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GRAIN MARKETS EASIER
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All News Now Reaching Chicago Has a Bearish Tinge—British Markets Steady.

World Office, Friday, July 6.

Liverpool, where futures closed to-day 1/4 to 1/2 higher and corn futures 1/4 lower. At Chicago July wheat closed 1/2 lower and July oats 1/4 lower.

Northwest car lots to-day, 233; last week, 222; last year, 237.

Primary receipts wheat to-day 476,000; shipments, 204,000; last week, 200,000; 120,000; last year, 270,000; 275,000. Corn to-day, 481,000; last week, 783,000; 545,000; Argentine wheat to-day, 1,222,000; last week, 1,306,000; last year, 1,656,000. Corn, 3,867,000; 2,707,000; 2,537,000.

Argentine wheat to-day, 2,178,000; week ago, 2,240,000; year ago, 3,590,000. Corn, 4,071,000; 3,788,000; 3,738,000.

Chicago—Despatch from King of Colorado, reads: Ohio July wheat condition 95, against 95 in June and 91 a year ago. Corn condition is 85, compared with percent age of 80 a year ago. Area 98 per cent. Oats 76, against 94 a year ago.

St. Louis—The Modeler Miller says: Reports from millers show the following condition, except Texas. Most millers report the wheat yield up to or above expectations. The quality is good, generally better than last year, and many say the best in years. The movement is looked for with favorable weather.—News Bureau.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

On the board of trade the following are the current quotations:

Wheat—No. 2 white, 80c to 80 1/2c bid, outside; No. 2 mixed, 80c to 80 1/2c bid, outside; No. 2 yellow, 80c to 80 1/2c bid, outside.

Spring wheat—None offering.

Groceries—No quotations.

Buckwheat—No quotations.

Rye—65c bid, outside.

Barley—No. 2, 60c bid.

Peas—Buyers, 62c, outside.

Oats—No. 2 white, buyers, 58c, outside; sellers, 59c.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, sellers, 60 1/2c, track, Toronto.

Manitoba—No. 1 northern, 85 1/2c, sellers; Owen Sound, No. 2 northern, sellers, 85 1/2c; Owen Sound.

Toronto Sugar Market.

St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: Granulated, \$4.25 in barrels, and No. 1 golden, \$3.85 in barrels; car lots 5c less.

Flour Prices.

Flour—Manitoba patent, \$4.20, track; port, 35c; Ontario, 90 per cent. patent, \$3.15 bid, for export; Manitoba patent, special brands, \$4.80; strong makers, \$4.10.

Manitoba Wheat.

At the Winnipeg option market to-day the following wheat closed: July, 80 1/2c; Aug, 81c bid; Oct., 77 1/2c.

Leading Wheat Markets.

City	July	Sept.	Dec.
New York	80 1/2	85 1/2	87 1/2
Chicago	77 1/2	80 1/2	82 1/2
St. Louis	77 1/2	80 1/2	82 1/2
Toledo	79 1/2	82 1/2	84 1/2
Duluth	79 1/2	82 1/2	84 1/2

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Receipts of farm produce were 300 bushels of grain, 300 bushels of hay, load of spring chickens, and a few loads of several other products.

Wheat—One hundred bushels fall sold at 83c to 84c.

Oats—Two hundred bushels sold at 42 1/2c to 43c.

Hay—Thirty-five loads sold at \$12 to \$14 per ton for timothy, and \$10 to \$11 for mixed.

Straw—One load sold at \$10 per ton.

Dressed Hogs—Prices firm at \$10.40 to \$10.65 per cwt.

Spring chickens have been offered more freely, but of poor quality, and few buyers are to be seen.

Spring chickens alive sold at 15c to 16c per lb. dressed, there are about 1000 lbs. of live, and 20c to 24c per lb. dressed.

Butter—Prices steady at 23c to 23c per pound.

Eggs—Prices steady at 18c to 24c per dozen for newly laid.

John H. Wickson bought 2 prime veal calves at \$6.75 per cwt. alive. They weighed 125 lbs. each.

J. D. Mallon, wholesale dealer in produce, reports having bought 15c to 17c chickens during the week at 15c to 17c for lb. alive, and a few lots of spring ducks at 18c per lb. alive.

Grains.

