

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Demoralization in Liverpool Gives the Bears an Inning.

FINE HARVEST WEATHER IS A FACTOR

July and September Wheat Leave Off at Declines and Everything Else on the Market is Affected in Like Manner.

CHICAGO, June 28.—Demoralization at Liverpool and fine harvest weather gave the bears in wheat an inning today. June left off 1 3-8c down and September declined 5-8c. Oats closed 5-8c lower. Provisions also show declines, corn 5c, lard 5c and rice 2-8c.

Nearly everything was against the price of wheat at the opening. The most depressing feature was the sharp decline and apparent demoralization which prevailed in Liverpool. That market seemed wholly indifferent to our advance yesterday. July there was equal to Mac lower than the close last night. The weather, too, was fair and favorable throughout the winter wheat belt in marked contrast with the conditions which prevailed yesterday. This improvement in itself was a weak factor in the market's showing. In Liverpool we added the bearish sentiment became irresistible. Much of the long stuff taken on during the prevalence of the bull sentiment yesterday was liquidated, and the market was again falling, but the amount of hammering of the market by professionals here, July, which closed at 32c last night, sold down to 30c during the day, and the market showed a loss of 1-8c, selling at 55c. Prices rallied somewhat on reports from various sections of the country, and the market recovered. Kans, however, following yesterday's advice about the sudden deterioration of the crop prospects, lower closing Liverpool cables caused another fall in the market. The bear was held at a slight improvement on the lowest price of the day until Bradstreet's report of the change of the wheat market was received. That gave a decrease in all positions of 16,556,000 bushels, and caused a slight rally. But the advance merely reflected the gains of the day before, and he concluded that all the crop damage that had been heard would still leave more than enough to meet the demand. The market again extended the glad hand to the buyers on the Bradstreet's statement and accommodated them with all the wheat they wanted. The market may have recovered some of the losses before the close. Chicago received nine cars against yesterday's gain of 15,000 bushels, and was partially recovered, now buying in shorts and scalpers. July started 1-8c lower at 53c and declined to 52c, then rallied to 53c and weakened to 52c at the close.

Heavy selling by July longs caused a break of 15c, but was recovered. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat 14 cts; corn, 20c; oats, 10c; hogs; 50c; 50,000 bushels.

HIDES—TALLGOW, ETC.

HIDES—No. 1 green hides, 75c; No. 2

green hides, 65c; No. 1 veal cap., 8 to 12

cts.; No. 2, 7 to 10 cts.; No. 3, 5-8c.

CORN—Futures: dull and fractionally lower for third year. Spot: No. 2

corn, 2-8c lower; No. 2, 2-8c asked; September, 3-8c.

OATS—Lower for both cash and futures;

September, 5-8c; October, 8-10c.

RYE—Higher; 40c.

SEEDS—Flaxseed, nominal; 31-62.

PRIMES—Pork, quiet; standard

meat, jobbing, \$9.50; lard, prime, 5-8c.

COINMEAL—\$1.26-\$1.25.

BUTTER—Firm; creamery, 16-18c.

DAIRY—100 lbs., 16c; 50 lbs., 14c.

Eggs, fresh, 16c; duck, 14c; turkeys, 60c.

SUGARS—Cut loaf, 56c; granulated, 55c.

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LONDON—Bull, white patients, \$4,890/490;

straight, \$4,664/390; special brands, hard

spring, \$5; bakers, \$3,456/539.

WHEAT—No. 2, spring, 69c/71c; No. 3

spring, 68c/70c; No. 2 red, 8c.

CORN—No. 2, 21c/23c; No. 2 white, 21c; No.

3 white, 20c.

RICE—No. 43c, 20c.

BARLEY—No. 2, 30c/35c.

SEEDS—Phased, No. 1, \$1.06; prime

timed, \$1.20-\$1.25.

PROVISIONS—Pork, mess, per lb., \$5.50

65.50; lard, per lb., \$4.50-\$5.50.

DRIED FRUITS—Dried, 50c per lb.

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