BEARS TAKE AN INNING.

They Pound Down the Price of Wheat at Chicago Two and One-half Points.

Old Hutch Turns in as a Seller and Aids the Bear Raid.

Financial Operations of the Money Kings---The General Quotations.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 11.—Everything tended in favor of the bears in the matter of the day's sensations. Dodge cast the first shadow over the path of the bulls, next came the rumor of some new wheat at Baltimore, and the climax was reached in the reported failure of an influential board of trade firm. From 90⅝c at 90¾c July wheat declined to 88c and closed at 80½c, or 2½c lower than at the close of the regular session on Tuesday. Mr. Dodge's heavy hand fell upon the bulls on the curb yesterday afternoon, and caused them to drop some wheat at 90¾c, as against 90⅝@90¾c at the close of the regular session. They had somewhat recovered from the blow before the opening to-day, and on change the starting price was 90½@90⅝c, or a decline of only about ¼c from the official closing price on Tuesday. The leading traders were noncommittal at the start, and consequently for a moment the volume of business was not very heavy. This state of affairs did not last long, however. Hutchinson, who had been feeding the cmarket by means of a few buying orders, evidently concluded that another good shake at the tree would bring down the rotten fruit. He turned in immediately as a seller, and had quick response in an immediate tumble in the price. There was plenty of help from the radical bear element in pounding the market, and a report circulating at the same moment that some new wheat had been received at Baltimore to-day the stampede became general; the prices weakened every moment, and a general calling of margins on the longs was started, which it was found necessary to keep renewing during the greater part of the day. From 90⅝c, which was about the highest point of the day, there was a decline to 90⅜c, followed by a quick recovery to 90⅝@90¾c, and that in turn by a sudden dropo 9c. At the latter figure, which was reached in the middle of an excited and heavy amount of trading, William Young & Co. sold 200,00 bu, supposed at the time to be for account of Hutchinson, but, in the light of subsequent revelations, it was more likely for another firm, which had no option in the matter. There was a recovery to 89⅝c from the point last named, a further slump to 88¾@88⅞c, and another reaction to 89⅜@89½c. About this time the market appeared ready for a further advance, and the most of the weak holders who could not respond to margin calls seemed to have already met the fate in such cases provided for them. The failure to pass the clearing house of the old and highly respected firm of Robert Warner & Co. began to be whispered around at this juncture, and when it was no longer a whisper but became an openly acknowledged fact, there was a haste to stand from under which knocked the prop completely from under the market. It came down with a thud, striking hard against 88 cents as the lowest point in the descent. The bears seized their opportunity, and their inanity of the bulls permitted the covering of their lines of short wheat without the exercise of effort or subterfuge. They simply took it when it was pressed upon them. The market kept dragging on or close to the bottom until the close, July being quoted 88½c when the bell tapped. Corn derived some weakness from the declining tendency in wheat, but closed only ⅛@⅜c lower. Oats were also weak in sympathy with wheat, and closed a fraction off. Pork closed 5@7½c higher, and lard and ribs 5@7½c lower. Warner's failure weakened provisions, but good buying toward the close reduced the loss.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

ARTICLES.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
No. 2 Wheat:				
June.....	89½	89½	87¼	87½
July.....	90⅝	90⅝	88⅛	88⅛
August...	90½	92⅝	88¼	88⅜
No. 2 Corn:				
June.....	33⅞	33⅞	33¾	33⅛
July.....	34⅝	34⅝	34¼	34½
August....	35¼	35¼	34⅞	35⅛
No. 2 Oats:				
June.....	28	28⅜	27¾	27⅞
July.....	28	28	28	28
August....	26¼	26⅜	26	26¼
Mess Pork:				
July.....	12 75	12 75	12 75	12 75
August....	12 75	12 85	11 75	12 85
September	12 75	12 85	12 75	12 85
Lard:				
July.....	5 95	5 95	5 85	5 92½
August....	6 02½	.....	.....	6 02¼
September	6 15	6 15	6 07½	6 12½
Short Ribs:				
July.....	5 07½	5 07½	4 92½	5 02½
August....	5 15	5 15	5 02½	5 12½
September	5 27½	5 27½	5 12½	5 22½

