

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Wheat Firm and Active on Better Export Demand.

CORN SAME, BUT INACTIVE, CLOSING HIGHER

Oats Seem Still Unable to Shake Off Their Lethargy—Provisions Foret Monday's Gain, Closing Five to Ten Cents Lower.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—Wheat was moderately active and firm on a better export demand, a decrease in the world's visible supply and small northwest receipts. May closing higher and oats unchanged. Provisions at the close were 5 1/2c to 6c.

During the forenoon the wheat market continued quiet with holding merely steady under the encouragement vouchsafed by the northwest, where receipts were smaller, and on the expectation of a moderate world's visible decrease. January opened unchanged to 1/2c higher at 73 1/2c and sold during the first hour for 73 1/2c. A fractional recession from this point followed.

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On the Produce exchange today the market was quiet; creameries, 16 1/2c; eggs, quiet, fresh, 26c.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET.

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities. NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—FLOUR—Receipts, 8,043 bbls.; exports, 29,336 bbls.; sales, 9,100 bbls. Market quiet, steady, 10c to 11c.

WHEAT—Receipts, 1,430,000 bushels; exports, 1,500,000 bushels; sales, 1,500,000 bushels. Market quiet, steady, 10c to 11c.

CORN—Receipts, 141,230 bushels; exports, 154,230 bushels; sales, 80,000 bushels. Market quiet, steady, 10c to 11c.

PROVISIONS—Beef, extra India mess, 10c; corn, 10c; pork, 10c. Market quiet, steady, 10c to 11c.

heavily at London, as the result of the bullish statistical position both in this country and abroad. The close at London was weak and somewhat lower on bid under the influence of a 1/2c decline in the market.

Conditions of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce. LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 60c; ducks, 60c; spring chickens, 60c; turkeys, 60c.

MEATS—Prime corn, 10c; extra, 10c; second grade, 10c. Market quiet, steady, 10c to 11c.

GRAIN—Wheat, 10c; corn, 10c; oats, 10c. Market quiet, steady, 10c to 11c.

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withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance today was \$2,000,000. The market was quiet, steady, 10c to 11c.

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Following are the receipts at the four principal western markets for December 11: South Omaha, 4,100; St. Joseph, 1,000; Kansas City, 1,000; St. Louis, 1,000.

COTTON MARKET. NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—COTTON—The market opened with a decline of 1/2c and momentarily rallied firm on less break in Liverpool than had been expected.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 11.—COTTON—Spot, quiet; prices lower. American middling, 10c; good ordinary, 9 1/2c; fair, 9c.

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