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### SAFETY OF THE NATIONAL BANKS.

The tables of the lawful money reserves of the National Banks appear in full on another page. We owe it to the Comptroller of the Currency that the reserves of our National Banks are always kept under the light of publicity. More than any of his predecessors, Mr. Hulburd has kept prominently before the banks and the people the vital fact that the safety of the banking system and the solvency of the individual banks can not be secured except a strong reserve be held as a basis of public confidence and a material resource in case of financial panic or commercial revulsion. The CHRONICLE, as is well known, does not favor the multiplying of governmental restrictions on banking, or on any other industrial operations. The movements of capital cannot be too free between the banks which distribute it and the public who use it. Still, if the self-interest of banks, which are private money-making institutions, must be kept in check by any restrictions for the protection of the general public, we contend that those restrictions should be as few as possible, and should be kept strictly within the safe limits which fence off wholesome restriction from paralyzing repression.

The obvious dangers which invade any banking system having defective reserves have innumerable illustrations in the annals of our old state banks which could make extra

profits by lending all their funds and refusing to keep any adequate supplies of cash in their vaults. It is one of the bulwarks of the great fabric of our National Banking machinery that from the very beginning a large reserve of cash has been held available at a moment's notice. And there are two points about these arrangements for reserves which well merit attention. The first is that part of the cash reserves is kept at central points where in time of sudden monetary pressure it is most likely to be wanted; and secondly, that for the purpose of economizing currency and to enlist the private interest of the banks in keeping more than their legal minimum of reserve, a certain fixed proportion of it is allowed to be held in interest bearing three per cent certificates convertible at the Treasury into greenbacks either on demand or after a brief notice. The objection to this plan is that it throws on the Treasury the uncompensated burden of paying interest on the reserves of institutions, the profits of which accrue to the banks alone. But this objection is counterpoised by the fact that under this scheme the government borrows a large sum at about half the usual rates of interest, and can exercise some control over the elasticity of the currency. The chief reason in favor of the arrangement is, however, as we said, the inducement it holds out to the banks to keep more reserves than the law absolutely demands. How effectively this object is gained a glance at the reports of the reserves sufficiently shows. These reports which are now made five times a year, instead of four times as formerly, have also become much more valuable records as to the real condition of the banks from the circumstance that the law requires the statement to be up for some past day, and whenever the Comptroller orders it. Hence the banks cannot disturb the money market as they formerly did by calling in their loans and making other "preparations" to exhibit a strong statement for the eye of the public and the Secretary of the Department. The banks now do not know beforehand for which day, or even in what month their statements will be called for, and consequently they are under a constant pressure to keep their position strong, solvent and sound at all times. The average condition of the banks is thus clearly reflected in the reports under the new method which has now been in operation a year and has fully justified all the anticipations of those who urged its adoption.

There are several points of special interest in the report of the bank resources for 24th March. The first is the excess of reserve beyond the minimum enforced by law. This ample reserve is the more gratifying on two accounts: First, because the reports are now so accurate and trustworthy that we can be assured that they have not been "cooked" or prepared for by manipulations prior to making the sworn statement; secondly, because it has been anticipated that the banks would gradually fall off from their good old habits of entrenching



themselves behind a strong reserve, and would be content with living up to the requirements of the law, without going beyond. To illustrate these points, let us examine. Fifteen per cent is the reserve which the law requires from all banks situated outside the financial centres. These institutions number 1,397. Their liabilities are 404 millions, and their reserve should, of course, be 61 millions. The banks actually hold 92 millions, or half as much again as the strict letter of the law requires. Few of the great banks in England are stronger in cash reserve than this. Indeed, many of the banks hold little except consols for their reserve. We must not, however, allow ourselves to be misled. Of the whole 92 millions, the actual greenback aggregate is but 36 millions, the rest being chiefly made up of 56 millions of deposits in the banks of the redeeming centres, with 3 millions of certificates and 3 millions of gold. The whole aggregate of reserve is 23 per cent instead of the 15 per cent which the law demands. Our tables show a similar state of things in the banks of the fifteen chief redeeming cities outside of New York. These institutions number 164, with 226 millions of liabilities. The reserves, by law, must be 25 per cent, or 56 millions. The amount actually held is 71 millions, or 31 per cent. Of this sum 24 millions are legal tenders, 15 millions are 3 per cent certificates, and 23 millions are balances in the redeeming agencies in New York. As to the banks of that city, they are 54 in number, and as their liabilities are 220 millions, their 25 per cent of legal reserve would amount to \$55,034,714. The actual reserve is \$72,258,075, or nearly 33 per cent. The legal tenders amount only to 20 millions, which is certainly too small a proportion. The deficiency is partly made up by 17 millions of Clearing-House Certificates, and nearly 10 millions of 3 per cent temporary loan certificates. Such is a general view of the chief facts illustrated by the tables. It is gratifying to find that there is so little falling off in the anxiety of the banks to keep themselves strong in reserve. If the managers of these institutions are wise, they will always keep up in this way the public confidence. Banks are preeminently credit institutions. Their vital connection with the credit machinery of the country imposes on them, as a fundamental irrevocable duty, the business of keeping their own position strong, and arming themselves against a panic by the material resources of an ample cash reserve ready in their vaults for the hour of need and financial pressure.

#### REDUCING TAXES.

Members of Congress are evidently unwilling to return to their constituents without substantial evidence that they have made some use of the great opportunity now afforded them to relieve the nation. The Treasury is overflowing and the people are oppressed by taxation; a considerable part of the taxes must be repealed; and both branches of Congress are at work selecting those which may be remitted.

The bill of the Committee of Ways and Means reported and recommitteed on Monday, purposes to repeal in all, taxes which have yielded during the last year about thirty-three millions of dollars. The general opinion, both in and out of Congress, appears to favor a larger rather than a smaller remission of duties than this, and there is strong reasons to expect that this bill, or one in many respects similar to it, will be finally passed at the present session of Congress, after some modifications which are likely still further to increase the remissions. As the abstracts which have hitherto appeared in the public journals are imperfect or erroneous, in several respects, we have taken the pains to compare the text of the proposed law throughout with the existing laws on the same subject.

Among the taxes which are entirely abandoned by this

bill are those on the gross receipts of bridges, canals, express companies, ferries, insurance companies, railroads, ships, barges, stage-coaches, steamboats and telegraph companies. These are all taxes on trade and intercourse, and are among the most oppressive in practice as well as the most erroneous in principle of all taxes. The repeal of them, now that they can be so easily spared by the treasury, cannot come too soon. But the bill reduces the tax on the gross receipts of lotteries and of lottery dealers from five per cent. to three, while it increases that upon the receipts of places of amusement from two per cent. to three. The reduction on lotteries may be necessary, in order to diminish the motive to evade the duty; but the proposed rate on amusements is much too high. This tax is one which does not enable the manager to raise the price of his exhibition, and so reimburse himself. It comes out of his profits, and is heavy enough, in many cases, to take them, all, and destroy his business. Its tendency is always to increase the risks of a pursuit which is already too speculative and too uncertain, both for the public interest and for its own.

Again, Mr. Schenck's bill entirely repeals most of the "special taxes," formerly levied under the name of licenses, including those now required of apothecaries, photographers, butchers, physicians, surgeons, dentists, architects, civil engineers, horse dealers, cattle and produce brokers, coal oil distillers, eating house keepers, confectioners, real-estate agents, conveyancers, lawyers, auctioneers, pedlars, and keepers of intelligence offices. The omission of any "special tax" on brokers is evidently a clerical error in the official copy of the bill. Still more important is the abandonment of the so-called "special tax" on wholesale and retail dealers in goods and merchandise, which is really a tax of one-tenth of one per cent. on sales. These are certainly wise remissions; for all of the taxes in question are vexatious; most of them are collected in small sums, and at the expense of a great array of officers; and the sales of dealers are among the last subjects of taxation to which a commercial nation ought to resort. They cannot be burdened with even a light duty, without directly discouraging trade to an extent out of proportion to the revenue obtained. The greatest defect in this part of the bill is the increase, some twenty-five fold, of the present high "special tax" on liquor dealers. It is proposed to levy one-and-a-quarter per cent. on their sales, an imposition which can never be made with success.

The proposition to repeal the taxes on legacies, distributive shares of personal property, and successions to real estate is of a more doubtful expediency. Such transfers of property seem to be among the appropriate subjects of moderate taxation, which is less keenly felt as a burden when taken out before an estate or legacy is received than when it is paid afterwards. In principle, such taxes are commended by most economists, although in theory there is against them one serious objection—that, being taken out of capital, and not out of earnings or income, are not, like taxes on consumption, a stimulus to economy. But in practice there is a much more serious objection. These taxes are not fairly collected and paid. The amount yielded by them has been absurdly small ever since they were enacted. This may be due in part to the carelessness of those who drew the law; as, for example, even the act of July 13, 1866, in a section elaborately drawn up to enforce the legacy tax, requires every administrator or executor to notify the assessor of his trust within thirty days after assuming it, yet provides no penalty whatever for omitting to do so. Of course the notice is omitted, and the tax evaded, as often as possible. The official records of the Surrogate's and Orphans' courts assist the assessor in his work, but, at



best, the assessment of the tax is difficult, and its collection, under the present law, irregular and costly. England has tried to collect a similar tax for many years, with the same result; and some of her public men have declared that in no tax was there more evasion and fraud. In the absence, then, of any simple and efficient method for securing its uniform and regular payment, the Committee of Ways and Means have done well to strike it out entirely.

In the schedules of stamp duties but few changes are made. The most important are the omission of the two cent stamps on receipts, of the five cent stamp on each sheet of contracts or agreements, and of the duty on canned fish and sauces; the reduction of the stamp on an assignment of mortgage to twenty-five cents; and the doubling of the stamp on brokers' bills of sale for gold, bonds, or stocks. The last named change is needless, for the duty is already so heavy as to be a constant temptation to fraud, and it is largely evaded. The present excessive duty on promissory notes is retained, so that no one can lawfully borrow money for one day without paying one-twentieth of one per cent, or, at present rates, between four and five days interest, to the Government. This tax ought to be made proportional to the amount of interest paid for the loan, so as to avoid the anomaly of levying the same duty on a note of hand for three days, as on a bond for twenty years. On call loans new stamps might be required to be added whenever the interest accrues beyond the amount already represented. We do not doubt that a stamp tax of one per cent upon the interest of all loans, to be paid by affixing the stamps to the evidences of the loan, with the usual cancellation, would yield much more than this tax produces, it being now systematically evaded by a vast number of borrowers and lenders. On all call loans, the lender might be required to affix a new stamp, whenever the interest accumulates beyond the amount represented by the stamp already used. The committee propose also that all bonds in which "the penal sum is one thousand dollars or less" shall bear fifty cents in stamps; while the present law makes the duty only fifty cents for each thousand dollars "ultimately recoverable thereon." This will double the duty on most personal bonds; unless, indeed, creditors will be content to omit the empty form of having a penal sum twice as great as the debt to be secured. The present stamp on lucifer matches is to be retained.

The taxes on distilled spirits and tobacco are left in all respects as they were fixed by the admirable act of July 20, 1868. There are few points in this law which need revision. It has already multiplied the productiveness of the taxes on these articles, and now they yield more than two thirds of all the revenue that is really needed by the treasury in addition to that from customs duties.

The provisions of this bill which relate to "The Annual List" are those which will doubtless excite most dissatisfaction throughout the country. The Committee propose, indeed, to dispense with the duties on carriages, watches, billiard tables, and plate; and the complication of annual returns by these taxes, and the excessive expense of collecting them in proportion to the small revenue from them, fully justify this step. But the people are convinced that an income tax of five per cent is too high; that an income tax which makes no discrimination between revenue from investment and the wages of labor is profoundly unjust; and that an income tax which exempts the rent or rental value of the rich man's palace, the most costly luxury in the land, at the expense of the laborer's earnings, is inequitable and oppressive. We believe that they will be content with a reasonable income tax, but it must not be levied at a war rate, nor above three per cent; it must exempt a larger share of personal earnings than of rents, interest, and dividends, or else tax them lower;

and it must include all rents and rental values as taxable, or allow a fixed sum only for the value of the dwelling. In all these respects the Committee have retained the bad features of the present Excise law.

They have introduced many improvements, however, in its details. The new bill provides that all interest on money borrowed shall be deducted from income—a just provision, which will terminate the weak and oppressive effort of the Internal Revenue Bureau to prevent the deduction of interest paid on mortgages, or to discriminate between money borrowed for use in trade, and money borrowed to buy a dwelling. It stops the assessment and collection of "the salary tax" by paymasters; and permits officers of the United States to draw the pay nominally given them by law, and then to make return of their whole income, like other citizens. It increases the general exemption for each family or tax payer to \$1,500, instead of \$1,000 as now. It does away with all the complicated machinery of inquisitorial returns, and permits each citizen to make return, under oath, of the gross amount of income. This return may be revised by the assessor, but only after a full, fair hearing of the taxpayer, and subject to appeal. No publication is to be made of the returns of income, except under general regulations to be prescribed by the commissioner of Internal Revenue. We believe that Mr. Delano is opposed to the publication of the returns, and that, if Congress should thus throw the responsibility on him, they will never be given to the press. Finally, the committee has wisely exempted from taxation all sums paid by Mutual Life Insurance Companies to their policy holders, or by Savings banks to their depositors; an exemption which Congress attempted to make several years ago, but on a part of which, that relating to the policy-holders, some ingenious hair-splitters in the treasury have managed to make a question since. Prudence, economy and forethought are no fit subjects of national taxation, and Congress would act wisely, now that this government is rich enough to adopt a broad and liberal policy, to free Life Insurance and perhaps Fire Insurance from all taxes whatever. The United States is now the only nation, we believe, in Christendom, that exacts a duty of any kind from the beneficent institutions by which laboring men secure their families against pauperism, in case of their own death.

The estimate of the Committee of Ways and Means is that the changes proposed in this bill will reduce the revenue nearly as follows:

On Legacies and Successions.....	\$2,400,000
Gross Receipts.....	6,000,000
Special Taxes or Licenses.....	8,500,000
Sales including Auctioneers.....	8,000,000
Gas Companies.....	2,000,000
Income.....	5,500,000
Schedule A.....	800,000
In the aggregate .....	\$33,700,000

But the increase in special taxes upon liquor dealers and in some minor items is expected to add more than three millions more to their product, so that the actual loss of revenue duties under this bill would not be much more than \$30,000,000. In fact, the probability is that it would be much less. The collection of the taxes on spirits and tobacco is improving; the natural growth of the country can scarcely be estimated as adding less than five per cent per annum to the revenue, and the increased activity of trade, when released from so many burdens, will make this addition far more rapid for the time upon the taxes retained. Taking these things into account, we do not believe that the bill would reduce the internal revenue by \$25,000,000.

But Congress will not probably pass the bill without amendments. The pressure to obtain some modification of the income tax is so strong that a reduction in the rate will doubtless be made, even if it were necessary to retain some of the obnoxious taxes on trade which the bill abandons.



There is, indeed, a desire on the part of many to abolish the income tax entirely; but since it is one of the easiest and cheapest taxes to collect, since it falls entirely on those few who can afford to pay it, and may thus take the place of taxation upon the necessities of laboring men, and since in principle it may be made entirely equitable, the common sense of the country and of Congress seems to be in favor of retaining it at a reduced rate, and the maximum rate of three per cent. seems likely to be adopted. Were this done, and the rate limited to two per cent. upon the earnings of personal labor, with an exemption of \$100 absolutely, and of the rent or rental value of a dwelling to the amount of not more than \$500 besides, the revenue tax would yield at least \$20,000,000. These changes might therefore be made, without increasing the aggregate remission of taxation by the bill to more than \$42,000,000 at the utmost; and in all probability it would not be more than \$37,000,000; and it is entirely reasonable to ask that this sum at least shall be given up, out of the overflowing receipts from internal taxes, at the present session of Congress. A single resolution, adding to the free list of the tariff enough of the articles necessary to life or to the common industries of the country, to diminish taxation in all at least \$60,000,000, would then complete a good year's work for the national legislature. The whole people would feel the relief; every important national interest would receive a new impulse; and the general basis of taxation, the prosperity of the country, would be immensely strengthened, while the redemption of the national debt would still go on at the minimum rate of from \$40,000,000 to \$50,000,000 per annum; fast enough not only firmly to establish the national credit, but to extinguish all our indebtedness before the end of this century.

#### PACIFIC RAILROAD OF MISSOURI.

The Twentieth Annual Report for the year ending February 28, 1870, is as follows:

GROSS EARNINGS FOR THE YEARS 1870 AND 1869.		
	1870.	1869.
From passengers.....	\$1,399,363 24	\$1,307,357 31
From freight.....	1,699,016 83	1,676,469 16
From U. S. Express Co.....	62,640 85	62,715 32
From mails.....	52,037 52	45,049 02
Total.....	\$3,213,058 44	\$3,091,591 71
Net increase.....		\$119,939 68
Gross earnings for the year.....	\$3,213,058 44	
Less operating expenses.....		2,318,713 62
Net earnings.....		\$894,344 82
Operating expenses, 1869 (percentage).....		\$72 16
18 8		63 49

The operating expenses for 1869 apparently exhibit an unfavorable comparison with the previous year, 1868. It is not so in reality.

The difference is accounted for in the purchase of new iron and ties, exceeding similar purchases made during the year 1868, and amounting in the aggregate to \$240,000.

Equalizing these accounts, the comparison would stand as follows:

Operating expenses last year, 1869 (per cent).....	\$64 90
previous year, 1868 (per cent).....	63 40

Gross earnings of the Missouri River Railroad (26 miles between State line and Leavenworth) for ten months, ending 31st December, 1869, were:

Passengers.....	\$41,570 53
Freight.....	20,127 36
Mails.....	2,166 60
Total.....	\$63,864 49

Gross earnings of the Osage Valley and Southern Kansas Railroad (between Tipton and Boonville) for the year ending 28th February, 1870, were:

Passengers.....	\$19,816 75
Freight.....	8,240 03
Total.....	\$28,056 78

At the date of the last annual report, the change in the gauge of the road, at an early day, was in contemplation. The undertaking was regarded as one of serious moment, involving, as it necessarily must, a break in the business of the road, and a protracted derangement in its operations. The labors and responsibilities involved in this change were, after being duly considered, undertaken and successfully carried through, in July last, within the time contemplated when the matter was under consideration. The cost of changing the gauge of the track amounted to, as follows:

Eastern Division.....	\$34,078 47
Western Division.....	15,666 55
Boonville Branch.....	1,286 95
Total.....	\$50,931 97

Average cost per mile, east and west divisions, including Boonville branch and thirty-six miles of sidings, \$137 84. This may be regarded as satisfactory in its cost, as it was prompt and successful in execution.

The total cost of the change of gauge for labor and material in the machinery and track departments, up to February 28, 1870, amounts to \$208,646 90.

A committee appointed to investigate the matter of the several leases of other roads by this company report very unfavorably upon them all, and conclude, as follows:

"In conclusion, your committee express their belief that it would have been just and proper that the stockholders of the Pacific Railroad should have had opportunity to express their opinions and wishes upon these leases the same as was accorded to the stockholders of the Missouri River Railroad, and, in fact, so carefully guarded were the interests of the stockholders of the Missouri River Railroad by their faithful Directors, that for want of their acquiescence with their first lease it was cancelled, and in its stead another lease was forced upon the stockholders of the Pacific Railroad, without their consent, of far more burdensome character. They would also express their opinion that the actions of the Board of Directors of the Pacific Railroad Company did not evince an anxiety to consult with the stockholders, inasmuch as the effort made to obtain the sentiment of the stockholders upon the last and present lease was negated by the Board of Directors in the most emphatic manner."

#### TOTAL RESOURCES AND LIABILITIES OF THE NATIONAL BANKS.

The following is an abstract of the reports made to the Comptroller of the Currency, showing the condition of the National Banks of the United States, at the close of business on March 24, 1870, and also on January 22d, 1870, the date of the last report:

RESOURCES.		
	January 22.	March 24.
Loans and discounts.....	\$685,827,066 02	\$707,905,884 64
Overdrafts.....	3,048,137 63	2,942,724 75
United States bonds to secure circulation.....	339,350,750 00	339,106,350 00
United States bonds to secure deposits.....	17,592,000 00	16,263,500 00
U. S. bonds and securities on hand.....	24,677,100 00	27,275,950 00
Other stocks, bonds and mortgages.....	21,078,812 00	20,524,294 55
Due from redeeming agents.....	71,655,871 08	73,404,332 16
Due from other National banks.....	31,983,824 23	29,505,688 11
Due from other banks and bankers.....	9,319,560 54	10,233,219 85
Real estate, furniture and fixtures.....	26,002,713 01	26,330,701 24
Current expenses.....	3,469,588 00	6,683,189 54
Premiums.....	2,439,591 41	2,680,882 39
Checks and other cash items.....	111,533,510 00	11,173,510 22
Exchanges for Clearing-House.....		75,317,992 22
Bills of National banks.....	15,840,669 00	14,226,817 00
Bills of other banks.....	91,312 00	98,647 00
Fractional currency.....	2,476,966 75	2,235,499 02
Specie.....	48,345,383 72	37,127,875 16
Legal tender notes.....	86,112,502 00	80,379,978 60
Clearing House Certificates.....	17,956,000 00	19,911,000 00
Three Per Cent Certificates.....	27,460,000 00	25,765,000 00
Total.....	\$1,546,261,357 44	\$1,529,147,735 85
LIABILITIES.		
	January 22.	March 24.
Capital stock.....	\$426,074,594 00	\$427,504,247 00
Surplus fund.....	90,174,281 14	90,229,954 59
Undivided profits.....	34,302,385 80	43,109,470 62
National bank notes outstanding.....	292,838,935 00	292,509,150 00
State bank notes outstanding.....	2,351,993 00	2,279,469 00
Dividends unpaid.....		1,483,416 15
Individual deposits.....	548,536,177 84	516,053,085 26
United States deposits.....	6,750,139 19	6,424,421 25
Deposits of U. S. disbursing officers.....	2,592,001 21	4,778,225 93
Due to National banks.....	108,351,300 33	109,667,715 95
Due to other banks and bankers.....	28,902,894 14	29,767,575 21
Notes and bills rediscounted.....	3,842,542 30	2,462,647 49
Bills payable.....	1,543,753 49	2,878,357 40
Total.....	\$1,546,261,357 44	\$1,529,147,735 85

#### CHANGES IN THE REDEEMING AGENTS OF NATIONAL BANKS.

The following are the changes in the Redeeming Agents of National Banks for the week ending May 19, 1870. These weekly changes are furnished by, and published in accordance with an arrangement made with the Comptroller of the Currency.

LOCATION.	NAME OF BANK.	REDEEMING AGENT.
Colorado. Denver.....	First Nat'l Bank...	First National Bank of Leavenworth, Kansas, and Third National Bank of Chicago, Ill., approved as associations at which the notes of this bank will be redeemed, in addition to the Fourth National Bank of the City of New York.
Iowa. Newton.....	First Nat'l Bank...	Manufacturers' National Bank of Chicago, Ill., approved as an association at which the circulating notes of this bank will be redeemed, in place of Union Nat. Bank of Chicago, Ill.
Connecticut. Suffield.....	First Nat'l Bank...	Marine National Bank of the City of New York, approved as an association at which the circulating notes of this bank will be redeemed, in place of Central National Bank of the City of New York.
Pennsylvania. Union Mills.	First Nat'l Bank...	National Bank of Commerce, of Philadelphia, Pa., approved as an association at which the circulating notes of this bank will be redeemed, in addition to the Ninth National Bank of the City of New York.
Ohio. London.....	Madison Nat'l Bank	First National Bank of Cincinnati, O., approved as an association at which the circulating notes of this bank will be redeemed, in place of the Central National Bank of Cincinnati, O.
New York. Rochester.....	Farmers' & Mechanics' Nat. Bank.	Fourth National Bank of the City of New York, approved as an association at which the circulating notes of this bank will be redeemed, in place of the National Park Bank of New York.
Ohio. Urbana.....	Citizens' Nat. Bank	Merchants' National Park Bank of Cincinnati, O., approved as an association at which the circulating notes of this bank will be redeemed, in addition to Importers' and Traders' National Bank of New York.



## NATIONAL BANKS OF EACH STATE—THEIR CONDITION MARCH 24, 1870.

We are indebted to the Comptroller of the Currency for the following reports of the National Banks of each State and redemption city at the close of business on Thursday, the 24th day of March, 1870. The returns of the cities are not included in the States of which they are a part. In the CHRONICLE of March 12th will be found the previous returns:

RESOURCES.									
	Maine.	New Hampshire.	Vermont.	Massachusetts.	City of Boston.	Rhode Island.	Connecticut.	New York State.	
Loans and discounts.....	\$10,304,096 02	\$4,472,495 06	\$6,425,126 28	\$49,427,177 86	\$74,914,470 60	\$22,819,276 89	\$30,559,270 17	\$60,552,756 84	
Overdrafts.....	18,908 71	24,656 78	90,224 11	71,359 87	33,474 17	20,925 23	72,817 53	457,663 69	
United States bonds to secure circulation.....	8,378,750 00	4,897,000 00	6,706,000 00	35,268,150 00	29,980,650 00	14,199,600 00	19,759,100 00	33,299,750 00	
United States bonds to secure deposits.....	470,000 00	525,000 00	300,000 00	1,305,000 00	850,000 00	260,000 00	592,000 00	1,526,500 00	
United States bonds & securities on hand.....	511,206 00	163,950 00	535,700 00	3,280,950 00	2,054,750 00	219,300 00	1,275,150 00	2,366,700 00	
Other stocks, bonds and mortgages.....	329,696 24	286,003 96	183,700 00	869,225 83	483,931 10	289,121 03	860,584 78	3,193,187 86	
Due from redeeming and reserve agents.....	1,854,231 73	847,132 61	874,909 53	6,995,842 91	7,869,335 76	1,973,199 62	5,002,109 74	10,767,695 32	
Due from other national banks.....	85,965 48	48,562 90	86,918 67	489,050 65	2,456,539 14	276,906 69	1,702,537 24	1,808,235 95	
Due from State banks and bankers.....	2,096 80	11,771 58	24,592 00	111,450 69	65,232 43	65,842 40	249,015 80	930,732 94	
Real estate, furniture and fixtures.....	234,436 61	118,923 76	174,854 33	1,030,890 27	1,538,333 60	556,828 54	782,255 10	1,833,253 85	
Current expenses.....	34,628 57	50,176 84	26,723 59	386,358 38	759,833 16	131,953 90	218,490 13	571,193 09	
Premiums.....	24,961 73	7,630 14	19,336 64	44,527 63	14,700 00	5,790 00	31,386 36	267,501 26	
Checks and other cash items.....	291,626 43	162,498 06	113,796 81	563,882 99	575,988 56	485,409 21	666,119 19	2,046,682 27	
Exchanges for clearing house.....					3,903,213 10				
Bills of other national banks.....	191,409 00	135,576 00	104,473 00	894,984 00	1,607,898 00	214,885 00	424,396 00	904,042 00	
Bills of State banks.....	424 00	2,674 00		20 00	184 00	2,819 00	395 00	6,064 00	
Fractional currency.....	28,770 07	15,406 63	21,617 84	180,706 06	135,104 14	56,032 58	69,136 16	210,317 06	
Specie.....	82,980 74	68,240 40	68,843 63	583,684 17	5,213,501 96	68,269 60	212,461 89	407,894 01	
Legal tender notes.....	924,625 00	415,106 00	564,014 00	3,856,125 00	4,362,591 00	1,343,799 00	2,197,206 00	5,333,094 00	
Clearing house certificates.....					90,000 00				
Three per cent certificates.....	10,000 00	20,000 00	95,000 00	220,000 00	4,200,000 00	85,000 00	175,000 00	835,000 00	
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$24,386,807 18</b>	<b>\$12,277,804 72</b>	<b>\$16,415,835 43</b>	<b>105,583,896 31</b>	<b>\$141,114,739 72</b>	<b>\$43,074,458 69</b>	<b>\$64,849,731 14</b>	<b>\$127,378,563 64</b>	
LIABILITIES.									
Capital stock.....	\$9,125,000 00	\$4,835,000 00	\$6,810,012 50	\$39,172,000 00	\$47,800,000 00	\$20,364,800 00	\$24,656,820 00	\$36,762,741 00	
Surplus fund.....	1,465,127 64	677,059 85	983,187 75	8,986,075 29	9,481,571 72	1,826,986 66	4,863,811 82	6,277,303 50	
Undivided profits.....	913,605 21	448,382 82	368,194 36	4,521,010 46	4,911,982 06	1,481,266 14	1,611,591 48	4,376,579 14	
National bank notes outstanding.....	7,407,508 00	4,262,639 00	5,894,552 00	50,901,432 00	25,643,620 00	12,393,090 00	17,319,881 00	29,018,666 00	
State bank notes outstanding.....	49,449 00	24,071 03	26,032 00	228,910 00	116,297 00	163,629 00	247,599 00	453,331 00	
Dividends unpaid.....	31,868 61	18,329 75	9,260 39	78,969 25	145,752 30	85,155 67	97,534 94	108,361 35	
Individual deposits.....	4,799,965 60	1,821,544 15	2,062,777 93	20,089,191 98	37,859,726 61	5,538,559 47	13,438,731 15	44,352,248 34	
United States deposits.....	160,907 66	128,326 17	110,410 03	474,929 74	29,247 95	94,144 74	214,000 87	623,783 19	
Deposits of U. S. disbursing officers.....	175,190 53	69,414 85	13,823 59	51,701 22		29,767 77	119,770 95	215,958 06	
Due to national banks.....	130,760 24	1,851 50	19,597 62	743,552 74	13,370,815 41	751,434 36	1,716,375 73	2,833,323 65	
Due to State banks and bankers.....	90,184 17	975 63	937 26	75,154 83	1,725,726 63	344,560 31	356,391 20	1,308,450 30	
Notes and bills rediscounted.....	37,160 52			124,467 75		864 57		483,509 60	
Bills payable.....	80 00			136,500 00			1,575 00	534,299 84	
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$24,386,807 18</b>	<b>\$12,277,804 72</b>	<b>\$16,415,835 43</b>	<b>105,583,896 31</b>	<b>\$141,114,739 72</b>	<b>\$43,074,458 69</b>	<b>\$64,849,731 14</b>	<b>\$127,378,563 64</b>	
RESOURCES.									
	New York.	Albany.	New Jersey.	Pennsylvania.	Philadelphia.	Pittsburg.	Delaware.	Maryland.	
Loans and discounts.....	\$178,393,123 74	\$6,398,582 65	\$20,707,523 67	\$31,076,356 52	\$37,786,997 57	\$14,074,360 95	\$2,055,637 55	\$770,957 51	
Overdrafts.....	303,242 18	37,042 97	35,814 02	207,714 05	9,489 35	26,760 12	2,222 99	23,355 52	
U. S. bonds to secure circulation.....	41,686,550 00	2,184,000 00	10,614,450 00	23,474,700 00	13,666,700 00	7,704,500 00	1,348,200 00	2,008,250 00	
U. S. bonds to secure deposits.....	50,000 00	200,000 00	355,000 00	972,000 00	300,000 00		60,000 00	150,000 00	
U. S. bonds & securities on hand.....	7,299,500 00	136,800 00	372,900 00	2,414,000 00	999,100 00	283,700 00	2,100 00	224,500 00	
Other stocks, bonds and mortgages.....	5,425,911 98	637,760 26	365,981 64	1,157,823 64	1,341,582 59	120,089 91	85,656 12	265,144 47	
Due from redeeming and reserve agents.....	9,097,947 41	3,168,788 78	3,523,405 03	5,760,714 60	1,792,118 98	1,793,359 87	308,512 42	670,271 18	
Due from other national banks.....	1,957,119 25	341,883 73	335,129 49	2,159,492 76	1,855,679 54	2,124,748 83	72,500 41	132,824 67	
Due from State banks and bankers.....	7,716,550 38	182,800 00	547,469 03	1,053,939 32	768,615 51	164,607 39	21,006 02	98,928 09	
Real estate, furniture and fixtures.....	1,406,172 25	5,934 57	154,023 15	409,284 52	1,647,495 62	633,557 09	121,529 62	123,629 30	
Current expenses.....	1,141,576 38	1,117 49	15,726 41	64,805 09	455,901 44	148,792 61	15,616 66	37,153 36	
Premiums.....	1,585,197 73	309,441 79	522,570 38	512,363 66	84,902 99	28,881 36	3,125 68	19,713 61	
Checks and other cash items.....	63,756,296 99	27,312 34			391,794 97	159,732 05	45,632 57	131,253 07	
Exchanges for Clearing House.....					4,486,672 15				
Bills of other national banks.....	2,611,537 00	350,321 00	450,565 00	670,636 00	590,445 00	137,610 00	24,012 00	55,116 00	
Bills of State banks.....	5,435 00	1,836 00	457 00	8,714 00	10,692 00	1,526 00	1,657 00	1,104 00	
Fractional currency.....	371,050 45	26,793 68	89,603 88	143,092 81	159,016 34	53,591 86	19,819 88	17,338 74	
Specie.....	25,589,482 69	40,633 33	208,862 63	152,880 13	1,579,156 18	195,943 33	4,745 35	2,578 63	
Legal tender notes.....	20,357,646 00	1,295,793 00	1,863,942 00	4,564,897 00	5,733,126 00	1,823,801 00	195,306 00	438,888 00	
Clearing House certificates.....	17,775,000 00				1,665,000 00	30,000 00			
Three per cent certificates.....	9,605,000 00	345,000 00	245,000 00	705,000 00	5,505,000 00	395,000 00	90,000 00	20,000 00	
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$396,875,679 43</b>	<b>\$17,086,141 53</b>	<b>\$41,827,433 87</b>	<b>\$79,953,291 63</b>	<b>\$80,230,536 13</b>	<b>\$28,399,150 74</b>	<b>\$4,523,310 27</b>	<b>\$7,227,046 18</b>	
LIABILITIES.									
Capital stock.....	\$72,910,000 00	\$2,650,000 00	\$11,515,350 00	\$24,110,240 00	\$16,255,150 00	\$9,000,000 00	\$1,438,185 00	\$2,248,217 50	
Surplus fund.....	18,829,820 77	990,000 00	2,532,544 95	5,235,949 90	6,310,081 21	2,232,446 50	303,575 03	378,472 40	
Undivided profits.....	9,744,801 83	479,264 2							