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour—Feeling easier, with dealers asking $4.85@5.25 for patents in wood; outside fancy, $3.25@3.75 for bakers', $3.75@4.25 for straight, and $4.40@4.65 for winters. Wheat—No. 2 spring, 87¼@87½c; No. 3 spring, 76@82½c; No. 2 red, 87¼@87½c. Corn—No. 2, 33⅞c. Oats—No. 2, 27c. Rye—No. 2, 48c. Barley—No. 2, nominal. Flaxseed—No. 1, $1.39. Timothy Seed—Prime, $1.38. Mess Pork, per bbl, $12.65. Lard, per 100 lbs, $5.85. Short Ribs, sides (loose), $4.95@5.05; dry salted shoulders (boxed), $5@5.10; short clear sides (boxed), $5.35@5.45. Whisky—Distillers' finished goods, per gal, $1.09. Sugars unchanged. Oats—No. 2 white, 29¼@29½c; No. 3 white, 28¾@29c. Receipts—Flour, 15,000 bbls; wheat, 33,000 bu; corn, 748,000 bu; oats, 368,000 bu; rye, 13,000 bu; barley, 27,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 10,000 bbls; wheat, 30,000 bu; corn, 329,000 bu; oats, 628,000 bu; rye, 65,000 bu; barley, 9,000 bu. On the produce exchange to-day the butter market was steady, unchanged. Eggs, 12c.

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Duluth Grain.

DULUTH, June 11.—July wheat opened 91c bid; sold off to 89¼c, closing at 89½. Trading fairly active on decline. Cash nominal, at 87½c for No. 1 hard; 83c for No. 1 northern. Receipts, 28 cars.

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Milwaukee Produce.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 11.—Flour dull. Wheat quiet; No. 2 spring on track, cash, 86@87c; July, 86c; No. 1 northern, 91c. Corn steady; No. 3 on track, 34c. Oats firm; No. 2 white on track, 29½c. Rye easier; No. 1 in store, 50c. Barley easy; No. 2 on track, 46½@46¾c. Provisions easy. Pork, $12.65. Lard, $5.75. Butter and cheese unchanged. Eggs steady; fresh, 11c. Receipts—Flour, 4,700 bbls; wheat, 27,300 bu; barley, 22,400 bu. Shipments—Flour, 4,200 bbls; wheat, 800 bu; barley, 700 bu.

New York Produce.

NEW YORK, June 11.—Flour—Receipts, 9,260 pkgs; exports, 5,247 bbls, 9,831 sacks; heavy, moderately active; sales, 19,400 bbls. Cornmeal quiet; yellow Western, $2.10@2.45. Wheat—Receipts, 86,700 bu; exports, 58,349 bu; sales, 6,144,000 bu futures, 264,000 bu spot; spot market active, lower, weak; No. 2 red, 93¾c elevator, 95¼@95¾c afloat, 93⅞@95½c f. o. b.; No. 3 red, 89c; ungraded red, 87¼@96c; No. 1 northern, 98½c; No. 1 hard, $1; options more active, 1¼@2c down on government report and reported failure at the West, closing weak; No. 2 red June, 93½@94¼c, closing at 93⅝c; July, 93⅝@94⅜c, closing 93⅞c; August, 92¾@94⅜c, closing at 93⅛c; September, 92¾@94c, closing at 93c; December, 94⅝@95¾c, closing at 94⅜c; May, 1891, 98¼@99⅝c, closing at 98⅝c. Rye quiet; sales 16,000 bushels Western, 56½c. Barley dull; western nominal. Barley malt dull. Corn—Receipts, 750 bu; exports, 114,227 bu; sales, 960,000 bu futures, 312,000 bu spot; spot market active, lower, closing steadier; No. 2, 40½@40¾c elevator, 41c@42c afloat; ungraded mixed, 39⅝@42¼c; steamer mixed, 41@41¼c; options less active, ⅛@¼c down, weak; June, closing at 40⅝c; July, 41 7-16@41⅝c, closing at 41⅝c; August, 42⅛@42⅜c, closing at 42⅜c; September, 42¾@43c, closing 43c. Oats—Receipts 204,200 bu; exports, 57,802 bu; sales 190,000 bu futures, 112,000 bu spot; spot market dull, weaker; options quiet, weaker: June, 33¾@34c, closing 33¾c; July, 33¼@33½c, closing 33¼c; August, 32@32½c, closing 32. Spot No. 2 white, 34¼@36¾c; mixed Western, 32¼@36c; white do, 34@40c; No. 2 Chicago, 35½c. Hay firm, unchanged. Coffee—Options opened steady, 5 points up; to 5 points down; closed easy, 5@10 points down; sales 35,000 bags, including: June, 17.35@17.40c; July, 17.05 @ 17.10c; August, 16.90 @ 16.95; September, 16.65@16.75c; October, 16.20@16.30c; November, 16.05c; December, 15.90@16.00c; March, 15.65@15.75c; spot Rio dull, nominal; fair cargoes, 20c; No. 7 flat bean, 18@18¼c. Sugar—Raw firm, fair demand; sales, 6,970 bags; molasses sugar, 89-test, 4¾c; refined firm, fair demand. Molasses—Foreign quiet; New Orleans, quiet. Rice steady, quiet. Petroleum steady; United closed at 90⅝c for July. Cottonseed oil dull. Tallow unsettled. Rosin firmer; strained, common to good, $1.45@1.50. Turpentine steady at 38¼@38¾c. Eggs quiet, weak; western, 12¾@13c; receipts, 6,410 packages. Pork firm; mess, $13.75@14.25; extra prime, $11. Cut Meats—Pickled bellies, 5@5½c; pickled shoulders, 5@5⅛c; pickled hams, 9¾@10c. Middles quiet. Lard weak and dull; Western steam, $6.12½ asked; sales, 750 tierces, $6.12½; city, 566; options sales, 1,250 tierces: July, $6.18, closing $6.16@6.18; August, $6.30@6.32; September $6.42, closing, $6.42; October, $6.48. Butter—Fine active and firm; Western dairy, 6@10c; Western creamery, 6@14½c; Western factory, 4@10c; Elgin, 14½c. Cheese rather easy; less doing; Western, 7@8c. Pig iron quiet. Copper dull and unchanged; lake, June, $15.75. Lead quiet and firm; domestic, $4.40. Tin strong; somewhat excited; straits, $21.60.

