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Temporary Strength Shown by All Options.

Thursday Evening, Sept. 8.

Large receipts and lower cables falled to weaken Chicago wheat to-day. The shortage of stocks at Chicago and at Northwest points advanced the price of the cash article, and futures closed the day about ½c above yesterday's final figures.

On the Liverpool board to-day Sept. wheat closed ½d per cental lower than yesterday, with the December option up nearly 1d.

sleage corn held steady to-day. Septemand December corn closed 1/3d to 1/4d cental lower than at Liverpool. earances to-day: Wheat and flour ushels, corn \$12,000 bushels. Exports at New York to-day: Flour 8013 arreis and 24,615 sacks; wheat 204,537

the corresponding day of last year.

Car receipts of grain at Chicago to-day:
Wheat 227, corn 376, oats 296.

The United States Government crop report for September will be issued on Saturday.

barley 42 cents is about the price in Chicago and Milwaukee.

The oat crop in Northwestern States is a good crop. Acreage slightly under last year, but average yield better. Some oats are of excellent quality; others deficient in weight per bushel.

December wheat puts at Chicago to do.

The Price of Wheat.

The Cincinnati Price Current reports a like condition in most of the United States as in Ontario. Interior miliers are absorbing most of the wheat deliveries for home trade in flour, at prices above export basis. Oregon has secured the largest crop on record. California, on the other hand, has only about one-third of an average crop. The quality of new wheat in Minnesota and the Dakotas is very satisfactory. In The World, in the middle of July, Canadian farmers were advised to have their early crops of winter wheat threshed out and marketed as soon as possible, so as to get advantage of the fair prices which were then offering on account of the deficient stocks all over the world, and which prices were not likely to be maintained when new wheat began to be offered freely. Since that time prices have failen off: In Chicago 14c, in New York 15c per bushel and in other markets in about the same proportion. The Northwest spring wheat is now being freely delivered at Minneapolis, Duluth and other western markets. The visible supply may now be expected to increase rapidly. If so, the premium now being paid for cash wheat over future deliverles must soon disappear. The Price of Wheat.

Leading Wheat Markets. Following are the closing prices to-day at

important centres.			
	ash. Sept.	Dec.	May.
Chicago\$		\$0 60%	
New York		\$ 1851/8	0 671/
St. Louis 0 6		0 631/8	0 647/
Milwaukee 0 6		0 601/2	
Toledo		0 631/2	0 651/
Detroit 0 6		0 63%	0 651/4
Duluta, No. 1			
Northern 0 6	3 0 611/2	0 5834	0 621
Duluth, No. 1			
hard 06	6		
Minneapolis		0 571/2	0 597
Teronto, No. 1			
hard (new) 0	711/2		
Toronto, red 0 6	36		

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Flour-Straight rollers, in barrels, middle freights, are quoted at \$3.05 to \$3.15, Wheat—New red and white quoted at 65c north and west to millers, but no export business doing. No. 1 Manitoba hard 64c affoat at Fort William. Rye-Quoted at about 40c west and 41

Oats-New white oats quoted at 221/2c 23c north and west, but little doing. Barley-Quoted at 39c to 40c, middle freights, for No. 1.

Buckwheat-Prices nominal. Bran—Sells at \$8.50 to \$9 west and shorts at \$13.50 west.

Corn-Canadian, 33c west, and American 891/2c north and west.

Peas-New peas are quoted at 49c to 50 north and west in car lots.

Oatmenl—Car lots of rolled oats in bags on track at Toronto, \$3.60; in barrels, \$3.70.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

FARM PRODUCE WHOLESALE. Hay, baled, car lots, per top.\$7 50 to \$8 % Straw, baled, car lots, per

There was a good demand here, with fair delivery and prices still firm. Lawton berries, 5c; blueberries, 75c per basket and \$1.65 per case; apples, 15c to 25c per basket and 50c to \$1.25 per bbl.; peaches, 40c to 50c for common and 60c to 75c for Crawfords; plume, 25c for common grades and 40c to 65c for choice varieties; pears, 25c to 40c; grapes, 20c to 25c for small basket; cucumbers, 15c; gherkins, 40c per basket; cucumbers, 15c; gherkins, 40c per basket; cucumbers, 15c; red peppers, 50c; celery, 30c to 40c per dozen, according to quality; muskmelons, 20c to 25c per basket and 50c to \$1.50 per crate.

