

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

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BEARISH NEWS ENCOURAGED SELLERS

Corn Was Weak at the Opening Under the Influence of the Break in Wheat—Oats Were Fairly Active Throughout the Day.

CHICAGO, April 23.—Wheat turned sharply today and started down at a hot pace. Lack of demand at the free selling market and the other markets followed. Wheat closed at a decline for the day of 1/4¢ per bu., corn at a loss of 1/4¢, oats 1/2¢ lower and hog products finished at declines.

Wheat started at the decline. Shorts had apparently covered to contentment and there was much bearish news to encourage sellers. The public Liverpool cable giving the opening of the market described it as steady at the decline. Another Liverpool cable said that millers were refusing to follow the advance, price 1¢ lower since the opening. The Russian shipments of wheat and flour for the week were reported to be 2,000,000 bu., and an addition of the clearances from all the exporting countries reveals a total of 8,300,000 bu., compared with estimated weekly requirements by the importing countries of 7,000,000 bu., or an excess of 1,300,000 bu. for the week. The receipts for the day at Minneapolis and Duluth were 200 cars, compared with 138 cars for the week and 1,200 cars for the year before. An item of considerable significance was a quotation of \$2.50 for gold at the market, which was 1/2¢ higher than the premium, making Argentine wheat cheap at 1/2¢. The market for silver advanced in silver made Indian wheat dearer. An effect against the market was a cable from London, which said that holders of wheat were firm and stocks light. New York reported that holders of wheat were firm and stocks light. Export trade yesterday, and commission houses were active in the market. The cash demand for No. 2 red. The cash demand from country millers was good, but not on the scale of the week before. To offset the effect of the clearing out of the market, some commission houses were active in the market. The market for No. 2 red. The cash demand from country millers was good, but not on the scale of the week before. To offset the effect of the clearing out of the market, some commission houses were active in the market.

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Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce.

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Extremely Light Run of Cattle in the Yards for Tuesday.

GOULD LIGHT CATTLE IN THE BEST DEMAND Greater Portion of the Offerings Sold Early—Hog Market Upward Steady but Declined During the Day in Sympathy with Markets Elsewhere.

TUESDAY, April 23. The receipts today were 944 cattle, 1,444 hogs, 420 sheep and 100 pigs, against 386 cattle, 1,424 hogs and 4,510 sheep yesterday and 1,586 cattle, 3,551 hogs and no sheep on Tuesday of last week.

CATTLE—There were all told thirty-seven head of cattle in the yards today, and extremely light run for a Tuesday, and less than half the number received on Tuesday of last week. The demoralized condition of the market for the past week or more is the apparent cause for the small number of cattle now coming forward.

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CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

Small Receipts of Cattle Cause Prices to Advance.

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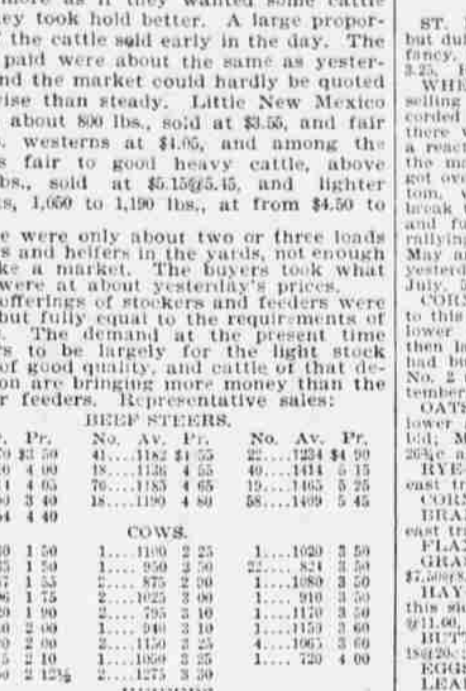
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WEATHER CROP BULLETIN

Vegetation is Coming Along Well but More Rain is Needed.

TEMPERATURE WAS ABOVE THE NORMAL Season so Far in a Week to Ten Days Earlier Than Usual—Corn Planting Commenced in Many Parts of the State.

Weekly weather crop bulletin No. 3 of the Nebraska weather service, co-operating with the United States weather bureau, issued from the central office, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, under direction of G. D. Swezey, meteorologist of the Nebraska experiment station.



The general rains of last week, supplemented in most localities by showers during the week just passed, have brought vegetation in the northwestern section to the state the need of rain is beginning to be felt.

Small grain continues to grow well, and wheat is coming along very well. The market for No. 2 red. The cash demand from country millers was good, but not on the scale of the week before. To offset the effect of the clearing out of the market, some commission houses were active in the market.

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