SEPTEMBER WHEAT SELLS BACK ABOVE 65c

The Market Opened Weak at 63c, but Turned About for a 2 1-4c Advance.

BAD NEWS IN CHICAGO FROM S. D.

Local Reports Do Not Substantiate It—Coburn Says Kansas Corn Damage Not so Great.

Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce, July 16.—The wheat market opened depressed and quiet on a general lack of serious damage news, prospective improvement in weather conditions and lower cables. September opened ⅞c lower, at 63c. From the first there was tendency to recover, and the market turned stronger as trading progressed. By 11:30 the full decline had been regained by a gradual advance, and with advices from St. Louis that France was a good buyer in that market, coupled with some damage news from South Dakota, sufficient strength came out to carry September to 64c. Southwestern receipts were lighter by comparison with last year's figures. Scalpers were quick to turn and at noon there was some covering against early short sales. September sold to 64¾c, December to 66¼@66⅜c.

Showers fell over night in the corn states. The precipitation was light but very general, and a wide area was covered. The forecast for a good part of the southwest is for cloudy weather and probable thunder storms. Cooler weather is the prediction for Iowa and for Minnesota and the Dakotas there is a forecast for fair and cooler weather and local showers. Temperatures in the northwest are lower and the weather shows moderating tendency everywhere.

Secretary Coburn of the Kansas state agricultural board says he does not believe the Kansas damage in corn is so great as has been claimed. There are, he says, some 900,000 acres of Kaffir corn not affected. The old corn in farmers' hands he estimates at 40,000,000 bu, or nearly one-fourth of a full crop. While fully conceding that there has been serious damage, his opinion of present Kansas conditions is, on the whole, the most favorable received, and is in marked contrast to some of the late reports of total ruin, which, while undoubtedly true as to certain localities, were probably not quite so extensive as has been generally supposed.

The first Liverpool cable showed decline of 1¼d. Budapest was ⅝c lower. Antwerp closed unchanged and Berlin lost ⅛c.

Primary receipts were 739,000 bu and shipments 503,000, compared with 731,000 and 453,000 last year. Kansas City received 157 cars, against 264,000 last year and St. Louis received 164,000 bu, against 256,000 bu. Wheat and flour clearances show 960,000 bu; corn, 826,000 bu. Minneapolis received 177 cars and Duluth 113, against 184 and 22 last year. Bradstreets' figures a decrease of 4,250,000 bu in the world's visible supply.

Towards the close Chicago turned very strong on a report of heavy damage in South Dakota. One dispatch said that Chicago had advices of 25 per cent damage from hot weather, but this was not borne out by local reports of the South Dakota situation, and it is generally believed here that the Chicago reports were exaggerated or were the statements of conditions in scattered places. Minneapolis September closed at 65⅛c; December, 66⅝c; July wheat, 65c. Chicago closed September 67½@67⅝c.

Cash demand was excellent. Millers bought freely, taking a good part of the No. 2 and selected No. 3 wheat. No. 1 northern brought 1½c over September for the average, with some sales a shade higher. No. 1 sold at 64½@65c. No. 2 sold from 62⅞ to 64c. No. 3 ranged from 61 to 62¾c. Low grades sold fairly well, rejected at 53@60c and no grade from 52½ to 56c.

RANGE OF WHEAT PRICE IN MINNEAPOLIS

	Open.	High.	Low.	To-day.	Yesterday.	Year Ago.
July..	$	$	$	$ .65	$ .63⅝	$ .77¼
Sept..	.63	.65¼	.63	⅝@⅝	⅝@⅝	⅝@⅝
Dec..	.64⅞	.66⅝@66¾	.64⅞	.66⅝	.65½@65⅝	.77½

On Track—No. 1 hard, 68⅛c; No. 1 northern, 66⅛c; No. 2 northern, 64⅝c.

THE DAY'S RESULT

Sept. Wheat	Minneapolis.	Chicago.	Duluth.	St. Louis.	New York.
Close to-day.....	$ .65⅛	$ .67½@67⅝	$ .66⅞	$ .65	$ .72¾
Close yesterday...	.63⅞	.66½@66⅝	.65⅞	.64⅜@64½	.72

THE FLOUR MARKET

No Change in Prices—Heavy Grinding by the Mills.

The market shows no special change and millers are quoting prices the same but are very firm. Demand is reported satisfactory and the general market shows continued good tone. Heavy grinding continues and the daily output is large.

Shipments for the day were 58,608 brls.

First patents are quoted $3.75@3.85; second patents, $3.55@3.65; first clears, $2.65@2.75; second clears, $2.05.