## RESOURCES.

	Texas.	Arkansas.	Kentucky.	Louisville.	Tennessee.	Ohio.	Cincinnati.	Cleveland.	Indiana.
Loans and discounts.....	\$489,721 70	\$128,970 38	\$2,440,375 00	\$1,204,898 03	\$3,187,549 15	\$21,851,992 49	\$5,737,990 66	\$4,341,929 76	\$16,256,806 84
Overdrafts.....	11,715 20	51 5 72	18,852 61	8,453 47	50,730 02	171,059 06	15,641 26	80,286 41	112,916 21
U. S. bonds to secure circula'n.	472,100 00	200,000 00	1,831,700 00	917,000 00	1,491,200 00	14,657,800 00	3,428,000 00	2,281,700 00	12,505,850 00
U. S. bonds to secure deposits.	200,000 00	50,000 00	50,000 00	50,000 00	366,500 00	623,000 00	1,023,000 00	300,000 00	473,500 00
U. S. bonds & securities on hand.	790 00	21,450 00	52,300 00	1,450 00	163,000 00	1,516,900 00	368,150 00	4,500 00	495,500 00
Other stocks, bonds & mort's	20,161 25	50,849 10	1,600 00	27,384 00	19,731 72	345,215 63	42,246 77	8,000 00	340,482 41
Due from redeeming agents.	136,164 08	46,977 81	403,681 94	150,372 51	475,867 16	2,516,026 71	875,215 96	525,770 87	1,344,236 76
Due from State banks	23,357 41	11,050 32	112,454 34	59,337 10	406,869 73	622,699 40	167,534 99	224,890 48	477,727 57
Due from other banks & bankers	56,322 02	22,435 89	20,500 31	71,578 71	146,007 46	570,463 47	145,116 81	71,032 12	267,485 88
Real estate, furniture, &c....	17,076 45	17,481 76	118,503 68	25,296 33	206,611 06	996,527 89	164,191 04	216,156 98	727,716 33
Current expenses.....	15,760 63	5,114 87	26,769 11	19,577 46	46,185 78	266,667 73	87,685 27	101,139 32	154,274 13
Premiums.....	22,980 16	21 58	9,801 98	.....	48,250 30	60,428 86	10,578 03	5 00	30,710 25
Checks and other cash items	26,683 63	5,981 26	13,347 11	1,015 23	82,638 11	340,461 87	43,58 96	131,393 50	210,683 86
Exchanges for Clearing House.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25,475 37	10,561 00	.....
Bills of national banks.....	25,699 00	2,595 00	43,374 00	25,213 00	33,446 00	379,757 00	169,586 00	112,491 00	500,100 00
Bills of State banks.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,385 00	12,157 00	281 00	5,932 00	9,029 00
Fractional currency.....	16,721 48	1,072 15	14,554 79	1,814 59	20,774 32	107,155 06	18,737 35	27,417 31	65,788 42
Specie.....	290,553 41	3,608 00	29,337 89	7,930 90	50,647 83	115,207 13	199,217 61	45,669 99	236,378 67
Legal tender notes.....	277,780 00	36,878 00	471,820 00	333,49 00	760,455 00	2,979,157 00	1,112,073 00	710,517 00	2,082,331 00
Clearing House certificates.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Three per cent certificates..	.....	.....	.....	5,000 00	.....	320,000 00	70,000 00	190,000 00	55,000 00
Total.....	\$2,103,442 52	\$609,609 92	\$5,849,522 76	\$2,904,816 33	\$7,986,880 14	\$48,462,906 30	\$13,698,735 03	\$9,334,293 74	\$36,164,797 43

## LIABILITIES.

	Texas.	Arkansas.	Kentucky.	Louisville.	Tennessee.	Ohio.	Cincinnati.	Cleveland.	Indiana.
Capital Stock.....	\$525,000 00	\$200,000 00	\$1,949,000 00	\$950,000 00	\$1,975,300 08	\$15,429,700 00	\$3,700,000 00	\$3,300,000 00	\$12,777,000 03
Surplus Fund.....	44,292 29	35,259 08	224,906 39	138,927 91	209,291 61	3,134,463 82	589,159 11	337,008 32	2,998,786 82
Undivided profits.....	98,804 07	991 46	180,451 11	104,099 69	187,400 71	1,114,700 76	205,119 93	247,421 76	709,676 86
National bank notes outst'dg.	380,073 00	178,620 00	1,566,009 00	785,749 00	1,141,695 00	12,906,847 00	2,905,445 00	1,835,630 00	10,908,059 00
State bank notes outst'dg.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	67,121 00	.....	10,206 00	7,593 00
Dividends unpaid.....	245 00	.....	176 00	840 00	2,538 50	9,235 75	1,260 00	250 00	37,482 13
Individual deposits.....	687,464 73	100,630 40	1,671,763 48	605,021 85	3,619,477 94	14,383,592 00	2,532,939 03	2,945,679 85	8,026,062 27
U. S. deposits.....	53,902 30	71,760 69	63,348 53	.....	202,216 18	374,409 72	81,271 60	95,476 33	198,623 86
Deposits of U. S. dis. officers	297,807 89	16,392 19	9,978 54	.....	247,153 49	247,486 38	.....	270,485 28	116,471 82
Due to national banks.....	5,824 83	3,703 10	64,160 84	173,090 79	293,444 51	326,647 76	2,238,448 97	153,424 90	181,283 25
Due to State banks & bankers	9,921 41	.....	107,348 87	147,087 09	96,944 21	265,468 85	364,141 44	61,711 30	151,737 42
Notes and bills rediscounted	.....	.....	12,300 00	.....	.....	153,233 26	.....	.....	53,000 00
Bills payable.....	.....	2,750 00	.....	.....	.....	10,000 00	991,000 00	77,000 00	5,000 00
Total.....	\$2,103,442 52	\$609,609 92	\$5,849,522 76	\$2,904,816 33	\$7,986,880 14	\$48,462,906 30	\$13,698,735 03	\$9,334,293 74	\$36,164,797 43

## RESOURCES.

	Illinois.	Chicago.	Michigan.	Detroit.	Wisconsin.	Milwaukee.	Iowa.	Minnesota.	Missouri.
Loans and discounts.....	10,731,029 73	16,236,322 94	5,821,791 16	3,237,135 08	2,823,642 11	1,410,861 06	5,924,575 53	2,692,185 79	1,711,713 59
Overdrafts.....	230,036 39	50,296 33	128,714 94	1,005 09	46,272 86	13,352 80	108,997 76	45,488 64	25,693 47
U. S. bonds to secure circula'n.	6,005,850 00	5,085,000 00	3,279,800 00	1,193,800 00	1,873,550 00	791,500 00	3,575,750 00	1,740,000 00	797,900 00
U. S. bonds to secure deposits.	616,000 00	.....	100,000 00	250,000 00	100,000 00	300,000 00	205,000 00	36,000 00	106,000 00
U. S. bonds, etc., on hand.	35,300 00	181,900 00	66,050 00	.....	228,750 00	22,000 00	259,750 00	33,550 00	170,650 00
Other stocks, bonds & mort's	311,856 34	216,838 76	135,496 47	.....	38,608 39	28,327 22	246,949 07	67,313 36	211,903 97
Due from redeeming agents.	1,946,519 94	2,561,303 83	622,850 01	485,634 99	454,481 48	397,348 94	895,832 09	382,370 03	316,619 08
Due from national banks	713,557 83	524,103 42	318,964 71	194,623 93	189,180 38	70,914 16	26,927 53	153,821 63	106,190 96
Due from State banks & bankers	311,827 66	198,528 37	116,840 09	11,113 59	30,478 89	23,411 94	160,767 87	87,962 13	93,818 60
Real estate, furniture & fix's.	522,126 50	602,847 00	31,371 74	112,834 85	134,520 34	110,715 12	562,740 84	152,891 96	110,700 20
Current expenses.....	154,947 70	181,328 53	72,886 11	37,279 08	42,167 93	11,649 41	132,464 49	43,361 73	19,993 21
Premiums.....	13,764 51	92,948 46	4,419 89	16,080 84	6,835 27	14,642 76	31,772 67	24,501 75	17,171 83
Checks and other cash items.	267,483 53	74,386 13	97,882 65	56,272 11	65,007 19	18,100 66	125,404 47	54,326 11	48,268 64
Exchanges for clearing house.	.....	939,112 91	.....	62,302 46	.....	72,541 91	.....	.....	.....
Bills of national banks.....	37,723 00	1,049,714 00	77,165 00	45,049 00	69,695 00	15,854 00	227,978 00	27,338 00	107,260 00
Bills of State banks.....	4,861 00	.....	.....	.....	13 00	.....	612 00	16 00	619 00
Fractional currency.....	65,966 43	36,795 31	22,606 78	17,460 13	22,118 80	6,999 53	50,650 82	10,718 96	8,489 69
Specie.....	134,296 63	163,020 21	33,617 07	7,935 98	45,803 67	21,429 54	100,024 66	21,627 16	58,300 31
Legal tender notes.....	1,338,334 00	3,698,076 00	658,850 00	406,558 00	291,626 00	347,343 00	1,132,961 00	351,937 00	301,093 00
Clearing House certificates..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Three per cent certificates..	90,000 00	390,000 00	40,000 00	150,000 00	40,000 00	15,000 00	25,000 00	.....	10,000 00
Total.....	\$21,621,921 04	\$32,082,424 82	\$11,930,915 62	\$6,496,315 13	\$6,607,740 31	\$3,721,991 45	\$13,823,963 85	\$6,170,964 25	\$4,215,135 55

## LIABILITIES.

	Illinois.	Chicago.	Michigan.	Detroit.	Wisconsin.	Milwaukee.	Iowa.	Minnesota.	Missouri.
Capital stock.....	6,570,000 00	5,906,000 00	3,835,000 00	1,750,000 00	1,835,000 00	850,000 00	3,742,536 00	1,780,000 00	1,090,000 00
Surplus fund.....	1,815,595 47	1,987,000 00	1,045,199 90	380,000 00	425,288 84	172,155 59	788,115 73	306,186 14	274,965 29
Undivided profits.....	609,890 54	695,354 11	247,808 33	180,554 87	212,920 25	42,418 28	377,443 67	152,615 03	216,547 54
National bank notes outst'dg.	5,331,031 00	4,436,801 00	2,844,693 00	942,670 00	1,621,800 00	690,965 00	3,072,508 00	1,496,015 00	678,897 00
State bank notes outst'dg.	1,731 00	.....	1,068 00	.....	.....	235 00	2,249 00	1,401 00	.....
Dividends unpaid.....	11,791 45	.....	11,564 50	200 00	5,000 00	.....	83,591 95	2,150 93	300 00
Individual deposits.....	9,351,133 44	12,455,489 78	3,670,595 02	2,255,814 87	2,306,867 93	1,276,963 73	5,229,961 01	2,029,206 04	1,849,349 94
U. S. deposits.....	33,890 63	.....	38,040 48	190,394 52	40,099 72	128,771 63	102,652 25	127,152 00	16,125 68
Deposits of U. S. disburs'g officers.	270,986 06	.....	38,247 88	174,211 59	68,972 44	180,995 83	250,478 94	108,129 74	.....
Due to National banks.....	47,310 70	3,567,927 63	24,962 93	191,443 81	9,125 94	121,418 91	49,823 62	37,983 05	104,287 20
Due to State banks & bankers	63,205 62	2,784,989 80	16,581 01	124,945 37	7,210 70	148,067 48	92,488 68	20,740 82	73,586 85
Notes and bills rediscounted..	11,496 13	334,137 50	157,151 67	.....	75,954 99	10,000 00	22,115 00	69,194 00	298 90
Bills payable.....	18,000 00	20,625 30	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,000 00	30,200 00	10,817 15
Total.....	\$21,621,921 04	\$32,082,424 82	\$11,930,915 62	\$6,266,315 13	\$6,607,740 31	\$3,721,991 45	\$13,823,963 85	\$6,170,964 25	\$4,215,135 55

## RESOURCES.

	St. Louis.	Kansas.	Leavenworth.	Nebraska.	Oregon.	Colorado.	Montana.	Utah.	Idaho.
Loans and discounts.....	\$3,480,750 98	\$31,448 81	\$177,206 14	\$970,526 11	\$193,664 34	\$509,127 66	\$103,282 93	\$28,011 89	\$49,813 39
Overdrafts.....	53,390 10	18,766 36	14,550 62	50,074 75	37,528 29	33,682 49	7,849 84	959 87	8,929 04
U. S. bonds to secure circula'n.	4,011,350 00	182,000 00	200,000 00	235,000 00	100,000 00	297,000 00	40,000 00	15,000 00	75,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure deposits.	50,000 00	50,000 00	200,000 00	450,000 00	50,000 00	150,000 00	20,000 00	.....	.....
U. S. bonds, etc., on hand..	216,300 00	20,000 00	5,900 00	77,000 00	5,500 00	3,000 00	.....	.....	.....
Other stocks, bonds & mort's	900,191 45	28,149 92	5,094 44	137,436 95	43,766 41	16,661 79	8,709 49	.....	4,612 83
Due from redeeming agents.	1,412,576 70	56,386 83	185,724 48	406,294 42	2,561 64	170,921 20	13,303 71	.....	433 95
Due from other national banks	192,084 40	111,108 84	183,732 37	40,910 19	16,159 46	23,635 53	50,476 47	1,847 87	374 95
Due from State banks & bankers	107,330 81	13,891 72	1,154 71	38,378 94	19,347 80	63,710 30	15,786 37	13,748 43	54,163 40
Real estate, furniture & fix's	31,275 94	24,131 47	43,356 67	110,059 19	2,200 00	104,944 00	.....	25,000 00	13,588 37
Current expenses.....	115,344 84	10,014 69	12,310 07	11,396 28	3,535 11	10,410 48	147 02	701 29	2,611 53
Premiums.....	176,050 12	2,940 75	.....	18,807 92	1,138 29	1,823 21	5,642 97	23,662 27	.....
Checks and other cash items	50,640 81	20,043 05	5,071 29	22,268 96	24,291 38	22,314 49	17,837 85	1,368 79	932 22
Exchanges for Clearing House.	216,916 97	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bills of national banks.....	201,040 00	24,447 00	23,059 00	42,209 00	2,710 00	26,840 00	244 00	2,050 00	.....
Bills of State banks.....	1,220 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fractional currency.....	24,375 94	4,832 01	8,909 66	2,947 91	12,290 63	4,369 71	649 78	43 54	126 05
Specie.....	127,032 17	1,900 85	791 25	9,788 13	52,405 29	7,053 81	9,638 12	158,960 00	9,265 10
Legal tender notes.....	1,062,049 00	71,092 00	105,379 00	201,576 00	70,955 00	174,237 00	4,174 00	15,060 00	7,839 00
Clearing House certificates..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Three per cent certificates..	500,000 00	.....	10,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	\$19,310,834 25	\$955,953 30	\$1,182,329 80	\$2,844,104 75	\$701,852 69	\$1,619,791 67	\$297,742 55	\$386,024 55	\$227,629 83



Table of the state of the lawful money reserve (required by sections 31 and 32 of the National Currency Act) of the National Banking Associations of the United States, as shown by their reports of the 24th of March, 1870, in each of the States and Territories, and in the Redemption Cities respectively:

States and Territories.	Number of banks reporting.	Liabilities to be protected by a reserve of 15 per cent.	Amount required as reserve.	Items of reserve			Amt. in redem. cities avail. for redemption of circulation.	Amount of avail. reserve.	Per cent of available reserve to liabilities.
				Specie.	Legal tenders.	Three per cent. temp. loan certificates.			
Maine.....	61	\$12,674,127	\$1,901,119	\$82,981	\$224,625	\$10,000	\$1,854,232	\$2,871,838	22.7-10
New Hampshire.....	41	6,290,354	943,553	68,240	415,106	20,000	847,133	1,350,479	21.5-10
Vermont.....	40	8,205,124	1,230,769	68,844	564,014	95,000	874,910	1,602,763	19.5-10
Massachusetts.....	160	51,796,042	7,769,405	583,684	8,856,135	220,000	6,995,843	11,665,662	22.5-10
Rhode Island.....	62	18,612,677	2,791,901	68,270	1,313,799	85,000	1,973,200	3,470,269	18.6-10
Connecticut.....	81	31,276,153	4,691,423	212,462	2,197,306	175,000	5,002,110	7,581,878	21.3-10
New York.....	232	75,345,802	11,307,870	407,894	5,333,094	895,000	10,767,695	17,403,633	23.1-10
New Jersey.....	54	24,659,439	3,698,915	208,864	1,863,942	245,000	3,523,405	5,341,211	21.7-10
Pennsylvania.....	151	46,534,759	6,980,213	152,880	4,564,897	705,000	5,760,115	11,183,492	24.1
Delaware.....	11	2,599,388	389,908	4,745	195,306	90,000	348,512	638,563	24.6-10
Maryland.....	18	4,137,270	620,590	28,579	438,833	30,000	670,271	1,167,738	28.2-10
Virginia.....	16	5,950,452	892,563	92,229	557,724	5,000	355,541	1,010,497	16.9-10
West Virginia.....	14	4,210,823	631,623	20,955	340,626	25,000	456,192	842,771	20.1
North Carolina.....	6	1,937,032	290,555	34,317	261,618	.....	1,39,935	479,840	24.8-10
South Carolina.....	3	1,724,364	259,405	29,377	246,180	.....	96,770	372,327	21.5-10
Georgia.....	7	3,706,441	555,966	42,126	823,907	75,000	195,240	1,141,273	30.8-10
Alabama.....	2	608,574	91,331	26,796	68,564	.....	11,464	106,824	17.5-10
Texas.....	4	1,419,493	212,924	290,553	277,756	.....	136,104	704,443	49.6-10
Arkansas.....	2	368,903	55,035	326	36,878	.....	46,973	84,182	22.9-10
Kentucky.....	12	3,311,275	496,611	20,333	471,820	.....	408,632	909,840	27.5-10
Tennessee.....	13	5,215,839	781,783	50,607	761,457	.....	435,867	1,286,909	24.7-10
Ohio.....	120	27,931,571	4,139,736	115,607	2,979,157	220,000	2,516,027	5,940,791	21.3-10
Indiana.....	69	19,231,700	2,892,235	236,379	2,032,331	55,000	1,344,237	3,717,947	19.3-10
Illinois.....	67	15,424,781	2,313,717	136,247	1,638,334	90,000	1,914,570	3,809,201	24.7-10
Michigan.....	33	6,603,141	990,471	33,617	688,880	40,000	622,805	1,385,382	21.1
Wisconsin.....	29	4,021,240	603,636	45,804	391,625	40,000	454,480	931,910	23.2-10
Iowa.....	43	8,739,193	1,310,579	100,025	1,112,961	25,000	895,832	2,153,818	24.6-10
Minnesota.....	17	3,762,651	564,397	21,627	351,937	.....	382,370	753,934	20.1-10
Missouri.....	10	2,554,682	383,202	58,310	391,093	10,000	316,619	656,012	26.9-10
Kansas.....	3	683,217	102,482	1,961	71,092	.....	56,287	129,340	18.9-10
Nebraska.....	4	2,058,040	308,706	9,788	201,976	.....	406,394	618,053	30.1
Oregon.....	1	571,601	85,740	52,405	70,955	.....	2,562	125,922	22.1
Colorado.....	3	1,089,814	163,472	7,054	174,237	.....	170,921	352,212	32.3-10
Montana.....	1	150,464	22,570	9,638	4,174	.....	13,304	27,116	18.1
Utah.....	1	260,336	39,050	1,581	15,050	.....	.....	16,631	6.4-10
Idaho.....	1	114,107	17,116	9,205	7,809	.....	431	17,478	15.3-10
Total.....	1,397	\$403,873,222	\$60,581,977	\$3,341,335	\$35,659,362	\$3,265,000	\$50,113,544	\$92,379,301	22.9-10

Table of the state of the lawful money reserve, (required by sections 31 and 32 of the National Currency Act) of the National Banking Associations located in the cities named in section 31 of the act, as shown by their reports of the 24th of March, 1870.

REDEMPTION CITIES.	Number of banks reporting.	Liabilities to be protected by a reserve of 25 per cent. amount.	Amount required as reserve.	Items of reserve			Amt. due from approved associations in the city of N. York, available for the redemption of circulation notes.	Amount of avail. reserve.	Per centage of available reserve to liabilities.
				Specie.	Legal tenders.	Clearing House certificates.			
Boston.....	46	\$74,379,904	\$18,094,976	\$5,218,502	\$1,362,511	90,000	\$7,869,336	\$21,740,429	30.1
Albany.....	7	11,124,210	2,781,052	40,633	1,295,793	345,000	3,168,739	4,850,165	43.6-10
Philadelphia.....	29	48,513,293	12,128,323	1,579,156	5,733,126	1,665,000	1,792,149	16,274,431	53.5-10
Pittsburg.....	16	15,507,340	3,876,835	195,994	1,828,801	425,000	1,793,260	4,243,155	27.4-10
Baltimore.....	13	19,181,571	4,795,393	231,411	2,573,228	351,000	1,899,538	5,957,177	31.1-10
Washington.....	3	2,600,032	650,000	61,453	219,939	220,000	214,539	711,931	27.5-10
New Orleans.....	2	3,457,962	864,490	295,875	571,987	.....	161,129	1,028,991	23.8-10
Louisville.....	4	1,580,872	395,218	7,931	333,495	5,000	150,373	496,799	31.4-10
Cincinnati.....	6	7,759,470	1,989,867	199,218	1,112,078	70,000	875,216	2,256,512	29.1-10
Cleveland.....	6	5,082,545	1,270,636	45,670	710,517	190,000	1,25,771	1,471,958	28.9-10
Chicago.....	14	21,583,464	5,395,866	163,020	3,698,076	90,000	2,361,306	6,612,402	20.6-10
Detroit.....	3	3,710,521	927,630	7,986	406,528	150,000	485,635	1,050,099	28.3-10
Milwaukee.....	5	2,484,314	620,078	21,430	347,343	15,000	397,319	711,122	31.5-10
St. Louis.....	8	9,812,660	2,453,165	127,032	1,062,049	500,000	1,412,577	3,101,653	31.6-10
Leavenworth.....	2	846,280	211,570	791	105,379	10,000	185,724	301,894	35.7-10
Total.....	164	\$225,620,403	\$56,405,099	\$3,195,052	\$24,362,930	\$2,106,600	\$23,292,741	\$70,881,723	31.4-10
New York.....	54	220,138,557	55,034,714	24,520,339	20,357,686	17,775,009	9,605,000	72,258,075	37.8-10

## Latest Monetary and Commercial English News

### RATES OF EXCHANGE AT LONDON, AND ON LONDON AT LATEST DATES.

EXCHANGE AT LONDON—MAY 6.			EXCHANGE ON LONDON		
ON—	TIME.	RATE.	LATEST DATE.	TIME.	RATE.
Amsterdam...	short.	11.17½ @ 11.18½	May 4.	short.	11 86 @ —
Antwerp.....	—	—	"	"	25.23 @ —
Hamburg.....	3 months.	13.10½ @ 13.10½	"	"	18.83 @ —
Paris.....	short.	25.20 @ 25.25	"	"	25.21 @ —
Paris.....	3 months.	25.37½ @ 25.40	"	3 mos.	123.85
Vienna.....	—	12 62½ @ 12.67½	"	"	6.23½
Berlin.....	"	6.27 @ 6.27½	"	"	—
Frankfurt.....	"	1.20½ @ 1.20½	May 3.	90 days.	50.30
Cadiz.....	"	49 @ 49½	May 4.	"	52½
Lisbon.....	90 days.	52½ @ 52½	"	"	—
Milan.....	3 months.	26.40 @ 26.45	"	"	—
Genoa.....	"	" @ —	"	"	—
Naples.....	"	" @ —	"	"	—
New York.....	—	—	May 5.	60 days.	109½
Jamaica.....	—	—	Feb. 24.	90 days.	1 p. c. pm.
Havana.....	—	—	April 7.	60 days.	22
Rio de Janeiro	—	—	Feb. 21.	"	22½
Bahia.....	—	—	April 12.	"	40 @ 40½
Valparaiso.....	—	—	April 12.	"	22½
Pernambuco.....	—	—	April 18.	6 mos.	4s. 7½ d. - 4s. 7½ d.
Singapore.....	60 days.	4s 5½ d	April 26.	"	4s. 6d.
Hong Kong.....	"	4s 5½ d	April 18.	"	—
Ceylon.....	"	2 p. c. dis.	April 5.	"	111½ - 1s. 11 3-16d.
Bombay.....	"	1s 11	April 5.	"	1s. 10½ d.
Madras.....	"	1s 10½	April 5.	"	1s. 11 3-16d.
Calcutta.....	"	1s 10½	April 5.	"	—
Sydney.....	30 days.	½ p. c. dis.	April 18.	30 days.	½ p. c. pm.

[From our own Correspondent.]

LONDON, Saturday, May 7, 1870.

The weather having been cold, the trade in spring goods has, to some extent, received a check during the present week. It is admitted, however, that the tone of business is still good, and that quite an average amount is in progress. From the Midland and Northern counties

satisfactory reports continue to be received, and altogether commerce is in a sound condition. But it is evident that trade cannot assume the desired activity until the demand for our manufactures has been very largely increased. Of late years the productive power of the country has been augmented to such a degree that the wants of the world can, for a given period, be supplied in a much shorter time than previously, and, consequently, machinery is idle at stated periods, or else the hours of labor are shortened. The remedy for this state of things would seem to be to develop the resources of countries now progressing in civilization, and to open up new countries and sources of wealth. This can only be done effectually by the extension of railways, the construction of tramways, roads and canals, and the improvement of the navigation of rivers. It is probable, therefore, that trade will not become sufficiently active to keep in motion all the machinery of Europe, until the requirements of the world have been considerably augmented in respect of manufactured goods. At the present time the demand is in connection with those articles which are calculated to produce the results which are desired, railway iron and steam-engines being largely in excess. In the first three months of the year, the declared value of the steam-engines sent abroad was £406,552, while in the same period last year it was £294,478, and in 1868 £290,796. This increase is chiefly due to the shipments to "other countries." To Egypt, the exports were £93,389, against £16,336; and to India £49,992, against £74,937, showing a large increase in the former, and a diminution in the latter case. Many of the shipments made to Egypt, however, are probably on Indian account, and have been incorrectly accounted for. It is considered to be likely that as the year progresses, the balance in favor of this year, respecting the exports of steam-engines, will become much more favorable, inasmuch as it is understood that numerous orders have lately been given out, chiefly in connection with Russia.

The total exports of railroad iron in the past three months of the



year amounted to 209,151 tons, against 148,206 tons last year, and 120,027 tons in 1868. British India has taken 57,695 tons, against 11,888 tons; the United States 80,789 tons, against 82,512; Russia only 4,106 tons, against 8,428 tons; Prussia 6,620 tons, against 1,069 tons; Spain 6,213 tons, against 1,667 tons; Austria 11,177 tons, against 9,206 tons; Brazil 1,638 tons, against 539 tons; Peru 2,932 tons, against 7,130 tons, and Chili 5,342 tons, against 1,658 tons last year. To "other countries," the exports have been 19,802 tons, against 9,419 tons.

According to the last issue of the Board of Trade, the following were the exports of British and Irish produce to the United States in the first three months of the present and last two years:

	1868.	1869.	1870.
Alkali, cwt.....	336,243	425,438	467,130
Beer & Ale, gals.....	5,071	5,693	6,625
Coals, tons.....	22,530	17,425	9,168
<b>COTTON MANUFACTURES:</b>			
Piece goods, yds.....	33,730,098	44,714,342	47,917,392
Thread, lb.....	483,722	455,703	359,161
Earthenware and Porcelain pkgs.....	21,063	25,204	23,084
Haberdashery and Millinery, value.....	£382,567	397,193	430,469
<b>HARDWARE AND CUTLERY:</b>			
Kniv. s. forks, &c., value.....	£17,539	£16,290	£51,888
Anvils, vices, &c., value.....	16,100	23,803	27,989
Manufactures of German silver, value.....	92,290	125,529	102,867
<b>LINEN MANUFACTURES:</b>			
Piece goods, yards.....	20,773,444	31,256,942	29,726,286
Thread, lbs.....	240,231	43,715	2,9,300
<b>METALS:</b>			
Iron—Pig, &c., tons.....	5,867	25,771	21,665
Bar, &c., tons.....	6,761	15,890	9,622
Railroad, tons.....	16,271	82,572	80,78
Castings, tons.....	61	41	129
Hoops, sheets and boiler plates, tons.....	2,560	9,096	7,081
Wrought, tons.....	958	2,465	2,124
Steel Unwrought, tons.....	2,703	4,105	2,551
Copper, wrought, cwt.....	681	1,032	783
Lead, pig, tons.....	2,232	1,329	1,854
Tin plates, cwt.....	243,901	420,025	314,864
Oilseed, galls.....	87,014	38,554	16,727
Salt, tons.....	44,460	43,536	41,617
<b>SILK MANUFACTURES:</b>			
Broad piece goods, &c., yards.....	131,369	157,617	206,911
Handkerchiefs, scarfs, &c., dozens.....	52	552	1,214
Ribbons of silk only, lbs.....	9,253	4,776	6,410
Other articles of silk only, value.....	£32,731	40,688	21,677
Silk manuf's mixed with other materials.....	£19,793	29,549	41,587
Spirits, British, gals.....	14,700	16,650	12,215
Wool, lbs.....	23,781	943,371	330,820
<b>WOOLEN AND WORSTED MANUFACTURES:</b>			
Cloth, yards.....	1,518,622	1,356,658	1,470,561
Carpets and druggets, yards.....	855,544	1,557,901	2,060,144
Shawls, rugs, &c., number.....	31,951	28,473	36,283
Worsted stuffs, yards.....	19,952,440	24,799,560	24,492,431

The Wheat trade has been firmer and a large amount of business has been transacted, at an advance of 1s. to 2s. per quarter. The weather has been cold, and by some fears have been entertained that the fruit trees, which are now luxuriant with blossom, would suffer injury, and that the crop of fruit, instead of being heavy, as was expected, would be deficient. At present, however, I believe that there is no cause of anxiety, for although the night temperature is low, there is no rain, and it is chiefly when cold rains and frosts succeed each other that injury to the crops results. During the last six weeks scarcely any rain has fallen, and to-day the weather is fine and brilliant, although the wind blows cold. With regard to the crop of grass, the impression seems to be that it will be light. The following statement shows imports and exports of cereal produce into and from the United Kingdom, from September 1 to April 30:

FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 30.

	1868-70		1869-70	
	Imports.	Exports.	Imports.	Exports.
Wheat.....cwt.	411,607	9,632	479,016	11,787
Barley.....	118,851	235	99,444	194
Oats.....	163,761	3,189	147,237	1,130
Peas.....	11,617	60	8,867	10,441
Beans.....	28,496	18	22,147	27
Indian corn.....	109,702	.....	291,705	.....
Flour.....	62,681	1,629	45,950	243

SINCE THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE SEASON (SEPT. 1).

	Wheat.....cwt.	Barley.....	Oats.....	Peas.....	Beans.....	Indian corn.....	Flour.....
Imports.	23,299,884	5,554,067	6,331,595	87,743	1,276,312	13,138,042	4,297,049
Exports.	206,955	18,288	82,246	10,587	1,243	13,604	15,747
Imports.	19,371,211	7,851,344	4,237,554	87,404	1,966,786	9,297,029	2,758,786
Exports.	148,941	90,623	77,745	22,928	4,440	881	22,665

Several small failures have been reported in the manufacturing districts during the present week, but being for small amounts do not demand much attention. At Manchester, business has been very quiet owing to the dullness of the Liverpool cotton market, in which produce has been freely offered at a reduction in price.

At Leeds, and in the woollen districts generally, trade has been firm, although the demand for certain spring styles has been checked by the coldness of the weather. A fair amount of business has, however, been carried on, and prices generally have been well supported.

The money market, this week, has ruled active, and scarcely any accommodation has been obtained under the bank rate of 3 per cent. An instalment of 15 per cent has been paid on the Japanese loan, and the bills of the "fourth" of the month have also been met with more than the average precision. There seems to be little reason to expect an alteration in any direction in the rates for money. The supply is still good, and is sufficiently great to check any advance, while the demand is active enough to prevent any downward movement. The pub-

lic, also, seem unwilling to embark freely in new enterprises, as may be seen from the apathy they show towards the submarine telegraph companies. The shares of these undertakings have been very depressed during the whole of the week, and the quotations are still at a heavy discount. They seem to have been taken up, in the first instances, with borrowed money, and are now being pressed upon the market for sale; hence the flatness of the quotations. The rates of discount are now as under:

	1869.	1870.		1869.	1870.
	Per cent.	Per cent.		Per cent.	Per cent.
Bank minimum.....	4½@...	3 @...	4 months' ba'k bills	5 @6	3 @3½
Open-market rates:			6 months' ba'k bills	5½@6	3 @3½
30 and 60 days' bills	4½@5	3 @...	4 and 6 trade bills	5½@6	3½@4
3 months' bills.....	4½@5	3 @...			

