## CONDITION OF OMAHA'S TRADE

War Does Not Materially Reduce the Demai de Upon Omaha Jobbers.

MONEY APPEARS TO BE A LITTLE EASIER

Business in a Retail Way Very Active and Representative Houses All Give Out Most Encouraging Reports -Values Show Strength.

The week just closed was marked by little variation from day to day in jobbing cir-One day was very much like another so far as the general demand was concerned. Some impetus maybe given to the demand from time to time owing to a change in weather or other conditions, which makes replenishing of retail stocks imperative, but as a rule there has been an even trade of satisfactory proportions. As a matter of fact the farmers are working to put their crops in the ground and canbe expected to frequent the towns to any great extent for some little time to come. The whole situation appears to be entirely to the liking of Omaha jobbers and no one appears to have any fault to find

with the course of trade.

Bank clearings show large gains for the week and there is some talk among borcowers that money who as signs of easing

The general retail trade of the city is exceptionally about and dealers in practically all lines are very well pleased with the results of the month as a whole Consumers appear to have more money and are spending it a great deal more freely than was the case a few months ago. Besides having more money there are more people in the city, so that altogether there are very good reasons why trade should be very good reasons why trade should

better.

At South Omaha a liberal business was transacted for the week, and values on live stock had an upward tendency. It besins to look as if the demand for meat products was resuming the normal once more, now that the country has settled down to a state of war. For several days past there has been a marked increase in the buying demand and values have accordingly crawled upward.

Jobbers say that heavy orders placed by the government are helping to clear up the market, and there is an inclination toward firmness in some lines of manufactured goods.

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The rope market is also in a very excited condition owing to the trouble in the Philippine islands, from which point stock for manilla rope is obtained. The price of manilla rope has advanced I cent per pound, and of sisal rope one-half cent per pound. The indications are thought to be for a still higher market.

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NO MORE CUBAN PINES. Last week's produce market was charac-erised by steady prices and active de-mand. Eggs are still quoted at 9 cents, out there is a slight tendency for them to be higher, owing to the demand for cold

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Hutter took a deep of 1 cent a pound the last of the week, as fresh krass butter is expected on the market in a few days. A limited number of Arkansus strawbertes have arrived, but as yet they are not very plentiful, but it will probably be searly a week before they are received in large quantifies.

that the market will not advance. There is, however, some uncertainty regarding the outcome of the crop in the Bahamas, but buyers as yet do not seem disposed to lay in atocks in advance of present require-

OMAHA GENERAL MARKETS.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Pancy Produce. EGGS-Good stock, Sc. BUTTER-Common to fair, Sgile; separator 17c; gathered creamery, 14815c. VEAL-Choice fat, 50 to 120 lbs., quoted at \$6 c; large and course, 667c. LIVE POULTRY-Chickens, 1874c; old roost-

ers, 34654c; young roosters, 6964c. GAME-Weather too warm for game. PIGEONS—Live, \$1.1591.25; drad pigeons not wholed.

HAY—Upland, \$7.00; midland, \$6.00; lowland, \$5.50; rye straw, \$4.00; color makes the price on hay; light bales sell the best; only top grades bring top prices.

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ONIONS-Per bu., Sce#11.

BEANS-Hand-picked navy, per bu., \$1.25.

SWEET POTATOES-Kansas, 10-peck bbis., 13.50. seed sweet potatoes, \$2.60.

CAHBAGE-New-Florida, per crate, \$2.50.

POTATOES-Home grown, 2055c; Colora to 81 ck, 70c; northern fancy early Ohio seed potatoes, \$5.60.

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STRAWRERRIES-Per 14-pint case, 125; 24 STRAWBERRIES-Per 14-pint case, 11.50, case, 11.50, APPLES-Winter stock, 12.0032.50, CRANBERRIES-Fancy Jersey, per bbl., 110.60, GRAPES-Malagas, 15.0036.00, TROPICAL FRUITS, ORANGES-California navels, 12.7563.00; seed-

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LEMONS—California fancy, \$2.00; choice, \$2.50
\$2.75; fancy Messina \$2.0097.10.
BANANAS—Choice, large stock, per burch, \$7.09
\$62.25; medium sized bunches, \$1.75@2.00.
MISCELLANEDUS.

