Sav. Co .....  | .....                | 2,000,000  | 1,200,000  |                                   | 3  | 114               |
| " " " " 20 per cent.....              | .....                | 600,000    | .....      |                                   | .....                                      | 112 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Canadian Savings (. Loan Co.....      | 50                   | 734,175    | 220,000    |                                   | 3  | 132               |
| Central Canada Ln. & Sav's Co.....    | .....                | 875,000    | 380,000    |                                   | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ qr                         | 75                |
| " " " " 20 per cent.....              | .....                | 325,000    | .....      |                                   | .....                                      | .....             |
| Dominion Savings and Invest. Soc..... | 50                   | 930,827    | 10,000     |                                   | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$                            | .....             |
| Freehold " " " " .....                | .....                | 478,100    | 300,000    |                                   | 3  | .....             |
| " " " " 20 per cent.....              | .....                | 843,000    | .....      |                                   | 3  | .....             |
| Hamilton Provident & Inv't Soc.....   | 100                  | 1,100,000  | 200,000    |                                   | 3  | 111               |
| Huron & Erie Ln. & Savings Co.....    | 50                   | 1,000,000  | 750,000    |                                   | 4 $\frac{1}{2}$                            | 180               |
| " " " " 20 per cent.....              | .....                | 400,000    | .....      |                                   | 4 $\frac{1}{2}$                            | 187               |
| Imperial Loan & Inv't Co.....         | 100                  | 725,155    | 160,000    |                                   | 3  | 85                |
| Land Bank & Loan Co.....              | 100                  | 700,000    | 160,000    |                                   | 3  | 110               |
| London & Can. Ln. & Agency Co.....    | 50                   | 700,000    | 210,000    |                                   | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ qr                         | 82                |
| London Loan Co.....                   | 50                   | 631,500    | 3,000      |                                   | 3  | 108 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| London & Ontario Investment.....      | 100                  | 550,000    | 30,000     |                                   | 3  | 82                |
| Manitoba & North-West Loan Co.....    | 100                  | 375,000    | 50,000     |                                   | .....                                      | 37                |
| North of Scotland Can. Mortg. Co..... | £10                  | 730,000    | 418,533    |                                   | 5  | .....             |
| Ontario Loan & Debenture Co.....      | 50                   | 1,200,000  | 480,000    |                                   | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$                            | 120               |
| Peoples Loan & D. Co.....             | 50                   | 599,429    | 40,000     |                                   | .....                                      | 30                |
| Real Estate Loan Co.....              | 40                   | 373,720    | 50,000     |                                   | 2  | 64                |
| Toronto Savings & Loan.....           | 100                  | 600,000    | 105,000    |                                   | 3  | 118               |
| Union Loan & Savings Co.....          | 50                   | 699,020    | 200,000    |                                   | 1  | 38                |
| Western Canada " " .....              | 50                   | 1,000,000  | 770,000    |                                   | 3  | 105               |
| " " " " 25 per cent.....              | .....                | 500,000    | .....      |                                   | 3  | 95                |

\* After deducting \$511,982 for reinsurance. † After deducting \$782,049 for reinsurance. This List is compiled from the fortnightly circular issued by the Secretary Toronto Stock Exchange.