Money on the Continent remains unaltered in value. At the leading cities the quotations are as under:

	B'k rate—	Op. m'kt—		B'k rate—	Op. m'kt—
	1869. 1870.	1869. 1870.		1869. 1870.	1869. 1870.
At Paris.....	2½ 2½	2½ 1½-2½	Turin.....	5 5	— 5
Vienna....	4 5	4 5	Brussels...	2½ 2½	2½ 2½
Berlin.....	4 4	4 -3 3½	Madrid...	5 5	— 5
Frankfort.	2½ 3½	2½-2 3½	Hamburg...	— —	4½ 2½
Amst'rd'm	3 4	3 3½	St. Pet'g.	7 6½	7 6

In the rates of foreign exchange there have been no variations of importance. The Paris exchange is still high, which checks any outflow of gold as an exchange operation. The Indian exchanges, however, are low, the Council bills, at the periodical sale, held on Wednesday having gone at 1s. 10½d. the rupee. Hence, there is very little demand for silver, the principal supplies being purchased on Dutch account. Mexican dollars are firm.

The scrip of the Japanese loan has been very flat during the present week, and, at one period, was quoted at 5 to 4 per cent discount. From that point, however, there has been a slight recovery. The loan, by many persons, is thought to be dear, but at the same time, it is understood that £4,000,000 was applied for; consequently, many capitalists think otherwise. Foreign securities have been firmer this week, on the more favorable advices from Paris, and prices are generally higher. Consols are 94½ for the June account. The variations in 5-20 bonds have been unimportant, but the market must be considered firm in tone. American railway shares are rather dull, and scarcely any business is passing in the new stocks.

In reference to the Liverpool Wool sales Messrs. Ronald & Sons write as follows:

Our second series of quarterly auctions for this year opened on the 26th ult., and East India Wools were offered on that date and three following days. The attendance of both home and continental buyers was good throughout, and prices, which were at the commencement exceedingly firm at the highest point of last auctions in January, were characterised by a hardening tendency as the sales progressed, and we must now quote them generally ½d. to 1d. per pound dearer than those current at our first series. This was not so much noticed in white wools, which were in very good supply; but yellow wools, which in nearly all descriptions were proportionately scarce, were well competed for, and brought almost invariably better prices, whilst grey and fawn wools participated more or less in the general advance. The few native wools offered were eagerly taken, but on Persian wools, although in pretty good demand, no advance was established. The selection, on the whole, was better than usual, and though the result in face of the small quantity to be brought forward scarcely came up to the anticipations of holders, of the 10,373 bales offered in all, only 517 bales were taken in, and these consisted of part of the second hand parcels offered, the total of which was about 2,700 bales. Prospects appear good, and any change to be looked for at our next series will, we venture to believe, be towards an improvement in prices for all really useful qualities.

The following statement shows the present position of the Bank of England, the Bank rate of discount, the price of Consols, the average price of English wheat, the price of middling Upland Cotton, and of No. 40 mule yarn, compared with the four previous years:—

	1866.	1867.	1868.	1869.	1870.
	£	£	£	£	£
Circulation, including					
Bank post bills.....	22,806,660	23,604,608	24,927,015	24,457,831	24,803,558
Public deposits.....	5,711,827	7,406,357	5,128,327	5,116,802	8,632,606
Other deposits.....	13,515,537	17,535,100	20,209,245	15,927,737	16,001,374
Government securities	10,894,254	12,846,314	13,277,696	14,207,798	12,896,284
Other securities.....	20,544,217	19,220,596	19,238,404	17,823,382	18,855,149
Reserve.....	5,811,745	10,983,547	11,943,107	7,576,521	10,973,653
Coin and bullion.....	13,156,140	19,130,357	20,402,992	16,582,086	19,819,607
Bank rate.....	9 p. c.	3 p. c.	2 p. c.	4½ p. c.	3 p. c.
Consols.....	85½	92½	93½	92½	94½
Price of wheat.....	45s. 9d.	63s. 10d.	74s. 2d.	44s. 9d.	42s. 7d.
Mid. Upland cotton...	12½d.	11d.	12½d.	11½d.	11d.
40 mule yarn, fair 2d quality.....	1s. 8d.	1s. 5d.	1s. 4d.	11½d.	1s. 3½d.

#### English Market Reports—Per Cable.

The daily closing quotations in the markets of London and Liverpool for the past week, have been reported by submarine telegraph as shown in the following summary.

**London Money and Stock Market.**—The market for Consols has been steady, quotations closing about the same as last week. United States securities have been steady throughout the week, but closed dull. The details will be found in the subjoined table:

	Sat.	Mon.	Tues.	W.	Thu.	Fri.
Consols for money.....	94½	94½	94½	94½	94½	94½
" for account.....	94½	94½	94½	94½	94½	94½
U. S. 6s (5 20's) 1862.	89½	89½	88½	89½	89½	89½
" " " old 1865.	88½	88½	88½	88½	88½	88½
" " " 1867.	90½	90½	90½	90½	90½	90½
U. S. 10-40s.....	85½	85½	85½	86	86	86
Illinois Central shares.	113½	112½	112½	112½	112	111½
Erie Railway shares..	18½	18½	16½	18½	18½	18½
Atl. & G. W. (consols).	.....	.....	28½	28½	28½	28½

The daily closing quotations for U. S. 6's (1862) at Frankfort were—



Frankfort..... 95% 95% 95% 95% 95% 95%

Liverpool Cotton Market.—See special report of cotton.

Liverpool Breadstuffs Market.—The market has been quiet during the past week, and prices are rather lower.

	Sat.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Flour, (Western).... p. bbl	21 0	21 0	20 3	20 3	21 3	20 3
Wheat (No. 2 Mil. Red) p. ctl	8 3	8 3	8 3	8 2	8 2	8 0
" R. d. winter.....	9 0	9 0	8 11	8 11	8 10	8 9
" (California white) "	9 9	9 9	9 8	9 8	9 8	9 7
Corn (W. m. d.) p. 480 lbs n'w	29 9	29 9	29 9	29 9	29 9	29 3
Barley (Canadian), per bush	5 5	5 5	5 5	5 5	5 5	5 0
Oats (Am. & Can.) per 45 lbs	2 0	2 0	2 0	2 0	2 0	2 5
Peas... (Canadian) pr 504 lbs	36 0	36 0	35 6	35 6	35 6	35 6

Liverpool Provisions Market.—The market closed quiet, the prices of bacon showing a slight advance, while the prices of beef, pork and cheese are lower.

	Sat.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Beef (ex. pr. mess) p. 364 lbs	111 0	111 0	111 0	106 0	106 0	106 0
Pork (Etn. pr. mess) p. 304 lbs	105 0	105 0	112 6	112 6	112 6	103 6
Bacon (Cumb. cut) p. 112 lbs	58 0	58 0	58 0	58 6	58 0	53 6
Lard (American) " "	69 0	69 0	69 0	69 0	66 0	69 0
Cheese (Ane) " "	75 0	75 0	75 0	74 0	74 0	74 0

Liverpool Produce Market.—Nothing of interest has transpired during the week, prices being quoted about the same as at the close of last week.

	Sat.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Rosin (com Wilm.) per 112 lbs	4 9	4 9	4 9	4 9	4 9	4 9
do Fine Pale.....	13 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	12 0
Sp turpentine.....	29 3	29 3	29 3	29 3	29 3	29 3
Petroleum (std white) p. 9 lbs	1 6 1/2	1 6 1/2	1 6 1/2	1 6 1/2	1 6 1/2	1 6 1/2
" spirit " " " "	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 1
Tallow (America) p. 112 lbs	44 8	44 3	44 0	44 0	44 0	44 0

London Produce and Oil Markets.—These markets remain quiet, with very little change in prices.

	Sat.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Lins'd c'ke (obl) p. tn. £9 16 0	£9 16 0	£9 16 0	£9 16 0	£9 16 0	£9 16 0	£9 16 0
Linseed (Calcutta) " " 0 62 0	0 62 0	0 62 0	0 62 0	0 62 0	0 61 0	0 61 6
Sugar (No. 12 Dch std)						
per 112 lb.....	0 31 9	31 9	31 9	31 9	31 9	31 9
Sperm oil.....	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0	90 0 0
Whale oil.....	33 0 0	33 0 0	33 0 0	33 0 0	33 0 0	33 0 0
Linseed oil per ton.....	32 5 0	32 5 0	32 0 0	32 5 0	32 5 0	32 5 0

## COMMERCIAL AND MISCELLANEOUS NEWS.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS FOR THE WEEK.—The imports this week show an increase in dry goods, and a decrease in general merchandise the total imports amount to \$5,252,126 against \$6,202,293 last week, and \$7,438,520 the previous week. The exports are \$3,657,044 this week against \$3,419,985 last week, and \$3,434,671 the previous week. The exports of cotton the past week were 7,170 bales, against 6,426 bales last week. The following are the imports at New York for week ending (for dry goods) May 13, and for the week ending (for general merchandise) May 14:

## FOREIGN IMPORTS AT NEW YORK FOR THE WEEK.

	1867.	1868.	1869.	1870.
Dry goods.....	\$915,820	\$1,332,005	\$1,402,998	\$1,581,774
General merchandise..	3,017,495	4,441,246	4,185,326	3,670,972
Total for the week.....	\$3,933,315	\$5,773,251	\$5,588,324	\$5,252,126
Previously reported....	95,430,382	85,680,403	116,170,375	107,864,789

Since Jan. 1..... \$99,363,657 \$91,452,654 \$121,758,699 \$113,116,906

In our report of the dry goods trade will be found the imports of dry goods for one week later.

The following is a statement of the exports (exclusive of specie) from the port of New York to foreign ports, for the week ending May 17:

## EXPORTS FROM NEW YORK FOR THE WEEK.

	1867.	1868.	1869.	1870.
For the week.....	\$3,982,664	\$4,035,781	\$3,871,328	\$3,667,014
Previously reported.....	75,155,916	65,112,464	69,193,266	61,183,081

Since Jan. 1..... \$74,133,620 \$59,143,215 \$61,064,591 \$61,850,125

The following will show the exports of specie from the port of New York for the week ending May 7th, 1870:

May 9—Brig Alpha, Fonce—		Liverpool—	
American silver..	\$5,800	British gold.....	\$9,737
May 10—St. Saxonia, Paris—		May 14—St. Rhin, London—	
American silver..	200,000	Mexican silver....	11,106
May 12—Bark Tere a, Mar-		Silver bars.....	31,400
acaibo—		Gold bars.....	11,700
American gold....	35,000	May 14—St. Pere e, Havre—	
May 12—St. Morro Castle,		American silver....	227,400
Havana—		Mexican silver....	25,000
American gold....	80	American gold....	72,725
American silver..	9,850	Silver bars.....	20,629
May 13—Brig Morancy, Ar-		Gold bars.....	20,700
royo, P. R.—		May 14—St. Pennsylvania,	
American silver..	16,000	Liverpool—	
May 14—St. City of Brussels,		Gold bars.....	110,500

Total for the week..... \$801,127  
Previously reported..... 8,689,287

Total since Jan. 1, 1870..... \$9,490,414

Same time in	1869.	1868.	1867.
1869.....	\$11,310,341	1860.....	\$11,314,821
1868.....	25,849,903	1859.....	20,431,929
1867.....	11,161,843	1858.....	11,331,491
1866.....	8,200,711	1857.....	11,423,045
1865.....	6,691,819	1856.....	9,477,159
1864.....	19,816,788	1855.....	11,457,549
1863.....	17,867,475	1854.....	10,583,443
1862.....	15,371,423	1853.....	4,891,005
1861.....	2,904,791	1852.....	9,823,839

The imports of specie at this port for the last week reported were as follows:

May 10—Str Arizona, Aspin-		May 12—Steamer Columbia,	
wall—		Havana—	
Silver.....	\$17,106	Gold.....	2,940
Gold.....	7,448	May 14—Steamer Fah Kee,	
May 12—Steamer Hammonia,		Hamilton—	
Havre—		Gold.....	2,500
Gold.....	517,824		
Total for the week.....			\$547,618
Previously reported.....			6,340,509
Total since Jan. 1, 1870.....			\$6,888,327
Same time 1869.....			8,610,441
Same time 1868.....			2,826,330
Same time 1867.....			1,025,521

NATIONAL TREASURY.—The following forms present a summary of certain weekly transactions at the National Treasury and Custom House.

## 1.—Securities held by the U. S. Treasurer in trust for National bank.

	For	For U. S.	Total.	(Bal. in Treas.)	Coin cer-
	Circulation.	Deposits.		Coin.	tificates
Nov. 6	342,552,250	19,508,000	362,060,250		
Nov. 20	342,501,750	19,408,000	361,909,750		
Nov. 27	340,502,650	19,358,000	359,860,650		
Dec. 4	342,504,350	19,358,000	361,862,350		
Dec. 11	342,499,050	19,291,000	361,790,050		
Dec. 18	342,533,050	19,181,500	361,714,550		
Jan. 8	342,425,050	19,041,000	361,466,050		
Jan. 15	342,425,050	18,991,000	361,416,050		
Jan. 22	342,303,350	8,941,000	361,244,350		
Jan. 29	342,313,350	18,721,000	361,034,350		
Feb. 5	342,310,350	18,571,000	360,881,350		
Feb. 12	342,307,350	18,496,000	360,803,350		
Feb. 19	342,396,350	18,393,500	360,789,850		
Feb. 26	342,398,350	17,808,500	360,206,850		
March 5	342,384,350	17,683,500	360,067,850		
March 12	342,364,350	17,483,500	359,847,850		
March 19	342,363,650	17,253,600	359,617,250		
March 26	342,392,650	17,139,500	359,532,150		
April 2	342,291,650	16,989,500	359,281,150		
April 9	342,274,650	16,955,500	359,230,150		
April 16	342,246,350	16,951,500	359,197,850		
April 23	342,542,350	16,673,000	359,215,350	113,514,000	19,250,000
April 30	342,251,350	16,663,000	358,914,350		
May 7	342,273,550	16,510,000	358,783,550	110,724,000	10,000,000
May 14	342,269,550	16,410,000	358,679,550	105,733,000	11,555,000

2.—National bank currency issued (weekly and aggregate), in return for bills destroyed and mutilated bills returned (weekly and aggregate) with the amount in circulation at date:

Week ending.	Notes issued for ret'd.	(Mutilated notes burned.)	Notes in
	Current week.	Aggregate.	Circulation
Nov. 6	155,170	17,279,430	124,430
Nov. 13	153,070	17,432,500	309,452
Nov. 20	247,740	17,697,230	17,742,926
Nov. 27	112,140	17,899,350	17,851,826
Dec. 4	155,100	18,122,150	18,003,816
Dec. 11	143,770	18,265,920	18,307,457
Dec. 18	238,840	18,699,090	18,433,707
Jan. 8	216,110	18,905,200	18,907,907
Jan. 15	216,680	19,121,880	19,075,137
Jan. 22	199,660	19,312,540	19,294,27
Jan. 29	188,270	19,508,810	19,480,127
Feb. 5	288,350	19,789,160	19,748,877
Feb. 12	290,340	20,088,80	20,066,252
Feb. 19	293,830	20,352,80	20,351,342
Feb. 26	219,820	20,602,200	20,548,199
March 5	279,330	20,881,520	20,788,799
March 12	179,640	21,061,160	21,020,589
March 19	287,840	21,349,000	21,277,394
March 26	212,320	21,561,320	21,566,794
April 2	212,860	21,774,150	21,786,644
April 9	257,450	22,031,630	21,999,811
April 16	245,770	22,277,400	22,298,81
April 23	240,655	22,508,655	22,511,846
April 30	291,170	22,799,225	22,825,346
May 7	251,520	23,050,745	23,027,446
May 14			23,366,816

3.—Fractional currency received from the Currency Bureau by U. S. Treasurer and distributed weekly; also the amount destroyed:

Week ending.	Received.	Distributed.	Destroy d.	Leg. Ten.
				Disrib'd
Nov. 6	1,289,300	879,614	492,190	
Nov. 20	1,007,000	643,000	350,900	
Nov. 27	256,477	316,204	421,000	
Dec. 4	658,500	261,291	446,307	
Dec. 11	777,100	545,000	450,000	
Dec. 18	723,100	692,100	461,200	
Jan. 8	601,650	117,618	538,000	
Jan. 15	743,481	588,425	631,100	
Jan. 22	758,000	539,672	559,100	
Jan. 29	566,000	665,238	450,539	
Feb. 5	573,000	247,630	552,300	
Feb. 12	608,400	723,142	717,800	
Feb. 19	625,600	273,295	640,200	
Feb. 26	524,700	167,000	316,960	
March 5	531,600	444,582	677,600	
March 12	490,100	329,246	685,500	
March 19	463,100	859,093	522,401	
March 26	539,700	454,933	487,159	
April 2	556,200	196,503	160,600	
April 9	501,916	352,863	576,800	
April 16	425,500	1,903,332	437,100	
April 23	555,500	606,588	624,000	5,439,250
April 30	752,000	492,325	785,175	
May 7	39,000	1,810,059	621,100	894,468
May 14		504,000	531,200	1,314,074

—The Indianapolis, Bloomington and Western Railway seven per cent convertible first mortgage gold bonds, are now offered by Messrs. Turner Brothers, Bankers, No. 14 Nassau street. This loan is, in fact, a similar issue to the bonds of the Danville, Urbana, Bloomington and Pekin Railroad, lately negotiated with so much success in this market by Messrs. Turners. The road is a continuation of the Danville, and \$2,000,000 of the present issue of bonds are placed in the hands of trustees to redeem the former issue, so that the whole amount of bonds outstanding will be only \$3,000,000 on 205 miles of road—of which 170 miles are completed and running.

Railroads in Illinois have generally been very successful, the local traffic of that populous State furnishing a large portion of their earnings, and, as these bonds are convertible, their owners will have all the advantages of stockholders, without their liabilities. Every particular in regard to the loan is stated in the advertisement, or can be ascertained from the financial agents, 14 Nassau street.



— On the last page of the CHRONICLE to-day will be found the card of the Radley & McAllister Manufacturing Company, 21 Courtlandt street. This company supplies gas locomotive head lights, gas car lights, oil head lights, and also the Radley & Hunter spark arrester, for locomotives. It is hardly necessary to suggest to our numerous subscribers among railroad men, that gas has generally supplanted both tallow candles and oil, as a giver of light, wherever it has once been used. It is, therefore, only essential to remark that this light is no experiment, but a proved success, as the agents state, in regard to it, that the light has been on trial on over forty first class roads, and in every instance has given entire and unbounded satisfaction, proving its superiority over every light heretofore made, in simplicity of construction, durability, economy in use and brilliancy of light.

— Messrs. B. D. Hasell & Co., whose card appears in our columns are now fully settled in their new and elegant office, at No. 317 Broadway, with entrance on Thomas street, and are fully prepared to furnish any article necessary in constructing, equipping or operating railroads.

Col. Hasell's thorough practical experience in both building and operating roads—as also in the negotiation of railroad securities—gives them peculiar advantages which railroad companies wanting anything in their line will do well to avail themselves of.

## The Bankers' Gazette.

### DIVIDENDS.

The following Dividends have been declared during the past week:

COMPANY.	PER CENT.	WHEN PAYABLE.	BOOKS CLOSED.
<b>Railroads.</b>			
Ohio & Mississippi (semi-annual).....	3½	June 1.	May 21 to June 1.
Northern (N. H.).....	\$4	June 1.	—
Vermont & Canada.....	4	June 1.	—
<b>Miscellaneous.</b>			
Lawrence Manufacturing Co.....	\$30	May 23.	—
Am. Mer. Union Express Co. (semi-annual).....	3	July 15.	June 25 to July 16
Home Petroleum Co.....	20c.	May 19.	—
Saginaw Val. Land Salt & Mineral Co.....	15c.	June 1.	—

FRIDAY EVENING, May 20.

**THE MONEY MARKET.**—We have to report a continuance of the late extreme ease in money. The bank statements continue to show a gain in the deposits and legal tenders, with a disproportionately moderate increase in the loans and discounts. The plethora of national currency also is steadily augmented. The receipts of money from the interior are chiefly in that form of currency, in addition to which the Treasury has paid for \$2,000,000 of bonds, bought this week, in the proportion of two-thirds in bank notes. This large accumulation is of no value to the banks, but rather a loss, as they would readily exchange the notes for legal tenders at a discount of \$1 per thousand.

The following totals of the last bond statement will show the present condition of the Associated Banks of this city, as compared with a year ago:

	May 14, 1870.	May 15, 1869.
Loans.....	\$278,400,000	\$269,500,000
Specie.....	32,400,000	15,400,000
Circulation.....	33,300,000	33,900,000
Deposits.....	222,400,000	199,400,000
Legal Tenders.....	57,900,000	56,300,000

It will be seen that the loans are expanded \$9,000,000 above a year ago, which is perhaps no more than is required by a reasonable allowance for the progress of business. The deposits stand \$23,000,000 higher, but of this increase \$17,000,000 is to be accounted for by the increase in the specie line. In the legal tenders the increase is only \$1,600,000, the moderateness of which, considering the extraordinary plethora of idle funds, is one among many indications of the tendency of "greenbacks" to leave the bonds for general circulation.

On call loans the supply of money is very abundant, the rate on Government collaterals being generally 4 per cent, and on stocks 5 per cent. Some few 6 per cent loans are still allowed to stand.

Discounts are quiet. The merchants are not offering any large amounts of paper, and the higher grades are especially scarce. Prime mercantile names of three to four months pass readily at 6@7 per cent.

The following are the current rates on various classes of loans:

	Per Cent.		Per Cent.
Call Loans.....	4 @ 5	Good Notes.....	8 @ 10
Prime Acceptances.....	6 @ 7	Lower Grades.....	10 @ 12
Prime Notes.....	6 @ 7½	Loans on Bond and Mortgage.....	7 @ ..
Good Acceptances.....	8 @ 10		

**UNITED STATES BONDS.**—The bond market shows a temporary suspension of the late buoyancy. The rapid rise in prices appears to have brought in a liberal supply of stock from the interior, and the consequent increase in the supply became apparent yesterday,

when the Treasury proposals to buy \$2,000,000 Five-Twenties brought out offers aggregating \$9,371,450, the largest amount offered at these purchases for months past. Prices fell off about ½ per cent on these offerings; but it was observable that the larger dealers were active buyers at the decline, indicating the firmness of their views.

Rumors have been freely circulated during the week respecting the prospects of the Funding and Currency bills, apparently specially designed to weaken gold and bonds, and, although there is no reason to believe that the reports have any good foundation, they have, for the moment, checked buying and chilled the healthy feeling lately developed in this class of securities. The realizing on the general stock market, and efforts to break down the price of gold, have also helped to weaken prices. Beyond these temporary influences, however, there is a very firm feeling among the heavier dealers as to the prospect of prices during the next two months, it being regarded as reasonably certain that Five-Twenties will be generally equalized with gold.

Central Pacific Railroad bonds have been stronger, the predominant price being 93½@93¾.

The following were the highest and lowest prices of leading government securities at the Board on each day of the past week:

	Saturday, May 14.	Monday, May 16.	Tuesday, May 17.	Wednesday, May 18.	Thursday, May 19.	Friday, May 20.
6's, 1881 coup.....	117 117	117½ 117½	117½ 117½	117½ 117½	117½ 117½	117 117
5-20's, 1862 coup.....	112½ 112½	112½ 112½	112½ 112½	112½ 112½	112½ 112½	112½ 112½
5-20's, 1864 ".....	111½ 111½	111½ 111½	111½ 111½	111½ 111½	111½ 111½	111½ 111½
5-20's, 1865 ".....	111½ 111½	112 112	112½ 112½	111½ 111½	111½ 111½	111½ 111½
5-20's, 1866 n ".....	113½ 113½	114 114	114½ 114½	113½ 114	113½ 114	113½ 114
5-20's, 1867 ".....	113½ 114½	114½ 114½	114½ 114½	114½ 114½	114½ 114½	114½ 114½
5-20's, 1868 ".....	111½ 114½	114½ 114½	114½ 114½	114½ 114½	114½ 114½	114½ 114½
10-40's.....	108½ 108½	108½ 108½	108½ 108½	108½ 108½	108½ 108½	108½ 108½
Currency 6's.....	112½ 112½	112½ 112½	112½ 112½	112½ 112½	112½ 112½	112½ 112½

\* This is the price bid and asked, no sale was made at the Board.

Purchases by the Government on Thursday, May 19th, were \$2,000,000; total offered, \$9,371,450. The total now held is \$113,323 050. Details are as follows:

	Purchase 1 May 19.	Total held.		Purchased May 19.	Total held.
5-20's of 1862, reg.....	\$100,400	\$14,602,650	1865, new, r.....	\$51,600	\$43,783,450
1862, cou.....	37,700		1865, new, c.....	1,146,700	
1864, reg.....	32,050	15,661,800	1867, reg.....	23,500	28,020,250
1864, cou.....	299,350		1867, cou.....	41,900	
1865, reg.....	51,500	8,484,650	1868, reg.....		2,706,000
1865, cou.....	204,900		1868, cou.....	10,000	

**STATE BONDS.**—Securities of this class have not been actively dealt in, the excitement in the Railway share market, having directed the attention of operators. Prices were generally well maintained the South Carolinas (new) being the specialties. The January and July coupons sold as high as 84½, and the April and October at 82½, the advance being due to the announcement by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund that proposals would be received for the sale to the State of \$100,000 of the state bonds or stocks. The State owns \$2,750,000 miscellaneous securities principally railway bonds and stocks, the sale of which, as well as a considerable amount of real estate, is authorized, the proceeds to be devoted to reducing the state debt, which now stands at \$6,938,424 23. The Missouri were noticeably strong as also the Alabamas, Louisiana levee bonds, and old North Carolinas, the new being weak and declining to 24. The Arkansas 7's and Virginias were dull and firm, and the rest of the list without feature.

The following are the highest and lowest prices of the most active State Bonds at the Board on each day of the past week:

	Saturday, May 14.	Monday, May 16.	Tuesday, May 17.	Wednesday, May 18.	Thursday, May 19.	Friday, May 20.
6s Tenn. x.c.....	60½ 60½	*60 61½	*60½ 61½	*60½ 61½	60½ 61	*60½ ..
6s Tenn. new.....	56 56½	56½ 57	56 56	55½ 55½	55 55½	55½ 55½
6s N.Car., old.....	48½ 48½	49½ 49½	50 50	*50 50	48½ 48½	48½ 48½
6s N.Car., new.....	25 25½	25 25	24 24	25 25	25½ 25½	25 25
6s Virg. x.c.....	69½ 69½	*69½ 70	69½ 69½	70 70	*69½ 69½	69½ 69½
8s La., levee.....	92 92	*91½ 91½	*91½ 91½	92 92	*92 92	92 92
6s Missouri.....	93½ 94	*94 94½	94 94	94½ 94½	*94½ 94½	94½ 94½

\* This is the price bid and asked, no sale was made at the Board.

**RAILROAD AND MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.**—Very naturally, following the late large advance in railroad stocks, there has been a general realizing, with the result of considerable irregularities in quotations. The large holders of stocks have been favored with a more buoyant market than the most sanguine anticipated, and have prudently realized while the market was hot. A very large amount of stock has passed out of the hands of the cliques into general distribution on the street, and the new class of holders are somewhat dismayed at finding that the railroad kings with whom they supposed they were co-operating are now on the opposite side of the market. Spasmodic efforts are made to galvanize the market into firmness, and with partial success, (for the market has by no means wholly lost its buoyancy), but so soon as it is attempted to realize upon any important amount of stock, the market breaks. The



extreme ease of money, however, is favorable to holders, and any early material fall in prices would seem inevitable.

The chief fall has been in Lake Shore and Pacific Mail, the former having declined from 100 to 96½ and the latter from 40½ to 35½; in other stocks the fluctuations have been within a range of 2 to 3 per cent.

The following were the highest and lowest prices of the active list of railroad and miscellaneous stocks on each day of the last week:

	Saturday, May 14.	Monday, May 16.	Tuesday, May 17.	Wednesday, May 18.	Thursday, May 19.	Friday, May 20.
N.Y. Cent. & H.R.	100½ 101½	100½ 102	101½ 102½	101½ 102½	101½ 102½	100½ 101½
do scrip	96½ 97½	96½ 97½	97½ 98	96½ 97½	96½ 97½	96½ 96½
Harlem	144½ 145½	144½ 146½	146½ 147	145½ 145½	144½ 145½	144½ 145½
Erle	23½ 23½	23½ 24	23½ 23½	23½ 23½	23 23½	23½ 23½
Reading	103½ 104½	103½ 104½	104½ 105½	104½ 106	103½ 106	103½ 104
Lake Shore	98½ 99½	98½ 99½	98½ 100	99½ 99	96½ 98½	96½ 97½
Wabash	56 57½	55½ 56½	56½ 56½	55½ 56½	55½ 56½	55½ 55½
Pittsburg	105½ 106½	106½ 107½	107½ 107½	107½ 107½	107½ 107½	107½ 107½
Northwest	79½ 80½	79½ 81½	81½ 82½	81½ 82	80½ 81	81 81½
do pref	88½ 91	88½ 90½	90½ 91½	90½ 91½	89½ 90½	88½ 89½
Rock Island	119½ 121½	119½ 122	120½ 122½	120½ 121½	119½ 121½	119½ 120½
Port Wayne	91½ 94½	94½ 94½	94½ 95	94½ 95	94½ 94½	94½ 94½
St. Paul	66½ 67½	66½ 67½	66½ 67	65½ 66½	64½ 65½	64½ 65½
do pref	81½ 82½	80½ 81½	81½ 81½	81½ 81½	79½ 81½	79½ 80
Ohio, Mississip	37½ 38½	37½ 38½	38½ 38½	38½ 38½	38½ 38½	37½ 38½
Central of N.J.	109 109½	109½ 109½	109½ 109½	109½ 109½	109½ 109½	108½ 109½
West. Un. Tel.	33 33½	33½ 33½	33½ 33½	33½ 33½	33½ 33½	33½ 33½
Mariposa pref.	17½ 18	17½ 17½	17½ 17½	17½ 17½	17½ 17½	17½ 17½
do Trust. cert.	47 48	46 46	46 50	47½ 48	46½ 49	46½ 48
Quicksilver	9 10	9 10	9 9	9 9	9 9	9 9
do pref	12½ 15	13 13	13 13	13½ 16½	13½ 17½	14 18
Pacific Mail	36½ 40½	39½ 39½	38½ 40½	37½ 39½	35½ 38½	35½ 36½
Adams Expr. ss	65½ 66½	66 66½	66½ 66½	66 66½	66 66½	66½ 66½
Am. Merch. Un	41½ 42½	42 42½	41½ 42½	42 43½	43½ 43	43 43½
United States	45½ 46	45 45	45 45½	45 46½	46½ 46½	45½ 45½
Wells, Fargo	14½ 14½	15½ 15½	15½ 15½	15½ 15½	14½ 15	15 15½
Cumbrl. Coal	41½ 45	41½ 45	41½ 50	41½ 45	41½ 45	41½ 44
Consolid. Coal	41½ 45	41½ 45	41½ 45	41½ 45	41½ 45	41½ 44
Canton Coal	41½ 45	41½ 45	41½ 45	41½ 45	41½ 45	41½ 44
Chic. & Alton	113½ 114½	113½ 113½	113½ 113½	113½ 114	113½ 114½	114 115
do do pref	114½ 115	114½ 115	114½ 115	114½ 115	114½ 115	114½ 115
do scrip	107½ 110	107½ 110	107½ 109	108 109	107½ 108	107½ 108
Clev. C. & I.	79 79½	79½ 79½	79 79½	79 79½	79 79	79½ 79½
Col. Chic. & I.C.	18 18	18½ 18½	18½ 18½	18½ 18½	18½ 18½	18½ 18½
Del. Lack. & W.	108½ 110	108½ 111	110½ 111	111½ 111½	111½ 111½	111 111½
Hann. St. Jos.	110½ 111½	111½ 111½	112 112	111½ 112	112 112½	112½ 112½
do pref	110½ 111½	110½ 111½	110½ 111½	110 111	111 111	111½ 111½
Illinois Centr'l	113 113	140 142½	141½ 142	140½ 140½	141 142	140 141½
Mich. Centr'l	124½ 124½	124½ 124½	124½ 124	124 125	124 124	123½ 124½
Morris & Essex	92½ 92½	92½ 92½	92½ 93	92½ 93	93 93	92½ 93
Alton & T. H.	34½ 36	34½ 36	34½ 36	34 36	34 36	34 36
do pref	63 64	64 64	63 63	63 63	63 64	63 63½

\* This is the price bid and asked, no sale was made at the Board.

