

NEAR FIRM ALL DAY, MAY CLOSE HIGHER
Cables Lower, but the Market Holds Unresponsive to Weakening News.

RANGE OF HIGH PRICE IN MINNEAPOLIS
Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Today, Yesterday, Year Ago.

Supplies Here Are Liberal, but Smaller East.
THERE IS LARGE SUPPLY OF HOGS
Sharp Declines at the Opening but Bunk Trading is Noted.

CHAS. E. LEWIS & CO., GRAIN COMMISSION AND STOCK BROKERS, 1, 2 and 3, Chamber of Commerce.

Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce, Feb. 19.—It was a quiet day in wheat. The session opened with a trace of weakness in the market.

THE DAY'S RESULT.
Wheat, Minneapolis, Chicago, Duluth, St. Louis, New York.
Close yesterday: .74 @ 74 1/2, .75 @ 75 1/2, .75 1/2 @ 75 3/4, .75 3/4 @ 76, .75 3/4 @ 76 1/4.

MARKET'S OFFENSE
Movement of Prices is Irregular at the Opening.
STEEL ESPECIALLY UNSETTLED
Before Midday a Demand for Sugar Strengthens the Market.

Chicago Live Stock.
Chicago, Feb. 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; generally steady; good to prime steers, \$4.30.

THE CASH TRADE
Flax Lower—Flour Steady—Millstuffs Advanced—Corn Easier.
The market was less active, due principally to the softening of flax.

RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS, AND STOCKS
New York, Feb. 19.—The tone of speculation was very much confused and the movement of prices irregular at the opening.

GENERAL PRODUCE
The Minneapolis Market.
There is a stronger feeling on butter, with an advance on creamery and a decline on the supply of top grades is moderate.

MONEY MARKETS
New York Money.
New York, Feb. 19.—Money on call steady at 2 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3 1/2 per cent.

OTHER GRAIN MARKETS
CHICAGO GRAIN
Heavy Trade in Corn—Wheat Trade Dull and Small.
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CASH SALES REPORTED TO-DAY
No. 1 northern, 1 car, \$0.72 1/2
No. 1 northern, part car, .72 1/2

CHICAGO SEED AND COARSE GRAIN
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STATE GRAIN INSPECTION
Inspected In—Wheat—Great Northern, No. 1, 1 northern, 17; No. 2 northern, 48; No. 3, 24; rejected, 3; no grade, 54.

PROVISIONS
Chicago Provisions.
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