

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cattle Receipts Light, Trains Late, Market Active and Stronger—Sheep Ten Up.

HOGS FULLY TEN HIGHER

Omaha, Dec. 20, 1916. Receipts were: Cattle, 5000; Hogs, 1000; Sheep, 500. Official Tuesday, 1916, 18,461, 11,461, 11,461. Estimate Wednesday, 1,900, 17,000, 7,800.

Three days this week 24,474 59,868 25,188 Same days last week 27,874 63,368 41,489 Same days 2 wks. ago 26,464 46,422 35,492 Same days 3 wks. ago 22,292 42,422 31,492 Same days 4 wks. ago 22,721 38,869 37,318 Same days last year 13,903 52,944 32,420

Receipts and disposition of live stock at the Union Stock yards, Omaha, for twenty-four hours ending at 3 o'clock p. m., December 20, 1916:

Table with columns for Receipts (Cattle, Hogs, Sheep) and Disposition (Hogs, Sheep, Cattle). Lists various companies and their respective quantities.

Cattle—Receipts were light today and almost were nearly all from late by reason of the severe weather. It was midway or after before they had all arrived at the yards. There was, however, good demand and anything desirable about as fast as it was unloaded and ready to be shipped. Prices were generally stronger everything good, with other grades at least steady.

Quotations on cattle: Good to choice yearling steers, \$16.50@17.00; heavy, \$15.00@16.00; good to fair cored beefs, \$12.50@14.00; good to choice hogs, \$18.00@20.00; fair to good grass hogs, \$16.50@17.50; common to fair grass hogs, \$15.50@16.50; good to choice hogs, \$18.00@20.00; fair to good cows, \$14.00@15.00; good to fair cows, \$12.50@14.00; good to choice hogs, \$18.00@20.00; fair to good cows, \$14.00@15.00; good to fair cows, \$12.50@14.00.

Table of representative sales for sheep, hogs, and cattle with columns for grade, quantity, and price.

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Quotations on sheep: Choice, \$12.50@13.00; good, \$11.50@12.00; fair, \$10.50@11.00; poor, \$9.50@10.00. Hogs: Choice, \$18.00@19.00; good, \$17.00@18.00; fair, \$16.00@17.00; poor, \$15.00@16.00.

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GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Receipts are Very Light and Cash Cereal Trade is Consequently Quiet.

WHEAT PRICES DECLINE

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St. Louis Live Stock Market. Receipts, 1,500 head; market, strong; native beef cattle, \$7.00@7.10; western steers, \$7.00@7.10; stockers and feeders, \$6.50@6.75; hogs, \$14.00@14.50; sheep, \$11.00@11.50; calves, \$10.00@10.50; mixed, \$9.50@10.25; heavy, \$9.75@10.50; rough, \$9.75@10.25; pig, \$11.00@11.50.

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Table of grain prices for Omaha, Dec. 20, 1916. Columns include grain type (Wheat, Corn, Oats), grade, and price.

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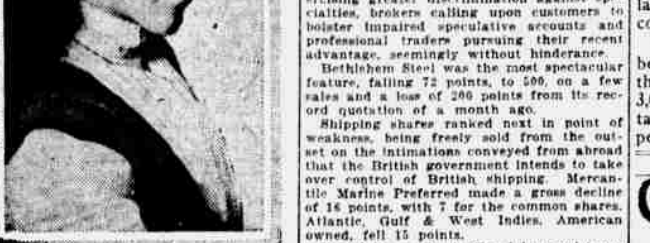
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NEW YORK STOCKS

Active and Comprehensive Liquidation Provokes Additional Recessions.

LOW LEVELS ARE TOUCHED

New York, Dec. 20.—Liquidation far more active and comprehensive than any previously experienced in connection with the current dealings provoked additional substantial recessions today, war shares and affiliated issues registering extreme losses of 2 to 10 points. Lowest levels were touched in the frenzied selling of the final hour, with virtually no recoveries from minimum quotations.



MARGARET CARNEGIE

CARNEGIE HEIRESS MAKES DEBUT—She is Miss Margaret Carnegie, Heiress to the Carnegie Millions.

