

Pre-Holiday Profit Taking Is Strongly Felt By the Market

Leaders on Wall Street Feel That Too Much Enthusiasm Was Shown Recently Over Prospects For An Adjustment of the Situation in European Countries.

(By Latest Wire to Daily News.) (Copyright, 1922, by Philadelphia Public Ledger.) New York, Dec. 20.—Pre-holiday profit taking became more pronounced today, and thus imparted an irregularity that furnished the leading characteristics of today's market.

Traders who believe that the long expected move is at last under way are accumulating the leaders of this group, and probably in many cases the buying power becoming evident in the copper reports and other industrial which are beginning to show signs of liquidation.

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record of 23 years at the rate of seven per cent. This latter development struck deeply and caused considerable liquidation, much of which came before the meeting of the Great Northern directors was actually held, as their intended action was taken for granted in advance.

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9,493,296 Bales of Cotton Ginned Prior to December 13. Washington, Dec. 20.—Cotton ginned prior to December 13 amounted to 9,493,296 running bales, including 161,698 round bales, counted as half bales; 24,813 bales of American-Egyptian and 5,263 bales of sea island, the census bureau announced today.

New York, Dec. 20.—Profit taking and professional pressure gave general market a heavy tone in last hour, although call money was in plentiful supply at four per cent against renewal of 4%.

CO-OPS FORWARD A BATCH BIG CHECKS. Atlantic Bank at Burlington Will Accept Certificates and Give Credit For Full Amount.

Washington, Dec. 20.—The senate passed and sent to the President today a measure permitting immigrants who entered the United States prior to last March 1 in excess of the immigration law quotas and who were admitted under bond to remain permanently in the country.

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Chicago Cattle. Chicago, Dec. 20.—Cattle: Receipts, 30,000; beef, 14,000; veal, 16,000; to sell at 9.00 and above; fairly active to shippers; strong to 25 cents higher; Iowa grades, beef steers steady to 27¢ higher; good fat steers, 11 1/2¢; several loads, 10.00@10.25; bullock beef steers, 7.50@8.25; other killing grades, generally steady to strong; stockers and feeders, 6.75@7.25; weak; desirable veal calves about, 8.50 to packers; few 9.75 and above; upward to 10.00; fair to good, 4.25@4.87 1/2; M. 5.10@5.25; N. 5.40; WG. 5.60@5.70; WW. 6.40.

Chicago Hogs. Chicago, Dec. 20.—Hogs: Receipts, 14,000; fat hogs to 10 cents higher; closed butchery, 8.00@8.25; fair to good, 1.60 to 2.00-pound average, 8.25@8.75; steady; packing hogs, 7.50@7.75; liberal at 8.00@8.25; left over liberal at 8.00.

Chicago Sheep. Chicago, Dec. 20.—Sheep: Receipts, 14,000; fat lambs weak to 15 cents lower; top, 15.00 to 15.25; city butchers, 14.25; to packers; bullock beef steers, 14.75; culls mostly 11.00@12.00; fresh shorn upward to 14.00; several classes steady; desirable feeding lambs, 14.25@14.50; four doubles desirable heavy fat ewes, 6.00@6.00; lighter weights, upward to 7.50.

Fenner and Beane Cotton Letter. New York, Dec. 20.—After an initial advance the market has been under liquidation from the start of the year as well as speculative short selling. The ginning figures were bullish and there was hope of a recovery from accumulating an unworkable interest. The first notice day on January being Friday caused some to sell out and wait until after the holidays.

London Money Market. London, Dec. 20.—Bar silver, 30 1/2 pence per ounce. Money, 1 1/2 per cent. Discount rates, short and three months bills, 2 1/2@3 per cent.

Virginia's Supreme Act. Maryland's Neighbor Has Very Rich Agricultural Interests. John Garland Pollard, in Peninsula Enterprise.

Change Immigration Law. Washington, Dec. 20.—The senate passed and sent to the President today a measure permitting immigrants who entered the United States prior to last March 1 in excess of the immigration law quotas and who were admitted under bond to remain permanently in the country.

Accommodating. It is interesting to note that Accommodating leads the state in the annual value of its crops, that Augusta leads in the value of its livestock, Fairfax in dairy products, Rockingham in poultry, Highland in sheep, Southampton in hogs, Scott in oats, Roanoke in alfalfa and Pittsylvania in tobacco.

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