THE CASH TRADE

Flax Dull but Strong—Corn Easier—Oats Very Active.

FLAX—The market was quiet, principally for lack of material to work on, the posted receipts showing only 4 cars in. The only trades reported up to noon were in two part cars of rejected at $1.85.

Minneapolis received 4 cars, against 1 last year. Duluth had 2 cars.

Closing prices: Minneapolis—Cash, $1.87; September, $1.50; October, $1.46. Duluth—Cash, $1.85; September, $1.53; October, $1.48.

CORN—The market was off a trifle on poorer lots, although good No. 3 corn sold up to 46c to arrive. Spot No. 3 brought 45½@45¾c. Receipts were 13 cars, and no corn was shipped.

OATS—There was an active trade. Prices held up well, No. 3 oats selling at 32@33c, and No. 3 white at 32½@33½c. Receipts, 18 cars; shipments, 1 car.

FEED AND MEAL—Prices are maintained on the higher level and quotations are firm. Coarse corn meal and cracked corn, $17; No. 1 feed, $17.50; No. 2 feed, $18; No. 3 feed, $18.50; granulated corn meal in cotton sacks, at the rate of $2 per brl.

MILLSTUFFS—Prices are firm and millers report a good demand ruling. Bran in bulk is quoted $12@12.50; bulk shorts, $12@12.50; flour middlings, $13.50@14; red dog in 140-lb sacks, $15@16; feed in 200-lb sacks, $1 per ton additional; in 100-lb sacks, $1.50 per ton additional. Shipments, 1,464 tons.

BARLEY—There was a little trade in No. 5 around 39½c. The general market is quiet, without important change. Feed grades are quoted 33@35c, and malting grades, 36@42c. Receipts, 1 car; no shipments.

RYE—The market is quiet. No. 2 is quoted at 47c. Receipts, 1 car. No. 2 rye to arrive sold at 47c.

HAY—The market is stronger and quotations are a little higher. The demand is good. Upland fancy, $11; upland choice, $9@10; upland, No. 1, $9@9.50; midland, $8@9.50; medium, $7@8; timothy, choice, $11@11.50; timothy, No. 1, $10.50@11; rye straw, choice, $5.75@7.25; wheat and oat straw, $4@5. Receipts, 78 tons.

Puts and Calls.

2 o'clock report:
Puts, September wheat, 64½c.
Calls, September wheat, 66¾@66⅞c.
Curb, September wheat, 65½c bid.

Cash Sales Reported To-day.

No. 1 northern, 19 cars $0.64⅜
No. 1 northern, 1 car ..... .64⅝
No. 1 northern, 1 car ..... .65
No. 1 northern, 2 cars ..... .64½
No. 1 northern, 1 car ..... .64¾
No. 2 northern, 6 cars ..... .63⅛
No. 2 northern, 2 cars ..... .64
No. 2 northern, 3 cars ..... .62⅞
No. 2 northern, 5 cars ..... .63¼
No. 2 northern, 2 cars ..... .63½
No. 2 northern, 2 cars ..... .64
No. 3 wheat, 4 cars ..... .61¾
No. 3 wheat, 9 cars ..... .61½
No. 3 wheat, 3 cars ..... .61
No. 3 wheat, 3 cars ..... .62¼
No. 3 wheat, 2 cars ..... .61¼
Rejected wheat, 1 car ..... .60
Rejected wheat, 1 car ..... .57
Rejected wheat, 1 car ..... .53
Rejected wheat, 1 car, f o b..... .57
No grade wheat, 1 car, f o b..... .58
No grade wheat, 1 car ..... .52½
No grade wheat, 1 car ..... .51
No grade wheat, 1 car ..... .58
No grade wheat, 5 cars ..... .53
No grade wheat, 1 car ..... .56
No. 3 corn, 1 car ..... .45½
No. 3 corn, 1 car ..... .45¾
No. 3 corn, 3 cars, to arrive ..... .46
No. 3 oats, 1 car ..... .31
No. 3 oats, part car ..... .31
No. 3 oats, 1 car, f o b..... .33¼
No. 3 white oats, 1 car ..... .33
No. 3 white oats, 1 car ..... .32¾
No. 3 oats, 2 cars ..... .32½
No. 3 oats, 1 car, seed ..... .32¼
No. 3 oats, 1 car ..... .32
No. 3 oats, 4 cars, to arrive ..... .32½
No. 2 rye, 3,500 bu ..... .47
Rejected flax, part car 1.85
Rejected flax, part car 1.85

State Grain Inspection.

July 15.