Chicago Gossip.

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Henry A, King & Co., 12 King-street east, received the following despatch to-day from Chicago:
Wheat—With the exception of a little

LOCAL LIVE STOCK.

Very few milk cows were offered and only six which sold at \$25 to \$45 each.
Calves—Prices firm, but unchanged.
Sheep—Prices for export sheep were inclined to be easier, owing to adverse reports from English market. Ewes sold at \$3.25 to \$3.50, and bucks \$2.50 to \$2.75 per owt

good ... 3 25
Feeders, heavy ... 3 75
Butchers' cattle, picked lots 4 10

Chicago Live Stock.

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Chicago, Sept. 8.—Hogs—Estimated receipts to-day 23,000; left over from yesterday 4231,; fatriy active, averaging 5c higher, heavy grades weak; dight, \$3.60 to \$4: mkxed, \$3.55 to \$3.97½; heavy, \$3.50 to \$3.95; rough, \$3.50 to \$3.65.

Cattle—Receipts 11,000; steady to stronger; beeves, \$4 to \$5.70; cows and heifers, \$1.75 to \$4.60; Texas steers, \$3 to \$3.90; western, \$3.40 to \$4.45; stockers and feeders, \$3 to \$4.50.

Sheep—Receipts 16,000.

British Markets.

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Liverpool, Sept. 8.—12.30.—No. 1 North., spring, 6s 8½d; red winter, 5s 5½d; No. 1 Cal. 6s 2d to 6s 3d; corn, 3s 1d; peas, 5s 1d; pork, 50s; lard, 25s; tallow, 19s 6d; bacon, heavy, 1c., 30s; light, 29s 6d; short cut, 29s 6d; cheese, white, 37s 6d; colored, 38s 6d.

Liverpool—Open—Spot wheat steady; futures dull at 5s 4½d for Sept. and 5s 1¾d for Dec. Spot maize steady, with mixed American at 3s 1½ futures quilet at 3s 3¾d for Sept., 3s 1½d for Oct. and 3s 2¾d for Dec. Flour, 20s 9d.

London—Open—Wheat, off coast, buyers and seliers apart; on passage, nominally unchanged; parcels No. 1 Duluth hard,

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not particularly brisk. Choice fat butchers
are nominally steady and common ones
lower. Calves were in light supply, tast
demand and generally sold the same as yesterday with a few sales of extra fancy at
higher figures; choice to extra were quotable at \$7 to \$7.50; good to choice, \$6.50 to
\$7; heavy, \$3 to \$4.
Sheep and Lambs—The general bas's of
the market was sheep steady and lambs
higher. The offerings were moderate, 17
loads. The demand for the good stuff was
active. Lambs, choice to extra, were quotable at \$5.75 to \$6.15; good to choice, \$5.50
to \$5.75; common to fair, \$4.75 to \$5.50.
Sheep—Wethers, choice to extra, \$4.40 to \$4.65;
strictly yearlings in light supply, but quotable when sold separate from sheep at \$4.75
to \$5; common to fair mixed sheep were
quotable at \$3 to \$3.50.

Hogs—The market was fairly active on
corn Forkers and good weight pigs, but
light pigs and heavy hogs dragged slow
with some accumulation of pigs from Monday. Medium and heavy were quotable at
\$4 to \$4.07\f, with an extra load of mediums at \$4.10; Yorkers, \$4.05 to \$4.12\f,
pigs, \$3.65 to \$3.80; roughs, \$3.40 to \$3.55;
stags, \$2.50 to \$3.3; grassers, \$3.00 to \$4. At
the close there were some pigs and heavy
over.