Wheat, spring, bush	\$0.82 to \$0.85
Wheat, fall, bush	0.83 to 0.84
Wheat, red, bush	0.83 to 0.84
Wheat, white, bush	0.83 to 0.84
Barley, bush	0.51 to 0.52
Oats, bush	0.42 to 0.43
Rye, bush	0.75 to 0.76
Peas, bush	0.72 to 0.73

Hay and Straw.

Hay, mixed, per ton	\$10.00 to \$10.25
Straw, bundled, per ton	10.00 to 10.25
Straw, loose, per ton	7.00 to 7.25

Fruits and Vegetables.

Potatoes, Ontario	\$0.95 to \$1.05
Onions, per sack	2.00 to 2.25

Poultry.

Turkey, dressed, lb.	\$0.14 to \$0.15
Hens, per lb.	0.10 to 0.12
Chickens, dressed, lb.	0.13 to 0.12
Spring chickens, lb.	0.20 to 0.25

Dairy Produce.

Butter, lb. solid	\$0.18 to \$0.20
Butter, lb. new-laid	0.18 to 0.20
Butter, doz. per doz.	0.20 to 0.24

Fresh Meats.

Beef, forequarters, cwt	\$8.00 to \$8.00
Beef, hindquarters, cwt	8.00 to 8.00
Lamb, dressed, lb.	0.10 to 0.12
Mutton, light, cwt	10.00 to 10.00
Veals, prime, cwt	10.00 to 10.00
Veals, common, cwt	7.00 to 8.00
Dressed hogs, cwt	10.40 to 10.65

FARM PRODUCE WHOLESALE.

Hay, car lots, ton	\$8.50 to \$10.00
Produce, car lots, bag	0.95 to 1.00
Silver Dollars	0.95 to 1.00
Outer choice wheat	0.95 to 1.00
Butter, dairy, lb. rolls	0.18 to 0.19
Butter, creamery, boxes	0.21 to 0.22
Butter, tubs, rolls	0.22 to 0.23
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0.14 to 0.15
Butter, tubs, rolls	0.14 to 0.15
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0.18 to 0.19
Hog, lb. dressed	0.12 to 0.13
Cheese, new-laid, lb.	0.12 to 0.13

Hides and Tallow.

Prices revised daily by E. T. Carter & Co., 85 East Front-street, Wholesale Dealers in Wool, Hides, California and Sheepskin, Tallow, etc.

Inspected hides, No. 1 steers 0 12 1/2
 Inspected hides, No. 2 steers 0 12 1/2

NO EXCITEMENT OVER RIOS.

World Office, Friday, July 6.

The Toronto stock market was made a little more active to-day, and prices, in odd instances, developed an improving tone. The best instance of this was in Twin City, where an advance of two points from the opening, and over four points from the recent low, was recorded. The price of this stock has, of course, been under manipulation, and at 109 was manifestly out of line with other portions of the market. The same influence on prices is now at work, only in the opposite direction. As a trading issue, Twin City offers one of the best facilities in the market, but without some guarantee of a higher dividend, it is now fully high enough for investors to handle. A block of new securities in the shape of Rios was added to the local list to-day. The authorized capital of this concern is \$50,000,000—\$25,000,000 bonds and \$25,000,000 stock. Following the predecessors of this class of security, the common stock has been handed out as a bonus to bond purchasers. The common stock did not meet with especially good reception to-day, only two ten-share lots were wanted at the morning board. It will be several orders of this variety to use up the common capital, and it is not unlikely that a supply can be had without offering other inducements than bidding close to the present quotations. Considerable affinity for the Mackay shares was shown by the room trading element, and the buying was especially active in a rumor that an announcement will be made publicly at a later date. The improvement in prices to-day showed sufficient determination to warrant the belief that further advances might be expected. Herbert H. Ball.

New York Grain and Produce.

New York, July 6.—Flour—Receipts, 31,000 barrels; market dull but steady. 4700 packages; market dull but steady. 4700 packages; market dull but steady. 4700 packages; market dull but steady.

Chicago Markets.

Marshall, Spader & Co. (J. G. Bealy), King Edward Hotel, reported the following quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade, Friday, July 6, 1906.

Wheat—No. 2 white, 80 1/2c; No. 2 mixed, 80c; No. 2 yellow, 80 1/2c.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 60 1/2c; No. 2 white, 60c; No. 2 mixed, 59 1/2c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 42 1/2c; No. 2 mixed, 42c; No. 2 yellow, 41 1/2c.