Inspected In—Wheat—Cars—

Great Northern—No. 1 northern, 22; No. 2 northern, 96; No. 3, 24; rejected, 8; no grade, 13.

Milwaukee—No. 1 northern, 27; No. 2 northern, 28; No. 3, 15; rejected, 2; no grade, 10.

St. Louis—No. 1 northern, 17; No. 2 northern, 38; No. 3, 4; rejected, 4; no grade, 2.

Soo Line—No. 1 northern, 2; No. 2 northern, 7; No. 3, 3; rejected, 1.

Northern Pacific—No. 1 northern, 2; No. 2 northern, 3; No. 3, 4; no grade, 6.

Omaha—No. 1 northern, 16; No. 2 northern, 45; No. 3, 15; rejected, 5; no grade, 11.

Great Western—No. 2 northern, 2.

Total—No. 1 northern, 86; No. 2 northern, 219; No. 3, 65; rejected, 20; no grade, 42.

Other Grains—No. 3 yellow corn, 7; No. 3 corn, 16; No. 4 corn, 6; no grade corn, 6; No. 3 white oats, 4; No. 3 oats, 19; no grade oats, 8; No. 5 barley, 1; No. 1 flax, 2; rejected flax, 36; no grade flax, 4.

Cars Inspected Out—No. 1 northern wheat, 165; No. 2 northern, 51; No. 3, 23; rejected, 1; no grade, 1; No. 3 winter wheat, 21; No. 3 corn, 4; No. 3 white oats, 1; No. 3 oats, 16; no grade oats, 1.

Receipts and Shipments.

July 15.

Received—Wheat, 176 cars; corn, 13 cars; oats, 18 cars; barley, 1 car; rye, 1 car; flax, 4 cars; flour, 150 brls; millstuffs, 32 tons; hay, 78 tons; fuel oil, 168,314 gals; fruit, 198,448 lbs; merchandise, 2,813,348 lbs; lumber, 32 cars; barrel stock, 2 cars; machinery, 742,578 lbs; coal, 792 tons; wood, 41 cords; brick, 120,000; lime, 3 cars; cement, 860 brls; household goods, 64,000 lbs; ties, 2 cars; stone and marble, 9 cars; linseed oil, 20,000 lbs; salt, 1 car; dressed meats, 66,000 lbs; railroad materials, 4 cars; sundries, 58 cars. Car lots, 807.

Shipped—Wheat, 45 cars; oats, 1 car; flour, 58,608 brls; millstuffs, 1,464 tons; hay, 10 tons; fruit, 55,800 lbs; merchandise, 2,298,350 lbs; lumber, 107 cars; barrel stock, 1 car; machinery, 426,650 lbs; lime, 1 car; cement, 100 brls; household goods, 24,000 lbs; ties, 12 cars; stone and marble, 5 cars; live stock, 4 cars; linseed oil, 387,000 lbs; oil cake, 24,000 lbs; railroad materials, 23 cars; sundries, 36 cars. Car lots, 889.

Wheat Movement.

The following are the receipts and shipments at the principal primary wheat markets:

	Receipts, Bushels.	Shipments, Bushels.
New York	274,050	180,511
Philadelphia	50,814	48,800
Baltimore	81,944	31,795
Toledo	28,717	4,070
Detroit	5,473	None
St. Louis	164,000	142,000
Boston	42,450	24,000
Chicago	219,250	123,510
Milwaukee	23,250	3,650
Duluth	26,890	52,000
Minneapolis	146,080	49,600
Kansas City	125,600	123,200

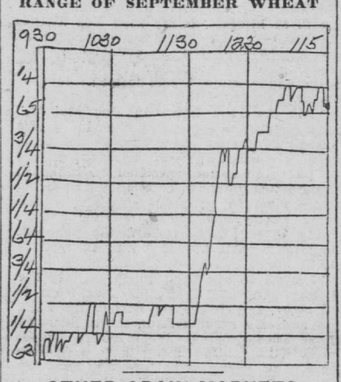
Wheat Movement by Roads.

July 15.

Received—Milwaukee, 30 cars; Omaha, 33; St. Louis, 38; Great Northern, 61; Northern Pacific 3; Soo, 11.

Shipped—Milwaukee, 12 cars; Omaha, 9; St. Louis, 13; Great Northern, 8; Burlington, 5.

RANGE OF SEPTEMBER WHEAT



OTHER GRAIN MARKETS

CHICAGO GRAIN

Wheat Prices Advance After an Opening of Weakness.

