

CHICAGO MARKET.

**WHEAT FOR JUNE AND JULY
STRONG AT CLOSE.**

After Weakness, Sept. and Dec.
Wheat Close Strong.

**PROVISIONS DULL AND
WEAKER.**

Chicago, 2.15 p.m., June 22.

Our market opened weak and lower, remained unsteady for the first two hours, and then on the strength in June and July the other options became stronger, but closed 1/4c to 1/8c under last night.

The holders of cash wheat seem confident of getting better prices for it, arguing farmers having sold their produce at good prices this year, will hold back their surplus till near the end of crop year.

Corn, Oats and Provisions are all weak but prices have only receded fractionally. Market for them is in buyers favor.

Chicago, 2.30 p.m., June 22.

Buying of July wheat said to be for Armour. Cables complain of serious drought in Southern Russia, looks as if wheat should rally. Good buying of Sept. wheat.

Chicago, June 22.

Weather—66 clear, south.
U. S. Yards—Hogs, 39,000 lower; cattle, 14,000 steady.
Curb—Wheat, Sept. 68 1/2c.
Exports

U. S. Yards — Estimated receipts, 39,000; official yesterday, 23,848; shipped, 4,128; left over, 3,337; estimated to-morrow, 34,000; market fairly active, 5c to 10c lower; light mixed, \$3.65 to \$3.92; mixed packing, \$3.75 to \$3.95; heavy shipping, \$3.75 to \$4.00; rough goods, \$3.75 to \$3.80; cattle, 14,000, steady.

Cars — W. W., 21; S. W., nothing; corn, 347; oats, 152; rye, nothing; barley, 4.

MISSOURI PACIFIC CONSOLS.

The attention of our readers was a few days ago, drawn to the above securities. Of them "The Wall Street Journal" says:

"A specialist in railroad bonds in discussing the merits of various gilt-edge railroad bonds says: "The consolidated first mortgage gold 6 per cent. bonds of Missouri Pacific occupy an enviable position as a first-class investment. There are \$14,904,000 of these, the present market value being around 101. Ahead of these are about 15 millions of bonds. Probably the strongest feature however is the fact that interest charges upon the \$28,087,000 bonds which follow the consols have always been promptly met and the earnings of the company show splendid increases assuring their continued payment without doubt. These bonds are a first mortgage upon a large portion of the Missouri Pacific system and are well located upon other sections of the company's property. They are selling relatively lower than many other railroad securities the market prices of which are upon a 3 per cent. basis."

MOVEMENTS OF GRAIN AND FLOUR.

	Rec.	Shipm'ts.
At Chicago—		
Wheat, bush.....	3,000	30,000
Corn, bush.....	395,000	307,000
Oats, bush.....	162,000	343,000
Flour, brls.....	7,913	4,763
At New York—		
Wheat, bush.....	210,900	231,566
Corn, bush.....	116,725	153,251
Oats, bush.....	110,200	79,346
Flour, brls.....	5,126	920
Flour, sacks.....	15,267	60
At Milwaukee—		
Wheat, bush.....	38,000	1,000
Corn, bush.....	1,000	100,000
At Toledo—		
Wheat, bush.....	8,000	31,000
Corn, bush.....	17,000	11,000
At St. Louis—		
Wheat, bush.....	1,000	2,000
Corn, bush.....	55,000	39,000
At Duluth—		
Wheat, bush.....	49,000	36,000
At Detroit—		
Wheat, bush.....	2,000	1,000
At Minneapolis —		
Wheat, bush.....	21,000	152,000

EUROPEAN MARKETS.

Liverpool, June 22.

Weather — Probabilities, fine to-day and on Thursday; stationary or a little higher temperature.

12.30 o'clock.

No. 1 Northern Spring, 7s; No. 1 California, no stock; Red Winter, 6s 10d. Corn, 3s 2 1/4d; Peas, 5s 1 1/2d. Pork, 51s 3d; Lard, 29s 9d; Tallow, 19s 6d.
Bacon, long cuts, heavy, 32s; long cuts light, 31s 6d; short cuts, light, 31s. Cheese, both, 35s 6d.
Wheat, dull; corn, firm.

Liverpool, (Opening) June 22.

Wheat, spot, dull; futures, steady. June, nominal; July, 6s 7 1/4d; Sept., 6s; Oct., nominal; Dec., 5s 10d.
Maize, spot, quiet; Mixed American, per cental, 3s 2 1/4d; futures, quiet; June, nominal; July, 3s 2 3/4d; Sept., 3s 4 1/2d; Oct., nominal; Dec., nominal.
Flour, Minneapolis First Bakers, average price per sack, 27s.

London, (Opening) June 22.

Wheat — Off coast, buyers and sellers apart; on passage, quiet; parcels No. 1 Hard Duluth, 480 lb., American terms, stimulated; Sept. and Oct., 40s 6d; English country markets of yesterday, generally 2d cheaper.
Maize — Off coast, quiet, steady; on passage, rather firmer; American wheat per cental, 6d higher.

Paris, June 22.

Wheat — June, 26f 60c; Sept. and Dec., 21f 50c.
Flour — June, 59f 50c; Sept. and Dec., 47f 20c.
French country markets steady.

Glasgow, Liverpool, June 22.

Wheat, quiet; June, nominal; July, 6s 4 1/4d; Sept., 5s 10 1/2d; Oct., nominal; Dec., 5s 8 1/2d.
Maize, spot, quiet; Mixed American, per cental, 3s 2 1/4d new; futures, quiet; June, nominal; July, 3s 2 1/4d; Aug., nominal; Sept., 3s 4d; Oct. and Dec., nominal.
Flour, Minneapolis First Bakers, average price per sack, 27s.