Toledo Grain.

TOLEDO, O., June 11.—Wheat active, lower; cash, 89½c; July, 89c; August, 88¾c; September, 89c. Corn active, easier; cash, 35⅜c; July, 35½c. Oats steady; cash, 29½c; August, 27c. Clover seed steady; cash, $3.40; October, $3.85. Receipts—Wheat, 9,230 bu; corn, 83,870 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 600 bu; corn, 62,800 bu.

Liverpool Grain.

LIVERPOOL, June 11.—Wheat quiet; holders offer moderately; California No. 1. 7s 1d per cental; red western spring, 7s 1½d. Corn easy, demand poor.

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FINANCIAL.

New York.

NEW YORK, June 11.—Clearings, $131,013,586; balances, $7,280,922. Money on call was easy, ranging from 3@6 per cent; last loan at 3; closed offered at 3. Prime mercantile paper, 5@6½. sterling exchange active and very strong at $4.85½ for sixty-day bills and $4.88 for demand. The stock market to-day was for the greater portion of the day intensely dull, and throughout it presented a reactionary tone, with the result of leaving prices all over the list materially lower than they were last evening. The causes of the decline are to be found in a number of directions, but the chief are hammering of the trading element in dullness, which is the result of the disinclination of the bull leaders to further advance prices pending the final settlement of the silver legislation. London has been and was this morning a seller of stocks. That the falling off of business and prices in the market has no relation to railroad earnings, and, therefore, to the actual value of railroad properties is shown by returns in today for the first week in June. The opening of the market was influenced primarily by the declines in London and the selling of arbitrage houses, and Chicago Gas was sold down rapidly on the difficulty over the payment of dividends. The Villards were prominent for their weakness, as were also the Vanderbilts, but Sugar, after a decline of 1½, was held firm and its final loss is comparatively insignificant. Chicago was a seller of the grangers and St. Paul in particular, but the transactions and fluctuations in the regular list, outside of the few leaders, were confined to small limits, although the downward movement, while slow, was continuous, and in the last hour became more pronounced. The close was dull, but weak at the lowest prices of the day. Almost everything except Wheeling & Lake Erie is lower, and Oregon Transcontinental is down 2⅛, Mexican Central 1½, Missouri Pacific and Chicago Gas each 1¼, New England and Louisville & Nashville each 1⅛, and Sugar, Lackawanna, Big Four, St. Paul, Wabash preferred and Northern Pacific preferred each 1 per cent. Railroad bonds dull, and without a feature of importance. Sales, $1,227,000. Montana Central 1sts rose 3 to 118. Government bonds have been dull and steady. State bonds have been entirely neglected. The total sales of stocks to-day were 215,442, including: Atchison, 10,175; Lake Shore, 5,535; Louisville & Nashville, 3,600; Missouri Pacific, 10,112; Northern Pacific, 8,452; Oregon Transcontinental, 34,820; Reading, 9,300; Richmond & West Polnt, 9,170; St. Paul, 12,370; Union Pacific, 3,570.