Chicago, July 16.—Wheat opened weak today on fairly favorable weather and lower cables, September ½@⅝c to ¾@⅞c down, at 66c to 65¾c. After steadying around 65¾c, the market advanced to 66⅞c on local buying. Local receipts were 380 cars, 262 of contract grade. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 290 cars, against 193 last week and 202 a year ago.

Under active local buying, September later advanced to 67¾c and closed firm, at 67½@67⅝c.

Close: July, 66⅝c; August, 66½c; September, 67½@67⅝c; cash No. 2 red, 67c; No. 3 red, 64@66c; No. 2 hard winter, 65½c; No. 3 hard winter, 64c; No. 1 northern spring, 67c; No. 2 northern spring, 66c; No. 3 spring, 62@65c.

Liquidation of long stuff was heavy in the corn pit at the opening, September selling from 49c to 48c, ⅜c to 1⅜c under yesterday's close. This was due to anxiety to get out before a possible general break in the drought. The weather forecast, however, was not regarded as offering much relief and the market in consequence rallied sharply to 49½c. Receipts were 598 cars.

The close was strong on additional hot weather reports; September, 1⅛@1¼c up, at 50½@50⅝c.

Close: July, 48⅞c; September, 50½@50⅝c; cash No. 2, 48@49c; No. 3, 47@48c.

September oats opened ⅛@¼c to ½@⅝c lower at 30¼c to 30⅝c, in sympathy with corn. Good buying for the country account caused an advance to 31¼c during the first hour. Receipts were 164 cars.

Close: July, 30¼c; September, 31⅝c; cash No. 2, 32½c; No. 3, 32c.

The following was the range of prices:

Wheat—	July.	Sept.
Opening	64⅝	66 to 65⅞
Highest	66½	67¾
Lowest	64½	65¾
Close—		
To-day	66⅝	67½@⅝
Yesterday	65¼	66½@⅞
Year ago	76	77¼@⅞
Corn—		
Opening	46⅞	49 to 48½
Highest	49	50¾@⅞
Lowest	46⅞	48
Close—		
To-day	48⅞	50¼@⅝
Yesterday	47½	49⅞
Year ago	39½	39½@⅝
Oats—		
Opening	29⅛	30½@⅝
Highest	30½	31¾
Lowest	29⅛	30¼
Close—		
To-day	30¼	31⅝
Yesterday	29⅝@¾	30¾@⅞
Year ago	23⅝	23¾

Duluth Grain.

Duluth, Minn., July 16.—Wheat was very strong again to-day. It opened ⅞c off, at 65⅛c. September held there for some time, but finally began to climb, advancing to 66⅞c, 1¾c above the opening. Cash wheat was correspondingly strong, 40 cars selling at 66½@69c for No. 1 northern. Flax was strong. September was bid up to $1.57 and October sold at $1.51. Receipts—Wheat, 113 cars; oats, 2; flax, 2; total, 117. Shipments—Wheat, 52,000 bu.

Close: Oats, 30¾c; rye, to arrive, 48¾c; futures, 48½c; flax, cash, $1.85; September, $1.53; September northwestern, $1.54; October, $1.48; wheat, No. 1 hard, cash, 69⅞c; September, 69⅞c; No. 1 northern, cash, 68½c; July, 68⅛c; September, 66⅞c; August, 67½c; December, 67⅞c; No. 2 northern, 63½c; November, 59⅛c.

St. Louis Grain.

St. Louis, July 16.—Close—Wheat, higher; No. 2 red, cash, 63c; July, 64½c; September, 65c; December, 65⅞c; May, 71c; No. 2 hard, 65½@66½c. Corn, higher; No. 2 cash, 51⅛c; July, 50⅞c; September, 51⅛c. Oats, higher; No. 2 cash, 34c; July, 34½c; September, 33½c; May, 35¾c; No. 2 white, 46c. Lead, quiet, $4.27½@4.40. Spelter, quiet, $3.82½.

Milwaukee Grain.

Milwaukee, July 16.—Flour—Steady. Wheat—Firm; close, No. 1 northern, 68@68½c; No. 2 northern, 66@67c; September, 67½c. Corn—September, 50½c. Rye—Easy; No. 1, 51@51½c. Barley—Steady; No. 2, 54½@55c; sample, 47@55c. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 34@35c.

New York Grain.

New York, July 16.—Flour—Receipts, 38,800 brls; sales, 4,500 pkgs; state and western, barely steady and a shade lower to sell. Wheat—Receipts, 274,100 bu; sales, 2,125,000 bu. Opened weak under cables and cooler weather in the northwest, but rallied on general covering. July, 71 13-16@72c; September, 71 7-16@71¾c. Rye—Easy; state, 54@55c; No. 2 western, 57½c, f. o. b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 126,000 bu; sales, 150,000 bu. Opened weak on the rains, but rallied on reports that they were too light for best results. July, 51⅛@51¼c; September, 51⅞@52⅜c; December, 52@53c. Oats—Receipts, 132,000 bu; quiet but fairly steady. Track white, 36@42c.