LOCAL LIVE STOCK.

Price Current says: Recent excessive warmth reduced corn prospects in some instances, other tocalities maintaining promise. General indications unchanged. Wheat movement somewhat enlarging. Other features unchanged. Hop packing for the week \$25,000, against \$90,000 same week last year.

The farmers in Northwestern States appear to be well satisfied with present prices of barley. The deliveries in Chipared with 549 cars in August were 956 cars, as compared with 549 cars in 1896, 304 cars in 1896, 504 cars in 1896, 504 cars in 1896, 506 cars, as compared with 549 cars in 1896, 506 cars, as compared with 549 cars in 1896, 506 cars, as compared with 549 cars in 1896, 506 cars, as compared with 549 cars in 1896, 506 cars, as compared with 549 cars in 1896, 506 cars, as compared with 549 cars in 1896, 506 cars, as compared with 549 cars in 1896, 506 cars, as compared with 549 cars in 1896, 506 cars, as compared with 549 cars in 1896, 506 cars, as compared with 549 cars in 1896, 507 cars in 1896, 508 cars, as compared with 549 c on the market, selling at \$3.25 to \$3.40, with a few choice lots at \$3.60.

Prices for heavy feeders remained the same.

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William Levack bought a large number of mixed butchers and steers and exporters.

Export cattle, per cwt. \$4 00 to \$4 50 Bulls, light export 3 35 350 Bulls, medium export 3 35 350 Bulls, medium export 3 365 4 00 Loads good butchers and exporters, mixed 3 30 4 10 8 5tockers and medium to good 3 25 8 Bulls and medium to good 3 25 3 40 Endoard heavy 3 75 3 80 into the corn belt. The weather, however, is becoming less of a factor, what frosts there are being light, and corn being considered pretty well out of the way of danger from that source. Clearances were heavy, over 1,000,000 bushels. The trade, however, is featureless.

The provision market again developed considerable strength to day, the feature being the report of support by packers, and undoubtedly the buying was due to the excessive foreign demand for lard, Markets close strong, about best prices.

Police Court. 12 to the jail and 3 to the Mercer Reformatory during the month. She also made 316 calls and had 486 interviews with female prisoners. The Central Prison Night School had an average attendance of 70 during the Board of Trade Council Meets.

At a lengthy session of the Council of the Board of Trade held Wednesday report referring to the privileges enjoyed by American vessels in Canadian waters and also to the Canadian vessels not having the same rights in American waters. The Council decided to tender a banquet to Lord Herschell next week and also a reception to the Hon. Win. Mulock on Wednesday evening next. The Marine section are preparing a report to be forwarded to the Canadian representatives at the Outlease Conference.

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other securities decreased £606,000, other deposits decreased £715,000, notes reserve decreased £30,000, Government securities unchanged.
The proportion of the Bank of England's reserve to ilabilities, which fast week was \$48.30, is now 40 per cent. The Bank of England rate of discount remains unchanged at 2½ per cent.

Toronto Bank Clearings.

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French exchange on London 25f 28c.
Amount of bullion withdrawn from Bank of England on balance to-day £15,000.
Brooklyn Rapid Transit earnings yesterday were \$16,847, an increase of \$1407.
The Bank of Bengal to-day increased its discount rate to 5 per cent.
Manhattan dividend to be declared next week will undoubtedly be 1 per cent. No truth in rumors of reduction.
Bar silver in New York 60% per cunce.
Steamer Majestic yesterday brought \$225,000 in gold for Lazard Frere & Co., New York.

Hock Island net earnings for July de-

The weekly statement of the Banf of England shows the following changes, as compared with the previous account: Total reserve decreased £77,000, circulation decreased £174,000, buillon decreased £251,167,

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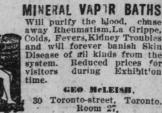
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