The following is a summary of the amount of Government bonds, State and City securities, and railroad and other bonds sold at Stock Exchange for the past and several previous weeks:

Week ending—	Government Bonds.	State & City Bonds.	Company Bonds.	Total amount.
Jan. 6.	3,259,200	988,600	345,000	4,592,800
" 13.	5,370,700	2,050,800	611,500	8,033,000
" 20.	4,497,100	1,531,500	576,500	6,605,100
" 27.	8,310,650	1,884,000	642,500	10,837,150
Feb. 3.	2,237,900	2,610,500	1,087,500	5,935,900
" 10.	1,893,400	2,931,500	920,100	5,745,000
" 17.	2,305,000	2,231,500	766,000	5,302,500
" 24.	2,068,900	1,541,700	686,000	4,296,600
March 10.	5,175,450	2,326,000	922,500	8,423,900
" 17.	3,665,000	1,961,500	940,700	5,567,200
" 24.	2,210,000	1,663,111	580,661	4,553,772
" 31.	4,413,000	965,300	586,000	5,964,300
April 7.	3,711,300	1,259,500	512,500	5,513,300
" 15.	3,324,700	1,423,500	525,500	5,273,700
" 21.	2,129,450	1,209,000	401,500	3,739,950
" 28.	6,019,300	1,137,000	677,300	7,833,600
May 5.	4,941,700	2,116,900	600,500	7,659,100
" 12.	3,510,700	1,067,500	671,500	5,249,700
" 19.	3,499,500	661,500	498,900	4,659,900

**THE GOLD MARKET.**—The chief feature on the gold market has been an effort to break down the premium; upon what grounds is not very apparent; but the attempt has been too strongly resisted by the firmness of the exchange market to prove successful, and the price has scarcely varied ½ per cent for the entire week. Reports have been freely circulated to the effect that the Banking and Currency Committee will certainly report back the \$95,000,000 Currency Bill in its original form, or with immaterial amendments; but the best sources of information give no countenance to this report; the statement, at best, has not been generally credited on the street.

The carrying rate has ranged at 3 to 5 per cent. The Treasury, on Wednesday, purchased \$1,000,000 coin, the total bid for being \$3,355,000.

The following table will show the course of the gold premium each day of the past week:

	Open- ing.	Low- est.	High- est.	Clos- ing.	Total Clearings.	Balances. Gold.	Currency.
Saturday, May 14.	111½	114½	114½	114½	57,751,000	1,379,725	1,601,336
Monday, " 16.	111½	114½	114½	114½	25,608,000	862,972	997,722
Tuesday, " 17.	111½	114½	115	114½	33,610,000	1,025,025	1,183,673
Wedn'day, " 18.	115	114½	115	114½	22,246,000	842,186	972,671
Thursday, " 19.	114½	114½	114½	114½	24,793,000	1,342,332	1,558,815
Friday, " 20.	114½	114½	114½	114½	31,135,000	1,178,976	1,361,674
Current week	114½	114½	115	114½	195,214,000	6,631,217	7,675,791
Previous week	115	111½	115½	114½	197,717,000	8,245,806	9,551,499
Jan. 1 to date	120½	110½	123½	114½			

**FOREIGN EXCHANGE.**—Has been firm, the demand for bills being quite active, and the supply of commercial bills very light, notwithstanding that the week's shipments of cotton have been liberal. The market closes strong at subjoined quotations:

	April 29.	May 6.	May 13.	May 20.
London Comm'l.	108½ @ 109½	108½ @ 109	108½ @ 109½	109 @ 109½
do bkrs' ing	109½ @ 109½	109½ @ 109	109½ @ 109	109½ @ 109½
do do shrt.	110 @ 110	110 @ 110	110 @ 110	110 @ 110
Paris, long	5.17½ @ 5.16½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	5.17½ @ 5.16½	5.17½ @ 5.16½
do short	5.15 @ 5.13½	5.15 @ 5.13½	5.15 @ 5.13½	5.15 @ 5.13½
Antwerp	5.18½ @ 5.17½	5.18½ @ 5.17½	5.18½ @ 5.17½	5.18½ @ 5.17½
Swiss	5.18½ @ 5.17½	5.18½ @ 5.17½	5.18½ @ 5.17½	5.18½ @ 5.17½
Hamburg	85½ @ 86	85½ @ 86	85½ @ 86	85½ @ 86
Amsterdam	40½ @ 41	40½ @ 41	40½ @ 41	41½ @ 41½
Frankfort	40½ @ 40½	40½ @ 40½	40½ @ 40½	41 @ 41½
Bremen	78½ @ 78½	78½ @ 78½	78½ @ 78½	79 @ 79½
Berlin	71½ @ 71½	71½ @ 71½	71½ @ 71½	71½ @ 71½

The transactions for the week at the Custom House and Sub-Treasury have been as follows:

	Custom House.	Receipts.	Sub-Treasury.	Payments.
May 14.	\$398,000 00	\$581,619 03	Currency. \$184,101 53	Gold. \$2,094,443 25
" 16.	415,000 00	1,140,104 61	9-1,903 60	250,966 59
" 17.	474,000 00	56,502 77	272,150 50	876,614 67
" 18.	421,000 00	444,463 48	176,797 37	27,558 91
" 19.	466,000 00	518,215 90	1,554,149 68	1,161,852 89
" 20.	615,000 00	823,840 21	254,823 29	362,026 71
Total	\$2,732,000 00	\$4,070,746 60	2,723,925 97	\$5,024,493 02
Balance, May 13.	77,960,877 49	3,254,867 98		\$3,738,104 25
Paym'ts during week.		\$82,031,621 09	6,978,786 95	
Balance May 20.	77,007,131 07	3,240,682 70		

**NEW YORK CITY BANKS.**—The following statement shows the condition of the Associated Banks of New York City for the week ending at the commencement of business on May 14, 1870:

BANKS.	Capital.	Loans and Discounts.	Specie.	AVERAGE AMOUNT OF CIRCULATION.	Net Deposits.	Legal Tenders.
New York	\$3,000,000	\$9,834,294	\$7,559,321	\$880,965	\$7,630,914	\$1,557,640
Manhattan	2,050,000	6,704,796	498,366	19,147	5,305,891	1,866,628
Merchants	3,000,000	7,365,952	2,065,060	880,779	7,210,286	2,611,142
Mechanics	2,000,000	5,640,500	692,000	5,0603	4,966,200	881,800
Union	1,500,000	4,631,064	4,493,000	467,181	2,555,252	531,744
America	3,000,000	7,577,389	2,070,734	1,450	7,282,972	1,668,134
Phoenix	1,800,000	4,465,966	571,095	521,787	2,971,051	354,213
City	1,000,000	6,276,972	1,331,794		4,639,476	880,000
Tradesmen's	1,000,000	3,009,909	75,520	719,759	1,588,232	567,841
Fulton	600,000	2,134,730	222,258		1,705,901	589,546
Chemical	300,000	5,851,464	731,800		5,059,717	1,738,780
Merchants' Exchange	1,235,000	3,250,803	101,222	444,586	2,509,348	719,751
National	1,500,000	3,232,171	506,364	493,124	1,499,475	342,595
Butchers	800,000	2,513,500	52,360	238,540	1,927,100	541,000
Mechanics and Traders	600,000	1,926,939	25,413	125,720	1,753,143	357,102
Greenwich	200,000	1,120,418		2,963	790,061	142,662
Leather Manuf. National	600,000	3,122,378	420,222	265,036	2,296,177	664,189
Seventh Ward National	500,000	1,299,402	91,129	171,847	823,953	227,516
State of New York	2,000,000	4,815,652	631,568	482,000	4,081,822	1,119,757
American Exchange	5,000,000	9,910,107	825,275	887,370	5,542,100	1,355,666
Commerce	10,000,000	20,430,337	863,236	5,517,025	6,411,411	6,982,614
Broadway	1,000,000	8,030,408	102,216	90,000	6,752,456	1,726,863
Ocean	1,000,000	2,507,590	116,101	795,000	1,213,311	322,880
Mercantile	1,000,000	3,471,693	143,752	40,012	2,988,732	796,819
Pacific	422,700	2,274,083	22,618	4,777	1,775,610	355,099
Republic	2,000,000	4,437,762	2,066,717	854,009	4,786,865	958,686
Chatham	450,000	2,517,993	15,436	128,919	2,712,925	604,966
People's	412,500	1,441,855	29,998	5,998	1,258,327	240,850
North American	1,000,000	2,671,671	21,845	4,083	2,436,746	884,500
Hanover	1,000,000	2,450,009	292,666	290,282	1,520,040	292,141
Irving	500,000	1,886,000	18,500	191,063	1,707,000	478,000
Metropolitan	4,000,000	12,091,561	2,295,412	2,121,964	7,711,588	757,571
Citizens	400,000	1,522,817	48,100	129,955	1,289,862	373,486
Nassau	1,000,000	2,491,688	59,081	3,979	2,204,918	242,050
Market	1,000,000	3,001,189	210,881	524,907	2,044,891	404,877
St. Nicholas	1,000,000	2,708,883	1,624	745,627	1,213,466	454,910
Shoe and Leather	1,500,000	3,877,000	55,300	872,460	2,348,800	739,100
Corn Exchange	1,000,000	2,570,023	33,000	5,813	1,432,699	384,000
Continental	2,000,000	4,333,003	191,082	561,728	2,711,967	698,000



Bid.	Askd.	Bid.	Askd.	Bid.	Askd.
New York.....	143 146	Mech. Bkg Asso.....	.. ..	Continental.....	97 98
Manhattan.....	144	Broadway.....	.. ..	St. Nicholas.....	117 118
Merchants.....	124 126	Ocean.....	86	Marine.....	.. ..
Mechanics.....	139 140	Mercantile.....	125	Commonwealth.....	114 118
Union.....	130	Am. Exchange.....	111 112	Atlantic.....	.. ..
America.....	143	Pacific.....	170 180	New Y. County.....	.. ..
City.....	200	Chatham.....	106 108	Importers & Tr.....	156
Phoenix.....	109	Republic.....	118	Manuf. & Merch.....	167 170
North River.....	.. ..	N. America.....	106 108	N. Y. Nat. Exch.....	110
Tradesmen's.....	152	Hanover.....	108 110	Central National.....	112 113
Fulton.....	168	Irving.....	116	First National.....	107 109
Greenwich.....	.. ..	Metropolitan.....	142 144	Fourth National.....	110
Butchers & Drov.....	.. ..	Citizens.....	.. ..	Ninth National.....	128 130
Mechanics & Tr.....	125	Peoples.....	.. ..	Tenth National.....	.. ..
National.....	116	Grocers.....	.. ..	Eleventh Ward.....	.. ..
Merchants' Ex.....	102 103	East Rivers.....	111 112	Oriental.....	150
Leather Manuf.....	.. ..	Market.....	131	Gold Exchange.....	60 64
Seventh Ward.....	108	Nassau.....	104	Bankers & B.As.....	107 112
State of N.York.....	108	Shoe and Leath.....	165		
Commerce.....	123 124	Corn Exchange.....	123 131		

**PHILADELPHIA BANKS.**—The following is the average condition of the Philadelphia Banks for the week preceding Monday, May 16, 1870:

Banks.	Capital.	Loans.	Specie.	L. Tend.	Deposits.	Circulat'n	Total net
Philadelphia.....	\$1,500,000	\$4,817,000	\$715,000	\$1,775,000	\$1,450,000	\$1,000,000	\$11,262,000
North America.....	1,000,000	4,029,043	55,908	1,640,094	3,389,897	791,200	\$10,895,142
Farmers' & Mech.....	2,000,000	4,985,764	50,544	1,408,043	3,996,684	714,200	\$13,454,235
Commercial.....	810,000	2,246,000	2,300	735,000	1,523,000	617,000	\$4,923,300
Mechanics.....	800,000	2,490,000	5,782	484,000	1,358,000	476,390	\$4,644,172
Bank N. Liberties.....	500,000	2,627,000	55,000	674,000	2,318,000	454,000	\$5,544,000
Southwark.....	250,000	1,300,300	12,890	\$29,600	1,320,600	221,160	\$2,901,450
Kensington.....	250,000	1,111,530	4,810	295,000	962,185	226,934	\$2,585,459
Penn Township.....	500,000	1,378,978	1,000	285,250	1,069,464	174,400	\$3,338,092
Western.....	400,000	1,492,793	1,491	423,492	1,577,192	.. ..	\$3,493,375
Manufacturers'.....	570,150	1,521,000	.. ..	322,000	1,040,983	447,562	\$3,354,635
B'k of Commerce.....	250,000	851,233	.. ..	261,331	665,720	210,335	\$1,728,389
Girard.....	1,000,000	3,585,000	28,000	1,350,000	3,124,000	590,000	\$10,077,000
Tradesmen's.....	200,000	1,335,261	5,629	454,274	1,043,001	177,700	\$2,810,265
Consolidation.....	200,000	1,126,516	.. ..	270,508	827,024	270,000	\$2,393,548
City.....	400,000	1,179,709	.. ..	437,522	822,427	355,942	\$2,635,071
Commonwealth.....	300,000	929,690	.. ..	281,242	861,528	211,300	\$2,372,560
Corn Exchange.....	500,000	1,752,000	7,600	581,000	1,505,000	450,000	\$3,813,600
Union.....	300,000	1,367,000	49,000	414,000	1,554,000	215,000	\$3,290,000
First.....	1,000,000	3,436,000	126,000	1,270,000	3,537,000	788,000	\$10,117,000
Third.....	300,000	973,500	.. ..	319,100	588,600	262,391	\$1,870,091
Fourth.....	200,000	735,323	.. ..	210,273	716,857	133,715	\$1,660,845
Sixth.....	150,000	470,000	.. ..	115,000	392,000	135,000	\$1,077,000
Seventh.....	250,000	697,857	13,300	186,143	470,300	219,335	\$1,463,535
Eighth.....	275,000	858,000	.. ..	293,000	712,000	241,000	\$1,846,000
Central.....	750,000	2,962,000	20,000	772,000	2,480,000	586,000	\$6,240,000
Bank of Republic.....	1,000,000	1,991,000	9,758	458,000	1,452,000	593,250	\$3,903,258

Total..... 15,755,150 52,234,603 1,164,012 16,244,785 44,038,012 10,562,404

The deviations from last week's returns are as follows:

Capital.	Loans.	Specie.	Legal Tenders.	Deposits.	Circulation.
Decrease. \$173,795	Decrease. \$173,795	Decrease. \$173,795	Decrease. \$173,795	Decrease. \$173,795	Decrease. \$173,795
Decrease. 58,617	Decrease. 58,617	Decrease. 58,617	Decrease. 58,617	Decrease. 58,617	Decrease. 58,617

The annexed statement shows the condition of the Philadelphia Banks for a series of weeks:

Date.	Loans.	Specie.	Legal Tend.	Deposits.	Circulation.
Jan. 3.....	51,662,662	1,290,096	12,670,198	38,990,001	10,568,681
Jan. 10.....	51,472,570	1,353,919	12,952,812	38,877,139	10,586,029
Jan. 17.....	52,090,611	1,258,772	12,994,924	39,855,431	10,583,606
Jan. 24.....	51,635,095	1,063,406	13,327,515	39,701,792	10,577,215
Jan. 31.....	51,709,653	995,468	13,752,537	39,530,011	10,573,461
Feb. 7.....	51,828,563	957,510	13,741,857	39,512,149	10,558,085
Feb. 14.....	51,373,296	1,090,955	13,339,610	38,834,794	10,573,398
Feb. 21.....	51,280,931	1,202,456	13,236,144	39,355,165	10,572,973
Feb. 28.....	51,523,024	1,343,173	13,406,658	39,279,859	10,568,913
Mar. 7.....	51,400,281	1,429,807	13,192,282	39,050,442	10,576,851
Mar. 14.....	51,418,645	1,677,218	12,704,279	39,382,352	10,565,903
Mar. 21.....	51,587,837	1,533,372	13,125,658	39,781,153	10,578,482
Apr. 4.....	51,898,135	1,580,747	12,769,911	38,771,227	10,575,771
Apr. 11.....	52,041,533	1,499,429	13,052,827	39,279,143	10,571,749
Apr. 18.....	51,928,431	1,314,137	13,827,013	41,033,506	10,571,794
Apr. 25.....	52,019,535	1,063,741	14,827,013	41,677,600	10,575,120
May 2.....	52,243,057	1,247,820	15,441,522	42,997,076	10,571,535
May 9.....	52,413,398	1,222,629	15,551,265	43,429,347	10,563,357
May 16.....	52,234,603	1,164,012	16,244,785	44,038,012	10,562,404

**BOSTON BANKS.**—Below we give a statement of the Boston National Banks, as returned to the Clearing House, Monday, May 16, 1870.

Banks.	Capital.	Loans.	Specie.	L. T. Notes.	Deposits.	Circula.
Atlantic.....	\$750,000	\$1,570,517	\$79,772	\$52,340	\$497,063	\$433,921
Atlas.....	1,500,000	2,720,85	13,736	133,298	673,868	789,203
Blackstone.....	1,500,000	3,397,666	40,416	243,335	1,506,071	790,040
Boston.....	1,000,000	1,929,611	43,112	144,143	651,523	591,792
Boylston.....	500,000	1,493,963	35,255	20,898	838,300	447,697
Columbian.....	1,000,000	2,199,839	71,400	312,333	659,059	794,234
Continental.....	1,000,000	1,938,755	79,064	226,410	1,051,994	572,679
Everett.....	1,000,000	2,325,480	233,622	83,035	1,300,537	795,440
Faneuil Hall.....	200,000	570,902	32,119	37,857	43,116	100,000
Freeman's.....	1,000,000	2,893,559	90,229	322,667	1,161,116	572,405
Globe.....	600,000	1,553,863	25,795	104,267	621,602	357,539
Hamilton.....	1,000,000	2,391,07	882	281,143	1,406,989	357,202
Hawthorne.....	750,000	1,497,563	33,012	103,317	856,532	242,041
Howland.....	1,000,000	1,904,535	67,141	78,557	602,657	444,888
Market.....	800,000	1,438,577	19,352	120,266	514,612	352,628
Massachusetts.....	800,000	1,823,563	47,075	246,338	999,037	391,691
Maverick.....	400,000	864,24	55,543	92,747	287,168	244,894
Merchants'.....	3,000,000	5,874,727	634,198	672,075	2,639,648	1,819,480
Mount Vernon.....	200,000	615,029	46,532	38,594	374,992	177,398
New England.....	1,000,000	2,917,762	110,046	522,451	859,887	798,251
North.....	1,000,000	2,212,599	45,903	228,500	71,647	787,006
Old Boston.....	900,000	1,807,400	11,710	409,505	1,032,154	865,814
Shawmut.....	1,000,000	2,151,023	75,683	139,055	704,205	595,497
Shoe & Leather.....	1,000,000	2,333,722	152,051	99,356	955,258	352,318
State.....	2,000,000	3,802,909	141,411	236,786	850,831	996,553
Suffolk.....	1,500,000	3,224,160	206,868	258,785	909,544	749,474
Traders'.....	600,000	1,629,341	59,073	101,297	457,907	178,350
Tremont.....	2,000,000	3,167,337	154,744	483,59	917,323	673,751
Washington.....	750,000	1,848,958	39,684	156,667	621,996	597,301
First.....	1,000,000	3,850,808	278,116	221,908	1,197,687	788,410
Second (Granite).....	1,600,000	4,943,619	266,615	484,608	2,879,045	781,433
Third.....	300,000	924,766	9,066	99,974	701,173	771,601
B'k of Commerce.....	2,000,000	4,438,511	117,482	567,516	1,536,982	961,776
B'k of N. Amer.....	1,000,000	1,817,594	35,994	324,934	521,015	597,825
B'k of Redemp'n.....	1,000,000	5,09,691	252,842	498,401	1,202,447	798,285
B'k of the Repub.....	1,500,000	2,760,721	125,000	107,333	771,601	797,250
City.....	1,000,000	1,721,496	41,589	201,271	565,314	444,126
Exchange.....	1,000,000	1,968,608	21,358	132,464	814,989	341,595
Hewes & Leather.....	1,500,000	3,728,519	269,215	702,010	1,228,646	791,157
Levee.....	2,000,000	3,300,707	95,311	144,111	775,101	780,582
Security.....	200,000	3,888,101	27,668	275,818	1,795,254	398,810
Union.....	1,000,000	553,633	81,734	36,008	397,235	130,000
Webster.....	1,500,000	2,335,858	158,24	159,928	921,679	547,488
Total.....	47,350,000	106,949,539	4,545,690	9,584,703	41,675,869	25,203,203

The deviations from last weeks returns are as follows:

Capital.	Loans.	Specie.	Legal tender notes.	Deposits.	Circulation.
Dec. \$51,785	Dec. \$51,785	Dec. \$51,785	Dec. \$51,785	Dec. \$51,785	Dec. \$51,785
Dec. 247,278	Dec. 247,278	Dec. 247,278	Dec. 247,278	Dec. 247,278	Dec. 247,278

The following are comparative totals for a series of weeks past:

		Loans.	Specie.	Legal Tenders.	Deposits.	Circulation.
Jan.	3.....	105,985,214	3,765,348	11,374,559	40,007,225	25,280,893
Jan.	10.....	107,395,263	4,977,254	10,941,125	42,177,610	25,298,365
Jan.	17.....	107,918,017	5,418,081	10,794,881	42,377,002	25,191,545
Jan.	24.....	108,387,459	5,542,674	10,912,103	41,593,558	25,255,818
Jan.	31.....	107,875,579	5,231,785	10,992,962	40,636,016	25,206,094
Feb.	7.....	109,683,041	5,050,010	10,433,107	40,903,823	25,160,663
Feb.	14.....	109,997,027	4,884,147	9,886,266	39,918,414	25,212,614
Feb.	21.....	109,651,272	4,634,776	9,862,246	38,475,853	24,230,866
Feb.	28.....	108,905,339	4,457,113	9,818,139	37,681,843	25,225,629
Mar.	7.....	108,367,481	4,909,867	8,765,874	37,681,983	25,260,868
Mar.	14.....	108,041,028	5,024,691	8,510,573	37,708,082	25,200,027
Mar.	21.....	107,884,847	5,170,700	8,352,201	37,093,533	25,270,484
Mar.	28.....	107,043,309	5,190,348	8,499,444	37,123,211	25,265,002
Apr.	4.....	106,722,659	5,163,494	8,470,455	38,851,613	25,278,443
Apr.	11.....	106,156,094	5,057,341	8,162,080	39,504,680	25,278,443
Apr.	18.....	106,569,372	4,851,964	8,276,721	39,532,827	25,290,207
Apr.	25.....	106,012,527	4,516,874	8,872,670	39,920,142	25,231,845
May	2.....	106,245,606	4,551,701	10,081,661	41,042,250	25,209,619
May	9.....	106,001,304	4,792,968	9,814,428	41,205,597	25,207,464
May	16.....	106,949,539	4,545,690	9,581,703	41,675,869	25,232,303



## QUOTATIONS OF STOCKS AND BONDS.

The Daily Prices of the Active Stocks and Governments are Given on a Previous Page. Quotations are of the Per Cent Value, Whatever the Par may be. Southern Securities are Quoted in a Separate List.

STOCKS AND SECURITIES.		Bid.	Ask.	STOCKS AND SECURITIES.		Bid.	Ask.	STOCKS AND SECURITIES.		Bid.	Ask.	STOCKS AND SECURITIES.		Bid.	Ask.
<b>American Gold Coin.</b>				<b>Railroad Bonds.</b>				<b>Railroad Bonds.</b>				<b>Railroad Stocks.</b>			
<b>U. S. Governments.</b> (Not previously quoted.)				Albany & Susqueh. 1st M., 7.				do do (Leb. Br.) 6, '86.				Allegheny Valley.			
6s, 1881, reg.				do do 2d M., 7.				do 1st M. (Mem. Br.) 7, '70-'75.				Baltimore & Ohio.			
6s, 5-20s, (1862) reg.				Allegheny Valley, 1st M., 7.30.				do 1st M. (Leb. Br. ex.) 7, '80-'85.				Washington Branch.			
6s, 5-20s, (1864) reg.				do do 2d M., 7.				do Lou. L'n (Leb. Br. ex.) 6, '93.				Parkersburg Branch.			
6s, 5-20s, (1-85) reg.				Atlantic & Gt. West., 1st M., 7.				do Consol. 1st M., 7, 1893.				Boston & Albany.			
6s, 5-20s, (1865, new) reg.				do do 2d M., 7.				do do 2d M., 7, 1896.				Boston, Hartford & Erie.			
6s, 5-20s, (1867) reg.				Baltimore & Ohio 6s of '75.				Marietta & Cin., 1st M., 7, 1891.				Boston & Lowell.			
6s, 5-20s, (1868) reg.				do do 6s of '80.				do do 2d M., 7, 1896.				Boston & Maine.			
6s, 1874, cou.				do do 6s of '85.				Mich. Cen. 1st M., conv., 8, '82.				Boston & Providence.			
6s, 1874, reg.				do do (N. W. Va.) 2d M. 6s.				Mil. & St. Paul, 1st M., 7, 1884.				Camden & Amboy.			
6s, 10-40s, reg.				do do 3d M. 6s.				do do 2d M., 7, 1884.				Catawissa.			
<b>State Bonds.</b> (Not elsewhere quoted.)				Belvidere Delaware, 1st M., 6.				do 1st M. (Ia. & Minn.) 7, '97.				Central Ohio.			
Arkansas 7s, L. R. & F. S. issue.				do do 2d M., 6.				do 1st M. (P. du C.) 8, 1898.				Cheshire preferred.			
California 7s.				do do 3d M., 6.				do 2d M., 7.3, 1898.				Chic. Bur. & Quincy.			
Connecticut 6s.				do do 2d M., 6.				Morris & Essex, 1st M.				Cincinnati, Ham. & Dayton.			
do War Loan.				Bos. Hart. & Erie, 1st M. (old) 7.				do do 2d M.				Columbus & Xenia.			
Illinois Canal Bonds, 1870.				do do 1st M. (new) 7.				do do convertible.				Concord.			
do 6s coupon, '77.				do do 1st M. n. (guar) 7.				do do construction.				Connecticut & Passumpsic, pf.			
do do 1879.				Buff. Corry & Pittsb., 1st M., 7.				N. Hav. & N. Hamp., 1st M., 7, '99.				Connecticut River.			
Indiana 5s.				Buff. N. Y. & Erie, 1st M., 7.				do Bonds conv., 6, '80.				Dayton & Michigan.			
Kentucky 6s.				Burlington & Mo. L. G., 7.				do Prem. S. F., 6, '83.				Detroit & Milwaukee.			
Maine 6s.				Bur., Ce. R. & Min., 1st M., gd. 7.				do Sink Fund, 7, 1876.				Dubuque & Sioux City.			
Maryland 6s, '70.				Camden & Amboy, 6 of '70.				do Subscription, 6, '83.				Eastern (Mass.).			
do 6s, Defence.				do do 6 of '75.				do Real Estate, 6, 1883.				Elmira & Williamsport.			
Massachusetts 6s, Gold.				do do 6 of '83.				do Renewal bds, 6, '87.				Erie Railway preferred.			
do 6s, Currency.				do do 6 of '89.				N. Y. & Harlem, 1st M., 7, 1873.				Fitchburg.			
do 6s, Gold.				do do consol., 6 of '89.				do do cons. M., 6, '93.				Hartford & N. Haven.			
Michigan 6s, 1873.				Camden & Atlantic, 1st M., 7.				N. Y. & N. Hav., 1st M., 6, '75.				Huntingdon & Broad Top.			
do 6s, 1878.				do do 2d M., 7.				North Missouri, 1st M., 7, 1895.				Indianapolis, Cin. & Lafayette.			
do 6s, 1883.				do do 2d M., 7.				do do 2d M., 7, 1884.				Jefferson, Mad. & Ind.			
do 7s, 1878.				do do (new) 7.				do do 3d M., 7, 1888.				Lehigh Valley.			
do 7s, War Loan.				Central Ohio, 1st M., 6.				do Chattel M., 10, 1887.				Little Miami.			
New Hampshire, 6s.				Cent. Pacific, 1st M., (gold) 6.				do 2d Mortgage, 7.				Little Schuylkill.			
New York 7s, Bounty, reg.				Cheshire, 6.				do Funding Scrip, 7.				Long Island.			
do 7s, do cou.				Chic. & Alton, 1st M., S. F., 7.				Northern Cent., 1st M. (guar) 6.				Louisv., Cin. & Lex., pref.			
do 7s, Canal, 1870.				do do 1st M., 7.				do do 2d M. S. F., 6, '85.				do do common.			
do 6s, 1872.				do do 2d M., Income, 7.				do do 3d M., S. F., 6, 1900.				Louisville & Nashville.			
do 6s, 1873.				Chic. Bur. & Quin., 1st M., 8.				do do 3d M., Y. & C. 6, '77.				Louisville, New Alb. & Chic.			
do 6s, 1874.				do do 1st M., conv., 8.				do do Cons. (gold) 6, 1900.				Marietta & Cin., 1st preferred.			
do 6s, 1875.				Chic. & Milwau., 1st M., 7, '74.				Ohio & Mississippi, 1st M., 7, '72.				do do 2d pref.			
do 6s, 1877.				Ch. & Norw. pref. S. F., 7, '5.				do Income M. (W. Div.) 7, '82.				Manchester & Lawrence.			
do 6s, 1878.				do do Int. Bds., 7, '83.				do Consol. M., 7, 1898.				Mine Hill & Schuylkill Haven.			
do 6s, 1874.				do do 1st M., 7, 1885.				Oil Creek & Alleg. R., 1st M., 7.				New Jersey.			
Ohio 6s, 1875.				do do 1st M., 7, 1885.				Old Col. & Newport Bds, 7, '77.				New York & Harlem, pref.			
do 6s, 1881.				do do Exten., 7, 1885.				do do Bonds, 6, 1876.				do do scrip.			
do 6s, 1886.				do do 1st (Gal. & C. Un.) 7, '85.				Pacific of Mo., 1st M., (gd) 6, '83.				Northern of New Hampshire.			
Pennsylvania 5s, 1877.				do do 2d do 7, '75.				do 7s (guar) 1880.				Northern Central.			
do Military Loan 6s, 1871.				do do 1st M. (Penin.) 7, '98.				Pennsylvania, 1st M., 6, 1880.				North Mississippi.			
do Stock Loan, 6s, '72-'77.				do do Consol. S. F., 7, 1915.				do do 2d M., 6, 1875.				North Pennsylvania.			
do do 6s, '77-'82.				Chic. & Rock I., 1st M., 7, '96.				do Debentures, 6, '69-'71.				Norwich & Worcester.			
Rhode Island 6s.				do do & Pac., 1st M., 7, '96.				Penn. & N. Y., 1st M., guar.				Ogdens. & L. Champlain.			
Vermont 6s.				Cin. Ham. & D., 1st M., 7, '80.				Phila. & Erie, 1st M., 7, 1887.				do do pref.			
<b>City Bonds.</b>				do do 2d M., 7, '85.				do 1st M. (gold) 6, '81.				Ohio & Mississippi, preferred.			
Baltimore 6s of '75.				do do 3d M., 8, '77.				do 1st M. (cur.) 6, '81.				Oil Creek & Allegheny River.			
do 1884.				Cin. & Indiana, 1st M., 7.				do 2d M., 7, 1885.				Old Colony & Newport.			
do 6s, 1886.				do do 2d M., 7, 1877.				do 3d M., 6, 1920.				Pacific (of Missouri).			
do 6s, 1890.				C. Rich. & Ch., 1st M., guar., 7, '95.				do do 3d M., 7, 1912.				Panama.			
Bangor 6s.				do do 2d M., 7, 1889.				do do 3d M., 7, 1912.				Pennsylvania.			
Boston 5s, gold.				Cin. San. & Cleve., 1st M., 7, '77.				do do 3d M., 7, 1912.				Philadelphia Erie.			
do 6s.				do do 1st M., 6, 1900.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.				Philadelphia & Trenton.			
Brooklyn 6s.				do do 2d M., 7, 1890.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.				Phila., German. & Norristown.			
do Water 6s.				Cleve. & Pitts., 2d M., 7, '73.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.				Phila., Wilming. & Baltimore.			
do Park 6s.				do do 3d M., 7, '75.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.				Pittsburg & Connellsville.			
do Bounty 6s, 1888.				do do 4th M., 6, '92.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.				Port. Saco & Portsmouth.			
do City 7s.				do do Cons. S. F., 7, 1900.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.				Rome, Watertown & Ogdens.			
Chicago Water 6s.				Col. Ch. & In. Cen., 1st M., 1908.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.				Rutland.			
do Sewerage 6s.				do do 2d M., 7, 1909.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.				do preferred.			
do Municipal 7s.				Colum. & Xenia, 1st M., 7, '90.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.				St. Louis & Iron Mountain.			
do Sewerage 7s.				Cumber. & Penn., 1st M., 6, '91.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.				St. Louis, Jacksonv. & Chic.			
do South Park 7s.				do do 2d M., 6, '88.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.				Toledo, Wab. & Western, pref.			
Cincinnati 5s.				Dayton & Mich., 1st M., 7, '81.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.				Union Pacific.			
do 6s.				do do 2d M., 7, '84.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.				Vermont & Canada.			
do 7-30s.				do do 3d M., 7, '88.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.				Vermont & Massachusetts.			
Detroit 7s.				do To do dep. bds, 7, '81-'94.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.				West Jersey.			
do Water 7s.				Dayton & Union, 1st M., 7, '79.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
Jersey City Water 6s.				do do 2d M., 7, '79.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
Louisville 6s, '82 to '84.				do do Inc. M., 6, '79.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
do 6s, '96 to '97.				Dayton & West., 1st M., 7, 1905.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
do Water 6s, '87 to '89.				do do 1st M., 6, 1905.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
do Water Stock 6s, '97.				Delaware, 1st M., 6, 1875.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
do Wharf 6s.				do do Ex. M., 6, '75.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
do special tax 6s of '89.				Del. L. & W. 1st M. (L. & W.) 7, '71.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
<b>New York.</b>				do do 1st M., S. F., 7, '75.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
Water Stock 5s, '75 to '80.				do do 2d M., 7, 1881.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
Central Park 5s, '98.				Det. & Mil., 1st M., conv., 7, '75.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
Building Loan 5s, '71 to '73.				do do 2d M., 8, 1875.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
Water Stock 6s, '75.				do 1st M., Fund'd cp., 7, '75.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
Central Park 6s, '76 to '98.				do 1st M. (Det. & Pon.) 7, '71.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
Docks and Slips, 6s, '76.				do 2d M. (Det. & Pon.) 8, '86.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
City Cemetery 7s, '88.				Dubuque & S. City, 1st M., 7, '93.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
Tax Relief 7s, '79.				Eastern Mass., conv., 6, 1874.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
Lunatic Asylum 7s.				do do Mort., 6, 1888.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
Philadelphia 6s, old.				East Penn., 1st M., 7, 1888.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
do 6s, new.				Elm. & Wilms, 5s.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
Pittsburg Compromise 4 1/2s.				do do 7s, 1880.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
do do 5s.				Erie Railway 1st M., 7, 187.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
do do Funded Debt 6s.				do do 2d M., conv., 7, '79.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
do do 7s.				do do 3d Mort., 7, 1883.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
Allegheny County, 5.				do do 4th M., conv., 7, '81.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
do do 6s, '85.				do do 5th M., conv., 7, '88.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
Portland 6s.				Erie & Pittsburg, 1st M., 7, '82.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
San Francisco 6s.				do do 2d M., 7, '90.				do do 3d M., 7, 1863.							
do 7s.				do do consol., 7, '93.				do do 3							



## EXPLANATION OF THE STOCK AND BOND TABLES.

**1. Prices of the Active Stocks and Bonds are given in the "Bankers Gazette" ante; quotations of other securities will be found on the preceding page.**

**2. Quotations of Southern Securities** are given in a separate Table.

**3. No reliable prices of Insurance Stocks can be made.**

**4 The Table of Railroad, Canal and Other Stocks,** on the next page, comprises all Companies of which the stock is sold in any of the principal cities (except merely local corporations). The figures just after the name of the company indicate the No. of the CHRONICLE in which a report of the Company was last published. A star (\*) indicates *leased roads*; in the dividend column x=extra; s=stock or scrip.