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STOCKS—CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Adams Express	148	Ohio & Miss	24
Alton & Terre H.	38	do pfd	85
do pfd	125	Ontario & West	20⅜
Am. Express	115	Oregon Imp	49½
B., C. R. & N.	28	Oregon Nav	104½
Canad'n Pacific	82⅝	Oregon Trans'l	49⅜
Can. Southern	59⅞	Pacific Mail	43⅜
Central Pacific	35¼	P., D. & E.	20¾
Ches. & Ohio	23⅝	Pittsburg	155
do 1st pfd	64	Pullman P. Car	205
do 2d pfd	43⅝	Reading	46½
Chi. & Alton	130	Rock Island	94⅛
C., B. & Q.	106½	St. L. & S. F.	35½
C., St. L. & P.	16½	do pfd	65
do pfd	47	do 1st pfd	97
C. S. & C.	63	St. Paul	76¼
Del. & Hudson	169	do pfd	120
Del., L. & W.	145⅞	St. P., M. & M.	113¾
Den. & R. G.	18½	St. P. & Omaha	34½
East Tennessee	10	do pfd	95
do 1st pfd	78	Tenn. C. & I.	51
do 2d pfd	26	Texas Pacific	22
Erie	27⅝	Tol. & O. C. pfd	85
do pfd	69	Union Pacific	66⅛
Fort Wayne	155½	U. S. Express	71½
Hocking Valley	24½	Wab., St. L. & P.	13¼
Houston & Tex.	4	do pfd	27½
Illinois Central	117	Wells-Fargo Ex.	145
Kansas & Texas	17½	W. U. Telegraph	85¼
Lake Erie & W.	18¾	Am. Cotton Oil	31
do pfd	96¼	Colorado Coal	53
Lake Shore	112⅜	Homestake	11
Louisville & N.	89½	Iron Silver	200
Louis & N. A.	38	Ontario	44
Memphis & C.	60	Quicksilver	8
Michigan Cent.	101	do pfd	42
Mil., L. S. & W.	92½	Sutro	5
do pfd	113½	Bulwer	20
Mpls. & St. Louis	7	R. & W. P. Ter.	23
do pfd	17	Atchison	47
Mo. Pacific	74¾	D., T. & F. W.	35
Mobile & Ohio	17	D. & R. G. pfd	53½
Nash. & Chatt.	103	S. Pacific	34¾
N. J. Central	124¾	C. & E. Ill.	40
N. & W. pfd	63	St. P. & D.	36½
N. Pacific	38	Wis. Central	30¾
do pfd	84⅛	Chicago Gas	52⅝
Northwestern	112	Lead Trust	21¼
do pfd	143½	Sugar Trust	83½
N. Y. Central	110	C., C., C. & St. L.	78½
N. Y., C. & St. L.	17⅝	Oregon S. L.	48
do pfd	73½	Gt. Northern pfd	85¼

BONDS—CLOSING PRICES.

U. S. 4s reg	121	M. K. & T. G. 5s.	75
do 4s coup	122	Mut. Union 6s	100¼
do 4½s reg	103	N. J. C. int. ctfs.	113¼
do 4½s coup	103	N. Pacific 1sts	117¾
Pacific 6s of '95	113	do 2ds	112
La. stamped 4s	94¼	N. W. consols	142
Missouri 6s	100	do deb. 5s	108½
Tenn. new set. 6s	109	Or. & Trans. 6s	105⅝
do do 5s	105	St. L. & I.M.G.5s	94½
do do 3s	75½	St. L.&S.F.G.M.	114
Can. South'n 2ds	99⅝	S. Paul consols	130
Cen. Pac. 1sts	111	St. P.,C.&P. 1sts.	116½
D. & R. G. 1sts	117	T. P. L. G. T. R.	92⅝
do do 4s	83¾	T. P. R. G. T. R.	43½
Erie 2ds	104¾	Union Pac. 1sts.	112¼
M. K. & T. G. 6s.	87	West Shore	106¼

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Surplus, $100,000.
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MINING SHARES.

