

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Wheat Broke Nearly Two Cents on Big Receipts.

CORN WAS HEAVY AND LOWER ALL DAY

Quite a Steady Feeling Was Manifested by Oats, Although Prices Were Slightly Lower at the End.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

Condition of Trade and Quotation on Staple and Fancy Produce.

CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—Enormous northwest receipts and heavy exchanging of December and September wheat by a prominent elevator were responsible for the market's decline. In what took place, corn made a new low record. May closing 10c lower; May oats closed 10c lower. Final provisions prices were 25c lower to 75c higher.

The most influential condition in the wheat pit at the opening was the very heavy receipts in the northwest. Minneapolis and Duluth received 136 carloads, and adding the 86 cars reported as having arrived yesterday, the total for the two days amounted to 2,239, compared with 2,169 cars received in the previous two days before. The deliveries in September contracts previous to the opening were insignificant, considering the amount of trading there has been for months for that delivery. But for such evidence that holders had already arranged for money to carry over to January, the market's weakness of the market would have been intensified. As it was, December wheat, which opened with apparent firmness from 75c to 76c, closed 10c lower, failing to regain with apparent difficulty to keep itself from going below 76c. Thomas' crop report indicates that the heavy receipts were far from being offset by the small imports. It estimates the total crop of winter and spring wheat at 420,000,000 bu., whereas previous reports did not exceed 380,000,000. Another important influence, which caused a great deal of the weakness in December, was the heavy selling of futures for a certain number of contracts first and buyers in September for the same account. Export clearances were equal in wheat and flour, 255,000 bushels, but flour was lower, influenced by a falling steady and Berlin high. All Aarw and Werp and Liverpool were lower. The market continued to weaken during the last hour, and short sellers more boldness. December declined to 58tc, but reacted.

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WATERMELONS—Per doz., cratered according to size, \$2,000-50.

ONIONS—Per doz., basket, \$600-1,500 lb.

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LIMA BEANS—Per lb., 4c.

CARROTS—Per doz., \$200-300; fancy mammeth, 75c.

POTATOES—New potatoes, per bu., 25c.

FRUITS.

GRAPES—Home grown grapes, 160/-lb.; large lots, 15c.

CALIFORNIA PEACHES—Freightones, 1.00.

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APPLES—Crates, per bu., 1.50-1.75; eating, 1.00-1.25.

EASTERN PEACHES—American and Ohio barters, 40c-50c; fancy, 45c-55c.

CALIFORNIA PEARS—Bartletts, 1.00-1.25.

NECTARINES—Per box, 1.00-1.25.

THICK FLUID PEACHES.

ORANGES—Hull, per case, 50c.

MELONS—Mexicos, \$6.00-17.00; California jemones, 45c-50c.

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