**5. The Tables of Railroad, Canal and Other Bonds** occupy in all, four pages, two of which will be published in each number. In these pages the bonds of Companies which have been consolidated are frequently given under the name of Consolidated Corporation. The date given in brackets immediately after the name of each Company, indicates the time at which the statement of its finances was made. In the "Interest Column" the abbreviations are as follows: J. & J.=January and July; F. & A.=February and August; M. & S.=March and September; A. & O. April and October; M. & N.=May and November; J. & D.=June and December. Q.—J =Quarterly, beginning with January; Q.—F.=Quarterly, beginning with February. Q.—M.=Quarterly, beginning with March.

**6. The Table of United States and State Securities** will be published monthly, on the last Saturday of the month.

**7. The Table of City Bonds** will be published on the third Saturday of each month. The abbreviations used in this table are the same as those in the tables of railroad bonds mentioned above. The Sinking Fund or assets held by each city are given on the same line with the name.

### Railroad Earnings for the Latest Week Reported.—

Road.	Week.	1870.	1869.	Inc.	Dec.
Chicago & Alton.....	2d May	89,451	81,207	5,243	...
Chicago and Northwestern.....	21 May	263,168	271,862	....	8,693
Chicago and Rock Island.....	2d May	114,609	83,283	26,317	....
Milwaukee and St. Paul.....	2d May	151,400	140,933	10,467	...
Toledo, Wabash and Western.....	2d May	73,857	62,694	11,163	....
St. Louis and Iron Mountain.....	2d May	29,010	16,882	12,127	....

**Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company.**—The Board of Man-

agers respectfully submit their report for the year 1869 as follows :

The profits of the year from all sources were :

Net profits on railroads, including car service.....	\$307,895 36
Net profits on Lehigh Canal.....	16,260 29
Net profits on coal—	
Summit Mines .....	\$136,951 64
Newport Mines.....	54,821 72
	<hr/>
Net profits on real estate sold .....	491,776 86
Net profits from rent .....	96,968 86
Net profits from rent .....	55,120 86
Miscellaneous receipts.....	80,432 08

Less general expenses .....	\$116,333 07	
Taxes chargeable to railroad.....	36,925 83	
Taxes chargeable to Lehigh Canal .....	7,810 17	
Taxes chargeable to Delaware Division Canal.....	6,211 55	
Taxes chargeable to coal .....	56,523 58	
Taxes on interest and capital stock .....	104,182 93	
Taxes on landed property and improvements .....	6,100 80	
Balance of interest account for 1869 .....	984,071 48	
Loss on Delaware Division Canal.....	143,692 81	
	<hr/>	1,462,752 27

Surplus to credit of profit and loss account.....	\$334,701 54
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The floating debt incurred in 1868, in the purchase of rolling stock and in adding sidings, &c., to the railroad, was increased during 1869 by expenditures of the same character rendered necessary by the amount of business pressing upon us.

The five year loan issued in 1868 was regarded as a temporary expedient, and was used almost exclusively as collateral security for loans to the Company. When the sale of the Wilkesbarre Coal and Iron Company stock was made it became necessary to retire a considerable portion of this loan, and for the purpose of funding the floating debt and providing means for permanent improvements on our railroad and coal lands, it was decided to issue a new loan of two millions of dollars, secured by a first lien on the newly acquired coal lands and on real estate in Philadelphia, the value of the properties being at least three millions of dollars. The loan matures in 1894, bears 6 per cent interest, clear of taxes, payable, principal and interest, in gold. A sinking fund of ten cents for five years, and fifteen cents thereafter, on every ton of coal mined and carried away from the property, is payable monthly to the trustees, and will provide for the loan before maturity. The payments on this account were, for October, \$1,414 02; November, \$1,269 44; December, \$1,253 92, and will increase to \$3,500, or perhaps \$4,000 a month before the close of 1870.

The loan is convertible into the stock of the Company until 1879. The Board entertained the hope that the business of the year would show such satisfactory results to the stockholders as to create a demand for the new bonds by reason of this privilege of conversion. The freshet in October not only reduced our receipts, and rendered necessary heavy expenditures in repairs, but delayed the negotiation of the loan. The loss of receipts and increased expenditures amounted to fully \$500,000, which sum and the proceeds of the loan would have relieved the Company of floating liabilities. The Board look forward with confidence to the funding of this indebtedness at an early period.

In October, 1867, the stockholders were invited to subscribe to a 6 per cent ten year convertible loan of the Company, to the aggregate amount of \$3,300,000. The subscriptions received amounted to about \$1,200,000. During 1868 a small portion of the remainder was issued in payment for equipment and purchase of coal lands, and there remains of the amount originally authorized about \$1,800,000 available for future use.

—The State of Maryland has begun suit in the Superior Court at Baltimore, against the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, to recover the value in gold over currency in dividends paid the State on preferred stock owned by it, amounting to nearly \$2,000,000. The claim is based on the recent legal tender decision of the Supreme Court of the United States.

—Suit has been entered in the Superior Court at Baltimore, by the State of Maryland against the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, under the resolution passed at the late session of the General Assembly, directing said suit to be entered if the claim of the State for one-fifth of the receipts from the passengers on the Washington Branch was not satisfied within twenty days.

—One-third of the capital stock of the Rensselaer and Saratoga Railroad has been purchased by the Delaware and Hudson Canal Company, and one-sixth by Commodore Vanderbilt. Great improvements are contemplated in the rolling stock, the road-bed, and in the erection of new depots and docks on Green Island. The present capital stock of \$3,000,000 will be increased by calls on the stockholders until a sufficient sum is raised to make the desired changes.

## MONTHLY EARNINGS OF PRINCIPAL RAILROADS.

Central Pacific—gold—		Chicago and Alton.		Chicago & Northwestern—		Chic. Rock Is. and Pacific—		Clev. Col. Cin. & I—	
1869.	1870.	1868.	1869.	1868.	1869.	1870.	1868.	1869.	1870.
(350 m.)	(742 m.)	(280 m.)	(431 m.)	(431 m.)	(1,152 m.)	(1,157 m.)	(454 m.)	(520-94 m.)	(608 m.)
212,604		\$276,116	\$313,181	\$293,978	\$724,890	\$157,218	\$308,587	\$351,767	\$201,112
218,982		275,139	315,098	323,825	807,478	830,286	755,404	319,441	398,299
391,308		267,094	358,726	314,366	850,192	1,149,258	872,114	645,789	443,700
485,038		279,121	328,390	334,653	1,094,597	1,092,378	950,636	362,900	443,300
568,270		303,342	345,832		1,211,149	1,269,934	316,708	419,000	211,456
556,080		384,564	402,854		1,180,932	1,258,284	378,176	508,000	259,408
532,657		404,012	351,044		1,076,673	1,167,155	341,885	440,300	253,367
511,854		558,100	493,231		1,541,056	1,032,813	568,380	4-6,900	339,610
6 9,788		186,196	506,623		1,507,479	1,321,139	558,386	579,000	825,854
579,642		503,745	468,212		1,570,066	1,414,231	591,209	581,000	306,764
535,366		499,568	397,515		1,107,088	1,114,029	424,5-9	475,600	273,395
410,000		361,700	340,350		1,001,986	867,731	433,434	387,700	256,272
5,749,595		4,508,642	4,681,562		13,429,534	13,415,424	4,797,461	5,551,397	3,129,177
					Year..				

Illinois Central.			Marietta and Cincinnati.			Michigan Central.			Milwaukee & St. Paul.			North Missouri.		
1868.	1869.	1870.	1868.	1869.	1870.	1868.	1869.	1870.	1868.	1869.	1870.	1869.	1870.	
(662 m.)	(965 m.)	(895½ m.)	(251 m.)	(251 m.)	(25½ m.)	(329 m.)	(329 m.)	(329 m.)	(350 m.)	(825 m.)	(936 m.)			
\$587,442	\$659,137	\$651,487	\$92,133	\$99,541	90,177	Jan ..	\$313,-90	\$381,119	\$37,992	\$369,228	\$154,130.	\$336,171	\$119,721	\$213,101
536,165	524,633	663,391	81,599	90,298	98,275	Feb...	304,115	324,636	329,127	321,202	339,233	382,823	91,927	196,207
444,413	709,644	644,374	98,482	101,585	101,379	Mar...	326,886	386,527	380,440	333,507	420,771	377,000	156,961	639,161
518,800	568,282	597,571	108,461	106,641		April..	415,758	411,814	412,031	436,412	460,287	413,133	149,184	269,400
572,551	642,974		95,416	119,752		May...	369,625	403,646		565,718	630,844			
626,248	778,260		95,924	117,695		June..	325,501	366,622		458,190	678,800			
549,714	699,228		108,413	116,198		July...	321,013	329,950		423,397	586,312			
763,779	814,363		126,556	129,096		Aug...	392,912	353,569		522,683	525,363			
289,966	979,400		121,519	142,014		Sep...	456,974	473,546		1021,045	724,514			
901,630	911,405		127,965	135,376		Oct...	511,820	490,772		1037,463	1,039,811			
699,532	814,413		119,169	129,306		Nov...	410,825	448,419		556,917	801,163			
681,040	696,677		121,403	110,837		Dec....	390,671	374,542		468,879	96,550			
7,817,620	8,823,482		1,294,095	1,391,345		Year... 4,570,014	4,749,163		6,517,516	250,790				

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## RAILROAD, CANAL, AND MISCELLANEOUS STOCK LIST.

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COMPANIES.		Stock Out- standing.	DIVIDEND.		COMPANIES.		Stock Out- standing.	DIVIDEND.			
For a full explanation of this table, see <i>Railway Monitor</i> , on the pre- ceding page.			Periods.	Last paid. Date. Rate.	For a full explanation of this table, see <i>Railway Monitor</i> , on the pre- ceding page.			Periods.	Last paid. Date. Rate.		
Railroads.					Canal.						
PAR					PAR						
Allegheny Valley, No. 251.....	50	2,241,250	Jan. & July.	.....	Orange and Alexandria.....	100	2,063,655	Feb. & Aug.	Aug., '69	4	
Atlantic and Gulf.....	100	3,691,200	Mar. & Sep.	Mar., '70	Oswego and Syracuse, No. 252.....	50	482,400	.....	.....	.....	
Atlan. & St. Lawrence* No. 215.....	100	2,494,900	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Pacific (of Missouri).....	100	2,711,196	Quarterly.	Apr., '70	4	
Atlanta and West Point, No. 221.....	100	1,232,200	June & Dec.	Dec., '69	Panama.....	100	7,000,000	May & Nov.	May, '70	5	
Augusta and Savannah*.....	100	733,700	April & Oct.	Apr., '70	Pennsylvania No. 244.....	50	33,493,812	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	4	
Baltimore and Ohio, No. 250.....	100	16,267,862	April & Oct.	Apr., '70	Philadelphia and Erie, No. 255.....	50	6,004,200	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	5	
Washington Branch*.....	100	1,650,000	Quarterly.	Apr., '70	do do pref.....	50	2,400,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	4	
Parkersburg Branch.....	50	7,239,531	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Philadel. & Trenton, No. 255.....	100	1,009,120	Feb. & Aug.	Feb., '70	5	
Berkshire, No. 247.....	100	600,000	May & Nov.	Nov., '69	Phila. Ger. & Norris, No. 255.....	50	1,597,250	Apr. & Oct.	Apr., '70	5	
Boston and Albany, No. 247.....	100	19,411,600	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Philadel., Wilming. & Baltimore 50	50	9,520,850	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	4	
Boston, Con. & Montreal, pref. 100	100	800,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Pittsb. & Connellsville, No. 255.....	50	1,793,926	.....	.....	.....	
Boston, Hartford & Erie, No. 247.....	100	25,000,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Pittsb., Cin. & St. Louis, No. 255.....	50	2,422,000	.....	.....	.....	
Boston and Lowell, No. 247.....	500	2,215,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	do do do pref. 50	50	3,000,000	.....	.....	.....	
Boston and Maine, No. 236.....	100	4,550,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Pitts., Ft. W. & C. guar* No. 249.....	100	19,665,000	Quarterly.	Apr., '70	1 1/2	
Boston and Providence, No. 247.....	100	3,360,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Portland & Kennebec, No. 253.....	100	581,100	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	8	
Buffalo, New York and Erie*.....	100	950,000	June & Dec.	Dec., '69	do Yarmouth stock certifi. 100	100	202,400	Apr. & Oct.	Apr., '70	3	
Burlington and Missouri River.....	100	1,235,000	.....	.....	Portland, Saco & Ports, No. 221.....	100	1,500,000	June & Dec.	Mar., '70	12	
do do do pref. 100	100	380,000	.....	.....	Providence & Worcester, No. 247.....	100	2,000,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	5	
Camden and Amboy No. 250.....	100	5,000,000	Feb. & Aug.	Feb., '70	Rensselaer & Saratoga, No. 252.....	100	3,000,000	Apr. & Oct.	Apr., '70	3 1/2	
do do scrip. of joint Co.'s '69 & '70	70	937,350	.....	.....	Richmond and Danville No. 235.....	100	4,000,000	.....	.....	.....	
Camden and Atlantic, No. 251.....	50	377,100	.....	.....	Richmond & Petersburg No. 235.....	100	847,100	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	5	
do do preferred.....	50	731,200	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Rome, Watert. & Ogd., No. 245.....	100	3,000,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	5	
Cape Cod.....	60	721,926	May & Nov.	Nov., '69	Rutland, No. 248.....	100	1,883,300	.....	.....	.....	
Catawissa, No. 255.....	50	1,159,500	May & Nov.	Feb., '70	do preferred.....	100	1,831,400	Feb. & Aug.	Feb., '69	3 1/2	
do preferred.....	50	2,200,000	.....	.....	St. Louis, Alton & Terre Haute.....	100	2,300,000	Annually.	May, '69	7	
Cedar Rapids and Missouri*.....	100	5,432,000	May & Nov.	Dec., '69	do do do pref. 100	100	2,040,000	.....	.....	.....	
do do do pref.....	100	4,666,800	June & Dec.	Dec., '69	St. Louis & Iron Mountain.....	100	10,000,000	.....	.....	.....	
Cent. Georgia & Bank, Co. No. 243.....	100	15,000,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '69	St. Louis, Jacksonv. & Chicago*.....	100	2,478,750	.....	.....	.....	
Central of New Jersey, No. 250.....	100	2,425,400	Jan. & July.	Jan., '69	Sandusky, Mansfield & Newark*.....	100	905,222	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	2 1/2	
Central Ohio.....	50	2,400,000	June & Dec.	Dec., '69	Schuylkill Valley, No. 255.....	50	576,050	Feb. & Aug.	Feb., '70	5 1/2	
do preferred.....	50	400,000	June & Dec.	Dec., '69	Shamokin Valley & Pottsville*.....	50	869,450	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	5	
Charlotte, Col. & Aug.....	100	2,085,925	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Shore Line Railway.....	100	635,200	.....	.....	.....	
Cheshire, preferred.....	100	7,045,000	Mar. & Sept.	Mar., '70	South Carolina No. 243.....	50	8,819,275	.....	.....	.....	
Chicago and Alton, No. 248.....	100	2,425,400	Mar. & Sept.	Mar., '70	South Side (P. & L.).....	100	1,365,600	Feb. & Aug.	Feb., '70	4	
do do preferred.....	100	16,590,000	Mar. & Sept.	Mar., '70	Syracuse, Bingham & N. Y. No. 252.....	100	3,939,900	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	6	
Chic., Burling. & Quincy, No. 215.....	100	1,000,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Terre Haute and Indianapolis.....	50	1,988,150	.....	.....	.....	
Chicago, Iowa and Nebraska*.....	100	14,590,161	June & Dec.	Dec., '69	Toledo, Peoria & Warsaw.....	100	2,700,000	.....	.....	.....	
Chicago and Northwest, No. 217.....	100	18,159,097	June & Dec.	Dec., '69	do do do 1st pref. 100	100	1,700,000	.....	.....	.....	
do do do pref. 100	100	16,000,000	Apr. & Oct.	Apr., '70	do do do 2d pref. 100	100	1,000,000	.....	.....	.....	
Chic., Rock Is. & Pac. No. 207.....	100	3,500,000	Apr. & Oct.	Apr., '70	Toledo, Wabash & West, No. 255.....	100	11,700,000	May & Nov.	May, '70	3 1/2	
Cin., Hamilton & Dayton No. 249.....	100	882,600	.....	.....	do do do pref. 100	100	1,000,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	3 1/2	
Cin., Richm. & Chicago* No. 229.....	100	428,616	May & Nov.	Nov., '69	Utica and Black River, No. 252.....	100	1,666,000	June & Dec.	June, '70	4	
Cincin., Sand. & Clev., No. 247.....	50	1,676,345	Feb. & Aug.	Feb., '70	Vermont and Canada*.....	100	2,500,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '69	2	
do do do pref. 50	50	10,460,900	May & Nov.	May, '70	Vermont & Massachusetts, No. 247.....	100	2,860,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '69	2	
Cincinnati & Zanesville, No. 246.....	100	2,056,750	Quarterly.	Apr., '70	Virginia and Tennessee.....	100	2,941,791	.....	.....	.....	
Clev., Col., Cin. & Ind. No. 253.....	100	7,241,475	Quarterly.	Oct., '67	do do pref.....	100	555,500	Jan. & July.	July, '69	4	
Cleveland & Mahoning, No. 247.....	50	11,100,000	Quarterly.	Dec., '69	Western (N. Carolina).....	100	2,227,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '69	4	
Cleveland and Pittsburg, No. 255.....	50	1,786,800	May & Nov.	May, '70	West Jersey, No. 250.....	50	1,209,100	Feb. & Aug.	Feb., '70	5	
Colun., Chic. & In. Cen. No. 247.....	50	350,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Worcester and Nashua, No. 247.....	100	1,550,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	5	
Columbus and Xenia*.....	50	1,500,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Miscellaneous.						
Concord.....	100	350,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Coal-American.....	25	1,500,000	Mar. & Sept.	Mar., '70	4	
Concord and Portsmouth.....	100	2,084,200	Feb. & Aug.	Feb., '70	Ashburton.....	50	2,500,000	June & Dec.	Dec., '69	85 cts.	
Connecticut & Passumpsit, pref. 100	100	1,700,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Butler.....	25	500,000	Jan. & July.	July, '69	5	
Connecticut River, No. 247.....	100	1,316,900	Apr. & Oct.	Apr., '70	Cameron.....	100	2,000,000	.....	.....	.....	
Cumberland Valley, No. 255.....	50	2,400,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Central.....	100	10,250,000	Quarterly.	May, '70	5	
Dayton and Michigan* No. 229.....	100	1,107,291	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Consolidation Md.....	100	500,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	6	
Delaware.....	50	15,927,500	December.....	Dec., '69	Cumberland Coal & Iron.....	100	3,200,000	.....	.....	.....	
Delaware, Lack. & West, No. 255.....	50	2,142,250	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Pennsylvania.....	50	1,250,000	.....	.....	.....	
Detroit and Milwaukee, No. 249.....	50	1,988,170	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Spring Mountain.....	50	1,000,000	.....	.....	.....	
do do pref. 50	50	4,033,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Spruce Hill.....	10	1,000,000	.....	.....	.....	
Dubuque and Sioux City*.....	100	1,309,200	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Wilkesbarre.....	100	3,400,000	May & Nov.	Nov., '69	5	
do do do pref. 100	100	3,192,000	May & Nov.	Nov., '69	Wyoming Valley.....	100	1,250,000	Feb. & Aug.	Aug., '66	5	
Eastern (Mass.), No. 247.....	100	500,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Gas-Brooklyn.....	25	2,000,000	Feb. & Aug.	Feb., '70	5	
East Pennsylvania, No. 255.....	50	8,536,900	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Citizens (Brooklyn).....	20	1,200,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	5	
East Tenn. Georgia, No. 224.....	100	999,750	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Harlem.....	50	1,000,000	Feb. & Aug.	Feb., '70	5	
Elmira & Williamsport, No. 255.....	50	3,540,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	Jersey City and Hoboken.....	20	386,000	Jan. & July.	Jan., '70	5	
do do do pref. 50	50	4,156,000	Jan.								



## CITY BOND LIST.

For an explanation of this Table see "Railroad Monitor" previously.	Amount out- standing	INTEREST.			Princi- pal due.
		Per Cent	When paid.	where paid.	
<b>Alexandria, Va., Sep., '69 (\$918,356)...</b>					
"36 to '67, registered st'k for RR &c.	782,856	6	J. & J.	Alex.	till '88
Coupon bonds.	135,500	6	J. & J.	"	" '88
<b>Augusta, Ga., April, '69 (\$1,143,750) :</b>					
Bonds for various purposes.	1,143,750	7	Assets.	\$1,248	810
<b>Baltimore, Jan. 1, '70 (\$25,762,826) :</b>					
St'k due at pleasure after July, 1890	7,204,969	6	J. & J.	Aug.	var'us
Loan, Pitts & Connellsville RR.	1,900,000	6	S. F. &	22,017	259
Water loan.	4,631,145	6	Q.-J.	Balt.	1890
Consolidated bounty loan.	2,211,068	6	J. & J.	"	'70-'95
Exempt do	41,053	6	"	"	1875
Public Park (Druid Hill).	555,566	6	"	"	1893
Park improvement.	185,723	6	"	"	1890
5,000,000 Loan (Balt. & Ohio RR.)	5,000,000	6	"	"	'70-'95
1,000,000 Loan.	1,000,000	6	"	"	1886
New City Hall.	36,000	6	"	"	1882
Consolidated loan.	891,646	5	"	"	1885
Court House loan.	137,414	5	"	"	"
Endorsements for N. W. Va. RR.	773,500	6	J. & J.	"	'73-'85
do do York & Cum. RR.	500,000	6	J. & J.	Balt.	1886
do do West. Md. RR.	500,000	6	J. & J.	"	1890
do do Union RR.	117,000	7	"	"	"
<b>Bangor, Me., \$2,528,700 :</b>					
City debt proper.	328,700	6	Assets.	\$3,149	700
1854, Kennebec & Kennebec RR.	600,000	6	J. & J.	"	'70 to '85
1869, European & N. American RR.	1,000,000	6	A. & O.	Bos.	1874
1869, Bangor & Piscataqua RR.	600,000	6	J. & J.	"	1894
S. F. & O.	600,000	6	A. & O.	"	1899
<b>Boston (May, 1869) (\$16,959,500) :</b>					
'52 to '68, various Trust Funds.	270,759	6	"	\$6,869	9-9
Mar. 3, '53, Renewal city debt.	583,205	4 1/2	"	Bos.	dem'd
'52 to '63, city purposes.	4,172,500	5	"	"	'78-'79
'62 to '63, recruiting funds.	893,500	5	"	"	'70-'87
Sept. 29, '63, bounty to volunteers.	411,000	5	"	"	'81-'87
'64 to '66, city purposes.	1,928,000	6	"	"	'35-'86
'66 to '69, various city purposes.	2,718,675	6	"	"	'74-'78
Roxbury debt assumed.	874,000	5 1/2	"	"	dem'd
'46 & '49, water scrip bonds.	688,000	5	"	"	'70-'85
'46 & '49, do do sterling.	1,949,711	4 1/2	"	Lon.	'70-'71
June '53, city notes (new main &c.)	394,000	5	"	Bos.	'72-'75
1865, water loan (Ches. Hill Reso.)	336,000	6	"	"	'77-'79
do do do	1,290,000	6	"	"	'75-'77
1868 Boston Highlands.	450,000	6	"	"	dem'd
<b>Brooklyn, Jan. 1870 (\$27,227,425) :</b>					
City Hall loan of '46, '49 & '50.	85,000	6	S. F.	\$934.8	10
Various bonds issued '51 to '59.	516,000	6	J. & J.	B'kln	'70-'75
Williamsburgh debts, '55 & '57.	242,000	6	J. & J.	"	'71-'79
Local improvement of 1861.	213,000	7	M. & N.	"	'72-'75
Water loan, '56 to '59.	6,935,000	6	J. & J.	"	1891
Bonds for city purposes, '61 to '67.	370,000	6	J. & J.	"	'81-'99
Soldiers aid fund of 1865.	552,000	7	J. & J.	"	'69 to '81
Prospect Park loan, 1864.	1,217,000	6	J. & J.	"	'85-'94
do do do	2,495,000	6	J. & J.	"	1924
do do do (2d ser.)	159,000	6	J. & J.	"	1915
Fourth avenue improvement, 1861.	260,000	6	J. & J.	"	1916
Bushwick av. Improve. '65 & '67.	222,000	7	J. & J.	"	'70 to '95
South 7th street, '65 & '66.	319,000	6	J. & J.	"	'71 to '90
Gowanus Canal, 1866.	150,000	6	J. & J.	"	'71 to '90
Other city bonds, 1867.	178,000	6	J. & J.	"	'70-'86
Various issues in 1869.	5,502,000	6	J. & J.	"	'70-'77
<b>Charleston, S. C., Nov. '69 (\$5,197,000) :</b>					
City stock.	5,135,000	6	Assets.	\$593.	153
do bonds (coupon).	51,500	6	Q. J.	Char.	'69-'98
<b>Chicago, Nov. '69 (\$12,040,500) :</b>					
Water loan.	1,030,000	6	J. & J.	N. Y.	'74 to '82
do do	2,20,000	7	"	"	'82 to '94
Sewerage bonds.	87,000	6	"	"	1880
do do	2,423,000	7	"	"	'80 to '94
River improvement loan.	1,420,000	7	"	"	'90 to '94
Municipal bonds.	187,000	6	"	"	'73 to '75
do do	2,773,000	7	"	"	'73 to '76
South Park loan.	2,060,000	7	A. & O.	"	'72 to '79
<b>Cincinnati, (\$1,507,000) :</b>					
Purchase of Park front C. Hall, '50. D	57,000	6	M. & N.	"	1870
Funding floating debt, '45.	100,000	5	A. & O.	"	1871
Bounties to Volunteers.	50,000	6	J. & J.	"	1872
Bounties to Volunteers.	71,000	6	J. & J.	"	1876
Eggston Avenue sewer, '68.	150,000	73-01	J. & D.	"	1878
Loan to Cin. & Hills. RR, '50 & '51. F	95,000	6	F. & A.	"	1880
do Eaton & Ham. RR, '50 & '51. G	146,000	6	J. & J.	"	1881
do Covington & Lex. RR, '51. H	98,000	6	J. & J.	"	1881
do Ohio & Mississippi RR, '42. I	589,000	6	J. & J.	"	1882
do Marietta & Cin. RR, '61. M	119,000	6	J. & D.	"	1884
Common School purposes, '45. A	25,000	6	M. & N.	"	1885
Bounties to Volunteers, '65. V	14,000	6	M. & N.	"	1885
Funding floating debt, '35.	69,000	5	M. & N.	"	1885
Purchase of wharf property, '55-'56. N	211,000	6	M. & N.	"	1885
Common School purposes, '34.	40,000	5	M. & N.	"	1885
Loan to Little Miami RR, '44. A	97,000	6	J. & D.	"	1885
Real estate for Workhouse, '66. Y	48,000	6	M. & S.	"	1886
Erection of a Workhouse, '66. Y2	37,000	6	A. & O.	"	1886
Orph. Asyl. grounds for Park, '58. O	37,000	6	M. & S.	"	1888
Erection of a Workhouse, '68. X	250,000	73-10	J. & D.	"	1888
Waterwork purposes, '68. C2	150,000	73-10	F. & A.	"	1888
Common School purposes, '60-'61. P	99,000	6	J. & J.	"	1890
Purchase of wharf property, '55-'56. N	221,000	6	M. & N.	"	1890
Epis. Bury'g Gr'nds for Park, '70. Q	20,000	6	M. & N.	"	1890
Exten. & Imp. of Waterworks, '47. C	199,500	6	A. & O.	"	1895
do do do	98,000	6	A. & O.	"	1895
do do do	100,000	6	A. & O.	"	1895
Funding floating debt, '47. A2	147,500	6	M. & N.	"	1897
Loan to White Water Canal, '47. A	27,000	6	M. & N.	"	1897
Erection of a new Hospital, '67. S	500,000	73-10	J. & D.	"	1897
Erection of a new Hospital, '68. S2	250,000	73-10	M. & N.	"	1898
Funding floating debt, '53-'54. L	80,000	6	J. & J.	"	1900
Exten. & Imp. of Waterworks, '53. K	75,000	6	J. & D.	"	1900
do do do	100,000	6	A. & O.	"	1900
Orph. Asyl. Gr'nds for Park, '58. O	100,000	6	M. & S.	"	1908
Workhouse bonds, 1869.	100,000	7	sem-an	"	"
Sewerage bonds, 1869.	6-15 year	730	M. & S.	"	"
<b>Cleveland, O., Ap. 1, '69 (\$1,581,100) :</b>					
Water Works loan.	500,000	7	S. F.	\$1,008	888
do do	50,000	6	J. & J.	Clev.	'79-'81
Funded debt bonds.	125,000	7	J. & J.	"	'78-'79
do do	166,300	6	J. & D.	"	1876
School Loan.	155,000	6	J. & J.	"	'77-'80
do do	200,000	6	Var.	"	'71-'79
Main Sewer bonds, var. issues.	345,000	6	F. & A.	"	'81-'82
<b>Columbia, S. C., Sept., '69 (\$367,000) :</b>					
1855, Water Works.	115,500	6	Assets.	\$160.0	00
1866, Fd'g bds. conv. Jan. '70 into 7's	159,000	6	J. & J.	Col.	'76 to '93
<b>Columbus, Ga., Sept., '69 (\$395,000) :</b>					
'56, Mo. & Girard RR loan, coup.	120,000	7	Assets.	\$195.0	00
'66, Funding bonds, coupon.	169,300	7	J. & J.	Sav.	'70-'77
'55 to '69, other bonds, coupon.	106,500	7	A. & O.	N. Y.	'73 to '82
<b>Detroit, Mich., Jan. '70 (\$1,287,909) :</b>					
Bonds, various purposes.	234,783	7	S. F.	\$67.14	6
do do do	250,000	7	Var.	Detrt	'70 to '79
Water Work bonds guar. by city.	750,000	7	J. & J.	"	'81 to '88
City Hall bonds, 1869.	250,000	7	J. & D.	"	1889
<b>Jersey, City, May 1, '69 (\$2,424,429) :</b>					
Bounty bonds.	652,000	7	S. F.	\$112.8	75
do do	295,000	6	Var.	J. C.	'89 & '90
Water loan bonds.	1,418,000	6	A. & O.	"	1884
<b>Leavenworth, May 1, 1869 (\$494,176) :</b>					
Bonds to Mo. Riv. RR.	250,000	7	Assets.	\$210.4	50
for public works.	76,000	10	J. & J.	N. Y.	1880
do do	218,000	7	"	"	'70 to '79
<b>Louisville, Ky., Oct. '69 (\$6,933,747) :</b>					
For Jeffersonville RR stock '52.	50,000	6	S. F.	\$1,549	548
School Houses, '53 & '54.	93,000	6	A. & O.	N. Y.	1882
Subscription to stock, '58.	477,000	6	A. & O.	"	1883
Fader's wharf '54.	170,000	6	M. & S.	"	1884
Water works, '57.	672,000	6	M. & N.	N. Y.	1887
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Water Works '59.	279,000	6	M. & N.	N. Y.	1889
Bounty fund, '65.	128,000	6	Var.	Lou.	'75 & '85
Various city purposes, '65-'66.	234,000	6	Var.	"	'85 & '86
For improvement of streets, '66.	135,500	6	Var.	"	1896
do do do '66.	104,500	6	A. & O.	"	1897
do do do '67.	300,000	6	F. & A.	"	1897
For school houses '67.	100,000	6	M. & N.	"	1887
Water stock '67.	500,000	6	J. & J.	N. Y.	1897
Rowan's, 1/2 wharf, '68.	175,000	6	M. & N.	Lou.	1898
Elizabeth and P. RR, '68.	1,000,000	7	A. & O.	N. Y.	1898
Wharf property, '68.	366,000	6	Var.	Lou.	'73 to '88
City purposes '68.	304,000	7	Var.	"	1898
Special tax bonds, '69.	200,000	7	A. & O.	N. Y.	1889
RR bonds, endorsed by Louisville.	1,825,000	6	Var.	"	'83 to '93
<b>Lynchburg, Va., Jan. '69 (\$698,385) :</b>					
Bonds city purposes.	145,600	6	S. F. & c	\$597.5	83
Bonds Va. & Tenn. RR.	292,100	6	J. & J.	Lync	burg.
Stock for Va. & Tenn. RR.	207,900	6	J. & J.	"	"
Bonds RR. funded interest.	52,785	6	J. & J.	"	"
<b>Memphis, Tenn., Jan. '69 (\$3,623,792) :</b>					
Bonds to M. & Ch. RR.	369,000	6	Assets.	\$2,743	000
Bonds to M. & Little Rock RR.	365,000	6	J. & J.	N. Y.	'82-'84
Bonds to Miss. & Tenn. RR.	217,000	6	J. & J.	"	'85 to '87
Bonds to M. & O. RR.	97,000	6	J. & J.	"	'85-'86
Various bonds, 10 per cent.	46,000	10	Var.	Var.	Var.
Old bonds, various purposes.	215,000	6	J. & J.	"	'61 to '88
New bonds, do	1,295,000	6	J. & J.	N. Y.	'97-'98
Paving bonds.	110,000	6	J. & J.	"	'72-'73
do do	102,000	6	J. & J.	N. Y.	'77-'78
do do	142,000	6	J. & J.	"	'82-'83
do do	458,000	6	J. & J.	"	1898
Coupons past due.	114,792	6	"	"	"
<b>Milwaukee, Wis., Sept., '69 (\$705,000) :</b>					
Recruiting loan Act, '61.	705,000	5	J. & D.	N. Y. & m	1891
<b>Mobile, Jan., '70 (\$1,262,500) :</b>					
City debt ABC (pay. an'y till '91).	590,000	5	Assets.	\$536.0	00
do DEF (pay. an'y till '86).	260,500	8	J. & J.	Mobi	1891
Bonds to Mob. & St. North RR.	412,900	8	J. & J.	"	1886
<b>Montgomery, Ala., Sep. '69 (\$518,000) :</b>					
Bonds of 1868, N. & S. Ala. RR.	500,000	8	Assets.	\$568.0	00
<b>New Orleans, Jan., '70 (\$15,257,150) :</b>					
Consolidated debt, \$650,000 applied	4,715,000	6	J. & J.	N. Y.	1892
do do yearly to int'nt	296,000	6	M. & N.	"	1892
do do do and principal.	384,000	6	Var.	"	1892
Railroad debt.	84,000	6	J. & J.	"	1874
do do	75,000	6	A. & O.	"	1874
do do	2,819,000	6	M. & N.	"	1874
do do	25,000	6	M. & S.	"	1874
do do	133,000				