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Alta	$1 40	Ophir	$4 85
Best & Belcher	3 70	Potosi	8 50
Bodie Con	75	Savage	2 60
Challar	4 85	Sierra Nevada	3 30
Con. Cal. & Va.	4 95	Union Con	3 30
Crown Point	3 25	Utah	1 25
Gould & Curry	2 75	Yellow Jacket	3 30
Hale & Norcross	3 10	Commonwealth	3 75
Mexican	3 70	Nevada Queen	1 25
Mono	45	Belle Isle	70
Navajo	50	North Belle Isle	1 65

Chicago.

CHICAGO, June 11.—Clearings, $13,479,000. New York exchange quoted at 25@40c discount. Rates for money unchanged.

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LOCAL MARKETS.

St. Paul.

The wheat market was weak yesterday and the quotations show a decline of 1c. The market closed very weak, the receipts being very light indeed. Corn and oats showed some strength and were a shade higher. Barley and rye were quiet and dull. Cornmeal about steady. Bran a shade lower. Hay quiet and steady. The call:

Wheat—No. 1 hard, 88@89c; No. 1 northern, 87@88c bid; No. 2 northern, 85@86c.

Corn—No. 3, 32@33c bid.

Oats—No. 2 mixed, 27@29c; No. 2 white, 28@30c; No. 3, 27½@29c.

Barley—No. 2, 50@55c bid; No. 3, 40@45c bid.

Rye—No. 2, 42c bid.

Ground Feed—No. 1, $13@13.50.

Corn Meal—Unbolted, $13.50 asked.

Bran—Bulk, $9.50@10.50.

Hay—No. 1 upland prairie, $9.75 bid; June, $10.50 to arrive; No. 1, $9@10; timothy, $9 bid.

Produce Exchange.

The produce market was dull and quiet, with prices generally unchanged and without much indicating variation. Strawberries are a shade firmer, and prices seem to be shading up a little. Butter is the same as it has been described for many weeks back. Cheese steady. Oranges and lemons steady.

Butter—Creamery first, 12@14c; creamery second, 7@9c; dairy first, 10@12c; dairy second, 4@5c; roll and prints, 6@8c; packing stock, 3@3½c.

Cheese—Full cream, 8@9c; skimmed, 4@5c.

Eggs—Fresh, $3.15@3.45.

Maple Sugar—8@10c.

Maple Syrup—Per gal, $1.15@1.25.

Honey—Slow at quotations: Fine white new clover, 12@15c; buckwheat, 10@11c.

Malt—Per bu, 60@65c.

Oranges—Californias, $4.25@4.75; navels, $4.50@5; Messinas, $5.

Lemons—Fancy, $5@6.

Nuts—Pecans, Texas polished, medium to large, 8@10c per lb: almonds, Tarragonas, 17c; California soft-shelled, 18c; filberts, Sicily, 12c; walnuts, new California, 12@15c; cocoanuts, $6 per 100; hickory nuts, $1.50 per bu; shellbarks, $1.75@1.85 per bu; Brazils, 10@12c; peanuts, Virginia hand-picked, 8½c; roasted, 10½c.

Dates—Persians, 7@8c; in mats, 5½c; figs, new, 12@15c.

Cider—Choice Michigan, 16-gal kegs, $3 per keg; choice refined, 16-gal kegs, $3; choice refined, 32-gal bbls, $5@5.50; Ohio cider, $4 per half bbl, $7 for full bbl.

Veal—$3@5.

Onions—New, $3.50@4 per bbl; green, 15c per doz.

Carrots—35c per bu.

Apples—Fancy, $6; standard, $5.

Celery—30@35c.

California Fruits—

Grapes—Malaga, $7.50@8 per keg.

Pears—$2.50@3 per box.

Strawberries—$2.25 for 24-quart crates.

Cabbage—$5.50@6 per crate.

Asparagus—Long green, 35@40c; domestic, 25@35c.

Radishes—20@30c per doz.

Wax Beans—$1.75 per box. ⅜ bu.

String Beans—$1 per box. ⅜ bu.

Peas—$2.50 per bu box.

