

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Pacific European News Dominates Chicago Grain Market.

WHEAT CLOSES AT A ONE CENT DECLINE

Corn is Surprisingly Strong, but Its Price is Unchanged—Oats and Provisions Are Slightly Lower.

CHICAGO, March 8.—Wheat was almost entirely dominated by the more pacific European political news and closed at a decline. Small world's shipments were again indicated, but traders paid little attention to the fact.

Wheat opened weak, transactions in May being at from 75 1/2 to 75 3/4, or from 3c to 3c below the closing price of Saturday.

That was the highest point it touched, and then commenced a decline, which by 11 o'clock had advanced the price to 75 1/2.

Statistically the news was quite as bullish as any one had expected. The decrease in the amount of the passage was 1,000,000 bu., and the visible supply decreased over 1,000,000 bu.

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The leading futures ranged as follows: Articles: Open, High, Low, Close, Sat'd'y.

Wheat: March, 74 1/2; July, 75 1/2; Sept., 76 1/2. Corn: March, 24 1/2; July, 25 1/2; Sept., 26 1/2.

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STOCKS AND BONDS. Tobacco Company Takes a Spurt in the Last Hour's Trading.

NEW YORK, March 8.—The most notable feature of today's market was the sudden activity in the shares of the Tobacco company in the last hour's trading.

The stock had been in the shadow of the depression existing in other lines after the opening, and had fallen a point but about delivery hour a heavy buying movement developed for the stock and it quickly regained its old level.

The fraction was lost in a reaction. There was a report that the New Jersey Central had been chartered by the company, and had been decided in the company's favor.

A rumor originating at the time of the circulation that the forthcoming report of the legislative trust investigating committee did not contain anything that would threaten the company. It was believed by some, also, that inside interests were working the market in return for some successful efforts recently to depreciate the value of the stock.

There were 7,000 shares dealt in, which was almost twice the number of any other stock. The general conditions all seemed favorable for a momentary market throughout.

The one imparted to the opening by the London market was distinctly favorable. Americans here bought the stock, and there was buying for London account here during the day.

Louise, which was the last day of the month, pressed recently, in sympathy with the London market gained 1/2 per cent. New York Central world's shipments last week were again exceptionally light, only 2,811,000 bu., against 2,500,000 bu., a week ago, but this was a week ago, and the visible supply decreased 750,000 bu. last week.

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SOUTH OMAHA, March 8.—Receipts for the day indicated were: Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, Horses.

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READ THE BEE. SOUTH OMAHA STOCK MEN AT OUTS. One Commission Concern Files Charges Against Another.

A temporary restraining order was issued by Judge Keyser yesterday restraining Michael R. Murphy, J. G. Martin, L. E. Roberts, Alfred Powell, J. L. Carey, William B. Wallwork and Frank Chittenden, members of the South Omaha Live Stock exchange, from circulating false and damaging reports regarding the Omaha Live Stock commission company, and also restraining the exchange from allowing any person or persons to act as a member of the exchange.

The restraining order was issued upon the representation of the attorney for the South Omaha Live Stock Commission company, who filed a bill in equity against the defendants to have a practice of endeavoring in every way to harass and injure the plaintiff by the circulation of false and damaging reports regarding the Omaha Live Stock exchange and then circulating reports of these charges being filed.

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