Barley—No. 2, 60c.

Peas—Buyers, 62c.

Chicago Cattle Market.

Marshall, Spader & Co. (J. G. Bealy), King Edward Hotel, at the close of the day, July 6, 1906.

Receipts, 1000 head; market steady. 1000 head; market steady. 1000 head; market steady.

Chicago Hogs Market.

Marshall, Spader & Co. (J. G. Bealy), King Edward Hotel, at the close of the day, July 6, 1906.

Receipts, 1000 head; market steady. 1000 head; market steady. 1000 head; market steady.

Chicago Sheep Market.

Marshall, Spader & Co. (J. G. Bealy), King Edward Hotel, at the close of the day, July 6, 1906.

Receipts, 1000 head; market steady. 1000 head; market steady. 1000 head; market steady.

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Into the Bank of England on balance to-day.

July 5	July 6	Last Quo.	Last Quo.
Consols, account	87 3/16	87 1/2	87 1/2
Consols, money	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
Consols, 100	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
do, preferred	108	108	108
Chesapeake & Ohio	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Illinois Central	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Anacosta	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Denver & Rio Grande	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Rocky Mountain	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Chicago & Western	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
St. Paul	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
do, 1st preferred	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
do, 2nd preferred	81 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
Illinois Central	81 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
Louisville & Nashville	146	146	146
Kansas & Texas	84	84	84
Rocky Mountain	84	84	84
do, preferred	94	94	94
Pennsylvania	84 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
Ontario & Western	49	49	49
Reading	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
do, 2nd preferred	45	45	45
Southern Pacific	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
Southern Railway	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
do, preferred, xd.	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Union Pacific	147 1/2	147 1/2	147 1/2
United States Steel	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
do, preferred	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
do, preferred, 2d	46	46	46

Standard Stock and Mining Exchange.

Asked	Bid
Crown Bank	110
Standard Loan	88
Colonial Inv. & Loan	70 1/2
City of Toronto	70 1/2
Trust & Guarantee	70 1/2
Confederation Life	71 1/2
St. Paul	60
A. Rogers pref.	60
do, common	28 1/2
City Dairy	87
Carter Crum pref.	77
do, common	65
Con. Mining & Smelting	24 1/2
Red Rock	113 1/2
Granby Smelter	108 1/2
C. G. F. S.	8
North Star	4 1/2
Inter. Coal & Coke	20 1/2
City of Toronto	70 1/2
Monte Cristo	2 1/2
Diamond Vale	147
Silver Leaf	184 1/2
Silver Bar	45
Red Rock	113 1/2
Rocheville	25
Coleman	45
Mechanics	50
Toronto	15 1/2
Gordon Cobalt	68
Silver City	58
Hudson Bay	55
Nipissing	54 1/2

Unlisted Securities, Limited.

Asked	Bid
Abtibi and Cobalt	25
Canadian Northern	20
Coleman	45
Eureka	1.00
Gordon	70
Gilpin	2.75
Granby Smelter	108 1/2
Kerr Lake	72.50
Mechanics	50
Nipissing	54 1/2
Red Rock	113 1/2
Rocheville	25
Silver Bar	45
Silver Leaf	184 1/2
Silver Queen	97
Union Pacific	147 1/2
Red Rock	113 1/2
Perry Sound Copper	0.25
White Bear	22
Agnew Auto Moller	24.00
Montreal Cobalt	50
Diamond Vale	147
International Coal & Coke	50
Hudson Bay	45.00
National Oil	11.00
Home Life	15.00
Colonial Investment	7.75
Phillips Platinon	5.00
Aurora Consolidated	17

Unlisted Stocks.

Asked	Bid
Domestic Permanent	77.50
Hamilton Steel & Iron	100.00
Montana Tonopah	2.60
Donipah Extension	3.75
Donipah Mining	18.75
Cenequia Copper	5.00
Phillips Platinon	5.00
California N. Y. Oil	24.75
California Monarch Oil	25
National Oil	11.00
United Tonopah	0.08
Manhattan Nevada	0.08
White Bear	22
Aurora Consolidated	17
Homestate Extension	0.65
Vancouver Gold	0.65
Orange Petroleum	0.65
Silver Leaf Cobalt	1.42
Western Tonopah	1.42
Silver Bar	44
Red Rock	113
Western Oil & Coal	36

Price of Oil.