London, (closing), June 22.

Wheat—No. of cargoes arrived off coast. Since las. report. 2—Waiting at out ports 1—Off coast. Easier 6d lower. On passage quieter.
Maize—Danubian July and Aug. 16s 3d. Spot quotations 17s Amn. mixed 15s 6d.
Flour—Spot 33s. Mark Lane Miller market. Foreign wheat easy. English do. Dull. Amn Flour, buyers and sellers apart.

MINING STOCKS.

June 22, 1898.

Quotations for active British Columbia Mining Stocks furnished by R. Meredith & Co., Mining Brokers, 51 St. Francois Xavier Street.

	Bid.	Asked
Big Three.....	\$.09	\$.10
Can. Gold Fields Syn.....	.07 1/2	.07 1/2
Cariboo Hydraulic.....	.78	.90
Cariboo McKinny.....	.53	.56
Deer Park.....	.14	.16
Dom. Developing Co.....	.25	.25
Evening Star.....	.05 1/2	.05 1/2
Fern.....	.60	.70
Golden Cache.....	.45	.45
Gold Hills Developing.....	.10	.10
Iron Colt.....	.70	.80
Iron Mask.....	.28	.31
Jumbo.....	.40	.40
Monte Christo Con.....	.32 1/2	.34
Montreal & London.....	.30	.30
Montreal Red Mountain.....	.18	.20
Noble Five.....	.17 1/2	.17 1/2
Old Ironsides.....	.16 1/2	.16 1/2
Reco.....	1.50	2.10
Slocan Star.....	1.75	1.75
Smuggler.....	.14	.14
Silverine.....	.05	.05
Tin Horn.....	.15	.15
Two Friends.....	.14	.14
Twin.....	.25	.25
Virginia.....	.38	.40
War Eagle Con.....	2.34	2.35
Winchester.....	.17	.17

MONTREAL EXPORTS.

PER S.S. CARLISLE CITY

to

Antwerp and Hamburg—June 17.

Antwerp.

Corn—A. G. Thompson, 27,712 bush.
Flour—C. A. Ry., 430 sacks.
Malt—C. A. Ry., 230 bags.
Beans—C. P. Ry., 738 bags.
Buckwheat—Crane & Baird, 6,060 bush.
Clover seed—G. T. Ry., 85 bags.
Asbestos—C. P. Ry., 2,800 bags.
Deals—Dobell, Beckett & Co., 17,960 pcs.
Boards—Dobell, Beckett & Co., 27,847 pcs.
Bicycles—C. P. Ry., 20 crates.
Sundries — D. Torrance & Co., 10 pgs.

Hamburg.

Flour—G. T. Ry., 250 sacks.
Clover seed—C. P. Ry., 304 sacks.
Corn—A. G. Thomson, 63,571 bush.
Buckwheat—A. G. McBean, 16,891 bush.
Oil Cake—C. A. Ry., 661 bags.
Oak boards—G. T. Ry., 713 bds.
Radiators—C. P. Ry., 85.
Phosphorus—Bellhouse, Dillon & Co., 40 cases.

PER S.S. CYNTHIANA.

to

Manchester, June 19.

Corn — Bartlett, Frazier & Co., 43,055 bus.
Deals — W. & J. Sharples, 9,799 pcs.; do., 2,158 pcs.
Boards — The Charlemagne Lumber Co., 11,794 pcs.; do., 986 pgs.; Dobell, Beckett & Co., 15,476 pcs.; Gilmour Bros., 2,719 pcs.; G. T. Ry., 2,000 pcs.
H. H. Effects — Ed. Nield, 11 pgs.
Butter — G. T. Ry., 400 boxes.
Sugar — C. A. Ry., 1,995 bags.
Cattle — W. W. Craig, 400 head.
Sheep — W. W. Craig, 151 head.
Feed — W. W. Craig, 350 sacks.
Hay — W. W. Craig, 792 bales; Bartlett Compressed Co., 313 bales.

PER S.S. SARDINIAN

to

Glasgow, June 20.

Corn — A. G. Thomson, 25,714 bus.; W. McLennan, 17,124 bus.; Wight & Esdaile, 30,000 bus.
Oats — Crane & Baird, 9,476 bus.
Flour — C. A. Ry., 1,301 sacks; G. T. Ry., 250 sacks; C. P. Ry., 2,000 sacks; J. Magor & Son, 250 sacks.
Cheese — A. W. Grant, 209 boxes; A. C. H. Fromcke, 102 boxes; G. Wait & Co., 50 boxes; Jas. Alexander, 356 boxes; H. & A. Allan, 366 boxes; Duckett, Hodge & Co., 109 boxes.
Butter — G. T. Ry., 100 pkgs.; C. P. Ry., 95 pkgs.; A. A. Ayer, 211 pkgs.; A. A. Ayer, 129 boxes; Hodgson Bros., 100 boxes; G. W. McLagan, 207 boxes.
Butter — A. J. Brice, 509 pkgs.; W. Nivin, 124 pkgs.
Eggs — G. T. Ry., 290 cases; G. W. McLagan, 29 cases; G. Wait & Co., 100 cases; W. Meldrum & Co., 225 cases.
Books — C. P. Ry., 11 cases.
Charcoal — D. McCall & Co., 356 bags.
Furniture — H. & A. Allan, 8 pkgs.
Cattle — H. & A. Allan, 350 head.
Sheep — H. & A. Allan, 167 head.
Horses — H. & A. Allan, 22 head.
Hay — H. & A. Allan, 39 tons.
Feed — H. & A. Allan, 19 tons.

"THE WAR LOAN TAX."

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