

New York Wheat.

New York, June 11.—Wheat, July opened 76 1-4c, closed 77 3-4c, Sept. opened at 77 1-4c, closed 77 3-4c.

New York, June 12.—Wheat, July opened 76 1/2c, closed 77 1/2c b. Sept. opened at 78c, closed 79 1/2c a.

New York, June 13.—Wheat, July opened and closed 76 1/2c. Sept. opened 78c, closed 78 1/2c a.

New York, June 14.—Wheat, July opened 78 1/2c, closed 77 1/2c a. Sept. opened at 79 1/2c, closed 78 1/2c a.

New York, June 15.—Wheat, July opened 76 1/2c, closed 78 1/2c b. Sept. opened at 77 1/2c, closed 79 1/2c a.

New York, June 16.—July wheat closed to-day at 79 1/2c; Sept. closed 80 1/2c.

Chicago Board of Trade Prices

Chicago, June 11.—Wheat, July closed 72 1-4c. July opened 72 1-2c, closed 73 1-4. b. Oats, July opened 22 1-2c, closed 22c. b. Corn, July opened 39 1-2c, closed 38 3-4c b. Pork, July opened \$11.80 b, closed \$11.75. Sept. opened \$11.85, closed \$11.80 b. Lard, July opened \$6.57 1-2c, b, closed \$6.87. Sept. opened \$6.57 1-2c, b, closed \$6.85 to \$6.87. Flax, cash, \$1.80, Sept. \$1.34 3-4, Oct. at \$1.29 3-4.

Chicago, June 12.—Wheat, July opened 73 1/2c, closed 73 1/2c b. Oats, July opened 22 1/2c, closed 22 1/2c b. Corn, July opened 38 3/4c, closed 38 3/4c. Aug. opened 39 1/2c, closed 39 1/2c b. Pork, July opened at \$11.70, closed 11.57 1/2. Lard, July closed \$6.67 1/2 b. Sept. closed \$6.77 1/2. Flax, cash \$1.80, Sept. \$1.33, Oct. \$1.29 a.

Chicago, June 13.—Wheat, July opened 72 1/2c, closed 73 1/2c a. Corn, July opened 38 1/2c, closed 38 1/2c a. Aug. opened 39 1/2c, closed 39 1/2c a. Oats, July opened 21 1/2c, closed 22 1/2c. Aug. opened 21 1/2c, closed 22 1/2c. Lard, July opened \$6.62, closed \$6.55. Sept. opened \$6.67 1/2, closed \$6.55. Pork, July opened \$11.35 to \$11.40, closed \$11.25. Sept. opened \$11.45, closed \$11.35. Ribs, July opened \$6.65, closed \$6.55. Sept. opened \$6.65 to \$6.67, closed \$6.55. Flax, cash \$1.80, Oct. \$1.28 b, Sept. \$1.35 b.

Chicago, June 14.—Wheat, July opened 74 1/2c, closed 72 1/2c a. Aug. opened at 75 1/2c, closed 73 1/2c. Corn, July opened 38 1/2c, closed 38 1/2c a. Oats, July opened 22 1/2c, closed 22 1/2c. Aug. opened 22 1/2c, closed 22 c. Pork, July opened \$11.27 1/2, closed \$11.22 1/2. Sept. opened \$11.30 to \$11.37, closed \$11.32 1/2. Lard, July opened \$6.57 1/2, closed \$6.47 1/2. Sept. opened \$6.57 1/2, closed \$6.55. Ribs, Sept. opened \$6.60, closed \$6.55. Flax, cash \$1.80, July \$1.32, Oct. \$1.27.

Chicago, June 15.—Wheat, July opened 74 1/2c, closed 74c b. Aug. opened 73 1/2c, closed 74c. Corn, July opened 38 1/2c, closed 38 1/2c b. Aug. opened 39 1/2c, closed 39 1/2c. Oats, July opened 22 1/2c, closed 22 1/2c. Pork, July opened \$11.27 to \$11.27, closed at \$11.22 1/2. Sept. opened \$11.40 to \$11.42, closed \$11.40. Ribs, July closed \$6.55 b. Sept. closed \$6.60. Lard, July opened \$6.60, closed \$6.52 1/2. Sept. opened \$6.56, closed \$6.60. Flax, cash \$1.80, July \$1.32 1/2 a, Oct. \$1.29 a.

Chicago, June 16.—July wheat opened at 74 1/2 to 75c, and ranged from 74 1/2 to 75 1/2c.

Wheat—June, 74 1/2; July, 75 1/2-1/4c.
Corn—June, 39 1/2c; July, 39 1/2c.
Oats—June 22 1/2c; July, 23c.
Pork—June, \$11.50.
Lard—June, \$6.70.
Ribs—June, \$6.65.

A week ago July option closed at 71 1/2. A year ago July wheat closed at 77 1/2c, two years ago at 72 1/2c; three years ago at 68 1/2c; four years ago at 57c five years ago at 60 1/2c, and six years ago at 59 1/2c.

CHICAGO FLAX MARKET.

Chicago, June 16.—The market for flax closed to-day at \$1.80 for cash and June; Sept., \$1.34; Oct. \$1.25.

WINNIPEG CLOSING WHEAT.

There was no trading to-day here. Holders were firm. No. 1 hard was quoted at 75 1/2c, in store Fort William. A considerable quantity of wheat was sold when the bulge set in, which has relieved the pressure on the market by sellers, and holders are now very firm in their views, on short crop prospects.

DULUTH WHEAT MARKET.

