

COMMISSION OF OMAHA TRADE.

Jobbing Business About All That Was Expected for December.

COLLECTIONS AS A RULE UNSATISFACTORY

Holiday Goods Moving Quite Freely While the Staple Lines are Somewhat Neglected after the Christmas Commission Houses.

Trade during the past week has been, for the most part, of the character usual at this season of the year. Staple lines of merchandise are practically closed for retail sale, while the attention of merchants and consumers has been devoted to holiday specialties and fancy goods.

AMONG THE COMMISSION HOUSES.

The commission houses have been very busy during the past six days, handling the usual lines of goods for the week of holiday specialties. Very few people realize the extent of the business done by these specialists.

The department stores are also doing a large business, but many other lines of goods are not doing so well. The commission houses have been very busy during the past six days, handling the usual lines of goods for the week of holiday specialties.

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COFFEE MARKET.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—COFFEE—Options advanced, ruled steady on local covering and advance of sellers, and closed steady at net.

KANSAS CITY MARKET.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 22.—WHEAT—Nominal; No. 2 hard, 52 1/2c; No. 3, 51c; No. 4, 50c; No. 5, 49c; No. 6, 48c; No. 7, 47c; No. 8, 46c; No. 9, 45c; No. 10, 44c; No. 11, 43c; No. 12, 42c.

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Wool Market.

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COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL.

Future contracts for 2 1/2 farthings lower. Business done in the market for the week ending January 1, 1895. The market for the week ending January 1, 1895.

WHEAT GAINED BUT OTHER GRAINS LOST

Corn was Oppressed by Heavy Receipts, for Which There was No Market, Except at Still More Liberal Concessions.

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—The last session of the board, previous to the Christmas adjournment, passed without violently changing the previous prices of any speculative commodity. Wheat gained, but other grains lost.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

Butter—Packing stock, fair to good quality, 100c; choice, 110c; gathered creamery, 90c; separator creamery, 75c.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple Goods and Provisions.

POTATOES—Wanted for car lots, 60c; No. 1, 65c; No. 2, 60c; No. 3, 55c; No. 4, 50c; No. 5, 45c; No. 6, 40c; No. 7, 35c; No. 8, 30c; No. 9, 25c; No. 10, 20c; No. 11, 15c; No. 12, 10c.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET.

Closing Quotations on the Principal Commodities and Stocks.

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STOCKS AND BONDS.

Share Speculation During the Two Hours of Business was Heavy.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—The share speculation during the two hours of business today was very heavy, and with a few unimportant exceptions, prices declined steadily to the close.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Week of Light Receipts Winds Up with Business Slightly Improved.

BETTER DEMAND FOR BEEF STEERS. Small Number Offered Excites Considerable Competition—Trading in Other Lines Not Overly brisk—Hogs Lose a Little but Sell Heavily.

SATURDAY, Dec. 22. This has been another week of rather light receipts, but on the whole supplies averaged up better than for the corresponding weeks one and two years ago.

The heavy receipts of sheep today, coming at the close of a dull week, met with a rather cold reception, and the market was not so different and so hot as it was some days ago.

Receipts and Disposition of Stock. Official receipts and disposition of stock as reported by the various commission houses for the week ending at 3 o'clock p. m., December 22, 1894.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Few Hundred Head of Butchers' and Canners' Stock Consisted the Supply.

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