Close: Wheat, July, 73¼c; September, 72¾c; July, corn, 52⅝c; September, 53⅝c.

Liverpool Grain.

Liverpool, July 16.—Wheat—Spot, dull; No. 2 red western winter, 5s 6d; No. 1 northern spring, 5s 6d; No. 1 California, 5s 9d. Futures steady; September, 5s 5½d; December, 5s 6½d. Corn—Spot, quiet; American mixed, new, 4s 1½d; American mixed, old, 4s 4d; futures quiet; July nominal; September, 4s 1⅝d; October, 4s 2¼d.

Chicago Seed and Coarse Grain.

Chicago, July 16.—Flax—Cash northwestern, $1.88; No. 1, $1.88; October, $1.50@1.51; September, $1.59. Rye—July, 51¾c; September, 50¾c. Timothy—September, $5.15; October, $4.95. Clover—Cash, $9.50. Barley—Cash, 40@53c.

Kansas City Grain.

Kansas City, July 16.—Close—Wheat—July, 61c; September, 62⅝c; December, 64⅝@64¾c; Cash, No. 2 hard, 61½@62c; No. 2 red, 62½@63c. Corn—September, 51½c; December, 51½c; Cash, No. 2 mixed, 53¼@54c; No. 2 white, 54@55c. Oats—No. 2 white, 40@41½c.

GENERAL PRODUCE

The Minneapolis Market.

Tuesday, July 16.

The egg and butter markets are without important changes, except that eggs are a shade better in general tone with some improvement noted in demand. Creameries are steady but low grade butter is a little draggy.

The poultry market is quiet and steady. Veal holds around 8@8½c for fancy.

Lemons are up again, top grades quotable at $6@6.50.

BUTTER—Extra creameries, 1b, 18@18½c; firsts, per lb, 16½c; seconds, per lb, 14@14½c; imitations, firsts, per lb, 14c; seconds, per lb, 12c; dairies, extras, per lb, 16c; firsts, 14c; seconds, per lb, 11½c; packing stock, fresh, lb, 12@12½c; stale packing stock, per lb, 6½c; grease, lb, 3@5c; tested butter fat, in separator cream, 17c.

EGGS—Strictly fresh, loss off, 11½@12c; dirties, fresh, 7c; checks, fresh, 6½@7c.

CHEESE—Twins or flats, fancy, new, 9½@10c; twins or flats, choice, new, 7@8c; brick, No. 1, per lb, 11c; brick, No. 2, per lb, 9@10c; brick, No. 3, lb, 6c; limburger, No. 1, per lb, 11c, limburger, No. 2, lb, 8½@9½c; primost, No. 1, per lb, 8c; No. 2, per lb, 6c; Young America, fancy, per lb, 10½c; choice, per lb, 9@9½c; pultost, per lb, 9@10c; Swiss, No. 1, 13@13½c; block Swiss, No. 1, 11@12c; block Swiss, No. 2, 8½@9c.

LIVE POULTRY—Turkeys, mixed coops, 7½c; chickens, hens, lb, 8½@9c; roosters, 5c; broilers, 12@13c; ducks, white, 7; colored, 6c; spring ducks, 10@11c; geese, 5c.

DRESSED MEATS—Veal, fancy, lb, 8@8½c; fair to good, 7½c; mutton, 7c; lambs, 8c; milk lambs, pelts off, 10@11c.

FISH—Pike, per lb, 6c; crappies, per lb, 5c; pickerel, drawn, per lb, 4c; pickerel, round, 4c; sunfish, perch, etc., 2@3c; bullheads, skinned, 3@5c; buffalo, 2@3c.

POTATOES—New, per bu, 90c, according to size.

BEANS—Fancy navy, bu, $2.25; choice, per bu, $2.10; medium, hand-picked, per bu, $2; brown, fair to good, $2.

DRIED PEAS—Fancy yellow, $1@1.10 per bu; medium, 90c@$1; green, fancy, $1.25@1.35; green, medium, 90c@$1; marrowfat, per bu, $2.

APRICOTS—Four-basket crates, $1.40.

CHERRIES—24-qt case, $1.75; California cherries, 10-lb box, $1.50@1.75; Illinois sour cherries, $1.