No. 1 northern wheat at Duluth closed as follows for each day of the week:

Monday—July 72 1/2c; Sept. 73 1/2c.
Tuesday—July, 73 1/2c; Sept. 74 1/2c.
Wednesday—July, 73 1/2c; Sept. 74 1/2c.
Thursday—July, 72 1/2c; Sept. 73 1/2c.
Friday—July, 74c; Sept. 74 1/2c.
Saturday—July, 75 1/2c; Sept. 76c.

On Saturday cash 1 hard closed at 76 1/2c, and cash 1 northern at 74 1/2c.

A week ago July wheat closed at 70 1/2c. A year ago July wheat closed at 77 1/2, two years ago at 82 1/2c, three years ago at 72 1/2, four years ago at 57 1/2c.

MINNEAPOLIS WHEAT.

Minneapolis, June 16.—Wheat closed at 72 1/2c for July, cash No. 1 hard closed at 75 1/2c, and cash No. 1 northern at 73 1/2c.

LIVERPOOL PRICES.

Liverpool, June 15.—Wheat, spot steady; No. 1 northern spring 3s 11d; No. 1 California 3s 2d; 3d Futures: July 5s 10d; Sept. 5s 10 1/2d; Dec. 5s 10 1/2d.

Liverpool, June 16.—Wheat closed 1 1/4d higher per cental.

BRITISH STOCKS

London, June 15.—1 p.m.—Consols for money 101 1/2; do. for the account 101 11-16; Atchafson 20 1/2; Canadian Pacific 95 1/2; St. Paul 117 1/2; Illinois Central 114 1/2; Louisville 79 1/2; Union Pacific preferred 75 1/2; N. Y. C. 134; Erie 11 1/2; Pennsylvania 66 1/2; Reading 8 1/2; Erie first preferred 37 1/2; N. P. preferred 75 1/2; G. T. R. 8 1/2; Anaconda 8 1/2; Rand Mines 40 1/2. Bar silver steady at 27 11-16d per ounce. Money 1 1/4 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2 1/2 per cent; do. for three months bills 3 1/4 per cent.

BRITISH LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

London, June 11.—The trade in cattle was weaker owing to the tropical weather, and prices for choice States show a decline of 1/2c since this day week with sales at 14 1/4c. There was no Canadian stock on the market.

DAIRY TRADE NOTES.

During the week ending June 6, 4,373 packages of butter and 50,378 boxes of cheese were shipped from Montreal to England. The season's shipments to that date were 9,338 packages of butter and 176,126 boxes of cheese.

LIVE STOCK TRADE NOTES.

This year's crop of calves in the ranching country west is unusually large owing to the fine, mild weather which has prevailed throughout the winter and spring.

Recent cable advices from Great Britain indicate unusual strength in the cattle markets. Canadian cattle sold in London on Monday at as high as 14c, which was some cents higher than at this time a year ago.

Shipments of cattle from Montreal to British markets during the week ended June 2, totalled 3,338 head, as against 2,241 the previous week. Of sheep 1,385 head were shipped, as against 631 the previous week. Shipments of cattle for the month of May

amounted to 11,426 head and of sheep 2,314 head. During May, 1899, cattle shipments amounted to 12,983, in May, 1898, to 15,563, in May, 1897, to 18,073, and in May, 1896, to 14,827.

WESTERN BUSINESS ITEMS.

H. E. Hamilton, implement dealer, Sidney, Man., has built a fine new warehouse.

The provincial government proposes guaranteeing the debentures of the town of Morris.

Voting on the by-law to raise \$20,000 on debentures for school purposes at Calgary, Alberta, resulted in carrying the by-law.

W. Cousins, general merchant, Medicine Hat, Assa., has disposed of his business to A. DesBrisay, who will carry on the business.

J. A. MacIntyre, of Williamson & MacIntyre, hardware, Medicine Hat, Assa., has disposed of his interest in the business to Jas. Rae.

The frost of June did considerable damage in some western and central districts of Manitoba, where it was severe enough to cut down grain crops.

Fire at Carmen, Man., on June 15, burned a stable belonging to R. McInnis and the Jickling block, occupied by private residences. Loss \$3,000. Partly insured.

A deputation of druggists interviewed the government this week to protest against the proposed legislation concerning the sale of alcoholic liquors, so far as it affects the druggists. They asked that the law should remain as it is, so far as druggists are concerned.

William Christie, head of the well-known biscuit manufacturers of Christie, Brown & Co., Toronto, died after a long illness, on Thursday. He was in his 73rd year.

The retail grocers of Toronto have agreed that after July 1 they will neither buy, sell, handle nor give away in any manner any trading stamp, cash coupon or similar device.

The Canadian commissioners for the Paris Exhibition have issued a neat little illustrated pamphlet on Agriculture in Canada for distribution among the visitors at the fair. The reading matter is by Dr. Saunders, director of experimental farms, which is a guarantee of its excellence and accuracy.

For Sale.

In British Columbia—A good paying business, in first class location on main line C. P. R. Stock about \$4,000 (four thousand), store, warehouse, good well, etc; \$1,500 (fifteen hundred). Half cash, balance on good security.

Apply to B. C., care "Commercial," Winnipeg.

For Sale.

Best Mill in Northwest. No. 125. bbl. Nordyke & Marmon mill, built last fall. First-class and up-to-date in every respect. In best district in country for local trade, is on two lines of railroad, on switch connecting both roads. Only one mill within sixty-five miles. Plenty of wheat to buy. Will sell for exact cost of mill, or will take partner with \$5,000 capital. Address Miller, care The Commercial, Winnipeg.