

The Farmers' Market

WINNIPEG FUTURES

Wheat	May	July	Oct
May 27	97	96	91
May 28	96	95	91
May 29	95	95	91
May 30	96	96	91
May 31	96	96	91
June 2	95	95	90

Oats	May	July	Oct
May 27	34	36	37
May 28	35	36	36
May 29	34	36	36
May 30	34	36	36
May 31	34	36	36
June 2	34	35	36

Flax	May	July	Oct
May 27	115	117	119
May 28	114	116	118
May 29	115	117	119
May 30	115	117	119
May 31	115	117	119
June 2	115	118	

LIVERPOOL MARKETS
Liverpool, May 31, 1913

Spot	Close	Prev.	Close
Manitoba No. 1	Exhausted		
Manitoba No. 2	\$1 09 1/2	\$1 09 1/2	
Manitoba No. 3	1 07	1 07	
Duluth No. 1	1 09 1/2	1 09 1/2	
Duluth No. 2 Hard Winter	1 10	1 10	
Australian	1 16 1/2	1 16 1/2	
Rosafec (New)	1 10	1 10	

Futures Firm

May, Manitoba's	1 09 1/2	1 09 1/2
July, Manitoba's	1 09 1/2	1 09 1/2
October, Manitoba's	1 08	1 07 1/2

Antwerp

May-June-La Plate	1 09 1/2	1 09 1/2
May-June-Kansas	1 08	1 09
May-June-Canadian No. 2 Nor.	1 09	1 09

STOCKS IN TERMINALS
(Fort William, May 30, 1913)

Wheat	1913	1912
1 Hard	5,625 00	1,295 10
1 Nor.	354,041 00	199,797 20
2 Nor.	2,031,345 00	725,031 30
3 Nor.	1,469,111 00	1,115,702 20
No. 4	330,805 00	1,350,072 20
Others	2,941,689 40	997,072 80
No. 5		3,440,462 00

This week	7,132,614 40	This week	7,829,610 00
Last week	6,907,046 40	Last week	9,045,433 20
Increase	225,568 00	Decrease	1,215,823 20

Oats

1 C.W.	26,041 00	46,059 18
2 C.W.	2,931,636 00	1,038,617 04
3 C.W.	487,258 00	148,697 13
Ex. 1 Fd.	504,628 00	413,550 18
Others	1,619,623 03	313,105 27
1 Fd.		180,562 03
2 Fd.		299,374 01

This week	5,569,186 05	This week	2,439,966 16
Last week	5,800,332 20	Last week	2,914,217 22
Decrease	231,146 15	Decrease	474,251 06

WINNIPEG AND U.S. PRICES

Closing prices on the principal western markets on Saturday, May 31, were:

Cash Grain	Winnipeg	Minneapolis
1 Nor. wheat	\$0.94 1/2	\$0.94
2 Nor. wheat	.92	.92
3 Nor. wheat	.88 1/2	.90
No grade	.88 1/2	.82-90 1/2
3 White oats	.32 1/2	.38 1/2
Barley	.42-47 1/2	.47-60
Flax, No. 1	1.15	1.29 1/2

Futures

May wheat	.96	.90 1/2
July wheat	.96	.92

Beef Cattle, top	Winnipeg	Chicago
Hogs, top	8.75	8.85
Sheep, yearlings	7.00	6.40

MINNEAPOLIS CASH SALES
(Sample Market, May 31)

