

THE OMAHA DAILY BEE: TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1890.

THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

What Active and Strong with Advances Over Saturday's Prices.

A NARROW TRADE IN CORN ALL DAY.

Moderate Business in Oats at Slight Advance—Provisions Slow—Another Day of Disappointment and Low Prices in Stocks.

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Only those who expected a soft market in wheat were disappointed. The lowest price of the day up to 1 o'clock was \$4 over the St. Louis Standard, and only 10 cents above the wheat which closed at \$1.00 and May at \$1.00. The low figures were touched just after the opening, when December sold at \$1.02, or 10 cents, and May at \$1.03. The first rally was to 10.2 cent for December 11 o'clock, and \$1.03 for May. From this there was a second slight depression to 10.02 for December and \$1.04 for May. The rally to the low prices quoted was short before 1 o'clock, when the market showed the most activity of the session. This, too, was followed by a slight decline, and closed at 10.05, showing an increase of 600,000 bushels, or about double the popular estimate, although the increases year ago were 1,000,000 bushels. Large items in the increase were the 300,000 bushels of Buffalo and 61,000 bushels at Minneapolis. Six primary markets showed a decrease of nearly 60,000 bushels, and no special influence. Stocks in country elevators in the northwest increased 11,000 bushels to 48,000 bushels. New York cleared no wheat. Detroit reported 40,000 bushels sold to go to the seaboard. The early buying was led by Durham & Co., Boyden & Co., and Constock, and it was claimed that Hutchison was taking wheat. The wheat market showed considerable stubborn strength toward the close and shorts thought it safest to get their wheat back. The market closed at 10.05, having lost a bit just before the close when sales for the month reached \$1.06. December, \$1.04; and May, \$1.05. Closing prices were: October, \$1.05; December, \$1.03; May, \$1.05; June, \$1.05. One hour after the close privilege on December wheat were selling at \$1.04 for puts and \$1.03 for calls.

There was a narrow corn market all day. The extreme range for May, the leading future, was a trifling half cent from \$1.00 to \$1.02. The market was slow to open, but soon moved at the low figure, and then rallied and held around the opening price most of the day. Other months were even narrower. There was little feature to the trade. The corn market closed at 10.05, having lost a bit in the hour of May sale, and 32 cents advanced at 10.02. This was the gain for the day, and all other months showed the same advance. October, \$1.02; November, \$1.02; December, \$1.02 at the close. May price was: October, \$1.05; November, \$1.05; December, \$1.05; January, \$1.05; February, \$1.05; March, \$1.05; April, \$1.05; May, \$1.05.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 13.—Wheat—Receipts, 169,000 bushels; shot higher; No. 2 red, \$0.53; in elevator, \$0.54; white, \$0.53; No. 2, \$0.53; No. 3, \$0.53; No. 4, \$0.53; No. 5, \$0.53; No. 6, \$0.53; No. 7, \$0.53; No. 8, \$0.53; No. 9, \$0.53; No. 10, \$0.53; No. 11, \$0.53; No. 12, \$0.53; No. 13, \$0.53; No. 14, \$0.53; No. 15, \$0.53; No. 16, \$0.53; No. 17, \$0.53; No. 18, \$0.53; No. 19, \$0.53; No. 20, \$0.53; No. 21, \$0.53; No. 22, \$0.53; No. 23, \$0.53; No. 24, \$0.53; No. 25, \$0.53; No. 26, \$0.53; No. 27, \$0.53; No. 28, \$0.53; No. 29, \$0.53; No. 30, \$0.53; No. 31, \$0.53; No. 32, \$0.53; No. 33, \$0.53; No. 34, \$0.53; No. 35, \$0.53; No. 36, \$0.53; No. 37, \$0.53; No. 38, \$0.53; No. 39, \$0.53; No. 40, \$0.53; No. 41, \$0.53; No. 42, \$0.53; No. 43, \$0.53; No. 44, \$0.53; No. 45, \$0.53; No. 46, \$0.53; No. 47, \$0.53; No. 48, \$0.53; No. 49, \$0.53; No. 50, \$0.53; No. 51, \$0.53; No. 52, \$0.53; No. 53, \$0.53; No. 54, \$0.53; No. 55, \$0.53; No. 56, \$0.53; No. 57, \$0.53; 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