NUTS—Almonds, per Ib., large size, 12@15c; small, lic, Braziis, per Ib., large size, 12@15c; small, lic, Braziis, per Ib., 5@10c; English walmuts, per Ib. fancy soft shell, 12@11c; standards, \$879; filberts, per Ib., fer pecans, polished, medium, \$70c, exars large, \$25c; large hickory nuts, \$1.00@1.10 per bu; small, \$1.55@1.35 per bu; cocoanuts, per 109, \$4; peanuts, raw, \$605/sc; ronsted, \$695/sc, facc, \$crown, 44-lb, boxes, 12c; 2-lb, boxes, 22@25c ser box; California, 10-lb, box, \$1.
HONEY—Choice white, 12c; Colorado amber, 10 \$115.
KHAUT—Per bbl, \$2.20c, baf bbl, \$2.25.

in general, which goes to show that the country tributary to Omaha is in a very presperous condition.

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Nearly the entire line of dried fruits have advanced because of the drouths in California which are now becoming very serious and are threatening to destroy what fruit was left uninjured by the frosts. As yet little can be told of the final outcome of the crop, but there is no doubt but what it is seriously injured.

Canned meats are quoted 10 to 20 per cent higher than a week ago, with indications for a still higher market. Stocks are said to be very light, while the demand is unusually heavy for this season of the year.

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Grain Receipts at Principal Markets.

Cuicado, April 20—Receipts today: Wheat, 126; corn. 114c; southern, 104c; isouthern, 104c;

general advance today on the Board of Trade. July wheat gained 1%@1%c, corn %c. oats %c, pork 25c, lard 17%c and ribs 15c. May wheat ruled quiet, closing %c higher. Shorts covered moderately in all the pits preliminary to May delivery on Monday.

Trading in wheat today began very quietly at an advance of 4c. Liverpool quoted spot gran unchanged, futures 4d higher. Weekly exports of 4,161,000 bus, had a good effect and July, which started at 93%c, ral-lied to 94c. The strength was only momentary, however, and July sagged to 931/2c. yesterday's close. Beerbohms cabled an es-timate of the total week's shipments from all countries to Europe, that might also allay foreign fears for any stoppage of supplies, the authority in question placing the world's exports at \$,90,000 bus. Minneapolis and Duluth received 495 carloads of wheat, against only 218 a week, ago and 435 last year, and for the week receipts at the two points named were 1,264 cars more than the week before and 291 in excess of the number on the corresponding week of 1897. Chicago received 146 cars, against only 15 a year ago. Seaboard clearances amounted to 440,000 bus., wheat and flour. Continental cables showed 4c loss at Paris and 14c advance at Antwerp. The coarse grains, corn and oats, showed considerable independence and their advancing tendencies helped wheat. John Cudahy was credited with buying July to cover short sa'es and afforded about the best support in the pits. Trade was really narrow and orders hard to execute. July started 4c higher at 93%c, touched 94c, reacted to 33½c and advanced steadily to 55%c, closing at 345,635c, a net gan of 15,634c. May ranged between \$1.20 and \$1.21½, closing at \$1.20¼, a net gain of 1½c.

Corn was firm and fairly active, but the advance was confined to ½c for May and 5c for July. No feature of special interest developed in the trading. Receipts were 597 cars. The day's clearances from Atlantic ports, lincluding Newport News, were 1,05,000 bus. Closing prices were: May, 33%c; July, 34%c bid.

A very large business was transacted in the loats department. The main feature iwas the covering by shorts and at times they had trouble in buying. There was a good demand for cash oats and 120,000 bus. Were 102,000 bus. Were cleared. July opened 3c higher at 264c, a dvanced steadily to 265c, closing at 264c, a net gain of 3c.

