

Wheat Closed the Week Strong, May at 77 1/2c

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close, Yest. Close, 1st Ago. Includes data for Minneapolis Oats and various wheat grades.

Shorts Took In Their Lines Over Sunday and Prices Advanced.

Millers Uncertain About Opening the Idle Mills, but May on Monday.

A Strike On in Argentine Which Might Be an Important Influence.

Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce, March 17. Wheat closed at a fair advance, May at 77 1/2c.

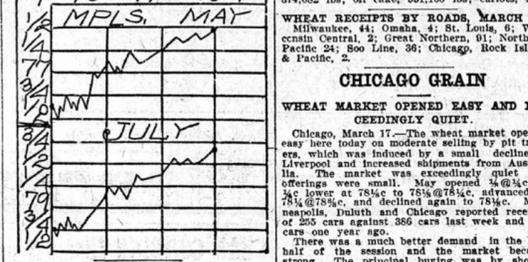
THE DAY'S REPORTS

Table showing daily reports for Minneapolis, Chicago, Duluth, St. Louis, Kansas City, New York, and Winnipeg.

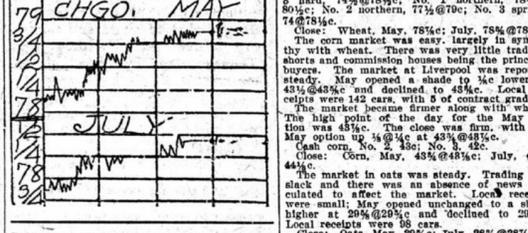
CLOSING CASH PRICES

On Track—No. 1 hard, 78c; No. 1 northern, 77c; No. 2 northern, 75 1/2c; No. 3 wheat, 73 1/2c; durum, 65c; No. 3 white oats, 28c; No. 2 rye, 64 1/2c; No. 1 northern, 10c; No. 2 northern, 7c; No. 3 yellow corn, 35 1/2c; barley, 27c to 46c.

TODAY'S RANGE IN WHEAT



Chicago Options.



Primary receipts were 311,000 bu., against 880,000 a year ago. Clearances 108,000 bu. in wheat and flour, against 270,000 in America.

THE FLOUR MARKET

FIRMNESS AND PROBABILITY OF ADVANCE, BUT BUYERS LEISURELY BACK.

With the closing strength in wheat today, four prices were due for an advance, but millers were hesitant about putting up prices.

THE CASH TRADE

COARSE GRAINS FIRM WITHOUT IMPORTANT CHANGE.

FLAX—Receipts, 31 cars, against 11 cars last week. Shipments, 20 cars.

COBBLERS—Receipts, 11 cars, against 11 cars last week. Shipments, 11 cars.

RAILY—Foot grades closed at 87 1/2c; No. 1, 88 1/2c; No. 2, 89 1/2c; No. 3, 90 1/2c.

CASH SALES REPORTED TODAY. No. 1 hard, 2 cars, 77 1/2c; No. 1 northern, 2 cars, 77c; No. 2 northern, 2 cars, 75 1/2c.

GRAIN IN REGULAR LOCAL ELEVATORS. Wheat—No. 1 hard, 1,029,147; No. 1 northern, 1,047,190; No. 2 northern, 1,047,190.

MIDWAY HORSE MARKET, MINNEAPOLIS. St. Paul, Minn., March 17.—Barratt & Zimmerman, stocker and high-wheeler, has contracted to clear the receipts which still continue large.

RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS, MARCH 16. Received—Wheat, 209 cars, 184,370 bu.

Future Trade Orders Executed in All Markets.

VERIFIED DIETARY STOCK MARKET

DEALINGS ARE SMALL AND PRICE CHANGES SLIGHT.

Bank Statement Accentuates Movement Downward—Prices Start Upward Toward the Close, but Don't Go Far—The Close Is Dull and Stagnant.

New York, March 17.—Only a few stocks were trading on yesterday's market, and small blocks. The price movement was correspondingly narrow.

Prices dropped from inaction. Profit-taking in the appearance of the bank statement lowered it, and there was also a pre-emptive selling of Southern Railway and Missouri Pacific.

On the other hand, Amalgamated Copper, Brookline Transit and Union Pacific made small gains.

The signed tenancy was slightly accentuated on the appearance of the bank statement. Smelling was carried 1/4 below last night and 1/2 below today.

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FIRMNESS IN PORK AND BEEF STEADY

HOOGS GO TEN CENTS HIGHER AT SOUTH ST. PAUL.

Cattle Receipts Light in All Divisions, Both Butcher Stuff and Stockers and Feeders Running Barely Up to the Requirements—Sheep Going Principally Into Feed Lots and Not May Received.

South St. Paul, Minn., March 17.—Estimated receipts in the Stockyards today: 1,021,113; 1,000; calves, 50; hogs, 2,800; sheep, 600; cars, 42.

The following table shows the receipts from Jan. 1, 1906, to date as compared with the same period in 1905:

1906—Cattle, Calves, Hogs, Sheep, Cars. 1905—12,209 2,191 32,199 7,188 489

Official receipts for the past week are as follows: Cattle, Calves, Hogs, Sheep, Cars.

NEW YORK METAL MARKET, March 17.—The London market was unchanged at 100 higher, with spot closing at 41.00 lbs and futures at 41.00 lbs.

NEW YORK BANK STATEMENT, March 17.—The statement of the clearing-house banks for the week shows the cash balance at \$5,965,000, a decrease of \$58,076 under last week.

NEW YORK COTTON, March 17.—The cotton market opened at 10c, with a decline of 1/4c to 1/2c.

NEW YORK SUGAR AND COFFEE, March 17.—Sugar, fair firm; fair, 10c; fair, 10c; fair, 10c.

NEW YORK PROVISIONS, March 17.—Receipts, 100; market, 100; market, 100; market, 100.

NEW YORK OIL, March 17.—Petroleum steady; refined, all prices, 1.50c to 1.60c.

NEW YORK METALS, March 17.—Lead and copper quiet and unchanged.

NEW YORK PRODUCE, March 17.—Eggs, 8c; 10c; refrigerated eggs, 14c; receipts, 8,145 cases; market steady.

SIoux CITY LIVESTOCK, March 17.—Receipts, 100; market, 100; market, 100; market, 100.

OMAHA LIVESTOCK, March 17.—Cattle, receipts, 4,000; market, unchanged; native steers, 14c; cows and heifers, 12c; calves, 10c.

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