VELLING FOR PROFIT CUTS PRICES

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CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS Features of the Trading and Closing

Prices on Board of Trade.

CHICAGO. March 2—Bears had all the best of R in the grain pits today, flooding the markets with offerings and hammering prices down to a finish 1% to 2½ of for wheat; 1% to 1% down for corn and % to 1% to 1% to 1% of and pork declining to a close from 40 to 42½ off and pork declining to a close from 40 to 42½ off and pork declining to a close from 40 to 42½ of wheat gave the bears early control. The weak was rapidly changed to a decided decline which bore May down from \$1.14% to \$1.13. The close was weak, with May 1½61½6 off at \$1.13½ to 60 for fell off throughout the session, ilquidation being the moving factor. May fell off from 65½ to 63½c, the other futures declining in a less degree. The cash corn market suffered a severe setback, dropping from 2 to 4 cents. The trade was demoralized and Not 3 white sold at 60% The close was weak and near to the low point with May 1½6 off at \$1.25 to 100 for a cash.

Trade in oats developed into a steady falling off as the day progressed. September resisted the decline more than nearby fmonths, although R, too, fell off and closed on the low point, ½c off at \$4.00 for a case.

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45%c.
In provisions, pork touched a low at 24.42%; 67%c below yesterday. Closing figures for the May products were: Pork, \$24.07%, 42%c off; lard, \$13.32%613.35, 1569 if%c down, and ribs \$13.77%6712.80, 156917%

Leading futures ranged as follows: Articles. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yes'y.

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Lard- May	1345@40	13 45	13 271/4	13 32½ 13 25	13 50
July Ribs—	1805-6730	13 85	13 15	13 321/2	13 40
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Clash quotations were as follows:
FLOUR—Firm; winter patents, E.2545.70;
Stalkhis, 54.255.65; spring straights, 54.303
Logical bakers, E.1095.60.
RYE—No. 2, 78979c.
BARLEY—Feed or mixing barley, 60954c;
fair to choice malting, 60970c.
SEEDS—No. 1 southwestern, \$2.054; No. 1 northwestern, \$2.954. Timothy. \$3.75
PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl. 22.77
SE5.00. Lard. per 100 lbs. \$13.35. Short ribs, sides. (loose) \$12.3745 [12.574; short clear, sides. (loose) \$12.3745 [12.574

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET Quotations of the Day on Various

Commodities. NEW YORK, March 2.—FLOUR—Market dull and lower; spring patents, \$5.50 (5.50); winter straights, \$5.50(5.45); winter patents, \$5.50(6.45); winter patents, \$5.50(6.05); apring clears, \$4.50(6.45); winter extras, No. 1, \$4.50(4.5); Kansas straights, \$5.00(5.36); receipts, 20.650 bits, shipments, 14.50(6.5); receipts, 20.650 bits, shipments, 14.50(6.5); choice to fancy, \$4.50(6.5); Buckwheat flour nominal; bulk, \$2.00(2.05) per 100 lbs.

The CORNMEAL—Barely steady; fine white and yellow, \$1.5561.50; coarse, \$1.4561.50; kiln dried, \$3.40.

RYE—Dullt No. 2 western, 90c, nominal,

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RYE—Dull: No. 2 western, 90c, nominal, of o. b., New York.

WHEAT—Spot market weak; No. 2 red, \$1.25 bid, elevator, domestic, and nominal, f. o. b. affoat; No. 1 northern Duluth and No. 2 hard winter, \$1.276. nominal, f. o. b. affoat, Option wheat was active and weak under semeral selling by longs, on lower cables, more favorable crop news and large North reserves and in sympathy with corn, closing 11-025c net lower, May, \$1.236,13 5-16, closed at \$1.274; September closed at \$1.274; Closed at \$1.1374; September closed at \$1.084. Receipts, \$0.400 bu.

CORN-Spot market weak; steamer, 61c, and No. 4, 63c in elevator, export basis; No. 2, 67c, nominal, f. o. b. affoat. Option market was weaker under heavy liquidation, closing lagging over. May, 7407-54c, closed at 76c; July closed at 74ac; September, Espo. Receipts, \$5.125 bu.; shipments.

closed at 76; July closed at 78; September, 154; Receipts, 25, 100 mixed oats, 25 mixed oats, 25

Wesk; middle west prime, \$13,000 pt.00. Cut means at a compound, \$13,000 pt.00; pickled harms, \$13,000 pt.00; Lard, wesk; middle west prime, \$13,000 pt.00; Lard, wesk; middle west prime, \$13,000 pt.00; Lard, re-lined, \$14.70; compound, \$13,000 pt.00; Pourth America, \$14.70; compound, \$13,000 pt.00; Pourth America, \$14.70; compound, \$13,000 pt.00; Pourth America, \$14.70; country, \$13,000 pt.00; Pourth America, \$14.00 pt.00;

RICE—Steady; demestic, Pagode; paths, 55,564c.

