

CONDITION OF LOCAL TRADE

Business Retarded by the Cold Snap but Prospects Most Encouraging.

NEBRASKA'S ENORMOUS CHICORY CROP

Thousands of Acres Under Cultivation in the State—Many New Factors to Be Opposed to Handle the Tons of that Article.

The cool weather of the past week has had a tendency to make business in local wholesale circles rather slow, but the scale has not been on a basis calculated to discourage jobbers.

LARGE CHICORY CROP

The indications are that the law placing a bounty on chicory has stimulated the production of that article to an extent hardly expected by those who are conversant with the industry.

WILD SCENES IN THE WEST

Great Excitement on the Curb Caused by the Cold Weather Stories.

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