Cauliflowers—$2.50 per doz bunches.

Cucumbers—35@40c per doz.

Spinach—$3 per bbl.

Lettuce—Per doz, 45c.

Pie Plant—2@2½c per lb.

Wholesale Produce.

Pork, Bacon, Lard, Etc.—Pork, mess, $13.50; hams, 10¼c; salt, dry long clear, 6c; smoked long clears, 6⅝c; breakfast bacon, 8¾c; long spiced rolls, 8½c; tierce lard, 6¾c; keg lard, 7c; 3-lb tin pail, 7½c; 5-lb tin pail, 7⅜c; 10-lb tin pail, 7¼c; 20-lb pail, 7c.

Flour—Patents, $5@5.50; straight, $4.50@5; bakers', $3.50@3.75; buckwheat, $3.50@3.75; rye, $2.40@2.70.

Beans—Medium, $1.25@1.50; navy, $1.50@1.75.

Dressed Meats—Fancy-dressed steers, $4.25@4.50; choice steers, $4@4.25; cows and heifers, $3.50@3.75; country-dressed beef, $2.50@3; hindquarters, $4@5; forequarters, $2@3; veal, 4½@5½c; extra heavy mutton, 6@7c; mutton ranging from 30 to 40 lbs, 7@7½c; country-dressed mutton, 4@5c; pigs feet and tripe, 90c@$1 per kit; quarters, $2.

Fish—Lake Superior trout, No. 1, 8c; Lake Superior whitefish No. 1, 6@6½c; Lake Superior whitefish, No. 2, 6c; fine Lake Superior herring, 6c; Lake Superior pike, 7c; pickerel 4c; smelts, 10@15c; salt water herring, 6c, croppies, 8c; black bass, 12@15c; lobsters; 25c; halibut, 25c; salmon, 25c; red snappers, 25c; bluefish, 25c.

Furs—Mink, 50c@$1; marten, $1.25@2.50; otter, $6@8; beaver, per lb, $3@4; fisher, $5@7; cross fox, $3@5; silver-grey fox, $15@75; red fox, $1.65; kit fox, 40c; wolverine, $4; timber wolf, $3; prairie wolf, $1; lynx, $4@5; wild cat, 50c; house cat, 15c; skunk, 50@60c; muskrat (fall), 11c; muskrat (winter), 13c; muskrat (kits), 5c; badger, $1; black bear, $16@25; black cub bear, $4@7; brown bear, $10@20; brown cub bear, $4@7; grizzly bear, $10@15; grizzly cub bear, $4@5; raccoon, 60c@$1; sheep pelts, 25@85c.

Hides—Green hides, per lb, 4c; green salted hides, per lb, 4½c; green salted long-haired kip, per lb, 4c; green salted veal kip, per lb, 4½c; dry flint hides, per lb, 7c; dry salted hides, per lb, 6c; green calfskins, per lb, 4½c; dry calfskins, per lb, 6c; wool, washed, per lb, 24@26c; wool, unwashed, per lb, 16@19c; tallow, per bbl, 4c; ginseng, per lb, $2.75; seneca, per bbl, 32c; beeswax, per lb, 20c; dry deer skins, fall, per lb, 30c; dry deer skins, winter, per lb, 25c; dry antelope skins, per lb, 23c; dry elk skins, per lb, 20c; dressed buckskin, per lb, $1.25.

MINNEAPOLIS MARKETS.

Chamber of Commerce.

WHEAT FUTURES.

Wheat fell off sharply in prices this yesterday from 88c July to 87c. Trading was slow during the decline, but at 87c buyers came in to take it very freely, turning the market up a fracion, but later the feeling became weak and July fell to 86¼c before 12 o'clock. The weakness was due to a bearish interpretation given the government report of condition of both winter and spring. The weakness was general throughout the West, as well as at the East. Trading began in September with considerable done in that month, with sales from 76¾c down to 75½c, showing a good fraction under July. Outsiders were more favorable to the longer futures and September will likely be the active month shortly. Fresh reports from the winter wheat section mentioned the ravages of insects. The bears offset these by tales of harvesting operations. Selling orders appeared to predominate.

Following are the day's closing wheat quotations: No. 1 hard, June, 85¾c; July, 86¼c; on track, 88c; No. 1 northern, June, 85c; July, 86c; on track, 86½c; No. 2 northern, June, 83c; July, 84c; on track, 83@84c.