BUTTER—Steady, strong; creamery specials, 84c; extras, 85c; third to first, 27,655c; leid, 84c; extras, 85c; third to first, 27,655c; leid, 84c; extras, 85c; third to first, 27,655c; common to finest, 245,255c.

CHEESE—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 846 pkgs.; state, full cream, fall make, special, 174,615c; fancy, 174c; good to prime, 164,616c; current make, best, 184,245c; common to fair, 189,184c, best, 184,145c.

EGGS—Unsettled, closing higher; western firsts, 216,215c; seconds, 254c.

POULTRY—Alive, easy; western chickens, 176,175c; fowls, 189,185c; turkeys, 149,26c.

Dressed, firm; western chickens, 156,17c; fowls, 149,185c; turkeys, 189,25c.

\$15.37\frac{1}{2}\$. Clear ribs, \$15.37\frac{1}{2}\$. Shear ribs

Philadelphia Produce Market. PHILADELPHIA, March 3-3-BUTTER PHILADELPHIA, March 24-3.—BUTTER of Firm, le higher; extra western creamery, in 36e; extra nearby prints, 36e.

EGGS—Weak and le lower; Pennsylvania hand other nearby firsts, free cases, 22e at mark; Pennsylvania and other nearby, current receipts, in returnable cases, 21e at mark; western firsts, free cases, 22e at mark; western furth, free cases, 22e at mark; western current receipts, free cases, 17610 at mark.

CHEESE—Firm; New York full creams, choice, 17½c; New York, fair to good, 16½9 Mrc.

Minneapolis Grain Market. MINNEAPOLIS, March 2.—WHEAT— fay, \$1.12%@1.12%; July, \$1.12% Cash, No. hard, \$1.13%@1.14%; No. 1 northern, \$1.12% 1.13%; No. 2 northern, \$1.10%@1.11%; No. 3, \$1.06@1.10%.

\$EEID—Flax closed at \$2.18%.

CORN—No. 3 yellow, 55%,650%c.

OATS—No. 3 white, 43%,674%c.

RYE—No. 2 74%,676%c.

BRAN—In 100-lb. sacks, \$22.06@22.50.

FLOUR—First patents in wood, f. o. b.

Minneapolis, \$5.50,65.70; second patents,
\$5.30,65.50; first clears, \$4.45,04.55; second clears, \$3.30,63.50.

Liverpool Grain Market. LIVERPOOL, March 3.—WHEAT—Spot, tull; No. 2 red western, winter, no stock; tutures steady; March, 8s 1%d; May, 7s

Milwaukee Grain Market. MILWAUKEE, March 3.-WHEAT-No. 1 torthern, \$1.1661.18%; May, \$1.18% BARLEY-Samples, 65671c.

Duluth Grain Market.

OIL CITY, Pa., March 2.—OIL—Credit calances, \$1.40; runs, March 1, 188,721 bbls.; hipments, March 2, 305,000 bbls.; average,

UNITED STATES STEEL LEADS

Improvement in Trade-Large Bond Offering Expected to Help Industrial Situation.

\$12.005214.50.

HAXT—FREE
\$12.005214.50.

BAGGING—6%c.

HEMP TWINE—7c.

PROVISIONS—Pork. lower: jobbing.

\$294.50. Lard, lower: prime steam, \$12.155912.25.

Bry salt meats, higher; boxed extra shorts.

\$14.12\%; clear ribs, \$14.12\%; short clears,

\$14.37\%; Bacon higher; boxed extra shorts.

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P., C., C. & St. L.
Pressed Steel Car.
Pullman Palace Car.
Hallway Steel Spring.

Duluth Grain Market.

DULUTH, March 2.—WHEAT—No. 1
northern, \$1.13\%; No. 2 northern, \$1.11\%;
May, \$1.12; July, \$1.13.

Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, March 3.—EVAPORATED
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Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, March 3.—EVAPORATED APPLES—Market is quiet and prices are nominally unchanged on the spot. Fancy is quoted at 10 % file; choice, 15 % for, prime, 6 % for the common to fair, 6 % for, prime, 6 % for the common to fair, 6 % for, prime, 6 % for the common to fair, 6 % for, prime, 6 % for the common to fair, 6 % for, prime, 6 % for the common to fair, 6 % for, prime, 6 % for fair form 1% to 9 % for Californias up to 30-40s and 6 % for Oregons. Apricots are steady, with a fair demand for small lots. Choice, 11 % fill % c. extra choice, 10 % for fair y. The second for small for forms. Loose muscatels are quoted at 3 % for for choice to fancy seeded. 50 % c. seedless, 3 % for c. London layers, 11 15 % 1.5.

working beliance in freeway offices, \$22, or 022,122; in banks to credit of treasurer of the United States, \$44,978,085; miner coin, \$21,248,065; miner coin, \$1,186,801; balance in general fund, \$81,071,124.

New York Money Market. NEW YORK, March 2-MONEY-On call, easy at 2503 per cent; ruling rate, 25 per cent; closing bid, 3% per cent; offered at TIME LOANS-Steady; sixty days, 3½ per cent; ninety days, 5½ per cent; six months, 3½ per cent; six months, 3½ per cent; six months, 3½ per cent. STERLING EXCHANGE Steady with actual business in buckers bills at 4,8060 4,815 for sixty-day bills and at 4,5060 for demand; commercial bills, 45,814,014,814, SILVER—Bar, 3040; Mexican dollars, 440, BONDS—Government, weak; railroad,

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for short and three months bills is 240 Boston Stocks and Bonds. BOSTON, March 2.-Closing quotations on

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OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Killing Cattle Slow to Ten Cents Lower, Feeders Steady.

HOGS MOSTLY TEN CENTS LOWER

1878; C., R. I. & P., east... 45%; C., R. I. & P., west... 198; Illinois Central 1034; C. G. W.....

days last year.

While receipts of fat cattle at this point were not very large, reports of sharp declines at all other points had a decided weakening tendency to the trade. Some beef steers that just happened to suit buyers sold on the opening at prices not much different from yesterday. As high as \$7.00 was paid for pretty good stuff. The general market, however, was very slow and fully 190 lower than yesterday.

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line at the opening this morning and the market was lacking in life in both divisions. Most offers during first rounds were just about a nickel lower than yeaterday's average market and a few hogs terday's average market and a few hogs changed hands on this basis. Selected loads of strong weights possibly were no worse than weak to be lower, but the demand was limited, and the amount of business transacted necessarily small.

Later in the morning after sharply lower messages from the east had been posted, buyers demanded concessions of a big dime and sellers were forced to dispose of the large portion of receipts at this decline. Movement, however, was by no means active and the general dullness to trade was apparent from start to finish. Mixed loads, underweights especially, have been meeting with a sharp discrimination lately and the best figures that could be obtained today were all of a big dime lower than yesterday and in many cases 15c lower. Total receipts were normal.

A wide spread of \$1.50.79.55 bought up a considerable silee of supply and tops reached \$5.70, as compared with yesterday's record top of \$2.75.

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Strong to Higher.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

middling, 1446; midling, 144c; strict middling, 1415-18c; good midling, 154c; strict good middling, 15-18c; middling fair, 15-18c; middling fair, 15-18c; middling fair, 13-18c; numinal; receipts, 1.00 bales; stock, ST. LOUIS, March 1—COTTON—Steady; middling, 15c; sales, 415 bales; receipts, 2,562 bales; shipments, 2,865 bales; stock, 43,888 bales.

Lower, Feeders Blendy.

Hogs MOSTLY TEN CENTS LOWER

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Children Lit Wool Market.

NEW YORK, March 3.—COFFRE—Futures closed quiet, not unchanged to 5 points higher, in sympathy with the higher European prices; sales, 15,000 bags, including 8,000 switches. Closing quotations follow: March, 6,90c; April, 6,95c; May, 7,05c; June, 7,10c; July, August, September, October and November, 7,15c; December, 7,10c; January and February, 7,15c; spot, steady, No. 7, Rio, 8%c; No. 4 Santos, 9%c; mild coffee, Cordova, 9%G12%c; Coffee Market.

Joseph Hafner's Last Request Was

The highest sales of hogs ever made on the South Omaha market. We also sold a load of hogs at \$9.75 Wednesday, a new

record for the South Omaha Market. Ship to us, we will get you the market price for your stock,

BURKE-RICKLY Room 201, Exchange Building, South Omaha.