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COMPANIES, AND CHARACTER OF SECURITIES ISSUED	Amount Outstanding	INTEREST.			Principal payable.
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<b>Railroads:</b>					
<i>Morris &amp; Essex</i> (Jan., '70):		7			
1st Mortgage, sinking fund.....	5,000,000	7	M. & N.	New York	1914
2d Mortgage.....	3,000,000	7	F. & A.	"	1891
Convertible bonds.....	600,000	7	J. & J.	"	1900
Construction bonds.....	2,000,000	7	F. & A.	"	1889
<i>Nashv. &amp; Chattanooga</i> (July 1, '68):		6			
1st Mort., endorsed by Tenn.....	1,569,000	6	J. & J.	New York	1890
<i>Nashville &amp; Decatur</i> (Oct. 1, '68):		6			
1st Mort. (State loans).....	2,465,176	6	J. & J.	New York	'90-'92
2d Mortgage.....	500,000	10	A. & O.	"	1887
Income (Tenn. & Ala.).....	205,000		A. & O.	Nashville.	1870
<i>Naugatuck</i> (Jan. 1, '70):		7			
1st Mort. (convertible) 1856.....	146,700	7	J. & J.	Bridgept.	1876
<i>Newark &amp; New York</i> (Jan., '70):		7			
1st Mortgage, 1867.....	600,000	7	J. & J.	New York	1887
<i>Newburg &amp; New York</i> (April, '70):		7			
1st Mortgage guar. by Erie.....	250,000	7	J. & J.	New York	1889
<i>New Haven &amp; Derby</i> (Jan. 1, '69):		7			
1st Mortgage.....	300,000	7	M. & N.	N. Haven.	1888
<i>N. Haven &amp; Northamp.</i> (Feb., '70):		7			
1st Mort 1869.....	1,000,000	6	J. & J.	N. Haven.	1899
Bonds convert., free State tax.....	400,000	6	A. & O.	"	1880
<i>New Jersey</i> (Jan. 1, '70):		6			
1st Loan.....	800,000	6	F. & A.	New York	1875
2d Loan.....	450,000	6	F. & A.	"	1878
3d Loan.....	100,000	6	F. & A.	"	1887
<i>N. J. Southern</i> (Del. & Rar. Bay):		7			
1st Mortgage, tax free.....	2,000,000	7	M. & N.	New York	1889
<i>New London North.</i> (Jan. 1, '70):		7			
Mortgage Bonds.....	60,000	6	J. & D.	N. London	1871
1st Mort., extension.....	300,000	7	A. & O.	New York	1885
Convertible Bonds.....	291,700	7	J. & J.	"	1872
<i>N. Orl., J. &amp; Gt. North.</i> (Feb., '70):		8			
1st Mort. for \$3,000,000 (1856).....	2,741,000	8	J. & J.	N. Y. & Lon	1886
2d Mort. of 1860.....	1,168,000	8	A. & O.	New York	1890
<i>New York Central</i> (Oct. 1, '69):		6			
Premium Sinking Fund.....	5,946,689	7	M. & N.	New York	1833
Sinking Fund (assumed debts).....	1,514,000	6	F. & A.	"	1876
Subscription (assumed stocks).....	592,000	6	M. & N.	"	1883
Real Estate.....	162,000	6	M. & N.	"	1883
Renewal bonds.....	2,900,000	6	J. & D.	"	1887
<i>New York &amp; Flushing</i> (Oct. 1, '68):		7			
1st Mortgage.....	125,000	7	....	New York	18..
<i>New York &amp; Harlem</i> (Oct. 1, '68):		7			
1st Mortgage of 1853.....	3,000,000	6	M. & N.	New York	1873
Consolidated Mort. of 1863.....	1,767,000	6	F. & A.	"	1893
<i>New York &amp; N. Haven</i> (Apr. 1, '69):		6			
1st Mortgage.....	1,059,500	6	A. & O.	New York	1875
<i>N. Y. &amp; Oswego Midland:</i>		7			
1st Mort. (gold).....	20,000 p.m	7	J. & J.	"	1894
<i>New York, Prov. &amp; Bost.</i> (Sep. 1, '69):		6			
1st Mortgage.....	194,000	7	F. & A.	New York	'73-'78
Improvement.....	100,000	6	J. & J.	"	1876
Extension.....	250,000	6	M. & N.	"	1881
New Bonds 1869.....	439,000	7	J. & J.	....	1839
<i>Norfolk &amp; Petersburg</i> (Oct. 1, '68):		7			
1st Mortgage.....	110,500	8	J. & J.	New York	1877
1st Mortgage.....	308,000	8	J. & J.	"	1877
Funding Mortgage.....	13,000	8	J. & J.	"	1872
<i>North Carolina</i> (Sept., '69):		8			
Mort. Bonds (various) '67-'68.....	472,000	8	M. & N.	Shops N.C.	'72-'78
Bonds of 1857.....	88,500	8	M. & S.	"	1867
<i>Northeastern</i> (March 1, '69):		7			
1st Mortgage.....	700,000	7	M. & S.	Charlest'n	1869
2d Mortgage.....	145,000	7	M. & S.	"	1868
Funded Interest (certificates).....	228,086	7	J. & J.	"	1875
<i>North Missouri</i> (Jan. 1, '69):		7			
1st Mortgage of 1865.....	6,000,000	7	J. & J.	New York	1895
2d Mortgage of 1868.....	4,000,000	7	A. & O.	"	1888
3d Mortgage.....	5,000,000	7	A. & O.	New York	1888
<i>North Pennsylvania</i> (Nov. 1, '69):		6			
1st Mortgage.....	2,275,000	10	J. & J.	Philadel.	1885
2d Mortgage.....	360,000	7	A. & O.	"	1877
3d Mortgage.....	81,500	7	M. & N.	"	1896
Funding Scrip.....	141,939	7	J. & J.	"	1870
<i>Northern Central</i> (Feb., '70):		6			
1st Mort. (State loan).....	1,500,000	6	Q. - J.	Annapolis	Irred
2d Mortgage (sinking fund).....	1,779,000	6	J. & J.	Baltimore.	1885
3d Mortgage (sinking fund).....	1,223,000	6	A. & O.	"	1900
3d Mortgage (Y. & C. RR guar).....	500,000	6	J. & J.	"	1877
Consolidated Mortgage, gold.....	1,874,000	6	J. & J.	"	1900
<i>Northern, N. H.</i> (Apr. 1, '69):		6			
Company Bonds of 1854.....	120,600	6	A. & O.	Boston.	1874
<i>Northern New Jersey</i> (Jan., '70):		7			
1st Mortgage (guaranteed).....	400,000	7	J. & J.	New York	18..
<i>Norwich &amp; Worcester</i> (Dec. 1, '68):		6			
1st Mort. (Mass. loan) s'k'g fund.....	400,000	7	J. & J.	Boston.	1877
Construction Bonds.....	124,500	7	J. & J.	"	1877
Steamboat Mortgage.....	45,000	7	F. & A.	"	1870
<i>Ogdensb. &amp; L. Cham.</i> (Nov. 1, '69):		8			
Equipment Bonds (tax free).....	500,000	8	J. & J.	"	1879
<i>Ohio &amp; Mississippi</i> (April, '70):		7			
1st Mortgage (E. Div.).....	2,050,000	7	J. & J.	New York	1872
1st Mortgage (W. Div.).....	850,000	7	J. & J.	"	1872
2d Mortgage (W. Div.).....	537,000	7	J. & J.	"	1874
Income Mortgage (W. Div.).....	221,500	7	A. & O.	"	1882
Consol. Mort. } for \$6,800,000.....	2,758,000	7	J. & J.	"	1898
Consol. Mort. ster.....	105,000	6	J. & J.	London.	1898
<i>Oil Creek &amp; Allegh. R.</i> (Feb., '70):		7			
1st Mortgage.....	3,170,000	7	....	Philadel.	18..
<i>Old Colony &amp; Newport</i> (Feb., '70):		7			
Company Bonds.....	1,388,000	6	F. & A.	Boston.	1877
Company Bonds.....	458,000	6	A. & O.	"	1875
Company Bonds.....	1,000,000	6	M. & S.	"	1876
<i>Orange, Alex. &amp; Manas.</i> (Oct. 1, '68):		6			
1st Mort. (O. & A. RR.).....	400,000	6	M. & N.	New York	1873
2d Mort. extension (O. & A.).....	1,190,500	6	J. & J.	"	1875
3d Mort. extension (O. & A.).....	573,500	8	M. & N.	Richmond	1873
4th Mort. extension (O. & A.).....	331,700	8	M. & S.	Alexand'a	1880
1st Mort. (O. & A. M. RR.).....	708,000	7	J. & J.	New York	1882
Va. State Loan (34 yrs) s'k'g f'd.....	249,962	6	J. & J.	"	....
<i>Oswego Valley</i> (Jan. 1, '69):		10			
1st Mortgage (5-20 years).....	200,000	10	J. & J.	New York	1888
<i>Oswego &amp; Rome</i> (Oct. 1, '68):		7			
1st Mortgage, guaranteed.....	500,000	7	M. & N.	New York	1916
Income Mortgage.....	200,000	6	F. & A.	"	1891
<i>Oswego &amp; Syracuse</i> (Oct. 1, '68):		7			
1st Mortgage.....	198,500	7	M. & N.	New York	'70-'80
2d Mortgage.....	375,000	7	M. & N.	"	1885
<i>Pacific of Missouri</i> (Mar. 1, '70):		6			
1st Mortgage (gold).....	6,500,000	6	F. & A.	New York	1888
Mortgage Construction Bonds.....	524,773	7	J. & J.	"	1880
<i>Panama</i> (Jan. 1, '70):		7			
1st Mortgage, sterling.....	278,000	7	A. & O.	London.	1870
1st Mortgage, sterling.....	86,000	7	A. & O.	"	1875
2d Mortgage, sterling.....	679,000	7	F. & A.	"	1872
General mortgage, sterling.....	2,671,000	7	A. & O.	"	1897
<i>Paterson &amp; Newark</i> (Jan. 1, '69):		7			
1st Mortgage, guaranteed.....	500,000	7	....	New York	18..
<i>Pennsylvania</i> (April, '70):		6			
1st Mortgage (Penn. RR.).....	4,972,000	6	J. & J.	Philadel.	1880
2d Mortgage (Penn. RR.).....	2,594,000	6	A. & O.	"	1875
2d Mort. (Penn. RR.), sterling.....	2,288,840	6	A. & O.	London.	1875
General Mort. (Phil. to Pittsb.).....	6,826,500	6	Q. - J.	Philadel.	1910
do do new, coupon.....	2,000,000	6	J. & J.	"	1910
do do new, regist'd.....	2,000,000	6	A. & O.	"	1910

Prices are given on the quotation page at the end of Bankers' Gazette.

COMPANIES, AND CHARACTER OF SECURITIES ISSUED.	Amount Out- standing	INTEREST.			Principal payable.
For a full explanation of this Table see "Railroad Monitor" on a preceding page.		Rate.	When paid.	Where paid.	
<b>Railroads:</b>					
State works purchase .....	6,082,538	5	A. & O	Harrisb'g	1890
Short Bonds (debentures).....	1,114,224	6	Q't'ly.	Philadel.	'70-'71
<i>Pennsylvania &amp; N. Y.</i> (Nov., '69):					
1st Mortgage, guaranteed .....	3,000,000	7	...	Philadel.	18..
<i>Pensacola &amp; Georgia</i> (Apr. 1, '67):					
1st Mortgage .....	1,185,300	7	J. & J.	New York	18..
2d Mortgage .....	255,000	8	....	"	18..
1st Mortgage (Tallahassee RR.).....	206,000	7	....	"	18..
<i>Peoria &amp; Bureau Val.</i> (Jan. 1, '69):					
1st Mortgage, guaranteed .....	600,000	8	J. & J.	New York	18..
<i>Peoria Pk. &amp; Jacksonv.</i> (Jan. 1, '70):					
1st Mortgage .....	1,000,000	7	J. & J.	New York	1894
<i>Philadel. &amp; Balt. Cent.</i> (Nov., '69):					
1st Mortgage .....	800,000	7	J. & J.	Philadel.	1891
<i>Philadelphia &amp; Erie</i> (Feb., '70):					
1st Mort. (Sunbury & Erie RR.).....	1,000,000	7	A. & O.	Philadel.	1877
1st Mort. Phil. & Erie (gold)....	3,000,000	6	A. & O.	Philadel.	1881
do do do (currency).....	2,000,000	6	A. & O.	"	1881
2d do do .....	3,000,000	7	J. & J.	"	1885
3d do do .....	3,598,000	6	J. & J.	"	1 20
<i>Philadelphia &amp; Read.</i> (Dec. 1, '69):					
Loan of 1849 .....	381,800	6	A. & O.	Philadel.	1870
Loan of 1861 .....	102,000	6	J. & J.	"	1871
Loans of '43, '44, '48 and '49.....	2,497,800	6	J. & J.	"	1880
Loan of 1857, convertible.....	147,000	6	J. & J.	"	1886
Loan of 1836, sterling.....	182,400	5	J. & J.	London.	1880
Loan of 1836, sterling .....	288,000	7	J. & J.	"	'73-'77
Loan of 1868.....	1,086,300	6	A. & O.	Philadel.	1893
Loan of 1868.....	2,266,000	7	A. & O.	"	1893
Loan of 870 (\$5,000,000) conv.....	1,500,000	7	J. & J.	"	....
<i>Phila., Wilm. &amp; Balt.</i> (Nov. 1, '69):					
1st Mortgage, convertible.....	353,000	6	J. & J.	Philadel.	1884
Loan of 1866.....	1,000,000	6	A. & O.	"	'71-'76
Loan of 1867.....	985,000	6	A. & O.	"	1887
<i>Pittsb., Ctn. &amp; St. Louis</i> (Sep., '69):					
1st Mortgage .....	6,208,000	7	F. & A.	Philadel.	1900
1st Mort. Steubenv. & Ind. re-org.....	3,000,000	6	....	....	....
Col. & Newark Div. Bonds.....	775,000	7	....	....	....
<i>Pittsburg &amp; Connellsv.</i> (Feb., '70):					
1st Mort. (new) free State tax.....	4,000,000	7	J. & J.	Baltimore.	1898
1st Mort. (Turtle Cr. Div.).....	400,000	6	F. & A.	New York	1889
City & county loans.....	2,394,100	....	....	....	....
<i>Pittsb., Ft. W. &amp; Chic.</i> (Feb., '70):					
1st Mortgage (series A).....	875,000	7	J. & J.	New York	1912
1st Mortgage (series B).....	875,000	7	F. & A.	"	1912
1st Mortgage (series C).....	875,000	7	M. & S.	"	1912
1st Mortgage (series D).....	875,000	7	A. & O.	"	1912
1st Mortgage (series E).....	875,000	7	M. & N.	"	1912
1st Mortgage (series F).....	875,000	7	J. & D.	"	1912
2d Mortgage (series G).....	860,000	7	J. & J.	"	1812
2d Mortgage (series H).....	860,000	7	F. & A.	"	1812
2d Mortgage (series I).....	860,000	7	M. & S.	"	1912
2d Mortgage (series K).....	860,000	7	A. & O.	"	1912
2d Mortgage (series L).....	860,000	7	M. & N.	"	1912
2d Mortgage (series M).....	860,000	7	J. & D.	"	1912
3d Mortgage.....	2,000,000	7	A. & O.	"	1912
Bridge (O. & P. RR.) Mort., '56.....	153,000	7	M. & N.	"	1876
P. F. W. & C. construc bds '57.....	100,000	7	J. & J.	"	1887
Equip. Bonds of 1869, tax free.....	1,000,000	8	M. & S.	"	1874
<i>Placerville &amp; Sacram.</i> (Jan. 1, '69):					
1st Mortgage .....	225,000	10	J. & J.	San Franc.	1894
1st Mortgage (gold).....	525,000	10	J. & J.	"	1894
<i>Port Huron &amp; L. Mich.</i> (Mar. 1, '69):					
1st Mort. (gold) for \$16,000 per m.....	....	7	....	New York	18..
<i>Portland &amp; Kennebec</i> (Jan. 1, '70):					
1st Mortgage extended, 1863.....	229,200	6	A. & O.	Augusta.	1883
Consolidated Mortgage, 1865.....	361,300	6	A. & O.	Boston.	1895
Funded Interest, 1863.....	31,115	6	A. & O.	Augusta.	1863
<i>Portland &amp; Rochester</i> (Jan. 1, '70):					
1st Mortgage, 1867.....	400,000	6	J. & J.	Portland.	1887
<i>Reading &amp; Columbia</i> (Feb., '70):					
1st Mortgage 1862.....	650,000	7	M. & S.	Philadel.	1882
2d Mortgage 1864.....	350,000	7	J. & D.	"	1884
<i>Rensselaer &amp; Saratoga</i> (Oct. 1, '69):					
1st Mortgage .....	150,000	7	J. & J.	New York	1873
2d Mortgage .....	450,000	7	J. & J.	"	'80-'87
1st Mort. (Sara. & Whitehall).....	400,000	7	M. & S.	"	1886
1st Mort. (Troy, Salem & Rutl'd).....	500,000	7	M. & N.	"	1890
<i>Richmond &amp; Danville</i> (Oct. 1, '68):					
State Sinking Fund Loan .....	600,000	6	J. & J.	New York	'87-'88
Bond guaranteed by State.....	161,600	6	J. & J.	"	'75-'76
Consol. Mortgage, coupon .....	1,298,000	6	M. & N.	"	'75-'90
Consol. Mortgage, reg.....	408,500	6	M. & N.	Richmond	'75-'90
Roanoke Valley RR. Bonds.....	160,000	6	F. & A.	"	"
<i>Richm. &amp; Petersburg</i> (Oct. 1, '68):					
1st Mortgage, convertible .....	13,500	6	J. & J.	New York	1875
2d Mort., coupon and reg.....	130,500	7	J. & D.	N. Y. & B.	1875
3d Mort. of 1865, coupon .....	175,000	8	M. & S.	Philadel.	1870
<i>Rocky, R. I. &amp; St. Louis</i> (Jan. 1, '69):					
1st Mort. (gold) convert. free .....	9,000,000	7	F. & A.	N.Y.orLon	1919
<i>Rock Isl. &amp; Peoria</i> (Jan. 1, '69):					
1st Mortgage .....	1,384,000	7	....	New York	....
<i>Rome, Wat. &amp; Ogdensb.</i> (Jan. 1, '70):					
Sink. F'd Mort. (Wat. & R) '53.....	732,800	7	M. & S.	New York	1880
Guaran. (Pots. & Watert'n) '55.....	405,500	7	J. & D.	"	'70-'74
Sink. Fund Mort. (general) '61.....	591,000	7	J. & D.	"	1891
<i>Rutland &amp; Burlington</i> (Jan. 1, '69):					
1st M. (conv. into Rut. pref. st'k).....	....	7	F. & A.	Boston.	1863
2d M. (conv. into Rut. com. st'k).....	....	7	F. & A.	"	1863
<i>Sacramento Valley</i> (Jan. 1, '70):					
1st Mortgage (gold) .....	400,000	10	J. & J.	New York	1875
2d Mortgage (gold) .....	329,000	10	F. & A.	Sacram'to	1881
<i>St. Joseph &amp; C. Bluffs</i> (Jan. 1, '70):					
1st Mort. (80 m. in Mo.).....	1,400,000	10	M. & S.	Boston.	1893
1st Mort. (52 m. in Iowa).....	500,000	7	J. & J.	"	1882
2d Mort. (52 m. in Iowa).....	150,000	10	M. & S.	"	1893
<i>St. Joseph &amp; Denver City</i> :					
1st Mortgage (gold) tax free.....	1,500,000	8	F. & A.	N.Y.or L'n	1899
<i>St. L., Att. &amp; T. Haute</i> (July 1, '69):					
1st Mort. (series A) sink. fund .....	1,100,000	7	J. & J.	New York	1894
1st Mort. (series B) sink. fund.....	1,100,000	7	A. & O.	"	1894
2d Mort. (series C).....	1,400,000	7	F. & A.	"	1894
2d Mort. (series D).....	1,400,000	7	M. & N.	"	1894
2d Mort. (income).....	1,700,000	7	M. & N.	"	1894
<i>St. Louis &amp; Iron Mt.</i> (July 1, '69):					
1st Mortgage .....	4,000,000	7	F. & A.	New York	1892
<i>St. L., Jacks. &amp; Chic.</i> (Feb., '70):					
1st Mort. (guar.) 1864, tax free.....	2,365,000	7	A. & O.	New York	1894
2d Mort. (guar.) tax free.....	360,000	7	J. & J.	"	1898
<i>St. Louis and Southeastern</i> :					
1st Mort. conv. tax free (gold).....	16,000 p.m	7	M. & N.	New York	1895
<i>St. Louis &amp; St. Joseph</i> (Apr. 1, '69):					
1st Mortgage (gold) .....	1,000,000	6	M. & N.	New York	1398
<i>St. L., Vand. &amp; T. Haute</i> (Jan. 1, '69):					
1st M. skg fd (guar.) for \$1,900,000.....	522,000	7	J. & J.	New York	1897
2d M. skg fd (guar.) for \$2,600,000.....	710,000	7	J. & J.	"	18..
<i>St. Paul &amp; Pac.</i> , 1st Div. (Apr. 1, '69):					
1st Mort. (10 m.) tax free.....	120,000	8	M. & S.	New York	1892
1st Mort. (St. P. to Watab, 80 m.).....	700,000	7	J. & J.	"	1892
2d Mort. (land grant).....	1,300,000	7	J. & D.	"	1892
General Mort., for \$2,020,000.....	....	7	J. & J.	"	18..
General Mort., sterling.....	750,000	7	J. & J.	London.	18..
1st Mort., West. l'e, for \$6,000,000.....	....	....	....	New York	....
2d M., W. line (land) for \$3,000,000.....	....	....	....	....	....
<i>St. Paul &amp; Sioux City</i> (Jan. 1, '69):					
1st Mort. for \$16,000 per mile .....	100,000	7	J. & J.	New York	1896
<i>Sandusky, M. &amp; Newrk</i> (Jan. '70):					
1st Mortgage, new, 1869.....	03,000	7	J. & J.	New York	1909







## Imports of Leading Articles.

The following table, compiled from Custom House returns, shows the foreign imports of certain leading articles of commerce at this port for the last week, since Jan. 1, 1870, and for the corresponding period in 1869:

(The quantity is given in packages when not otherwise specified.)

	For the week.	Since Jan. 1, 1870.	Same time 1869.		For the week.	Since Jan. 1, 1870.	Same time 1869.
China, Glass and Earthenware—				Metals, &c—			
China.....	283	3,909	3,850	Cutlery.....	61	1,717	1,701
Earthenware.....	49	17,496	23,769	Hardware.....	112	2,982	1,982
Glass.....	8,768	175,789	233,412	Iron, 1 1/2 bars.....	5, 07	164,632	249,675
Glassware.....	213	7,767	5,113	Lead, pigs.....	5,349	205,225	201,509
Glass plate.....	175	3,971	4,188	Spelter, lbs.....	4,184,404	5,897,923	
Buttons.....	46	2,376	2,452	Steel.....	3,927	47,269	61,974
Coal, tons.....	274	7,763	16,551	Tin, boxes.....	17,273	251,686	497,478
Cocoa, bags.....	51	9,923	11,121	Tin slabs, lbs.....	1,701	1,307,191	1,593,238
Coffee, bags.....	11,478	321,233	471,445	Rags.....	2,081	16,026	44,452
Cotton bales.....	175	1,619	915	Sugar, hhds, tcs & bbls.....	10,555	172,128	165,244
Drugs, &c—				Sugars, boxes & bags.....	5,875	327,469	385,925
Bark, Peruvian.....	115	4,472	8,729	Tea.....	21,496	494,276	513,072
Blea powders.....	150	7,377	13,549	Tobacco.....	310	16,821	19,555
Brimstone, tons.....	121	4,173	6,601	Waste.....	78	604	803
Cochineal.....	77	1,661	1,292	Wines, &c—			
Cream Tartar.....	25	1,047	818	Champagne, bks.....	3,527	49,341	46,584
Gambier.....	3,461	11,358	44	Wines.....	5,341	81,167	72,839
Gums, crude.....	260	44		Wool, bales.....	78	15,762	21,806
Gum, Arabic.....	32	1,486	1,479	Articles report'd by value—			
Indigo.....	98	3,251	3,278	Cigars.....	28,984	422,349	\$336,623
Madder.....	30	769	5,695	Corks.....	1,590	26, 30	47,073
Oils, essence.....	3	126	77	Fancy goods.....	40,717	759,529	776,160
Oil, Olive.....	518	12,167	23,582	Fish.....	4,191	237,212	337,860
Opium.....	4	781	341	Fruits, &c—			
Soda, bi-carb.....	7,075	40,821	46,108	Lemons.....	31,878	237,905	1,000,000
Soda, sal.....	2,213	19,188	13,923	Oranges.....	32,356	674,880	429,448
Soda, ash.....	831	12,675	17,395	Nuts.....	9,128	217,976	379,752
Flax.....	135	765	851	Raisins.....	1,071	339,393	581,514
Furs.....	79	1,433	2,391	Hides undressed.....	291,422	3,790,509	4,450,557
Gunny cloth.....	162	1,141	3,106	Rice.....	59,757	165,663	
Hair.....	25	1,374	4,612	Spices, &c—			
Hemp, bales.....	1,085	37,310	40,900	Cassia.....	163,638	127,171	
Hides, &c—				Ginger.....	772	10,577	16,531
Bristles.....	10	498	69	Pepper.....	15,977	48,316	
Hides, dressed.....	1,000	15,282	5,206	Saltpetre.....	15,655	151,680	114,400
India rubber.....	4	14,924	18,79	Woods—			
Ivory.....	4	1,331	1,079	Cork.....	5,508	47,247	70,103
Jewelry, &c—				Fustic.....	5,971	34,197	38,056
Jewelry.....	59	1,207	814	Logwood.....	2,221	132,587	181,125
Watches.....	17	460	435	Mahogany.....	2,012	59,452	34,979
Linseed.....	21,050	203,272	235,462				
Molasses.....	3,466	71,016	89,136				

## COTTON.

FRIDAY, P.M., May 20, 1870.

By special telegrams received by us to-night from the Southern ports we are in possession of the returns showing the receipts, exports, &c., of cotton for the week ending this evening May 20. From the figures thus obtained it appears that the total receipts for the seven days have reached 44,055 bales (against 38,286 bales last week, 57,836 bales the previous week, and 50,564 bales three weeks since), making the aggregate since September 1, 1869, up to this date, 2,719,023 bales, against 2,020,252 bales for the same period in 1868-9, being an increase this season over last season of 698,771 bales. The details of the receipts for this week (as per telegraph) and the corresponding week of 1869 are as follows:

RECEIPTS.			RECEIPTS.		
Rec'd this week at—	1870.	1869.	Rec'd this week at—	1870.	1869.
New Orleans, bales.....	18,331	4,802	Florida.....bales.....	154	244
Mobile.....	3,523	2,583	North Carolina.....	593	157
Charleston.....	2,728	1,686	Virginia.....	2,061	2,561
Savannah.....	7,592	3,536	Total receipts.....	44,055	18,073
Texas.....	5,391	151	Increase this year.....	25,972	.....
Tennessee, &c.....	3,682	1,747			

The exports for the week ending this evening reach a total of 45,787 bales, of which 27,735 were to Great Britain and 18,052 bales to the Continent, while the stocks at all the ports, as made up this evening, are now 317,549 bales. Below we give the exports and stocks for the week, and also for the corresponding week of last season, as telegraphed to us from the various ports to-night:

Week ending May 20.	Exported to—		Total this week.	Same w'k 1869.	Stock.	
	G. Brit.	Continent.			1870.	1869.
New Orleans.....	9,752	12,632	22,384	15,495	125,005	57,628
Mobile.....	.....	.....	.....	1,005	41,230	30,537
Charleston.....	3,051	.....	3,051	2,177	8,402	7,509
Savannah.....	3,158	2,465	5,623	11,405	45,450	14,402
Texas.....	4,399	1,810	6,209	.....	28,462	6,090
New York.....	7,222	750	7,972	6,215	48,000	53,619
Other ports.....	153	395	548	2,329	18,000	13,981
Total.....	27,735	18,052	45,787	41,626	317,549	188,816
Total since Sept. 1.....	1,242,907	642,026	1,884,933	1,318,952	.....	.....

From the foregoing statement it will be seen that, compared with the corresponding week of last season, there is an increase in the exports this week of 4,161 bales, while the stocks to-night are 128,733 bales more than they were at this time a year ago. The following is our usual table showing the movement of cotton at all the ports from Sept. 1, to May 13, the latest mail dates. We do not include our telegrams to-night, as we cannot insure the accuracy or obtain the detail necessary, by telegraph.

PORTS.	RECEIPTS SINCE SEPT. 1.		EXPORTED SINCE SEPT. 1 TO				SHIPMENTS TO NORTH PORTS.	STOCK.
	1868.	1869.	Great Britain.	France.	Other foreign.	Total.		
New Orleans.....	1060,885	765,468	447,133	228,429	182,524	858,086	129,773	130,135
Mobile.....	287,761	216,965	139,097	14,429	17,905	171,431	35,195	43,007
Charleston.....	220,338	182,896	77,214	1,825	7,330	86,369	126,938	11,756
Savannah.....	450,881	335,257	173,259	40,149	13,434	226,842	185,790	44,884
Texas.....	221,877	138,104	103,314	4,947	12,798	121,058	55,991	31,920
New York.....	114,898	95,681	257,521	17,486	59,370	334,377	.....	45,000
Florida.....	20,731	15,397	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,233	.....
North Carolina.....	54,001	34,290	50	.....	.....	54	53,357	594
Virginia.....	188,992	146,057	9,640	.....	.....	9,640	176,157	8,295
Other ports.....	54,634	72,890	7,944	.....	23,348	31,292	.....	13,500
Total this year.....	2,674,968	.....	1,215,172	307,265	316,709	1,839,144	770,484	324,091
Total last year.....	2,003,009	875,715	195,890	205,721	1,277,32	733,722	218,502	.....

