

# CHICAGO MARKET

## CHICAGO MARKET—April 24, 1899.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

**SUBSTANTIAL DECREASE IN VISIBLE SUPPLY—WHEAT RALLIES—PROVISIONS DISAPPOINTING.**

Chicago, April 24.

All through this morning's trading there was a better tone to the grain market. Wheat advanced sharply on the decrease in the Visible Supply becoming known. Other grains followed suit, and up to the noon hour there was a general stiffening of prices.

Second cables were higher and favored the advance in prices. There was, however, considerable realizing on the advance.

The following is the visible supply of grain in New York on the dates mentioned:

	April 24, 1899.	April 17, 1899.	April 25, 1898.
Wheat...	29,179,000	30,502,000	25,914,000
Corn.....	28,178,000	29,798,000	31,649,000
Oats.....	10,489,000	11,136,000	11,775,000
Barley...	1,747,000	1,936,000	894,000

The amount of wheat on passage to the United Kingdom shows an increase of 80,000 bushels compared with a week ago, and a increase of 44,000 with a year ago.

The amount of wheat on passage to the continent shows an decrease of 80,000 bushels compared with a week ago, and a decrease of 3,420,000 with a year ago.

The total amount of wheat in sight shows a decrease of 1,323,000 bushels compared with a week ago, and an increase of 285,000 with a year ago.

The wheat in sight, with comparisons, is as follows:

	April 24, 1899.	April 17, 1899.	April 25, 1898.
Vis'ble s'ply U.S. & Ca'da. On pass. to U.K.	29,179,000	30,502,000	25,914,000
On pass. to c'n'tent.	11,200,000	11,200,000	14,640,000
Total.....	64,779,000	66,102,000	64,394,000

### VISIBLE SUPPLY.

Wheat, dec .....	1,322,000
Corn, dec .....	1,007,000
Oats, dec .....	624,000

### A MOTION TO STRIKE "BURLEY" OFF THE LIST IN THE MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.

A little excitement was caused during this morning's session, when Mr. R. Meredith moved a resolution to the effect that Burley be struck off the Exchange list. This motion was referred to the Governing committee. The reason for this action on Mr. Meredith's part is that it is strongly suspected that the quotations on this stock are fictitious and are due entirely to manipulation.

	CLOSING PRICES APR. 18 TO APR. 22.				TO-DAY'S PRICES.				
	18	19	20	21	22	Open. Inq.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Wheat—									
May.....	73½	74-75	74½	73½	72½	72½-1	73½	72	73-1
July.....	74½	76½	75½	74½-1	73½-1	73½-1	74½	73	73½-1
Sept.....	74½	76	74½	73½	72½	72½-1	73½	72	73½-1
Corn—									
May.....	35½-1	35½-1	35	34½	34	34-1	34½	34	34½-1
July.....	35½	36-36	35½-1	35	34½-1	34½-1	35½	34½	35½
Sept.....	36½-1	36½-1	36½	35½-1	35½	35½-1	36	35½	35½
Oats—									
May.....	26½	26½	26½	26½-1	26½	26½-1	26½	26½	26½
July.....	27-25	27-25	24½	24½	24½	24½-1	24½	24½	24½-1
Sept.....	23½-1	23½	23	22½	22½	23	22½	22½	22½
Pork—									
May.....	9 05	9 12	9 15	9 17	9 12	9 05	9 05	8 97	9 00
July.....	9 22	9 30	9 32	9 35	9 30	9 20-2	9 22	9 15	9 17
Sept.....	9 40	9 47	9 50	9 50	9 45	9 37	.....	.....	9 32
Lard—									
May.....	5 20	5 25	5 25	5 25-7	5 22	5 20	5 20	5 15	5 15-17
July.....	5 32	5 37	5 37	5 37	5 35	5 32	5 35	5 30	5 30
Sept.....	5 45	5 50	5 50	5 50-2	5 47	5 45	5 45	5 40	5 42
Sht ribs—									
May.....	4 72	4 75	4 75	5 77	4 72-75	4 72	4 72	4 70	4 70
July.....	4 85-7	4 96	4 90	4 92	4 87	4 82	4 85	4 82	4 82
Sept.....	5 00	5 02	5 02	5 05	5 00	5 95-7	4 97	4 95	4 97

Puts and Calls for April 25— Puts, July Wheat.....73½ Puts, July Corn..... 35½  
Calls, " " .....74½ Calls " " .....35½

### CRIPPLE CREEK MINING STOCKS

April 22, 1899.

	Bid.	Asked.
Auchoria-Leland .....	.91	.95
Battle Mt'n .....	.33½	.35
Elkton .....	.....	.91½
Gold Coin .....	.....	.....
Gold King.....	.92	.....
Isabella.....	.95½	.96
Independent T. & M.....	.63½	.63½
Jack Pot.....	.44½	.44½
Matos.....	.39	.40
Moon Anchor .....	1.15½	1.15½
Portland.....	1.94½	1.95
Work.....	.19½	.19½

### MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.

April 24, 1899.

	Asked.	Bid.
\$.250 Payne.....	3.91	3.89
1.00 War Eagle.....	3.68	3.62
1.00 Republic .....	1.23	1.21½
1.00 Virtue.....	.69	.68½
.24 Montréal-London .....	.72	.69
1.00 Big Three .....	.27	.25½
1.00 Brandon & G'ld'n Crown .....	.30	.27
1.00 California.....	.04	.02½
.10 Canada Gold Fields Syn.....	.06	.05
5.00 Cariboo Hydraulic.....	1.49	1.40
1.00 City of Paris.....	.71	.62
1.00 Evening Star.....	.12	.10½
.25 Fern.....	.50	.....
1.00 Gold Hill: Developing... ..	.08	.04
1.00 Iron Colt .....	.15	.13
1.00 Iron Mask.....	.80	.69
1.00 Knob Hill.....	.97	.94
1.00 Monte Christo Con.....	.12½	.12
.25 Montréal Gold Fields.....	.26	.22½
1.00 Noble Five.....	.31	.29½
.10 Novelty.....	.04½	.04
1.00 Old Ironsides.....	1.11	1.07
1.00 Virginia.....	.38	.20
1.00 Rambler Cariboo.....	.....	.27
1.00 Bullion .....	.56	.....
.10 Summit .....	.04½	.03½
1.00 St. Fimo .....	.08	.04
1.00 Burley .....	.20	.17½
1.00 Decca.....	.27½	.20
1.00 Morrison .....	.18	.16

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