PEACHES—Missouri stock, 6-basket crate, $1.40@1.50; Alexanders, box, 70c.

PLUMS—Clyman, 4-basket crate, $1.25@1.40; 4-bu crate, $1.75; blue plums, per box, $1.40.

ORANGES—California navels, 80s, $4; California navels, 96s, $4; California navels, 126s, $3.75; California navels, 150s, $3@3.25; California navels, 176s, $3@3.50; California seedlings, all sizes, $3.25; California tangerines, half box, $2; Mediterranean sweets, $3.75; St. Michaels, $4.25; grape fruit, 80s to 96s, $2@2.50.

LEMONS—Messinas, 320s or 360s, fancy, $6@6.50; choice, $5.50; California, fancy, as to size, $5.50@6; choice, $5.

PINEAPPLES—Dozen, as to size, $1.25@2.25.

GOOSEBERRIES—Per 24-qt case, $1.75.

BLUEBERRIES—16-qt case, $1.75.

BLACKBERRIES—24-qt case, $2@2.25.

RASPBERRIES—Red, 24-pt case, $1.50@1.75; black, 24-pt cases, $1.40@1.50.

CURRANTS—24-qt case, $1.50@2.

WATERMELON—Florida stock, per 100, $25@35.

PEARS—California, per box, $2.50.

CANTALOUP—Florida stock, per crate, $1.50@2.25.

BANANAS—Fancy, large bunches, $2.50; Medium bunches, $2@2.25; small bunches, $1.50@1.75.

HONEY—New, fancy, white, 1-lb sections, 19c; choice white, 16@17c; amber, 13@14c; golden rod, 11@12c; extracted white, 10@11c; buckwheat, 10@12c; extracted amber, 8@9c.

VEGETABLES—Asparagus, per doz, 75c; beans, wax, bu crate, $1.25; beans, string, bu crate, $1; beets, bu, 15c; beets, new, doz bunches, 30@35c; cabbage, southern, about 150 lbs, $1@1.50; carrots, doz bunches, 30c; cauliflower, per doz, 75@85c; celery, California, per doz, 25@50c; cucumbers, home grown, doz, 30@45c; egg plant, per doz, $1.75@2; green corn, per doz, 12½c; lettuce, per dozen, 15c; lettuce, head, per doz, 20c; mint, doz, 30@40c; onions, doz bunches, 20c; onions, southern, per bu, box, $1.50; Bermuda onions, crate, $1.25; parsley, per doz, 30c; parsnips, per bu, 50c; peas, green, per bu, $1.10; radishes, round, doz, bunches, 15@20c; rutabages, bu, 30c; salsify (oyster plant), per doz, 35c; spinach, bu, 20c; turnips, new, doz bunches, 40@45c; tomatoes, home-grown, 5-lb basket, 60@75c; watercress, per doz, 30c.

New York Produce.

New York, July 16.—Butter—Receipts, 14,285 pkgs; firm; state dairy, 14@14½c; creamery, 15@19½c; factory, 13@15½c. Cheese—Receipts, 20,231 pkgs; steady; fancy large, colored, 9⅛c; fancy large, white, 9⅛c; fancy small, colored, 9½c; fancy small, white, 9¼c. Eggs—Receipts, 12,666 pkgs; irregular; state and Pensylvania, 14@16c; western candled, 13@16c; western, uncandled, 8@12c. Beef—Dull. Pork—Easy. Lard—Weaker; prime western steam, $8.77½.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, July 16.—Butter—Steady; creameries, 14@19c; dairies, 12@16½c. Cheese—Firm; twins, 9@9¼c; young Americas, 9¾@10c; cheddars, 9@9¾c; daisies, 9½c. Eggs—Steady; loss off, cases returned, 12½c. Iced poultry, steady; turkeys, 8c; chickens, 8@9c.

Hides, Pelts, Tallow and Wool.

	No.1.	No.2.
Green salted heavy steer hides.....	9¼	8¼
Green salted heavy cow hides	8	7
Green salted light hides	7¾	6¾
Green salted heavy cow and steer hides, branded	7½	6½
Green salted bull and oxen	7¼	6¼
Green salted veal calf, 8 to 15 lbs...	10½	9
Green salted veay kip, 15 to 25 lbs..	8½	7
Green salted long-haired or runner kip	7¾	6¼
Green salted deacons, each	.50	40

Green cattle hides and skins, 1@1½c per pound less than above quotations.