The rumors of increased shipments from Bombay which we stated were in circulation and depressing the market at the close of our last week's report, proved to be true, and the next day buyers generally withdrew, and holders were more inclined to sell. This feeling of depression was increased on Monday by heavy receipts at our ports, prices yielding about 1/4c. Tuesday the same causes operated unfavorably, and prices took another tumble, middling uplands reaching 23c. again. On Wednesday the closing Liverpool advices were rather better, and this fact, together with the falling off in the receipts at our ports, gave an improved tone to our market, and the close was stronger. Thursday, the earlier dispatches by cable showed a steadier feeling, and prices here advanced 1/4c., and most of the transactions of the day were done at the advance, but later the market was weak, and has so continued to-day, with, however, but slight change in quotations, the advance of yesterday being mostly maintained. At the close there is a general disposition to suspend operations until reliable information as to the Bombay movement for the week is received, and the effect of our large receipts on Liverpool is seen. For forward delivery there has been much less excitement than there was last week, and prices at one time yielded about 1c., though at the close there is some recovery. We notice sales of 1,400 bales for next October at 19 1/4 @ 19 3/4c. Total sales of the week for forward delivery reach 22,350 bales (all low middling or on the basis of low middling), of which 3,550 bales were for May, 100 at 22 1/4, 300 at 22 1/2, 250 at 22 3/4, 1,850 at 22, 700 at 21 1/2, 300 at 22 1/2, 50 at 22 1/2, 100 at 23 1/4, 800 at 22 1/2, 700 at 22 1/2, 300 at 22 1/2, 1,100 at 22, 1,350 at 21 1/2, 500 at 21 13-16, 200 at 21 1/2; 10,000 bales for July, 1,300 at 22 1/2, 2,050 at 22 1/2, 1,200 at 22 1/2, 800 at 22 1/2, 600 at 22 1/2, 2,200 at 22 1/2, 800 at 22, 550 at 21 1/2, 100 at 21 1/2, 300 at 21 13-16, 100 at 21 1/2; 100 for August at 21 1/2; 1,400 bales for October, 500 at 19 1/2, 300 at 19 1/2, 500 at 19 1/2, 100 at 19 1/2; 100 bales for September at 20 1/2; also 200 bales May 17 to July 1, buyers' option, at 22 1/2; 500, seller 3 months, at 22, and 700 seller 90 days, at 21 1/2. The total sales for immediate delivery this week foot up 10,861 bales (including 865 bales to arrive), of which 3,591 bales were taken by spinners, 991 bales on speculation, 4,927 bales for export, 1,352 bales in transit, and the following are the closing quotations:

	Upland and Florida.	Mobile.	New Orleans.	Texas.
Ordinary.....per lb.	18 1/4 @.....	19 1/4 @.....	19 1/4 @.....	19 1/4 @.....
Good Ordinary.....	21 @.....	21 1/4 @.....	21 1/4 @.....	21 1/4 @.....
Low Middling.....	22 1/4 @.....	22 1/4 @.....	22 1/4 @.....	22 1/4 @.....
Middling.....	23 1/4 @.....	23 1/4 @.....	23 1/4 @.....	23 1/4 @.....
Good Middling.....	24 1/4 @.....	24 1/4 @.....	24 1/4 @.....	25 @.....

Below we give the total sales of cotton and price of Upland at this market each day of the past week:

	Total sales.	Ordinary.	Good Ordinary.	Low Middling.	Middling.
Saturday.....	1,660	19 1/4 @.....	21 1/4 @.....	22 1/4 @.....	23 1/4 @.....
Monday.....	1,562	19 @.....	21 1/4 @.....	22 1/4 @.....	23 1/4 @.....
Tuesday.....	2,792	18 1/4 @.....	21 @.....	22 1/4 @.....	23 @.....
Wednesday.....	1,785	18 1/4 @.....	21 @.....	22 1/4 @.....	23 @.....
Thursday.....	1,921	18 1/4 @.....	21 1/4 @.....	22 1/4 @.....	23 1/4 @.....
Friday.....	1,141	18 1/4 @.....	21 @.....	22 1/4 @.....	23 1/4 @.....

THE NEW CROP.—The reports we have received this week with regard to the new crop are on the whole favorable, though from some sections we hear that the weather has continued so cold as to prevent the healthy development of the plant. Too much promise is, we think, being given in many quarters to the extent of land put under cotton this year. No importance whatever should be placed upon the increased cultivation as yet, since if we have a rainy time during the next six weeks it would be simply impossible for the labor in the South to keep the present area free from grass, and a good portion would have to be abandoned. It is much as if the planters had plowed more land than they were able to seed down.

And yet we do not wish to be understood as believing that an increased crop cannot be raised this year. We know the contrary to be the fact. But there is an evident disposition to look at the area planted and then pass directly over to the autumn, and with fine weather at that period to expect a large yield; whereas, unless we have a favorable summer, so that the cotton may come up and develop "even," and chopping out and first and second plowing and cleaning be timely, the labor supply would find it impossible to handle the crop, and it would be short, notwithstanding the autumn was splendid and no frost till January. Hence we say the first question must be, what is the amount of land under cotton taken into the middle of July in good condition. Settle that point, and then one very important step in the progress of the crop has been secured. But the planting of more or less land is, with our presents apply of labor, of little significance until that point is reached.

RECEIPTS.—The receipts this week have continued on a very liberal scale, and confirm very strikingly our remarks on "Receipts, &c.," in our issue of February 19, when we stated "that there were still piles of cotton at all the landings on the southwestern rivers which were being replenished so rapidly from the plantations that all the boats actively employed in freighting cotton to New Orleans could not reduce them." At the same time we gave a table showing the per cent of increase in the receipts at the ports during each period of five weeks, and intimated that the weekly totals would probably equal "70,000 bales per week for the next five weeks, and 50,000 bales for the five weeks following." This latter statement was at the time considered by some of our friends excessive, and as the Southern rivers became unnavigable during the next three weeks, its fulfillment was delayed; but it



we take the movement up to to-night we will find full confirmation of the advices we then received. For instance, the actual receipts for the 5 weeks succeeding February 19 were 320,711 bales instead of 350,000 bales, the total they would have reached had they been 70,000 bales per week, and for the following five weeks they were 220,547 bales instead of 250,000 bales, making the total for the ten weeks 58,742 bales less than our estimate. But since May 1 the arrivals have reached 140,177 bales, against 62,749 bales last year, an increase not only covering what was kept back by the low rivers in the ten weeks after February 19, but also furnishing a fair ratio of increase for the last three weeks. Estimates made up now from advices received from the same sources would make the increase for the remainder of the season—that is up to September 1—about 50 per cent over last year, and perhaps more if the growing crop continues to promise a favorable result.

**STOCKS OF COTTON AT INTERIOR TOWNS.**—Below we give the figures received to-night, showing the stocks of cotton at the interior ports at the close of business to-day, and add those for last week and the corresponding periods of last year for comparison:

	1870.		1869.	
	May 21.	May 13.	May 20.	May 13.
Augusta, Ga.....	13,420	14,510	7,825	10,400
Columbus, Ga.....	7,050	8,025	3,790	4,182
Macon, Ga.....	7,760	8,133	1,765	2,165
Montgomery, Ala.....	5,885	6,250	1,400	1,950
Selma, Ala.....	4,100	4,325	1,800	3,000
Memphis, Tenn.....	15,888	16,472	12,103	12,063
Nashville, Tenn est.....	5,606	6,000	2,889	2,438
Total.....	59,709	63,715	31,572	36,198

The foregoing shows the interior stocks have decreased during the week about 4,006 bales, and that they are now 28,137 bales in excess of the same period of last year.

**VISIBLE SUPPLY OF COTTON.**—The following table shows the quantity of cotton in sight at this date of each of the two past seasons:

	1870.	1869.
Stock in Liverpool..... bales.	590,000	383,000
Stock in London.....	32,983	74,321
Stock in Glasgow.....	400	300
Stock in Havre est.....	88,000	47,000
Stock in Marseilles.....	12,550	10,150
Stock in Bremen.....	13,850	6,850
Stock rest of Continent.....	30,000	10,000
Afloat for Great Britain (American).....	122,000	184,000
Afloat for France (American and Brazil).....	69,090	12,000
Total Indian Cotton afloat for Europe.....	197,000	448,000
Stock in United States ports.....	317,549	188,816
Stock in inland towns.....	59,709	31,572
Total.....	1,533,131	1,396,009

These figures indicate an increase in the cotton in sight to night of 137,122 bales compared with the same date of 1869.

**GUNNY BAGS AND CLOTH.**—The market for Gunny Bags and Cloth continues active and excited, consumers beginning to realize that there is a short supply, and hence many of the later purchases are on Southern account. Prices still tend upward. Sales are as follows: 100 bales bags on spot, at 20½c. cash, currency, duty paid; 100 bales at 21c.; 700 bales to arrive per "Wm. Ross," 150 to arrive per "Glen Haven," 250 per "Childers," and 250 per "Hereford," all at 15c., gold, in bond; 93 bales Cloth, on spot, at 29c., cash, duty paid; 600 bales from store, for future delivery, at 30c.; 414 bales from store in Boston, at 20c., currency, 30 days interest added; 2,000 bales, April, May and June shipment, at 18½c., gold, in bond; 100 bales per "Hereford," 80 bales per "Cicero," 300 bales per "Geo. H. Warren," 300 bales per "Goodell," 150 bales per "Pericles," all at 19½c., gold, in bond; 250 bales Borneo, per "Carrisbrook Castle," and 200 bales do. per "Geo. H. Warren," at 20c., gold, in bond.

The exports of cotton this week from New York show an increase over last week, the total reaching 7,170 bales, against 6,426 bales last week. Below we give our table showing the exports of cotton from New York, and their direction for each of the last four weeks; also the total exports and direction since September 1, 1869; and in the last column the total for the same period of the previous year:

**Exports of Cotton (bales) from New York since Sept. 1, 1869**

EXPORTED TO	WEEK ENDING				Total to date	Same time prev. year.
	April 26.	May 3.	May 10.	May 17.		
Liverpool.....	5,967	5,750	6,061	6,203	256,557	217,305
Other British Ports.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	964	3,055
<b>Total to Gt. Britain.</b>	5,967	5,750	6,061	6,203	257,521	220,360
Havre.....	.....	1,694	.....	138	17,483	17,522
Other French ports.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....
<b>Total French.</b>	.....	1,694	.....	138	17,486	17,522
Bremen and Hanover.....	332	43	139	316	35,163	31,408
Hamburg.....	100	101	226	111	17,536	18,741
Other ports.....	.....	.....	.....	402	4,862	1,157
<b>Total to N. Europe.</b>	432	144	365	829	57,561	51,306
Spain, Oporto and Gibraltar &c.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,498
All others.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,809	1,190
<b>Total Spain, etc.</b>	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,809	3,688
<b>Grand Total</b>	6,399	7,588	6,426	7,170	334,37	292,576

The following are the receipts of cotton at New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Baltimore for the last week, and since September 1, 1869:

RECEIPTS FROM	NEW YORK.		BOSTON.		PHILADELPHIA		BALTIMORE.	
	This week.	Since Sept. 1.	This week.	Since Sept. 1.	This week.	Since Sept. 1.	This week.	Since Sept. 1.
New Orleans.....	2,289	75,276	490	43,119	.....	3,390	.....	70
Texas.....	1,591	39,464	300	8,654	.....	722	.....	.....
Savannah.....	2,252	138,522	.....	17,739	280	15,166	20	13,303
Mobile.....	741	14,344	.....	9,119	.....	.....	.....	.....
Florida.....	89	6,763	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
South Carolina.....	2,815	101,526	.....	3,848	40	6,093	120	11,293
North Carolina.....	918	42,811	.....	128	8	1,052	5	2,759
Virginia.....	811	9,333	592	34,781	.....	92	330	32,459
North'n Ports.....	13	5,732	1,049	55,123	.....	6	163	368
Tennessee, &c.....	2,460	116,976	841	13,021	163	16,359	218	21,376
Foreign.....	.....	659	.....	216	.....	.....	.....	6
<b>Total this year</b>	13,979	632,006	3,279	190,792	203	42,881	556	54,640
<b>Total last year</b>	5,790	579,157	4,960	192,547	1,054	47,884	861	70,320

**SHIPPING NEWS.**—The exports of cotton from the United States the past week, as per latest mail returns, have reached 43,781 bales. So far as the Southern ports are concerned, these are the same exports reported by telegraph, and published in the CHRONICLE last Friday, except Galveston, and the figures for that port are the exports for two weeks back. With regard to New York, we include the manifest only up to Tuesday night, to make the figures correspond with the official week. Below we give a list of the vessels in which these shipments from all ports, both North and South, have been made:

	Total bales.
NEW YORK—To Liverpool, per steamers Java, 577....	Manhattan, 2,623
Holland, 533....	Dublin, 167....
City of Brussels, 492....	Pennsylvania, 171....
Calabria, 1,264....	Denmark, 366....
To Havre, per steamer Pereire, 133....	.....
To Bremen, per steamer Rhein, 316....	.....
To Hamburg, per steamer Hammonia, 111....	.....
To Amsterdam, per brig Zeebloem, 402....	.....
NEW ORLEANS—To Liverpool, per ships Advice, 4,020....	Geo. A. Holt, 3,629....
Duke of Wellington, 2,281....	Rosalie, 2,653....
Gettysburg, 2,303....	.....
To Havre, per ships Canova, 2,006....	Albert Gallatin, 3,539....
To Bremen, per ship Artisan, 2,083....	per bark Joshua Loring, 569....
MOBILE—To Liverpool, per ships Monsoon, 2,574....	Ben Nevis, 3,634....
per schooner C. S. Baylis, 1,305....	.....
CHARLESTON—To Liverpool, per bark Island Queen, 66	Sea Island and 1,037 Upland....
SAVANNAH—To Havre, per ship John Patten, 3,569	Upland and 32 S. I....
BALTIMORE—To Liverpool, per bark Black Prince, 271....	.....
BOSTON—To British Provinces, 30....	.....
<b>Total</b>	43,781

The particulars of these shipments, arranged in our usual form, are as follows:

	Liverpool.	Havre.	Bremen.	Ham-burg.	Ams'ter-dam.	British Prov's.	Total.
New York.....	6,203	138	316	111	402	.....	7,170
New Orleans.....	15,896	4,545	2,652	.....	.....	.....	24,093
Mobile.....	7,513	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,513
Charleston.....	1,103	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,103
Savannah.....	.....	3,601	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,661
Baltimore.....	271	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	271
Boston.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	30
<b>Total</b>	30,986	9,234	2,968	111	402	30	43,781

**GOLD EXCHANGE AND FREIGHTS.**—Gold has fluctuated the past week, between 114½ and 115, and the close to-night was 114½. Foreign Exchange has been firm to-day but only moderately active. The following were the latest quotations: London bankers, long, 109½@109½; short, 110½@110½, and commercial, 109@109½. Freights closed at ½d. by steam, and 3-16d by sail, to Liverpool; ¾c by steam, ½c by sail to Hamburg; ¾c by steam and ½c by sail to Bremen.

**BY TELEGRAPH FROM LIVERPOOL.**

LIVERPOOL, May 20th—5 P. M.—The market has generally been quiet, with some little firmness apparent early in the day. Sales foot up 10,000 bales, of which 2,000 were taken for speculation and export. The sales of the week have been 59,000 bales, of which 6,000 were taken for export, and 6,000 on speculation. The stock in port is estimated at 590,000 bales, of which 383,000 are American. The receipts of the week have been 121,000 bales, of which 95,000 were American. The stock of cotton at sea, bound to this port, is estimated at 311,000 bales, of which 122,000 bales were American. The shipments from Bombay since the last report to date were 28,000 bales.

	May 20.	May 13.	May 6.	April 29.
Total sales.....	59,000	83,000	61,000	67,000
Sales for export.....	6,000	7,000	5,000	9,000
Sales on speculation.....	6,000	17,000	7,000	8,000
Total stock.....	590,000	527,000	547,000	563,000
Stock of American.....	388,000	324,000	335,000	353,000
Total afloat.....	311,000	356,000	308,000	273,000
American afloat.....	122,000	180,000	180,000	163,000

Trade Report—The market for yarns and fabrics at Manchester is quiet, but firm.

The following table will show the daily closing prices for the week:

	Sat.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thur.	Fr.
Price Midd. Uplds.....	11½@11½	11½@11½	11½@11½	11½@11½	10½@11	10½@11
" Orleans.....	11½@11½	11½@11½	11½@11½	11½@11½	11½@11½	11½@11½
" U. D. to arrive.....	@	@	@	@	@	@

**EUROPEAN AND INDIAN COTTON MARKETS.**—In reference to these markets, our correspondent in London, writing under the date of May 7 states:

LIVERPOOL, May 7.—The following are the prices of middling qualities of cotton at this date and since 1867:

	1867.	1868.	1869.	1870.
Mid. Sea Isl'd 18d.	27d.	26d.	19d.	11½d.
Upland. 11	12½	11½	10½	11½
Mobile. 11½	12½	11½	10½	11½
Orleans. 11½	12½	12	10 13 16	11½
Mid. Pernamb	11½d.	12½d.	11½d.	11½d.
Egyptian. 12	10½	10½	9½	9½
Broach. 7½	9½	8½	8½	8½
Dholerah 7½	9½	8½	8½	8½

Since the commencement of the year the transactions on speculation and for export have been:

	—Taken on spec. to this date—		—Actual export from Liverpool, Hull and other outports to this date—		Actual exp't from U. K. in 1869
	1870.	1869.	1870.	1869.	1869.
American.....	85,710	82,750	175,190	30,413	183,000
Brazilian.....	6,460	14,140	37,980	17,260	61,800
Egyptian, &c.....	4,260	10,530	35,970	1,322	11,050
West Indian.....	730	300	3,180	3,190	11,540
East Indian.....	61,270	159,710	75,500	70,444	574,160
<b>Total</b>	158,430	267,430	327,820	122,629	791,550



The following statement shows the sales and imports of cotton for the week and year, and also the stocks on hand on Thursday evening last :

SALES, ETC., OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS.									
Sales this week.				Total	Same	Average			
Trade.	Ex- port.	Specu- tion.	Total.	this year.	period 1869.	weekly sales.	1870.	1869.	
American..bales.	29,590	2,380	4,520	36,490	555,170	465,470	24,780	19,110	
Brazilian.....	4,520	103	80	4,703	129,160	172,740	5,630	7,540	
Egyptian.....	2,580	80	20	2,680	71,880	83,210	3,960	3,850	
West Indian....	820	170		970	17,730	25,190	830	1,270	
East Indian...	11,030	2,590	2,350	15,970	394,980	536,570	12,110	14,500	
Total.....	48,540	5,250	6,970	60,763	1,169,020	1,283,180	47,310	46,570	
Imports									
To this date				Total.	Same				
This week.	1870.	1869.	1869.	1869.	This day.	1869.	1869.	Dec. 31.	
American.....	8,319	732,767	457,572	1,039,118	334,890	165,070	76,900		
Brazilian.....	8,232	141,139	200,334	499,251	48,600	62,320	24,370		
Egyptian.....	28	94,377	102,826	226,540	49,690	62,580	26,560		
West Indian...	16,271	17,795	28,516	89,027	6,760	6,450	6,130		
East Indian...		176,398	174,043	1,141,343	10,050	65,310	203,800		
Total.....	31,850	1,162,476	963,291	2,995,279	539,990	361,740	337,760		

Of the present stock of cotton in Liverpool, 62 per cent. is American, against 45.66 per cent last year. Of Indian cotton the proportion is nearly 2 per cent., against 18 per cent.

HAVRE, May 5.—The following figures are from Messrs. Siegfried & Co.'s circular, and extend from Jan. 1 to April 28 :

IMPORTS.				DELIVERIES.				STOCKS.				AT SEA.			
For week.	For the year.	Same period 1869.	1869.	For week.	For the year.	Same period 1869.	1869.	1870.	1869.	1870.	1869.	1870.	1869.	1870.	1869.
American.....	18,266	156,396	70,942	5,866	121,396	92,942	63,000	63,000	26,000	60,572	11,549				
Brazilian.....	23,107	27,235	850	16,547	27,095	9,200	3,500	2,573	2,296						
Indian.....	1,026	23,596	17,126	2,306	41,066	31,026	10,330	8,600	26,572	53,859					
Miscellaneous...	93	4,050	7,331	93	5,440	6,831	2,270	1,300							
Total.....	19,395	207,119	122,694	9,115	184,459	157,894	85,000	39,400	89,717	67,704					

## TOBACCO.

FRIDAY, P. M., May 20, 1870.

There is an increase in the exports of crude tobacco this week, the total from all the ports reaching 2,154 hhds, 666 cases, 170 bales, 6 tcs, and 163 hhds stems, against 1,573 hhds, 235 cases, and 2,245 bales for the previous seven days. Of these exports for this week 1,202 hhds, 655 cases, and 170 bales were from New York; 952 hhds, 5 tcs and 163 hhds from Baltimore, and 8 cases from Boston. The direction of the shipments of hhds was as follows: To Rotterdam, 871; to Cadiz and Gibraltar, 1,061; to Liverpool, 176; to London, 36, and the balance to different ports. During the same period the exports of manufactured tobacco reached 140,491 lbs., of which 49,911 lbs. were to Melbourne. The full particulars of the shipments from all the ports were as follows :

Exp'd this week from	Hhds.	Cases.	Bales.	Ceroons.	Hhds.	Man'd
New York.....	1,202	655	170		73	140,491
Baltimore.....	952			6	163	
Boston.....		8				17
Philadelphia.....						
New Orleans.....						
San Francisco.....		3			1	
Total.....	2,154	666	170	6	163	140,491
Total last week.....	1,573	325	2,245		198	238,161
Total previous week.....	376	608	613	372	39	191,886

The receipts of tobacco at New York this week, and since Nov. 1, have been as follows :

RECEIPTS AT NEW YORK SINCE NOVEMBER 1, 1869.					
From	This week	Previously	T'ls in Nov. 1		
	hhd.	pkgs.	hhd.	pkgs.	hhd.
Virginia.....	60	2,730	1,019	39,783	1,079
Baltimore.....	175	25	438	498	616
New Orleans.....	36	3	187	211	223
Ohio, &c.....	1,858	1,489	12,407	8,768	14,295
Other.....				442	
Total.....	2,162	4,247	14,051	49,707	16,213

The market has been fairly active for Tobacco the past week, at rather better prices, but closing unsettled.

The market for Kentucky Leaf has been active and firmer. The sales for the past week amount to about 1,400 hhds., of which 400 hhds. for export, the balance to dealers, jobbers, manufacturers, and embracing a large proportion of old cuttings, on which the movement partook somewhat of a speculative character, leading to higher prices, and we quote common to good Kentucky Leaf at 8@16c., the market closing somewhat excited.

Seed Leaf is wholly unsettled; prices are so high as to greatly reduce the export demand, but holders seem to give little heed to the circumstance. Sales include 400 cases Ohio, crop of 1869, on private terms; 117 cases Western, 15c, and 200 cases, in lots, to the trade, at a wide range of prices—10@15c. for fillers and 25@65c. for wrappers.

Spanish Tobacco is quiet, with sales 250 bales Havana, at 85 @ \$1.02.

Manufactured Tobacco is in good jobbing demand, with prices firmer, and showing an upward tendency.

The following are the exports of tobacco from New York for the past week :

## EXPORTS OF TOBACCO FROM NEW YORK.

	Hhds.	Cases.	Bales.	Pkgs.	Manuf'd
					lbs.
Liverpool.....	100	60			5,774
London.....	36				11,063
Glasgow.....					5,619
Bremen.....		394			
Hamburg.....			170		
Melbourne.....					49,911
Cadiz and Gibraltar.....	1,061	56			20,314
British N. A. Colonies.....					8,893
British West Ind es.....		3			1,159
British Guiana.....	2				
British Honduras.....	3				9,812
Cuba.....		48			16,899
Africa.....		44			11,547
Hayti.....					
China.....		50		73	
Total.....	1,202	655	170	73	140,491

The direction of the foreign exports for the week, from the other

ports, has been as follows :

From Baltimore—To Rotterdam, 871 hhds and 153 do stems....To Liverpool, 76 hhds and 6 tcs....To Montevideo and Buenos Ayres, 5 hhds.  
From Boston—To Port Spain, 4 cases....To Barbadoes, 2 cases, 17 boxes  
....To other British Provinces, 2 cases  
From San Francisco ...To Victoria, 2 cases ...To Honolulu, 1 pkg....To Mexican ports, 1 case.

## BREADSTUFFS.

FRIDAY, May 20, 1870, P. M.

The market showed a rapid decline till yesterday, when a slight but general reaction in favor of holders occurred, followed to-day by some irregularity.

Receipts of Flour continue on a liberal scale, while the export demand early in the week was materially curtailed. Advices from Great Britain were unsatisfactory, showing a decline of 9l. The receipts were largely in excess of the home demand, and there was no disposition to send to store; a decline of 20@25c. in prices necessarily followed, with shipping extras mostly going at \$5 per bbl. At this decline, with Wheat firm, and some demand from the Continent yesterday, a better demand sprang up. At to-day's market shippers were buying moderately, but the dullness of the local trade and the lower accounts from Liverpool weakened the market.

Wheat has ruled dull. A break in the Erie canal, near Utica, has prevented the arrival of expected supplies, pending which, the assortment is poor and buyers disposed to hold off. Liverpool quotations have declined 2d. The downward tendency from these causes was checked yesterday, however, by the presence of considerable orders from the Continent, but these executed, the market to-day was dull and lower. No. 2 Milwaukee sold at \$1.20, and poor No. 3 at \$1.04 with some rejected at 98c. The advices from the canal were that the break would be soon repaired.

O Rye, we have had several boat loads of Canada arrived, which were caught by the ice on the canal last fall. They sold at 90@92c. in bond, part for export.

Corn has arrived more freely, and rapidly declined until Wednesday, when prime new Western Mixed sold at \$1.10 and Yellow \$1.13, but yesterday the market was more steady, and to-day there was an advance 1@2c.

Oats broke down 2@3c, Western selling as low as 63c., in store, but the last two days have witnessed a revival of speculation, and prices closed firmer, but quite unsettled.

Barley has become scarce, and the business done has been at higher prices. Barley Malt is steady. There have been some arrivals of Canada Peas, and two boat loads—about 15,000 bushels—have been taken for Liverpool, at 95c, in bond.

The following are closing quotations :

Flour—						Wheat, Spring, per bush.					
Superfine.....	\$	bbl.	\$	40	4 00	Red Winter.....	1 26	1 28			
Extra State.....	5 00	5 20	Amberdo.....	1 29	1 32						
Extra Western, com-			White.....	1 45	1 65						
mon to good.....	4 90	5 10	White California.....								
Double Extra Western			Corn, Western Mix'd.....	1 07	1 14						
and St. Louis.....	5 25	8 75	Yellow, Southern new.....	1 16	1 17						
Southern supers.....	4 75	5 00	White, Southern, new.....								
Southern, extra and			Rye.....								
family.....	5 85	9 00	Oats.....	65	70						
California.....			Barley.....	80	1 00						
Rye Flour, superfine.....	5 40	5 85	Malt.....	55	1 00						
Corn Meal.....	5 00	5 75	Peas, Canada.....	95	1 15						

The movement in breadstuffs at this market has been as follows :

—RECEIPTS AT NEW YORK.—						—EXPORTS FROM NEW YORK.—					
1870.			1869.			1870.			1869.		
For the	Since	Same	For the	Since	Same	For the	Since	Same	For the	Since	Same
week.	Jan. 1.	time Jan.	week.	Jan. 1.	time Jan.	week.	Jan. 1.	time Jan.	week.	Jan. 1.	time Jan.
Flour, bbl's.	85,479	939,850	768,840	38,519	578,850	14,657	345,905				
C. meal, bls.	1,864	129,209	128,790	2,634	29,901	1,647	65,229				
Wheat, bush.	265,602	2,433,758	1,769,160	401,642	4,276,237	180,334	2,823,724				
Corn, bush..	99,128	897,821	2,192,135	301	94,047	67,717	1,287,636				
Rye, bush..		16,010	24,340		16,709						
Barley, bush.	21,046	505,053	718,180								
Oats, bush..	82,826	953,792	853,180		11,174	8	39,079				

The following tables, prepared for the CHRONICLE by Mr. E. H. Walker, of the New York Produce Exchange, show the grain in sight and the movement of breadstuffs to the latest mail dates :



## IN STORE IN NEW YORK AND BROOKLYN WAREHOUSES.

	1870. May 14.	1870. May 7.	1869. April 15.	1868. May 9.
Wheat, bush.....	965,786*	1,153,052	914,709	413,699
Corn, bush.....	76,207	110,829	275,265	1,079,922
Oats, bush.....	414,376	449,517	543,061	548,870
Barley, bush.....	113,490	123,043	11,352	8,438
Rye, bush.....	20,502	20,502	69,269	53,031
Peas, bush.....	2,296	2,996	34,319	13,101
Malt, bush.....	82,844	83,000	100,705	18,816
Total grain, bush.....	1,675,511	1,950,939	1,957,671	2,135,877
*Including 50,000 bushels of California.				

## RECEIPTS AT LAKE PORTS FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 14, 1870.

At	Flour. bbls. (196 lbs.)	Wheat. bush. (60 lbs.)	Corn. bush. (56 lbs.)	Oats. bush. (32 lbs.)	Barley. bush. (48 lbs.)	Rye. bush. (56 lbs.)
Chicago.....	29,460	292,624	374,447	148,255	19,301	12,739
Milwaukee.....	19,258	493,353	6,310	20,438	2,314	2,005
Toledo.....	13,138	53,280	55,580	13,130	.....	.....
Detroit.....	12,964	21,109	7,706	3,150	3,527	50
Cleveland.....	*6,250	12,850	4,900	16,050	890	250
Totals.....	81,070	873,216	448,913	201,073	25,942	15,041
Previous week.....	85,484	621,932	490,459	239,263	27,228	17,307
Correspond'g week, 69.	95,416	598,651	588,656	322,937	6,423	8,258
" " 68	77,784	611,876	580,942	241,725	4,422	4,824
" " 67.	57,755	272,355	846,665	256,300	25,052	11,513

## COMPARATIVE RECEIPTS at the same ports, for four years, from Jan. 1 to May 14:

	1870.	1869.	1868.	1867.
Flour, bbls.....	1,293,438	1,978,314	1,257,533	1,054,270
Wheat, bush.....	7,108,926	7,224,022	4,800,731	3,077,740
Corn, bush.....	5,066,792	10,045,870	10,378,293	7,760,135
Oats, bush.....	2,116,181	3,301,074	2,766,519	1,838,810
Barley, bush.....	573,060	377,469	370,040	486,370
Rye, bush.....	214,581	450,723	172,848	372,206
Total grain, bush.....	15,079,840	21,277,168	19,493,486	13,585,541

## And from August 1st, to and including May 14, for four years:

	1869-70.	1868-69.	1867-68.	1866-67.
Flour.....bbls.	3,593,969	4,522,483	3,562,121	3,226,929
Wheat.....bushels.	34,493,793	31,637,569	23,875,821	19,807,006
Corn.....	18,474,909	22,254,905	23,723,434	22,609,237
Oats.....	9,568,269	16,352,910	13,531,163	6,251,373
Barley.....	4,473,312	2,626,318	1,781,955	1,652,373
Rye.....	1,044,134	1,991,830	1,318,595	1,583,626
Total grain, bushels....	67,994,417	71,873,532	69,233,968	51,903,615

## COMPARATIVE SHIPMENTS of flour and grain from the ports of Chicago, Milwaukee, Toledo, and Cleveland, from Jan. 1 to May 14, inclusive, for four years:

	1870.	1869.	1868.	1867.
Flour.....bbls.	1,262,451	1,744,453	.....	.....
Wheat.....bush.	6,438,012	4,626,983	.....	.....
Corn.....	3,741,233	6,170,964	.....	.....
Oats.....	1,155,577	2,204,293	.....	.....
Barley.....	262,887	171,964	.....	.....
Rye.....	131,479	460,259	.....	.....
Total.....	11,729,188	13,634,454	.....	.....

## SHIPMENTS FROM SAME PORTS FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 14.

	Flour. bbls.	Wheat. bush.	Corn. bush.	Oats. bush.	Barley. bush.	Rye. bush.
Week ending May 14.....	91,955	1,280,707	483,121	104,051	21,752	4,692
Previous week.....	112,211	617,819	492,664	231,885	19,194	20,456
Cor. week, 1869.....	113,291	587,921	621,859	350,266	1,459	24,423

## GRAIN "IN SIGHT," MAY 14, 1870.

	Wheat. bush.	Corn. bush.	Oats. bush.	Barley. bush.	Rye. bush.
In store at New York.....	965,786	76,207	414,376	113,490	.....
In store at Buffalo.....	771,700	80,900	71,400	.....	.....
In store at Chicago.....	1,737,770	581,743	664,021	95,043	.....
In store at Milwaukee.....	1,220,000	3,621	37,797	4,641	.....
In store at Toledo.....	348,453	95,349	60,945	5,266	.....
In store at Detroit.....	26,924	8,308	16,506	7,709	.....
In store at Oswego.....	350,000	30,800	20,000	55,000	.....
In store at St. Louis.....	65,437	94,313	91,808	2,735	.....
Rail and water shipments from Chicago and Milwaukee & Toledo for week.....	1,375,363	493,131	104,348	21,752	.....

	Total in store and in transit	May 14.	6,861,433	1,454,372	1,481,201	305,641
" " "	May 7.	6,716,815	1,523,115	1,542,609	253,457	
" " "	April 30.	6,700,433	1,354,972	1,554,032	323,337	
" " "	April 23.	7,723,312	1,302,719	1,583,069	401,183	
" " "	April 16.	8,359,894	1,164,959	1,490,115	453,569	
" " "	April 9.	9,379,142	1,142,314	2,020,830	462,320	
" " "	April 2.	9,839,026	1,354,566	2,164,316	575,279	
" " "	Mar. 26.	9,874,191	1,448,363	2,265,870	476,932	

\*Estimated.