No. 1 hard wheat, 1 car	\$0.95 1/2
No. 1 Nor. wheat, 3 cars	.94 1/2
No. 1 Nor. wheat, 19 cars	.94
No. 1 Nor. wheat, 9 cars	.94 1/2
No. 1 Nor. wheat, 6,400 bu., to arrive	.94 1/2
No. 1 Nor. wheat, 1 car	.94 1/2
No. 1 Nor. wheat, 1 car, sample	.91 1/2
No. 1 Nor. wheat, 3 cars, choice	.94 1/2
No. 1 Nor. wheat, 1 car	.94 1/2
No. 2 Nor. wheat, 4 cars	.92
No. 2 Nor. wheat, 4 cars	.92 1/2
No. 2 Nor. wheat, 5 cars	.92 1/2
No. 2 Nor. wheat, 4 cars, smutty	.90 1/2
No. 2 Nor. wheat, 4 cars	.91
No. 2 Nor. wheat, 1 car	.92 1/2
No. 2 Nor. wheat, 1 car, smutty and bin b't.	.91
No. 2 wheat, 1 car	.91 1/2
No. 3 wheat, 2 cars	.88 1/2
No. 3 wheat, 1 car	.91 1/2
Rejected wheat, 2 cars	.90 1/2
No grade wheat, 1 car	.87 1/2
No grade wheat, 1 car	.82
No. 1 durum wheat, 1 car	.92
No. 1 durum wheat, 1 car	.94
No. 2 durum wheat, 1 car	.90
No. 2 yellow corn, 1 car	.60
No. 2 corn, 1 car	.59
No. 2 mixed wheat, 1 car, to arrive	.90
Screenings, 1 car	7.75
No. 4 white oats, 8 cars	.37 1/2
No. 3 oats, 1 car	.37 1/2
No. 3 white oats, 1 car	.38
No. 3 oats, 1 car, bin burnt	.36 1/2
No. 4 white oats, 1 car	.37 1/2
No. 4 white oats, 5,000 bu., to arrive	.37
No. 3 white oats, 1 car	.38 1/2
No. 2 rye, 1 car	.48 1/2
No. 2 rye, 1 car	.58
No. 2 feed barley, 1 car	.56
No. 2 feed barley, 4 cars	.55
No. 1 feed barley, 1 car	.54
No. 1 feed barley, 1 car	.56 1/2
No. 2 feed barley, 3 cars	.50
No. 2 feed barley, 1 car, musty	.49
No. 4 barley, 2 cars	.56
Sample barley, 2 cars	.52
Sample barley, 2 cars	.55
Sample barley, 1 car	.57
No. 1 feed barley, 1 car	.51
No. 2 feed barley, 1 car, wheaty	.48
Sample barley, 1 car	.56
No. 3 barley, 1 car	.61
No. 4 barley, 1 car	.58
Sample barley, 1 car, seedy	.48
No grade barley, 1 car, oaty, bin burnt	.49
No. 1 feed barley, 1 car, damaged	.53 1/2
No. 1 flax, 1 car, dockage	1.31 1/2
No. 1 flax, part car	1.29 1/2

Liverpool, May 31.—Market yesterday was easy and closed unchanged to 1/2 lower, with principal weakness in May. Today, wheat opened steady and later further advanced with active buying on reports of hot weather in Kansas and Missouri, which caused short covering. Buying was further stimulated by firmer and fewer Manitoba offers, Indian official report and less favorable weather in United Kingdom. Market closed firm, 1/2 to 1/4 higher than Thursday.

Corn unchanged. The effect of the heavy Argentine shipments was offset by the strength in the wheat market. Indian official wheat crop placed at 360,800,000, against 373,104,000 last year.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK
Chicago, May 31.—Strength developed in the hog market, owing to the meagerness of arrivals. Even at an advance, demand continued good. Cattle were nominally unchanged. The only inquiry was for yearlings and for light weight steers. Although not many sheep and lambs were on sale, buyers appeared shy. Packers had been supplied direct.

Hogs—Receipts 7,000; strong; generally 5 cents above yesterday's average; bulk of sales \$8.65 to \$8.80; light, \$8.55 to \$8.75; mixed, \$8.50 to \$8.85; heavy, \$8.25 to \$8.77; rough \$8.25 to \$8.40; pigs, \$6.60 to \$8.40.

Cattle—Receipts 200; steady; heaves, \$7.00 to \$8.90; Texas steers, \$6.65 to \$7.50; western steers, \$6.80 to \$7.90; stockers and feeders, \$5.75 to \$8.00; cows and heifers, \$3.60 to \$7.80; calves, \$7.20 to \$11.00.

Sheep—Receipts 1,500; steady, native, \$5.10 to \$5.75; western, \$5.20 to \$5.85; yearlings, \$5.80 to \$6.40; lambs, \$5.65 to \$7.50; western, \$5.65 to \$7.55; spring lambs, \$6.00 to \$9.00.