Green salted horse or mule hides, large	$3.00	2.25
Green salted horse or mule hides, medium	2.50	1.75
Green salted horse or mule hides, small	1.50	1.00

Dry flint Montana butcher hides...12½@14½
Dry flint Minnesota, Dakota and Wisconsin hides ..... .11 9
Dry flint calf skins ..... .16 12
Dry flint kip skins ..... .14 11

Green salted pelts, large, each...$0.75@1.00
Green salted pelts, medium, each... .50@.70
Green salted pelts, small, each .... .20@ 45
Dry flint territorial pelts, butcher..10 @.05½
Dry flint territorial pelts, murrain... 8½@ 9½
Dry flint territorial shearlings..... 6 @ 8

Tallow, in cakes 4¾ 4
Tallow, in barrels 4½ 3¾
Grease, white 4 3½
Grease, dark 3¼ 2½

Wool, medium, unwashed .....12½@14
Wool, fine medium, unwashed .....11 @12½
Wool, coarse, unwashed ..... 11 @12½
Wool, fine, unwashed ..... 9 @10
Woool, broken fleeces, unwashed....11 @12
Wool, seedy, burry, unwashed .....10 @11

Bright Wisconsin and similar grades 1@2c higher than above quotations.

Cash business in wheat in Chicago yesterday was 75,000 bu No. 2 red and 40,000 bu No. 2 hard; sales of corn were 100,000 bu No. 3, and 25,000 bu No. 2 white, and 40,000 bu oats. Exporters at seaboard bought 200,000 bu wheat, 120,000 bu corn and 65,000 bu oats. Sales at Galveston were 40,000 bu wheat for export.

STOCK RESTORATION

Quite General Advance in Wall St. at the Opening.

THEN FOLLOW SOME DECLINES

Active Purchasing Movement, Which Ceases and the Market Is Dulled.

New York, July 16.—The Grangers and Pacific Southwesterns led an opening advance in prices, which was quite general. St. Paul, Missorui Pacific, Atchison, Rock Island and Southern Pacific gained from 1 to 1⅜, and Denver & Rio Grande preferred rose 2 points. The first sales of United States Steel were of 15,000 shares at simultaneous prices of 38¼ to 38⅝, compared with 38⅜ last night, with the preferred stock selling ex-dividend, opened at an advance of 1⅛ and then ran off 1 point. Consolidated Gas rose 1½ and North American 1¾.

There was a lower market for the principal stocks for a short time after the opening. When Rock Island and Wabash preferred declined a point everything else was affected to a slight extent. Large buying orders then appeared for the corn-carrying roads and they rose rapidly under the lead of Atchison. That stock sold at 74½, an improvement of 2⅝, and St. Paul, Union Pacific, Kansas & Texas preferred, Southern Pacific and Baltimore & Ohio were 2@2½ higher, while gains of a point or over were general for the high-priced specialties and southern and southwestern railroads. A good demand for many usually inactive stocks, including Consolidated Gas, Chicago & Eastern Illinois, La Clede Gas, Great Northern preferred, General Electric and St. Louis & San Francisco first preferred benefited them from 2 to 2¼. American Linseed preferred lost 6 points. The United States Steel stocks fluctuated within a small fraction, but there was active business in them. The market became feverish at the higher level and yielded from a fraction to a point.

The purchasing movement slackened and the market became very dull. Most of the leaders reacted a point and intermittent rallies were not maintained. Room traders were disposed to realize on yesterday's purchases and the general demand was not sufficient to absorb the offerings.

The market sagged heavily during the noon hour. St. Paul receded 1¾ and Atchison and Union Pacific 1½ each, and others a point. Southern railway preferred got 1¼ over last night and Des Moines & Fort Dodge 4½, and United States Steel touched 38, the lowest of the morning.

Stocks went down sluggishly to about opening prices and a few below, notably United States Steel, which toched 37⅝. A spurt in Brooklyn Rapid Transit and then in Manhattan carried them up 2 points and St. Paul recovered 1¼ and other stocks fractionally. These stocks were back to about the lowest before 2 o'clock. Texas & Pacific land jumped 5¾.

Texas & Pacific land made an extreme advance of eight points and then reacted. Prices generally fluctuated sluggishly on a small volume of trading. A rally of over a point in Union Pacific was almost unnoticed elsewhere, and St. Paul touched the lowest of the day, dropping suddenly to below last night's close. The closing was moderately active and easy.

Bonds were steady.

Stock quotations reported for The Journal by Watson & Co., Chamber of Commerce, Minneapolis.

Closing prices are bid.