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Estimated receipts for Monday: Wheat, 170 cars; corn, 630 cars; oats, 450 cars; hogs, \$7,000 head.

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DETROIT. April 30.—WHEAT—No. 1 white, \$1.16. No. 2 red. cash and May, H.H.
CORN—No. 2 white, 32c.
RYE—No. 2 &c.
Philadelphis Produce.
PHILADELPHIA. April 30.—BUTTER—Steady: western creamery. We.
EGGS—Western, fresh, 11½c.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

Extensive Taking of Profits Cuts off the Advances.
NEW YORK, April 30.—There was quite an extensive taking of profits today after the three days advance in prices. The realizing sales clipped off something from the day's extreme advance, leaving net gains in the railroad list mostly fractional. In some of the specialities.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 30.—Official closing quotations.

Boston Stock Quotations.
BOSTON, April 20.—Call loans, 466 per cent; Closing prices (april 1894. April, 1895.
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Swift and Company ...
Cudahy Packing Co. ..
P. D. Armour, Chicago.
J. L. Carey ...
Huston & Co. ...
Krebbs & Co. ...
L. F. Huss. 

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CHICAGO, April 20.—Offerings were light in the cattle market today and found rendy sale.

Prices ranged from \$4.00 to \$4.90, a few choice beef steers selling at \$5.0000.25; attackers and feeders brought \$3.0004.25; cows and helfers.

Cattle, Hogs, Sheep.

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4.07½; mixed and heavy, \$3.9992.95; lights, \$3.8992.90.

East Buffalo Live Stock. EAST BUFFALO, N. Y. April 39.—HOGS—Yorkers, good to choice, 14.5094.60; pigs, fair to choice, 18.7593.50.
LAMBS—Choice to extra, 14.8594.95; fair to good, 14.5094.75.
SHEEP—Choice to selected wethers, 14.1594.25; culls to common, \$3.2593.75.

BAST LIBERTY Pa. April 20.—CATTLE—Steady; extra. 5.1395.20; prime, 5.0595.10; common 5.20974.15.
SHIED-Steady; choice clipped, 34.2074.75; common 5.15574.55; choice clipped lambs, 54.509.50; common to good, 34.25474.80; spring lambs, 56.00; common to good, 34.25474.80; spring lambs, 56.00; common to good, 34.25474.80; spring lambs, 56.0097.00.

Stock in Sight. Totals ...... 2,592 25,000 18:3 Wool Markets.

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BOSTON, April 30.—WOOL—Following are the quotations for the leading descriptions:

Oblo and Pennsylvania fleeres—X and above, 26927c; XX, 28c; XX, above 39c; delaine, 50d; 31c; No. 1 combing, 38c. Michigan, Wisconsin, etc.—X Michigan, 24c; No. 1 Michigan combing, 28c; No. 1 Illinois combing, 28c; No. 2 Michigan combing, 27672c; No. 2 Illinois combing, 27672c; No. 2 Illinois combing, 27672c; No. 2 Vork, New Hammsaire and Vermont, 27672c; No. 1 New York, New Hammsaire and Vermont, 27672c; delaine, Michigan, 28c; Unwashed medium—Kentucky and Indiana, quarter blood combing, 22c; Kentucky and Indiana, quarter blood combing, 22c; Kentucky and Indiana, quarter blood combing, 22c; braid combing, 32c; Lake and Georgia, 22c, Texas wools—Spr na medium (12 months), 166718c; scoured price, 10c, Utah, Wyeming, etc.—Fine medium and fine, 166718c; scoured price, 10c, Utah, Wyeming, etc.—Fine medium and fine, 167110c; scouted, 4637c; stapp, 10c, Utah, Wyeming, 64c, 64c, 65c, Spr, 10c, Utah, Wyeming, 64c, 64c, 65c, Queensana—Combing, 55c, average, 64c, 65c, Queensana—Combing, 55c, St. Louis, April 35.—WOOL—Ensier and lower; medium, 14647c; light fine, 14646c; heavy fine, 8641c; tub washed, 25678c.