

HOGS SHADE LOWER

Receipts Fair for Monday but Less Than Demand.

TOP PRICE WAS \$5.67 1-2

Cattle Receipts Light Market Weak to 10 Lower.

The hog market was a shade lower yesterday after the big tumble down the grade last Saturday. One car load was weighed up at \$5.72 but the seller claimed they were sold last Saturday night to arrive. At the close forty good hogs were required to bring \$5.55. One car load was sold late for \$5.75 but they were rather fairly with the exception that two large hogs were concluded in the sale. The receipts were light but fully as large as was expected for the first day of the week. The packers are not getting as many hogs as they want and three times the hogs that are coming would find ready sale.

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IN AND ABOUT STOCK YARDS.

The hog market is looking some, but the Wichita buyers seem right along paying prices that will not permit of hogs being run out this market to any extent. The big Stevens-Clearwater south of the stock yards is nearing completion and will soon be receiving wheat and other grain.

Local Grain and Produce Market. Feed and sales in made yesterday by sample of the Wichita Board of Trade basis, delivered Missouri river. To get price for a h. your station, deduct Kansas City rate from your station.

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GRAIN PITS STRONG

Bad Weather Caused Higher Prices in Cereals.

SHORTS RUN TO COVER

Predictions of Frost in Corn States Is the Cause.

Chicago, Sept. 14.—There was strength in the grain pits and all prices were higher. The strong factor in wheat was the bad weather in the northern west and higher prices in other markets helped also by the sharp rally in corn. Under these influences December was bid up from the opening 84 1/2 to 85 1/2. There was considerable long wheat sold on the early buldges and the advance was not without setbacks, although never entirely lost. Advances from the northwest were also sensational, rain and snow being reported as very general and much growing wheat is believed to be ruined. Against this influence, however, were bearish statistics showing enormous amounts on ocean passage and increased Liverpool stocks. The market came off toward the close on profit taking sales, but closed steady at a gain of 1/2 to 3/4. Primary receipts were 1,322,000 bushels, against 1,178,000 a year ago. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 33,000 bushels. Minneapolis and Duluth reported receipts of 383 cars, which with local receipts of 153 cars, four of contract grade, made a total for the three points of 1,305 cars, against 1,158 a year ago.

Corn. Corn was in active demand from the trade generally and particularly from those who have had short accounts. The official situation of the crop owing to the freezing temperatures, accompanied by snowstorms throughout the northwest over Sunday caused bullish markets and as the day progressed there was no cessation in the buying. December closed 1/2 on Saturday's final figures, having sold up from 5 1/2 at the opening to 5 7/8, when the demand was strongest. The prediction of further frosts in nearly every corn state tonight was also a great incentive to buy and there was little corn to be had at any time. Local receipts were 516 cars, with 41 of contract grade.

Oats. Oats strength was partly in sympathy with corn and partly due to bad weather. There was a fair demand and the market responded readily. Trade was not of large volume and there was some covering by shorts which resulted in a net gain of 1/8 for December at 38c, after ranging between 37c and 38c. Local receipts were 163 cars.

Corn was also responsible for the strength in provisions. Small packers were the principal buyers, and although there were liberal offerings throughout the list, early on weaker hog market, hog prices later became strong and helped provisions. The close was 28c higher for October pack at 12 1/2, with last 1902-23 at 18.42-48 1/2, and 22c higher for ribs at 10.00.

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STOCKS AND BONDS

New York, Sept. 14.—The course of today's stock market was shaped by a number of adverse factors, chief among them being the reported damage by frosts in the spring wheat regions and fears in the corn belt. Lower prices for wool and leather also came the factor. Consols were again depressed because of the political situation in eastern Europe, also gave a set-back to the list, which opened generally lower, the financial advisers having no apparent suggestion.

Missouri Pacific displayed the greatest weakness of any stock at the outset, under a trade heavier than Alchison, Reading, St. Paul, Union, Pacific and Amalgamated Copper. Steel common again broke below 20, but came in for fairly good support and recovered. A story was current during the day that the second steel syndicate, which some time ago converted \$20,000,000 of preferred stock into 5 per cent bonds, would make another demand for a considerable sum upon the underwriters, but this could not be confirmed.

A reactionary tendency was shown by the list before the end of the first hour, special pressure being once more directed upon Brooklyn Transit, as well as against Chicago & North Western, the latter being over a point. The heaviness of St. Paul was attributed to reports of northwestern crop damage. Most of this news came from Chicago and was accepted with reservation.

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