Sales	Stocks—	High-est.	Low-est.	—Close— Bid. Jly 16	Bid. Jly 15
100	Am. Cot. Oil	.....	.....	27½	27½
	do pr	.....	.....	89	89
1,900	Am. Car	28⅜	27⅞	27⅞	27⅞
200	do pr	83½	82½	83	82½
	Am. Ice	33	32¾	32¾	32⅝
	do pr	68⅜	68	68	66
100	Am. Linseed	.....	.....	25	24
	do pr	.....	.....	60	60
	Am. Malting	.....	.....	6	6
	do pr	.....	.....	27½	27½
8,000	Am. Sugar	138	136¾	137¾	135⅞
	do pr	.....	.....	120	120
	Am. Smelting	53½	52⅞	53	53½
	do pr	.....	.....	99¾	102
1,600	Am. Tobacco	129½	128½	128⅞	130
10,400	Amal. Cop	112⅞	111⅜	112¼	111
2,400	Anacon. Cop	44	43¼	43½	43¼
49,800	At., Top. & S.F.	74½	72⅝	73⅝	71⅞
9,100	do pr	96	94⅝	95¼	94
2,400	Balt. & Ohio	96½	95⅛	95¼	94
	do pr	.....	.....	91	91
6,600	Brook. Rap. Tr.	77⅞	75½	76¼	75
	Brook. Un. Gas	.....	.....	208	208
	Can. Southern	.....	.....	66	65½
1,400	Canadian Pac	101	99½	100½	99¼
2,300	Ches. & Ohio	43½	42¼	42¾	42¼
1,100	Chi. & Alton	37¾	36	36½	36½
700	do pr	75¾	75	75	75½
	Chi., Bur. & Q.	.....	.....	194½	194
1,900	Chi. Gr. West.	22½	21½	22¼	21½
200	do pr A	.....	.....	81	81¼
	do pr B	.....	.....	45	45
	Chi., Ind. & L.	33	32	31½	32¼
	do pr	69	68	69	68
600	C., C., C. & St.L.	90	89	89	88½
	do pr	.....	.....	114	118
	Chi. Term	20	19½	19	19
	do pr	38⅛	38	37	37
	Col., H. C. & I.	.....	.....	19	18
200	Col. Fuel & I'n	95½	93½	93½	93½
	do pr	.....	.....	125	130
	Col. Southern	13	12½	12½	12½
	do 1st pr	.....	.....	48	48
	do 2d pr	.....	.....	20	20¾
1,900	Consol. Gas	216	213½	214	212¾
300	Con. Tobacco	64¾	64½	64½	64½
500	do pr	116	115	115	115
1,000	Del. & Hudson	157	155	156	155
600	Del. Lack & W.	220½	219	219¼	218
500	Den. & Rio Gr.	.....	.....	41	40½
700	do pr	90	89½	90¼	88⅞
	Des M. & Ft. D.	38¾	34¾	37	.....
	do pr	.....	.....	110	.....
	Du., S. S. & At.	.....	.....	10	.....
	do pr	.....	.....	16	.....
16,100	Erie	37	36	35⅞	36½
2,400	do 1st pr	66¼	65½	65¼	65½
	do 2d pr	.....	.....	49	51
	Evans & Ter H.	.....	.....	52	52
	do pr	.....	.....	88	85
700	Gen. Electric	250	245	245	245
300	Glucose	55	54⅞	54	54
	do pr	.....	.....	100½	100
	Great Nor. pr.	176	174½	174½	174
	Hocking Valley	.....	.....	49	48
200	do pr	.....	.....	73½	73
2,000	Illinois Cent	149	148¼	148½	147¾
	Iowa Central	35	34¾	35	34½
	do pr	73½	73	72½	73
100	Inter. Paper	.....	.....	20½	20½
	do pr	.....	.....	76	76
	K. C. & South	.....	.....	19	18
	do pr	.....	.....	40	37⅞
	Lake E. & W.	.....	.....	54	55
	do pr	.....	.....	118	118
4,800	Louis. & Nash.	104	102¾	103⅞	102¾
200	M., St. P. & Soo	22½	22	22¼	22½
	do pr	70	69	70	68
6,300	Manhattan	118	116	117	116⅛
1,100	Met. St. Ry.	167⅞	166½	166½	167
300	Minn. & St. L.	107¾	106¾	107	106
	do pr	.....	.....	107	.....
11,700	Missouri Pac	104⅝	103¼	104	102½
1,300	M., K. & T.	25¾	25	25¼	25
700	do pr	55½	52¾	54¾	52¾
	Mobile & Ohio	.....	.....	82½	82½
	Mexican Cent	23¾	22¾	23¾	22⅝
	Mex. Nat	9⅛	8⅞	9⅛	9
600	Nat. Biscuit