CASH WHEAT.

The receipts of wheat were small, being 67 cars, with 47 shipped out. Cash wheat held up relatively better than futures, but the break in that market affected prices unfavorably. The better grades went off quite well, but under grades were dull. Winter wheat was very hard to place. There was a fair demand from outside for good wheat, and one or two local millers were picking up a few choice samples. Elevator companies also bought a few cars of No. 1 northern.

FLOUR AND COURSE GRAINS.

Flour—The added daily output of the mills grinding yesterday will probably aggregate 11,000 bbls.

Continued to sell steadily in small quantities at $4.80@5.10 for patents, with some held above $5.10, and perhaps others offered below the inside quotations. A moderate demand existed for the Atlantic coast points at $5.25@5.60 for the several points, taking the different rates of freight. The inquiry for baker's from foreign and domestic markets moved that product quite well at $3.25@3.90, with some held at $4. Low grades and red dog ranged from $1.20 to $1.75. Shipments, 7,267 bbls.

Bran and Shorts—The market was good for shorts, but there was little to be bought and nominal at $9.50@10; middlings in some demand at $10.75@11. Bran was in very little demand and went slowly at $8@8.25. Shipments, 343 tons.

Corn—The movement was moderate at about 32½c for good yellow, with mixed going at 32@32½c o. t. Receipts, 6,100 bu; shipments, 28,500 bu.

Oats—Were in fair request and the offerings were about equal to the inquiry. Nice white were held at 27½@28½c, with fair at 26@27c, with poor mixed 26@26½c. Receipts, 5,400 bu; shipments, 3,600 bu.

Barley—Some rough lots offered at 35c, but without buyers.

FLOUR SHIPMENTS.

Following shows the shipments of flour from Minneapolis, Jan. 1 to date, and same time in 1889:

1890, bbls	2,799,634
1889, bbls	2,135,748

STATE GRAIN INSPECTION—WHEAT.

RAILROADS.	No. 1 Hard.	No. 1 Northern.	No. 2 Northern.	No. 3	Rejected	No Grade.
M. & M., Breck. div.	....	6	....	....	....	1
M. & M., F. P. div.	7	3	....	2	1	2
C., M. & St. P.	....	1	1	....	....	....
Mpls. & St. Louis	....	5	....	....	....	....
Northern Pacific	2	13	2	....	....	....
C., St. P., M. & O.	....	5	....	....	....	....
Total grades	9	33	3	2	1	3

Other Grains—Corn—No. 2, 5 cars; No. 3, 4 cars. Oats—No. 2, 3 cars; No. 3, 1 car.

Inspected Out—Wheat—No. 1 hard, 11 cars; No. 1 northern, 105 cars; No. 2 northern, 1 car; No. 3, 1 car; rejected, 2 cars.

THE WHEAT MOVEMENT.

The receipts and shipments of wheat from the principal primary markets were as follows:

	Rec'ts.	Ship'ts.
Minneapolis	41,540	15,000
Duluth	28,065	.....
Milwaukee	27,302	800
Chicago	33,316	29,790
St. Louis	12,000	10,000
Toledo	9,231	600
Detroit	10,001	15,452
Baltimore	5,997	12,452
Philadelphia	2,162	3,173
New York	86,700	58,349

FLOUR SHIPMENTS.

Milwaukee road, 750 bbls; Omaha, 701 bbls; Manitoba, 550 bbls; St. Paul & Duluth, 875 bbls; Chicago, St. Paul & Kansas City, 916 bbls; Chicago, Burlington & Northern, 1,500 bbls; Soo Line, 2,115 bbls.

CAR LOT RECEIPTS.

Following are the Minneapolis wheat receipts by cars: Milwaukee road, 3 cars; Omaha, 13 cars; Minneapolis & St. Louis, 8 cars; Manitoba, 28 cars; Northern Pacific, 9 cars; Soo line, 6 cars.

GENERAL PRODUCE.

The arrivals of butter are still heavy, and the market is dull and easy. Makes of all kinds are accumulating. The best creamery is offered freely at 12c, and ordinary goods all the way from 5c to 8c. Holders find it very difficult to place anything except in small lots. Packing stock is meeting with more demand. Cheese market slow and feeling easy. Most houses repart trade dull, though some say they are having a good trade on Minnesota full cream. There is a good deal of old stock on the potato market that is being closed out at about quotations, though dealers are inclined to shade prices rather than to miss a sale. New potatoes are in ample supply and weak.