It is expected that entertaining on a large scale will take place at the Carnegie mansion in Fifth avenue this winter.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET. Quotations of the Day on Various Leading Commodities. New York, Dec. 20.—Flour barely steady; Wheat—Soft wheat, No. 2, durum, \$1.97 1/2; No. 2 hard, \$1.75; No. 1 northern, Duluth, \$1.92 1/2; No. 1 northern, Duluth, \$1.92 1/2; No. 1 northern, Duluth, \$1.92 1/2; No. 1 northern, Duluth, \$1.92 1/2.

Omaha Futures. The opening prices on May and July looked better and steady for a time. It looked as though the market was to be a gain, but sentiment turned and heavy selling during the latter part of the session forced the market back to where it started.

Coffee Market. The market for coffee futures was less active today and correspondingly lower. The market was with prices showing a tendency to sag off under some further softening liquidation.

Cotton Market. New York, Dec. 20.—The market for cotton futures was quiet today and prices were on a declining basis. A drop of 2c to 4c, showed the market, although there was a pretty active demand for this cereal at the prevailing prices.

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French Tax Increase Is Far Reaching

Washington, Dec. 20.—New taxes proposed in France to care for increased war expenditures next year extend in many directions, reports to the United States government show. One tax would assess mobilizable men not actually performing military duty 12 francs each and also an additional amount graded according to the income tax paid by the person assessed. Another would be a national levy on dogs.

Fort Dodge Guards Do Not Want to Come Home in Midwinter. Fort Dodge, Dec. 20.—(Special)—The 192 Fort Dodge men in Company F and Company G, Second Iowa Infantry, now on the border, will be well remembered by the home folks this Christmas. In addition to the private gifts that are being sent several of the churches are making up parcels. In addition the Commercial club through R. O. Green, secretary, is sending a personal letter to each man. The regular \$50 monthly remittance to each company from patriotic donors also will be sent.

Under the plan the income tax will be raised from 2 to 5 per cent and the exemption lowered from 5,000 to 3,000 francs. The tax on personal rates will be increased from 4 to 5 per cent.

AMUSEMENTS. THE BEST OF VAUDEVILLE. Daily Matinee 2:15—Night 8:15—This Week FREDERICK V. BOWERS & CO. MARSHALL STODOLSKY, WALTER BROWER, Raymond Bond, Sherman & Utley, Hubert Dyer, Rieck & Hart, Orpheum Travel Agency.

BOYD Mat., Today, 2:30 Tonight, Last Time Maurice Jacob Presents The Famous Hebrew Comedian JOE WELCH in "THE PEDDLER" Mat., 15c and 25c. Nites, 25c to 75c.

OMAHA'S FUN CENTER. Gaiety. Daily Matinee 2:15—Night 8:15—This Week SIB SANDIM and Own Show Musical Revue. The Two Act Musical Revue. Season's Unexcelled Fashion Show with Sibs Sandim. (Dance Recital Friday Night). Time Showers. Matinee Every Wed. Day 2:15. Mat. & Nite. Every Fri. & Sat. 8:15. Nite. 8:15 & 10:30.

THEATER. TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY. Emily Stedman in "THE WAGER." A Sensational Five-Act Metro Drama, Dealing with a Woman—Leaves—The Lav. Organ concerts at every performance.

W. S. HART in "THE DEVIL'S DOUBLE". A THEATER OF FIRST PRESENTATIONS. THE MUSE. MARIE DORO in "The Ever Popular Dickens' Novel 'OLIVER TWIST'".

YALE GLEE AND BANJO CLUB. Concert At Brandeis Theater, December 30, at 8:15. Tickets Now on Sale at Beaton's Drug Store, 15th and Farnam Sts., Barkalove Bros., 16th and Farnam Sts., Hotel Fontenelle and Box Office. Prices—50c to \$2.00.

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Jardine Wants to Have a Million for Sewers Next Year. City Commissioner Jardine favors the expenditure of \$1,000,000 in a sewer-building program for next year. The present charter limitation is \$200,000 in bonds in one year. Mr. Jardine will urge that in the presentation of proposed charter amendments to the legislature this winter the sewer bond fund be increased as indicated.