

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Wheat Suffers a Decline in Spite of Bullish News

CORN MARKET HEAVY AND CLOSES LOWER

DATE ARE QUIET AND EASIER—PROVISIONS ARE GENERALLY WEAK, INFLUENCED BY HEAVY RECEIPTS AND BREAK IN PRICES AT YARDS.

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—News affecting wheat was mostly bullish today, but weakness in corn and sample wheat, together with lack of outside business, caused a decline. The close was steady, December 45c for corn and 85c for wheat.

Foreigners were quiet on Paris selling. Spanish is rejected. Copper was dull. American were buoyant. Atchafalaya, Louisiana and Missouri were active. Cotton was steady. Baltimore and Ohio went up 2 points. The amount of cotton withdrawn from the market today was 4,500 bales. Spanish gold at 200. Gold and silver coinings at 135.50. India coupon bills were allotted today at 125.25.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Stocks and Bonds. LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 60c; roosters, 55c; ducks, 60c; geese, 65c.

Market is Broad and Active and Professional Traders Busy. NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—Today's broad and active market and the various quotations in prices offered excellent opportunities for speculative and professional operators.

MOVEMENTS OF STOCKS AND BONDS. NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—Money on call 1 1/2 per cent. Last loan at 2 1/2 per cent.

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OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Corn Cattle Brought Strong Prices, So Did Cows, but Feeders Held Steady.

TOOK OFF TEN CENTS ON HOGS

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ST. JOSEPH LIVE STOCK MARKET

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Oct. 24.—(Special.) The Journal quotes: Receipts for the week: head market active and prices higher, \$1.20 for 100 lbs. of live hogs, \$1.20 for 100 lbs. of live calves, \$1.20 for 100 lbs. of live steers.

STOCKS IN SIGHT

Following are the receipts at the four principal western markets for the week ending Oct. 24: CATTLE, Hog, Sheep, Chicago 4,841 1,310 9,840

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—COFFEE—Spot, Rio quiet, Santos active, \$24.50 for Santos. Futures opened steady at unchanged prices and ruled moderately active.

Oil Market.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—OILS—Cotton linnseed, 45s; rapeseed, 48s; linseed, 48s. NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—OILS—Calcutta linnseed, 45s; rapeseed, 48s; linseed, 48s.

ARMY OFFICER KILLS HIS SON

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NEW YORK MINING STOCKS

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—The following are the closing quotations for mining shares today: Ontario 110, Ophir 84, Colorado Fuel & Iron 115, etc.

COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—There was very active trading in cotton today, and the market had opened at an advance of 3/8 cent on early cables from Liverpool.

ST. LOUIS GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 24.—WHEAT—Lower, 72c; 2 red, cash, 70c; track, 71c; 2 red, October, 71c; 2 red, track, 72c; 2 red, December, 71c; 2 red, track, 72c.

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