July 6	July 6		
Marshall, Spader & Co. (J. G. Bealy), King Edward Hotel, at the close of the market:			
Open	High	Low	Close
January	10.41	10.42	10.40
February	10.28	10.29	10.25
March	10.28	10.29	10.25
April	10.28	10.29	10.25
May	10.28	10.29	10.25
June	10.28	10.29	10.25
July	10.28	10.29	10.25
August	10.28	10.29	10.25
September	10.28	10.29	10.25
October	10.28	10.29	10.25
November	10.28	10.29	10.25
December	10.28	10.29	10.25

New York Cotton.

Marshall, Spader & Co. (J. G. Bealy), King Edward Hotel, at the close of the market:

Open	High	Low	Close
July	10.41	10.42	10.40
August	10.28	10.29	10.25
September	10.28	10.29	10.25
October	10.28	10.29	10.25
November	10.28	10.29	10.25
December	10.28	10.29	10.25

Cotton spot closed quiet. Middling July, 10.80; do, Gulf, 11.05. Sales, 3675 bales.

Cotton Gossip.

Marshall, Spader & Co. (J. G. Bealy), King Edward Hotel, at the close of the market to-day:

New York, July 6.—The market was dull but rather steady to-day, with no influence

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Weekly Bank Clearings.

New York, July 6.—The following are the weekly bank clearings, as compiled by Bradstreet for the week ending July 6, 1906, showing percentages of increase or decrease, as compared with the corresponding week last year:

New York	\$1,505,000,000, increase 4.4
Chicago	\$1,088,000,000, increase 12.2
Boston	\$1,425,000,000, decrease 14.8
Philadelphia	\$1,660,000,000, increase 18.1
St. Louis	\$4,552,000,000, decrease 47.7
Pittsburgh	\$5,727,000,000, increase 1.8
San Francisco	\$3,517,000,000
Montreal	\$27,388,000, decrease 1.5
Toronto	\$22,744,000, increase 7.4
Winnipeg	\$8,029,000, increase 14.4
Ottawa	\$2,250,000, increase 1.8
Halifax	\$2,008,000, increase 25.3
Vancouver	\$2,222,000, increase 20.5
Quebec	\$2,242,000, increase 3.0
Hamilton	\$1,841,000, increase 51.8
St. John	\$1,064,000, increase 4.2
London	\$1,827,000, increase 32.9
Victoria	\$68,282, decrease 22.7
Calgary	\$1,015,525

Bradstreet's Trade Review.

Montreal trade reports to Bradstreet's say: The actual movement of wholesale trade here continues a little quiet in most lines, although the warm weather has given a much better tone to the movement of retail trade throughout the country. Light goods are moving well, and there is a good business in all departments for the fall year. In this connection the outlook is very hopeful, and the excellent condition of the crops throughout all parts of Canada are encouraging merchants to prepare for a slow but steady movement of the spring trade. Toronto reports to Bradstreet's say: Wholesale trade here is showing a good movement for this time of the year. Summer goods lines are moving better, and the fall trade promises to be one of the heaviest in years. There is an exceedingly heavy demand being shown for light dress suits, Coats, blouses and woollen hold-overs. The grain trade is quiet. Light groceries are fairly active. Sugar remains in firm tone, as also are canned goods. Stocks of peas, corn and tomatoes are light. Salmon is firm and growing scarce. The demand for building materials and general hardware is as active as ever. Country trade is showing a fairly good tone. Receipts of dairy products here are heavy, but prices hold up well. Cattle are firm and lower, and hogs continue scarce. Receipts in years are using foreign raw material. Hides are coming forward fairly well, but are firm. Eggs hold firm on light receipts. The grain trade is quiet. Light groceries are generally reported fair to good. Winnipeg reports to Bradstreet's say: There is good tone to trade in all departments. Weather conditions during the past week have greatly favored the growing crop, and the wheat harvest still promises to be a record. Summer drygoods are active, and there has been a big increase in fall orders. Groceries are moving well, and general hardware is meeting with a big charge.

PARRY SOUND, JULY 6.—John McKeown, a young man working on the drive for Sward & Ludgate, was drowned last evening at the grist