Shipment

Wheat	Oats	Barley	Flax
1913 (rail)	59,811	48,259	2,889
(lake)	1,819,809	949,738	252,902
1912	3,409,993	1,379,202	106,922

CANADIAN VISIBLE SUPPLY
Week Ending May 30, 1913

Wheat	Oats	Barley	
Ft. William and Pt. Arthur	7,132,614	5,569,186	1,447,607
Midland, Tiffin	1,361,782	724,819	380,420
Montreal	1,262,743	1,372,917	690,416
Etc.			
Totals	11,248,359	9,848,116	2,828,120
Buffalo	774,195		
Duluth	1,612,000	433,000	72,000

Total this week	13,634,554	10,281,116	2,900,120
Total last week	13,680,235	10,204,982	2,913,747
Total last year	14,148,966	5,463,085	1,402,464

two or three loads were of the A1 quality and reached the 8 cent figure. The trade as a whole has been slow, particularly on medium and common grades of mixed butchers. So scarce is the choice beef that a couple of loads of Toronto cattle were shipped in. The possibility of getting eastern beef at ruling prices will prevent values rising, and may help to depress the prices on the medium grades. Very few stockers and feeders are coming in and they are selling steady at \$5.50 to \$5.75 for the best, and \$4.50 to \$5.25 for the light stockers. Milkers and springers are scarcer than ever, and values run from \$70 to \$80 for the choice ones, and \$45 to \$55 for common and medium ones. Best veals are still \$7.50 to \$8.00, medium and heavy ones \$6.00 to \$7.00.

Hogs
An exceptionally heavy run of hogs reached the local yards last week. While the market is unsettled, all the choice hogs sold at 9 cents and it is thought this figure may hold throughout the week, although a drop of a quarter cent may ensue.

Sheep and Lambs
There were no sheep and lambs on sale last week. A good sized load, however, passed through the yards direct to a local packer from St. Paul. Choice lambs are quoted at \$5.00 each and best killing sheep \$5.00 to \$6.00.

Cash Prices in Store Fort William and Port Arthur from May 27 to June 2 inclusive

Date	WHEAT					OATS					BARLEY					FLAX				
	1°	2°	3°	4	5	6	Feed	2CW	3CW	Ex1Fd	1Fd	2Fd	No. 3	No. 4	Rej.	Feed	1NW	2CW	3CW	Rej.
May 27	95	92	88	84	74 1/2	71		34 1/2	32 1/2	34 1/2	33 1/2	31 1/2	47 1/2	47	42 1/2	49 1/2	114 1/2	112 1/2	104 1/2	
28	94	91 1/2	88	83 1/2	75	72	58	35	32 1/2	34 1/2	33 1/2	31 1/2	47 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	114	112	103	
29	94	91 1/2	88	83 1/2	74 1/2	71 1/2	58	34 1/2	32 1/2	34 1/2	33 1/2	31 1/2	47 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	115	112 1/2	103 1/2	
30	94	91 1/2	88	83 1/2	74 1/2	71	58	34 1/2	32	34 1/2	33 1/2	31 1/2	47 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	115	112 1/2	103	
31	94 1/2	91 1/2	88 1/2	84	74 1/2	71	57 1/2	34 1/2	32 1/2	34 1/2	33 1/2	31 1/2	47 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	115	112 1/2	103 1/2	
June 2	93 1/2	91 1/2	88		74	70 1/2	58	34 1/2	32	34 1/2	33 1/2	31 1/2	47 1/2	46 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	114 1/2	111 1/2	102	