Southern tomatoes in good supply with a fair trade. More Southern cabbage in. Very few beans or peas on the market and demand good. Cucumbers in light supply. New beets and squash slow. Home grown onions, lettuce, radishes aspargus, and pleplant freely offered. Veal receipts were light and the demand good. A few extra fancy carcases brought 6c but that was the top of the Market. The offreings were small and the demand good. Prices stronger. The general condition of mutton remains the same. Receipts are ligat and keep closely picked up, with prices steady to firm. Not much doing in lambs.

RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS.

Receipts—Wheat, 41,540 bu; corn, 6,100 bu; oats, 5,400 bu; barley, 600 bu; rye, 600 bu; hay, 30 tons; fruit, 111,000 lbs; merchandise, 1,144,580 lbs; lumber, 24 cars; barrel stock, 6cars; machinery, 114,700 lbs; coal, 561 tons; wood, 83 cords; brick, 38,000; cement, 200 bbls; ties, 1 car; stone, 4 cars; live stock, 2 cars; dressed meats, 61,100 lbs; hides, 71,200 lbs; tallow, 20,000 lbs; sundries, 15 cars. Total car lots, 316.

Shipments—Wheat, 29,375 bu; corn, 28,000 bu; oats, 3,600 bu; rye, 600 bu; flour, 7,267 bbls; millstuffs, 343 tons; merchandise, 1,870,140 lbs; lumber, 58 cars; barrel stock, 4 cars; machinery, 49,400 lbs; brick, 10,000; lime, 2 cars; live stock, ... car; dressed meats, 20,000 lbs; tallow, 80,000 lbs; wool, 10,000 lbs; sundries, 8 cars. Total car lots, 443.

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LIVE STOCK.

Union Stockyards.

Official receipts at South St. Paul: 731 hogs, 168 cattle, 9 calves, 311 sheep.

Hogs—Steady on good to choice, others shade to 5c lower; closing about steady all around. Sales, all at $3.45@3.50 for small lots, to $3.67½ for good 177 lbs stock pigs and good to choice 250 lbs mixed packing. Bulk brought $3.55@3.60. Quotations: Light, $3.45@3.67½; mixed, $3.45@3.67½; havy, $3.50@3.70.

Cattle—Steady, with a pretty firm closing. Everything sold, and stock cattle buyers finally hustled to get the carload lots. Sales: 14 native steers, 1,285 lbs, at $4.05; stockers, 25 head, 808 lbs, $2.95; 27 head, 714 lbs, $2.95; yearlings, 12 head, 479 lbs, $2.70; heifers, $2.25; cows, $2.35@3; bulls, $1.50@2; oxen, $2.85@3.10; feeders, 863 lbs, $3.25; butcher steers, 1,185 lbs, $3.75, and 1,080 lbs, $3.50. Four good, fat oxen brought $3.50; calves, $3.05@3.50. Quotations: Milch cows, $15@30; calves, $3@3.50.

Sheep opened weak, closed steady. Shearling feeders brought $4; muttons, $4.50; common lambs, 27 lbs, $4; bucks, $3.50, and 11 good 59-lb lambs, $5.25. Quotations nominally unchanged.

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Chicago.

CHICAGO, Ill, June 11.—The situation in live stock was not as satisfactory as on the preceding days of the week. There was no perceptible falling off in the demand, but there was an increase in the receipts all around and a general softening of prices. Cattle of the best class commanded nearly steady prices, while the grades below choice averaged 10 cents lower than yesterday. Although at the opening of business hogs sold at yesterday's prices, they soon eased off 5 cents, closing quite weak at the decline. There was a reduction in common to fair grades of wheat of 15@20 cents, and a less marked decline in good to choice. Cattle—Receipts, 17,000 head; Shipping steers, $3.90@5.25; cows, $1.25@4.75; bulls, $1.75@3.75; Texas steers, $1.50@4.25. Hogs—Receipts, 25,000 head; light weight of 60 lbs. at $3.60@3.82½; heavy and medium, $3.65; culls and pigs, $1@3.50. Sheep—Receipts, 12,000 head; Natives, $3@5.75; Westerns, $3@5.30; Texans, $2.25@4.75