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VARIOUS CROP RUMORS CAUSE IRREGULARITY

Green Bug Damage Reports Strengthen Wheat Futures and Other Cereals Sympathize.

World Office, Thursday Evening, March 21. Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day 1/4 lower than yesterday, and corn futures 1/4 to 1/2 lower.

Chicago car lots to-day: Wheat 6, corn 1, soy 2, oats 2, rye 1, clover 1, hay 1, straw 1, total 15.

Market Notes. Paddy Buss bought about 50 dressed bags at \$2.25 per cwt.

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Toronto Sugar Market. St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: Granulated, \$1.40 in barrels, and No. 1 golden, \$4 in barrels.

Chicago Markets. Marshall, Spender & Co. (J. G. Beatty), King Edward Hotel, reported the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade:

Chicago Cattle Market. Receipts of live stock at the city market since Tuesday, as reported by the railways, were 100 car loads, composed of 1303 cattle, 1408 hogs, 200 sheep and lambs and 120 calves.

Chicago Live Stock. Chicago, March 21. Cattle receipts, about 7000; market steady but dull; common to prime steers, \$4 to \$7; heifers, \$2.25 to \$5.25; cows, \$3.25 to \$5; bulls, \$3.25 to \$4.50; calves, \$2.50 to \$7.25; stockers and feeders, \$2 to \$4.00.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE. The following were the last quotations at the board of trade call board. All quotations, except where specified, are for outside points.

Wheat-No. 2 white, 80 1/2c; No. 2 red, 79 1/2c; No. 2 yellow, 78 1/2c.

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100 LOADS AT CITY YARDS QUALITY BEST SINCE XMAS

Prices for Easter Cattle Good—Hogs Firm—Sheep, Lambs and Calves Unchanged.

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Not many exporters offered and prices ranged from \$2 to \$5.25 per cwt. Export bulls sold at \$3.75 to \$4.50 per cwt.

Prime picked lots Easter cattle, export weights, sold all the way from \$2.25 to \$5.25 per cwt.

Not many on sale. Prices unchanged at \$4.75 to \$5.50 for export ewes; \$3.50 to \$4.50 for 100 lbs. ewes; \$4.75 to \$5.50 for 100 lbs. ewes; \$3.50 to \$4.50 for 100 lbs. ewes.

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NEW YORK GAIN AND PRODUCE.

New York, March 21.—Wheat, spot, No. 2 red western winter, steady, 62 1/2c; No. 1 California, quiet, 66 1/2c; futures steady.

New York Dairy Market. New York, March 21.—Butter firm, receipts, 2694; state dairy creamery firm, 21c to 26c; western imitation creamery firm, 20c to 25c.