THE MARKETS AT A GLANCE CORRECTED TO MONDAY, JUNE 2

Winnipeg Grain	MON.	WEEK AGO	YEAR AGO	Winnipeg Live Stock	MONDAY	WEEK AGO	YEAR AGO	Country Produce	MON-DAY	WEEK AGO	YEAR AGO
Cash Wheat				Cattle				Butter (per lb.)			
No. 1 Nor.	93 1/2	95	104 1/2	Extra choice steers	8 c. 8 c.	8 c. 8 c.	8 c. 8 c.	Fancy dairy	25c	25c-26c	26c
No. 2 Nor.	91 1/2	92	101 1/2	Choice butcher steers and heifers	7.25-7.75	7.25-8.00	6.75-7.25	No. 1 dairy	21c-22c	21c-22c	24c
No. 3 Nor.	88	87 1/2	97 1/2		6.75-7.25	6.75-7.25	6.50-6.75	Good round lots	18c	18c	22c
No. 4	88	84	86 1/2	Fair to Good Butcher steers and heifers	6.25-6.75	6.25-6.75	6.00-6.25	Eggs (per doz.)			
No. 5	74	74 1/2	72	Best fat cows	6.25-6.75	6.25-6.75	5.00-6.00	Strictly new laid	18c	19c-20c	20c
No. 6	70 1/2	71	61 1/2	Medium cows	5.25-5.75	5.25-5.75	4.75-5.25	Potatoes (per bushel)	30c 35c	30c-35c	80c
Feed	58	58	56	Common cows	4.25-4.75	4.25-4.75	3.25-4.25	Milk and Cream			
Cash Oats				Best bulls	5.00-5.50	5.00-5.50	4.75-5.00	Sweet cream (per lb. butter fat)	32c	32c	30c
No. 2 C.W.	34 1/2	34 1/2	43 1/2	Com'n and medium bulls	4.25-4.75	4.25-4.75	3.25-4.00	Cream for butter-making purposes (per lb. butter fat)	26c	26c	25c
Cash Barley				Choice veal calves	7.00-8.00	7.00-8.00	6.50-7.00	Sweet milk (per 100 lbs.)	\$1.50	\$1.50	\$1.50
No. 3	47 1/2	47 1/2		Heavy calves	6.00-7.00	6.00-7.00	5.00-6.00	Hay (per ton)			
Cash Flax				Best milkers and springers (each)	8.05-8.80	8.00-8.75	8.47-8.65	No. 1 Red Top	\$16-\$17	\$16-\$17	\$10
No. 1 N.W.	114 1/2	115	106	Com'n milkers and springers (each)	8.45-8.55	8.40-8.50	8.28-8.38	No. 1 Upland	\$15-\$16	\$15-\$16	\$9
Wheat Futures				Hogs				No. 1 Timothy	\$20	\$20	\$21
July	95 1/2	95 1/2	105 1/2	Choice hogs	\$9.00	\$9.00	\$9.00				
October	90 1/2	90 1/2	98 1/2	Heavy sows	\$7.00	\$7.00	5.50-6.50				
Oat Futures				Stags	\$5.00	\$5.00	4.50-5.50				
July	35 1/2	36 1/2	45	Sheep and Lambs							
October	36 1/2	37 1/2		Choice lambs	6.50-7.00	6.50-7.00	\$7.00				
Flax Futures				Best killing sheep	5.00-6.00	5.00-6.00	5.00-5.50				
July	115 1/2	117 1/2	109 1/2								
October	118 1/2	119 1/2									

Country Produce

Note.—Quotations are f.o.b. Winnipeg, except those for cream, which are f.o.b. point of shipment.

Butter
The butter supply is gradually increasing with the advance of summer weather, although the season is backward. Lower prices are the rule this week, but creamery butter is more affected than the dairy, which loses only one cent on the fancy grade, being now worth 25 cents. No. 1 dairy holds good at 21-22 cents and good round lots at 18 cents. Dairy men and dealers are hoping for a couple of good rains to help the grass along and stimulate the production.

Eggs
Some days of warm weather have pulled down egg values somewhat, as there is more or less shrinkage already. Jobbers quote 18 cents now. Up to the present a large proportion of the egg receipts have been put into cold storage, so that now most of the produce firms have all the stock ahead that they require and count on the day by day needs of Winnipeg consumers taking care of the fresh supplies as they come in.

Potatoes
Potatoes are featureless at the same level, 30 to 35 cents per bushel.

Milk and Cream
Supplies are increasing, but there is still a shortage as compared with usual quantities for this season. The new schedule holds good for some time yet, 32 cents for sweet cream, 26 cents for butter-making cream. Sweet milk is unchanged at \$1.80 per hundred lbs.

Dressed Meats
Winnipeg butchers are able to get more or less dressed veal and pork from Manitoba, but for dressed beef they generally have to go as far as Ontario, while dressed mutton comes from the United States or even Australia. Prices range for best quality, beef 12 1/2 to 13 cents, mutton 13 1/2 cents, pork 13 cents and veal 13 1/2 cents.

Hay
Hay prices are still up at the high level lately prevailing. There is a decided shortage in supplies. Dealers say hay is the scarcest for this season in many years. Receipts have picked up a little the past few days, but not enough to depress prices. Top grades run as follows: Red Top \$16-\$17, Upland \$15-\$16 and Timothy \$20.

LANDLORDISM IN A NEW LIGHT

One year, when the youngsters of a certain village met for the purpose of electing a captain of their baseball team for the coming season, it appeared that there was an excessive number of candidates for the post, and that more than the usual wrangling must ensue. Youngster after youngster presented his qualifications for the post, and the matter was still undecided when the