

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Bullish News Was Largely a Feature in Yesterday's Market.

WHEAT, CORN AND OATS CLOSED HIGHER

Opening Trades in Wheat Were at Saturday's Closing Prices and Gradually Advanced One Cent for July Grain.

CHICAGO, July 2.—Bullish news was largely in evidence today and wheat, though dull, closed 1/2c higher for September. Corn closed 1/2c higher, oats 1/2c higher and options practically unchanged.

Opening trades in wheat were at Saturday's closing prices and gradually advanced 1c for July and 1/2c for September, worked back from 1/2c to 1/2c, changed some and closed firm. Trading after the early advance was very small, there being a noticeable absence of offerings. The strength was attributed mainly to the decrease on ocean passage, the moderate deliveries, rather firm cables and strength of outside markets. Some selling at the advance caused a reaction from the top figures.

Corn was dull within 1/2c range, but generally firm. The strength came from wheat. Oats were stronger on small receipts and firm demand. The range for July was 21c. Provisions were weak at the start on the strike, but firmed up later on a shortage for July delivery. Compared with Saturday night September price in unchanged. September lard 2 1/2c lower and September ribs 2 1/2c higher.

Freights slow at 1c for wheat, corn and oats to Buffalo. The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat No. 2	97 1/2	98 1/2	97 1/2	98 1/2
Sept.	97 1/2	98 1/2	97 1/2	98 1/2
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