†Latest reports.

## GROCERIES.

FRIDAY EVENING, May 20, 1870.

Taking the aggregate business for the week, we again find that a very fair amount of goods has changed hands, without, however, making any great impression upon the accumulation, as in nearly all cases the arrivals have fully offset sales. Values have fluctuated to some extent, but no permanent advantage appears to have accrued to either buyer or seller, and in the leading markets a feverish, undecided tone is noticeable. Inland navigation is now restored, and a slight increase of orders has resulted therefrom, but buyers are not operating with the freedom anticipated, and many holders are less confident of an immediate outlet for their supplies, though all refrain from forcing trade, as such a course would, under the existing state of affairs, necessitate much lower rates. Coffee is held steadily, but at too high figures to meet a free response from consumers. Teas more active and fine qualities firmer. Sugars have sold fairly at a shade better rates, but buyers continue to cal-

culate closely to immediate wants. Spices firm. Molasses in very good demand, but all calls freely met, and on easy terms.

Imports for the week have not been very large in any department. Receipts of Rio Coffee amount to 10,906 bags, and two cargoes of tea have also come to hand.

The imports at New York for the week, and at the several ports since Jan. 1, are given below. The totals are as follows:

	At New York this week.	Total at all ports since January 1.
Tea.....lbs.	677,396	26,911,712
Tea (indirect import).....pkgs.	510	31,476
Coffee, Rio.....bags.	10,906	507,721
Coffee, other.....bags.	6,815	167,907
Sugar.....boxes.	4,832	187,120
Sugar.....hhd.	11,204	272,503
Sugar.....bags.	114	341,832
Molasses.....hhd.	3,177	172,812

## TEA.

The demand has been very good, at times showing some little activity, and the market continues in a generally steady condition. We learn of no speculative movement, and the business doing appears to be simply the result of the legitimate wants of the trade. On the general range of quotations no alterations are called for, but for really fine chops of Green there is a stronger feeling, as these qualities are particularly sought after, and though not exactly scarce, form the smallest proportion of the assortment, which otherwise is fully up to the wants of the hour, and liberal in quantity. Invoices have sold to the extent of 5,742 Greens, 6,697 Japans, and 4,950 Oolongs.

Imports of tea have included 320,700 lbs. Japans per "Westbury," from Yokohama, and 356,636 lbs. of black per "Marguerita," from Amoy; also, 510 packages per European steamers.

The following table shows the comparative shipments of Tea from China and Japan to the United States from June 1 to March 21, in two years, and importations into the United States (not including San Francisco), from January 1 to date, in 1869 to 1870:

	SHIPMENTS FROM CHINA & JAPAN FROM JUNE 1 TO MARCH 21.	IMPORTS FROM CHINA & JAPAN INTO THE U. S. SINCE JAN. 1.
	1869-70.	1868-69.
Black.....	12,507,269	11,350,673
Green.....	17,208,003	15,996,605
Japan.....	7,351,523	10,011,653
Total.....	37,066,805	37,358,931

The indirect importations, including receipts by P. M. Steamers via Aspinwall, have been 21,496 pkgs since January 1, against 15,293 last year.

## COFFEE.

Holders of the stock of Brazils do not appear to have lost confidence to any extent since our last, not enough at least to induce a modification of view, and few invoices or cargoes can be bought upon terms easier than those current one week ago. The demand, however, has proved far from active or encouraging, and it is becoming evident that the interior is either better supplied with goods than was anticipated, or that the consumption is greatly curtailed by the higher cost. Jobbers all report a small distributive trade, and a very cautious spirit on the part of buyers. The stocks now here in first hands cannot be called large and the arrivals are slow, but enough to add somewhat to the accumulation. At the auction sale of Santos fair prices were obtained, but only about one-half of the offering sold. West India styles remain comparatively quiet, as most of the trade are fairly stocked, but the general range of values is well supported and holders are indifferent operators. Java is firmer at an advance of  $\frac{1}{2}$  @  $\frac{3}{4}$  c per lb. and selling quite freely, though jobbers are doing the bulk of the business from the liberal purchases recently made in neighboring cities. Sales of 16,601 bags Rio and Santos (including auction); 875 bags Meracaibo; 200 Costa Rica; 100 Savanilla, and 4,000 mats Java.

Arrivals of Coffee for the week have included the following cargoes of Rio: Lienen, 3,600 bags; steamer Hammonia, 1,045 bags; steamer Hansa, 4,522 bags; steamer Donan, 1,739 bags. The Rio steamer North America also arrived today, but details of her cargo or mails were not received in the city. Imports of other sorts have been 1,000 mats, per Clydesdale, from Singapore, and 10,198 mats, per Rocket, from Singapore; also, 1,246 bags of sundries.

The stock of Rio, May 19, and the imports since January 1 are as follows:

	New York.	Phila.	Balti.	New Orleans.	Savan. & Gal.	Total.
In Bags.....	28,468	9,893	2,000	6,000	.....	46,361
Stock.....	99,061	40,200	19,000	6,500	.....	164,561
Same date 1869.....	225,189	185,128	76,602	20,802	8,015	577,721
Imports.....	318,200	8,200	117,193	64,668	15,435	526,516

Of other sorts the stock at New York, May 19, and the imports at the several ports since January 1 were as follows:

	New York.	Boston.	Phila.	Balti.	N. Orleans.	Total.
In bags.....	33,022	36,499	.....	3,118	.....	72,639
Java and Singapore.....	790	.....	.....	.....	.....	790
Ceylon.....	650	.....	500	.....	.....	1,150
Maracaibo.....	7,674	41,497	.....	.....	.....	49,171
Laguayra.....	1,351	5,809	3,052	.....	.....	10,212
St. Domingo.....	27,899	5,355	.....	.....	.....	33,254
Other.....	4,402	166	400	360	119	5,347
Total.....	14,977	117,768	41,990	3,952	3,478	167,307
Same time, 1869.....	34,215	135,582	27,866	18,556	300	186,519

\* Includes mats, &c., reduced to bags. † Also, 36,918 mats.

## SUGAR.

Importers and holders generally of raw sugars have continued to express a feeling of confidence in the future, and a large proportion of the receipts have again been placed in store to await the anticipated reaction. Enough stock has been available, however, to meet all outlet, and in one or two cases odd parcels on pier were rather forced for sale. Early in the week the demand was quite slack, but subsequently improved both on local account and to supply orders from Philadelphia refiners, imparting for the time being a more steady feeling, but prices have lacked a healthy and uniform tone, as a rule, and it was very evident that all purchases were based largely if not solely upon immediate necessities. In fact, buyers claim that the distributive call does not warrant them in laying in any larger supplies than months ago, and that notwithstanding prices are comparatively low and sellers resisting a decline with great tenacity, the immense and constantly increasing stocks make it quite a safe matter to postpone operations until consumers manifest a desire to handle more goods than at present. Refiners continue to show a decided predilection for fair grades, and "fair refining" has ruled relatively stronger than other qualities. Grocery grades have sold to some extent, but not freely. At the close the general market shows a more steady tone, and is quite active. Refined goods have sold with comparative freedom and ruled steady, particularly Hards, of which the supply was small. The movement in raws embraces 8,259 hhd. Cuba, 1,213 hhd.



Porto Rico, 208 hhds. Martinique, 200 hhds. Demerara, 35 hhds. St. Croix, 3,594 boxes Havana, and 459 hhds. Melado.

Imports at New York, and stock in first hands, May 19, were as follows:

	Cuba, bxs.	Cuba, *hhds.	P. Rico, *hhds.	Other, *hhds.	Brazil, bags.	Manila, bags.	Melado, hhds.
Imports this week...	4,32	8,088	441	571	114	146,632	2,101
since Jan. 1 117,894	129,516	13,372	14,760	54,358	104,194	11,628	11,628
same time, '69 230,033	135,232	8,596	18,156	61,883	83,080		
Stock in first hands..	103,030	92,481		335,463	2,530		
Same time 1869.....	135,008	83,039		104,194	1,653		
" 1868.....	31,236	46,446		15,580			

HAVANA, May 14.—The *Weekly Report* says: "Sugar.—Clayed.—The quotations per cable from London and New York were the same as last week, and our planters have continued to exact previous prices. In spite of this, the market has exhibited more activity for all grades, and since last issue about 35,000 boxes have changed hands. Notwithstanding that the stocks at this date are in excess of those at same time last year, the scarcity of fine goods is felt to some extent, and holders are so firm in their pretensions that fancy prices have to be granted in some instances in order to obtain them. There are very few estates still working."

Shipments this week from Havana and Matanzas have been as follows:

To	Boxes.	Hhds.	To	Boxes.	Hhds.
New York.....	9,249	4,446	Philadelphia.....	65	281
Boston.....	824	971	Baltimore.....	1,700	169
Portland.....	86	703	New Orleans.....	457	400
Total export of the week to all countries.....				48,347	9,657

The general movement at both ports has been as follows:

	Rec'ts this w'k	Exports since January 1	Stock at date
	Boxes. Hhds.	Boxes. Hhds.	Boxes. Hhds.
1870.....	57,082 3,924	188,441 72,570	553,826 26,597
1869.....	78,050 5,212	324,076 55,148	339,382 17,198
1868.....	79,747 4,523	221,476 49,776	465,953 14,434

### MOLASSES.

There has been rather more animation in both the grocery and boiling qualities, the demand for the latter, including a few orders from neighboring coastwise markets. Very fair prices were obtained, and with the supply of the above grades, now somewhat reduced, the general tone is comparatively steady. Holders, however, have shown no reluctance about selling where a decided concession was necessary, and few opportunities to dispose of cargoes have been allowed to pass by. The condition of the market for the common or distilling qualities may again be summed up in the now almost stereotyped report, "entirely neglected and values nominally unchanged." For New Orleans stock the demand continues good, and a few jobbers are calling in parcels from the interior to break up and redistribute to their regular trade at full prices. Sales are reported of 1,575 hhds. Cuba Muscovado, 1,100 hhds. Cuba Clayed, 900 hhds. Porto Rico, 320 hhds. Trinidad P. S., 100 hhds. Barbadoes, and 250 bbls. New Orleans.

The receipts at New York, and stock in first hands, May 19, were as follows:

	Cuba, *hhds.	P. Rico, *hhds.	Demerara, *hhds.	Other, *hhds.	N. O. bbls.
Imports this week...	1,929	356	892	9,121	14,134
since Jan. 1.....	53,316	10,401	3,166	3,127	
same time 1869.....	69,128	7,903	5,725	6,874	
Stock in first hands.....	16,284	1,373	1,791		
same time '69.....	9,137	475	4,077	600	
same time '68.....	7,663	2,260	2,182		

### Imports of Sugar & Molasses at leading ports since Jan. 1.

The imports of sugar (including Melado), and of Molasses at the leading ports from January 1 to date, have been as follows:

	Sugar	Molasses
	Boxes. Hhds.	Boxes. Hhds.
New York.....	117,894 230,033	160,871 162,284
Boston.....	16,025 14,683	201,993 197,350
Philadelphia.....	16,966 28,794	92,528 28,323
Baltimore.....	21,808 39,794	32,043 25,080
New Orleans.....	15,889 54,854	26,418 23,561
Total.....	187,120 356,172	272,503 258,339
		341,832 249,234
		172,812 187,960

\* Including tierces and barrels reduced to hhds.

### SPICES.

There is nothing that is really new or particularly interesting to present in this market, no goods being available except at very full figures, and as the stocks are evidently under thorough control, holders are indifferent about operating except upon their own terms. Jobbers are the principal holders and are evidently seeking to concentrate as much as possible the desirable cargoes en route for this country. No large invoice sales are reported.

### FRUITS.

During the first three days immediately following our last report, the market for foreign dried was heavy, and importers were disposed to accept lower prices. Since, however, there has been an improved feeling caused by small receipts and prospects of an entire falling off, if prices remained as at present, below cost of importation. Dealers buying heretofore only enough for immediate wants, on realizing this have come in and bought quite largely, consequently there has been an improvement in prices, New Layers advancing from \$3.87½ to 3.95@4.00, and most other articles on our list proportionately. A lot of 2,000 boxes old Layers (said to be the last lot of prime) sold to-day at \$3.00 per box. The new crop of Tamarinds is reported to be less than half as large as the average. Firecrackers have sold freely since our last, and a further advance has been established, sales at \$2.55 per box and \$1.30 for halves.

Domestic Dried have come forward rather slowly during the past week, but the demand continues limited for all descriptions except choice apples, for which there is a ready sale at pretty steady prices. Unpeeled Peaches are dull and freely offered, some sales have been made of prime halves as low as 6½c. Prime pared Peaches are in request but are scarce and our outside price is readily paid by dealers when a lot is offered; the poorer qualities are not much wanted and sell at low prices. Pitted Cherries, if dry, sell well at full quotations, but much wet stock has been sold at 17@18c. Blackberries are without movement, the parties who bought largely sometime ago on speculation can hardly come out whole, the season being so far advanced, and fresh goods so plenty, that there is no demand, and our quotations are merely nominal, there being no sales reported other than in a retail way. Peanuts have moved freely and at advanced prices, prime Wilingtons having sold at the close at \$2.25 per bushel. Foreign green fruits continue to come in freely from the West Indies, but meet with ready sale at about the prices current last week. Pine Apples sell at \$12½@15 per C. Bananas at \$1.50@2.50 per bunch. Baracoa Cocoanuts at \$35@38 per M., and Cartagena at \$70@75. Mediterranean are taken quickly as soon as they arrive. At auction, to-day, Messina Oranges

brought \$3.25@4.90 per box, and do. Lemons \$4.20@4.25 per box. We quote jobbers prices from store, as follows: Messina Oranges, selected, \$4.50@5.00 per box; Repacked, \$5.25@5.50; Lemons, late cut, \$2.25@3.75, and November cut, \$4.40@4.60 per box. In Domestic green, a few ice-house Russett Apples have come forward and sold readily at \$5.00 per bbl., several hundred bbls. have been shipped on orders during the past week to Southern ports; the stock on hand is about 8,000 bbls. Strawberries are becoming plenty and sell at 30@35c. per quart for good, a few extras sold to-day from 40@50c. Canned goods have sold better the past week, and the price, though already down to about cost, has been shaded by dealers who prefer selling at a slight loss, to carrying over when the probability is that they will be able to replace at as low a price next year.

We annex ruling quotations in first hands. On the purchase of small lots prices are a fraction higher.

### Tea.

New Crop.	(Duty paid)	New Crop.	(Duty paid)
Hyson, Common to fair.....	65 @ 75	H. Sk. & Tw'ky Ex. f. to fin'st	70 @ 75
do Superior to fine.....	80 @ 95	Uncl. Japan, Com. to fair.....	73 @ 73
do Ex. fine to finest.....	1 05 @ 1 30	do Sup'r to fin.....	80 @ 90
Young Hyson, Com. to fair.....	65 @ 75	do do Ex. f. to finest.....	95 @ 1 15
do do Super. to fine.....	75 @ 1 10	Oolong, Common to fair.....	60 @ 70
do do Ex. fine to finest.....	1 25 @ 1 60	do do Superior to fine.....	75 @ 95
Gunp. & Imp., Com. to fair.....	75 @ 90	do do Ex. fine to finest.....	1 05 @ 1 40
do do Sup. to fine.....	1 15 @ 1 30	Sou. & Cong., Com. to fair.....	69 @ 70
do do Ex. fine to finest.....	1 40 @ 1 75	do do Sup'r to fine.....	75 @ 90
Hyson Sk. & Tw. C. to fair.....	58 @ 63	do do Ex. f. to finest.....	1 00 @ 1 30
do do Sup. to fine.....	65 @ 68		

### Coffee.

Rio Prime, duty paid.....	gold. 17½@18½	Native Ceylon.....	gold. 17½@19
do good.....	gold. 16½@17½	Maracaibo.....	gold. 17 @ 19
do fair.....	gold. 15½@16½	Laguayra.....	gold. 17 @ 19
do ordinary.....	gold. 15 @ 15½	St. Domingo, in bond.....	gold. 9½@10
Java, mats and bags.....	gold. 20½@22½	Jamaica.....	gold. 15 @ 16½

### Sugar.

Cuba, inf. to com. refining.....	8½@8¾	Havana, Box, white.....	11½@12½
do fair to good refining.....	9 @ 9½	Porto Rico, refining grades.....	8½@9¾
do prime.....	9½@10	do do grocery grades.....	9½@10½
do fair to good grocery.....	9½@9¾	Brazil, bags.....	8½@9¾
do pr. to choice grocery.....	9½@10½	Manila, bags.....	8½@8¾
do centrifugal, hhds. & bxs.....	8½@10½	White Sugars, A.....	12½@12¾
do Melado.....	4½@7½	do do B.....	11½@12½
do mo.asses.....	8 @ 9	do do extra C.....	11½@11¾
Hav'a, Box, D. S. Nos. 7 to 9.....	8½@9½	Yellow sugars.....	11 @ 11½
do do do 10 to 12.....	9½@9¾	Crushed and granulated.....	11 @ 11½
do do do 13 to 15.....	10½@10¾	Powdered.....	12½@12¾
do do do 16 to 18.....	11½@11¾	Clarified, different refineries.....	@ 12½
do do do 19 to 20.....	12½@12¾		

### Molasses.

New Orleans (new).....	79 @ 1 00	Cuba centrifugal.....	30 @ 33
Porto Rico (new).....	40 @ 65	Old Crop Cuba.....	20 @ 28
Cuba Muscovado (new).....	38 @ 44	English Islands (new).....	30 @ 50
Cuba Clayed (new).....	35 @ 39		

### Rice.

Raigoon, dressed, gold in bond 3 @ 3½	Carolina.....	6¾ @ 7½
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### Spices.

Cassia Batavia.....	gold 46½@47	Pepper, in bond.....(gold)	11½@12
Cassia, in mats.....	do 47 @	Pepper, Singapore.....	27 @ 27½
Ginger, race and Af (gold).....	11½@12	do Sumatra.....	26½@27½
Mace.....	do 1 20 @ 1 23	Pimento, Jamaica.....(gold)	18½@19
Nutmegs, casks.....	1 02 @ 1 04	do in bond.....	do 4
do cases Penang.....	1 04 @ 1 05	Cloves.....	do 25½@26

### Fruits and Nuts.

Raisins, Seedless, new ½ mat.....	@ 7 75	Brazil Nuts.....	7½@8
do Layer, old, ½ box.....	2 80 @ 3 00	Filberts, Sicily.....	12 @ 13
do Layer, new, ½ box.....	3 95 @ 4 00	do Barcelona.....	@ 11
do Valencia, ½ b.....	15 @	African Peanuts.....	@ 11
do London Layer.....	@ 4 50	Walnuts, Bordeaux, new.....	9 @ 11
Currents.....	½ b. 11½@	acaroni, Italian.....	14 @ 15½
Citron, Leghorn.....	41 @ 42	Fire Crack, best No. 1 ½ box	2 25 @
Prunes, Turkish, old.....	@ 9½	DOMESTIC DRIED FRUITS.	
Prunes, Turkish, new.....	13½@14	Apples, State.....	7 @ 8½
Prunelles.....	16 @	do Western.....	6 @ 7
Dates.....	@ 6	do Southern.....	5 @ 8
Figs, Smyrna.....	½ b. 11 @ 17	do sliced.....	10 @ 12
Cherries, German.....	10 @ 11	Peaches, pared, East Shore.....	24 @ 25
Canton Ginger.....	@ 10½	do do Georgia.....	18 @ 22
Almonds, Languedoc.....	23 @	do unpared, hys & qrs.....	6½@8
do Provence.....	20 @	Blackberries.....	11½@12½
do Ivica.....	@ 21½	Cherries pitted.....	18 @ 22
do Sicily, soft shell.....	16 @	Pecan Nuts.....	11 @ 12
do Shelled, Spanish.....	35 @ 38	Hickory Nuts.....	1 bush. 1 00 @ 1 10
do paper shell.....	50 @	Peanuts, Va. g'd to fine do	2 00 @ 2 25
Sardines.....	½ hf. box. 27½@28	do com. to fair do	1 25 @ 2 00
Sardines.....	qr. box. 15½@16	do Wil. g'd to best do	1 50 @ 2 25

### Grocers' Drugs and Sundries.

Alum.....	@ 3½	Sic. Licorice.....	16 @ 17
Bi-Carb, Soda.....	@ 4½	Calabra Imitation.....	@ 21
Borax.....	30 @ 31	Madder.....	gold. 10 @ 12
Sal Soda, Cask.....	2½@2½	Indigo, Madras.....	gold. 1 20 @ 1 25
Sulphur.....	@ 4½	do Manila.....	gold. 80 @ 1 10
Saltpetre.....	10 @ 16	Cordage, Manila, ½ and ¾.....	22½@23
Copperas.....	1½@2	do do Large sizes.....	@ 22
Camphor, in bbls.....	75 @ 76	Sisal.....	@ 20
Castile Soaps.....	12½@12½	do Bed Cords.....	1 75 @ 2 50
Epsom Salts.....	3½@4	Jute do.....	1 50 @ 2 50

## THE DRY GOODS TRADE.

FRIDAY, P. M., May 20, 1870.

The market has presented a slight increase in the volume of business this week. The storm of the previous week served to keep back the country trade, and at the time of our last report there were but few buyers in town. Many of the buyers from the near South appear in the city for the second time, and some are even making their third visit. With the more remote sections of the South business has been done largely by orders. The current trade is only moderate in extent, and is confined to such styles and fabrics as are most seasonable. The chief call is for staple cotton goods and thin dress fabrics.

The woolen trade improves slowly, as the business of clothiers increases. There is some demand on jobbers for light weights, both in faced goods and cassimeres, to supply the wants of the tailors, the most active inquiry being for cheviots, both plain and in colors, and plain and fancy trowserings.

The general market is without notable change in any particular. The prices of some heavy cotton fabrics have been shaded a trifle, with the hope of stimulating sales. The greater portion of our list, however, remains unchanged, and quotations are apparent



well maintained. As the season draws to a close fewer fluctuations are looked for, and but few seem imminent, unless brought about by unsteadiness in the raw material.

Imported fabrics are not active, but a moderate trade continues in seasonable goods.

The exports of dry goods for the past week, and since January 1, 1870, and the total for the same time in several previous years are shown in the following table:

	FROM NEW YORK.		FROM BOSTON	
	Domestics. pkgs.	Val.	Dry Goods. packages.	Domestics. pkgs.
Total for week....	817	\$18,046	29	\$9,430
Since Jan. 1, 1870....	5,520	717,009	1,260	343,102
Same time 1869....	9,670	1,011,050	1,247	220,714
" " 1868....	11,126	1,041,083	1,858	636,140
" " 1867....	2,309	328,083	2,383	501,580
" " 1866....	871	144,482	913	368,673
" " 1860....	29,082	....	....	21,318

We annex a few particulars of leading articles of domestic manufacture, our prices quoted being those of the leading Jobbers:

**BROWN SHEETINGS AND SHIRTINGS.**—There appears to be little new or worthy of record in the market for unbleached goods. The movements from first hands are fair, although confined chiefly to the favorite makes of standard goods. Jobbers are placing small lots of standard and medium grades, the bulk of the trade being in the former. The stock of standards is limited, and some makes are reported as still sold ahead of production. Medium and lower grades have accumulated to some extent, and agents have, in some instances, reduced prices, with a view to forcing movements. Agawam F 36 11½, Amoskeag A 36 14½, do B 36 14, Atlantic A 36 15, do D 12½, do H 14½, do P 36 12, do L 36 13, do V 33 12½, do N 30 10½, Appleton A 36 15, Augusta 36 14, do 30 13, Broadway 36 12, Bedford R 30 8½, Boot H 27 11, do O 34 11½, do S 40 12½, do W 45 18½, Commonwealth O 27 8, Grafton A 27 8½, Graniteville AA 36 16, do EE 36 15, Great Falls M 36 12, do S 33 11, Indian Head 36 15, do 30 13, Indian Orchard A 40 13½, do C 36 12, do BB 36 11, do W 34 10, do NN 36 14½, Laconia O 29 14½, do B 37 13, do E 36 11½, Lawrence A 36 11½, do C 36 —, do F 36 13, do G 34 12, do H 27 10, do LL 36 12, Lyman O 36 13, do E 36 14½, Massachusetts E 33 11½, do J 30 12, Medford 36 15, Nashua fine 33 13, do 36 15, do E 40 17, Newmarket A 12½, Pacific extra 36 14½, do H 36 14½, do L 36 13, Pepperell 7-4 30, do 8-4 35, do 9-4 40, do 10-4 45, do 11-4 50, Pepperell E fine 39 13½, do R 36 12½, do O 33 11½, do N 30 10½, Pocasset F 30 8½, do K 36 13½, do Canoe 40 15, Saranac fine O 33 13, do R 36 15, do E 39 17, Sigourney 36 10½, Stark A 36 14½, Swift River 36 11, Tiger 27 8½.

**BLEACHED SHEETINGS AND SHIRTINGS.**—There is a fair degree of activity attending the distribution of these goods, and the volume of trade has apparently been fully up to that of the previous week. The inquiry is principally for favorite and staple makes, inferior grades meeting slow sale, at weaker and, for some brands, reduced prices. Agents for some of the leading makes experience not a little difficulty in keeping a supply sufficient to fill their orders, while the less favorably known marks are allowed to accumulate in excessive quantities. Several changes will be found in our list of these goods, but the market is quite firm at the close. Amoskeag 46 19, do 42 17, do 54 20, do A 36 15½, do Z 24 11, American A 36 12½, Androscoggin L 36 16, Arkwright WT 36 17½, Auburn —, Atlantic Cambric 36 21, Ballou & Son 36 13½, do 31 11, Bartlett's 36 15, do 33 14, do 31 13, Bates XX 36 17, do B 33 14, Blackstone 36 14½, do D 37 13½, Boot B 36 15, do C 33 13½, do E 36 12, do H 28 11½, do O 30 11½, do R 23 9, do W 45 19, Clarks 36 20, Dwight 40 21, Ellerton 10-4 39½-45, Forestdale 36 15, Fruit of the Loom 36 17, Globe 27 8, Gold Medal 36 14, Green Mfg Co 36 10½, do 31 10, Great Falls Q 36 16½, do J 33 —, do S 31 11½, do A 32 12, Hill's Semp. Idem 36 16, do 33 14½, Hope 36 14, James 36 15, do 33 13½, do 31 —, Lawrence B 36 13½, Lonsdale 36 17, Masonville 36 17, Newmarket C 36 13½, New York Mills 36 24, Pepperell 6-4 30, do 8-4 40, do 9-4 45, do 10-4 50, Rosebuds 36 15, Red Bank 36 11, do 33 10½, Slater J. & W. 36 —, Tuscarora 36 19, Utica 5-4 30, do 6-4 35, do 9-4 60, do 10-4 65, Waltham X 33 13½, do 42 18, do 6-4 30, do 8-4 40, do 9-4 45, do 10-4 50, Wamsutta 45 29, do 40½ 26, do 36 21½, Washington 33 9½.

**PRINTS.**—The active demand for all dress goods has helped to support the movements in Prints, although there seems to have been rather less business done than during the previous week. There have been no important changes in these goods, and prices remain about the same as at the time of our last report. Cambric styles are well sold out of the market, and some of the leading manufacturers find difficulty in supplying the demand. Other fine effects are in fair request, and stocks are kept well sold down to the requirements of the trade. Albion solid 11, Albion ruby 11½, Allens 11, pinks 12, Arnolds 9, Atlantic 6½, Dunnell's 12, Hamilton 11½, Hope 7, Lancaster 10½, London mourning 10, Mallory 11½, Manchester 11½, Merrimac D 12, do pink and purple 14, do W 13½, Oriental 10½, Pacific 11½, Richmond's 11½, Simpson Mourning 10½, Sprague's pink 12, do blue and White 11, do shirtings 10½, Wamsutta 7@7½.

**PRINTING CLOTHS.**—There is a steady demand for these goods, and no diminution is reported in the amount of sales. Prices are firm and unchanged. At Fall River the market is quiet but firm at 6½c for Standards and 7c for Extras.

**COTTON DRILLS.**—The export inquiry for these goods is light, but a steady trade for home distribution continues. Prices are unchanged. Amoskeag 15½, Augusta 16, Graniteville D 16, Hamilton 16, Laconia 15½, Pepperell 15, Stark A 15, do H 14.

**GINGHAMS.**—There is some inquiry for the best makes, which meet a fair sale at unchanged quotations. Marked concessions are offered in most of the inferior brands. Amoskeag, 17; Bates, 17; Caledonia, 11; Clyde, 11; Earleton, extra, 22½; Glasgow, 15; Gloucester, 14½; Hadley, 14; Hampden, 16; Hartford, 12½; Lancaster, 17; Lancashire, 15; Pequa, 12½; Park Mills, 14; Quaker City, 14; Roanoke, 12½; Union, 12½.

**MOUSSELINE DE LAINES.**—A steady but light trade continues in

these goods, and the movements are apparently satisfactory for the season. Prices are unchanged. Hamilton, 17; Lowell, 17; Manchester, 17; do all wool, 37½; Pacific, 17; do Armures, 18; do plain, 18; do Robe de C, 20; do plain Oriental, 17; do Anilines, 20; do Serges, 21; do Alpaca, 21; do do 6-4, 23½; Percales 4 4, 23½; Lustres, 17.

**PRINTED LAWN AND PERCALES.**—The demand for Lawns has been quite heavy during the week, and fair quantities have been placed. In Percales there is a steady trade, with fair aggregate movements of the favorite marks. Merrimack and Dunnell Percales were reduced by jobbers to 18c, at which price they have met free distribution.

**OTHER COTTON GOODS** seem to be without noteworthy feature. There is but little demand for heavy goods, but staple fabrics are in steady request and unchanged, and quotations are generally firmly maintained.

**CHECKS.**—Caledonia 70 26, do 50 27½, do 12 26½, do 10 23, do 8 18, do 11 22½, do 15 27½, Cumberland 15, Jos Greens, 55 16½, do 65 18½, Kennebeck 24, Lanark, No. 2, 10, Medford 13, Mech's No. A 1 29, do 85 18, Miners 10 24, do 50 25, do 8 19, Park No. 60 17½, do 70 19½, do 80 21½, do 90 25, do 100 26, Pequa No. 1,200 13½, do 1,600 17½, do 2,000 25, do 2,800 27½, Star Mills 12 16, do 18 18, do 20 20½, Union No. 20 24, do 50 26, do 18 22, Watts No 80 16.

**TICKINGS.**—Albany 10½, American 14½, Amoskeag A C A 34, do A 27, do B 22, do C 20, do D 18, Blackstone River 15, Conestoga extra 32 25, do do 36 30, Cordis AAA 28, do BB 16½, Hamilton 22½, Lewiston A 36 34, do A 31 29, do A 30 27, do B 30 25, Mecs. & Wkm's 29, Pearl River 30, Pemberton AA 24, do E 17, Swift River 15, Thorndike A 16, Whittendon A 22½, Willow Brook No. 1 27, York 30 25, do 32 31.

**STRIPES.**—Albany 10½, Algodon 16½, American 13-14, Amoskeag 21-22, Boston 12½, Hamilton 20-21, Haymaker 15, Sheridan A 12½, do G 13, Uncasville A 14-15, do B 13-14, Whittenton AA 22½, do BB 17, do C 15, York 23.

**DENIMS.**—Amoskeag 30, Bedford 19, Beaver Cr. CC —, Columbian heavy 28, Haymaker Bro. 16½, Manchester 20, Otis AXA 25, do BB 23, do CC 20, York 30.

**COTTON BAGS.**—American \$37 50, Androscoggin \$40 00, Arkwright A \$40 00, Great Falls A \$40 00, Lewiston \$40 00, Stark A \$42 50, do C 3 bush \$60 00, Union \$27 50.

**CORSET JEANS.**—Amoskeag 12½, Androscoggin 13½, Bates 10½, Everett's 15½, Indian Orchard Imp. 11½, Laconia 12½, Naumkeag —, Newmarket 11½, Washington satteen 16.

**CARPETS.**—Tap Brussels, \$1 47; English Brussels, \$2 05 @ 2 25; Roxbury Tap Brussels, \$1 35; Body Tap Bigelow, \$2 00; Lowell extra 3-ply, \$1 42½; do. extra super, \$1 15; do. super, \$1; Hartford Carpet Co., extra 3-ply, \$1 50; do. imported 3-ply, \$1 42½; do. superfine, \$1 12½; do. medium superfine, \$1 00; do. body Brussels 5-frame, \$2 10; do. body Brussels 4-frame, \$1 90; do. body Brussels 3-frame, \$1 89; Ingrains, Philadelphia makes, 70c. @ \$1 00; do. cotton warp, 50c.

**WOOLEN GOODS.**—There has been a fair demand for heavy-faced goods, chiefly in medium and low grades, the distribution of high qualities having hardly begun. There seems to be a growing request for medium-priced coatings at from \$3 50 to \$4 50 per yard, and the mills which furnish these goods are placing them freely. Cassimeres are a trifle more active, although movements in heavy goods have, as yet, been light. Agents are receiving new styles of taking designs for the late trade, but these are at the present only shown as bait. Prices are without quotable change.

**FOREIGN GOODS.**—The business in this department is progressing favorably, and the volume of trade, although not heavy, is fair for the season, and compares favorably with that of any past year. The leading feature of the market at present is their dress effects in Grenadines, Lawns, &c. In these goods there have been considerable advances in first hands, Japanese Poplins, which were offered by jobbers early in the season at 22½c, being now held by importers at 27@30c; like advances are also noticeable in nearly all of the seasonable fabrics. Silks are still quite active, especially in black Gros Grain, which are held at firm and somewhat higher prices. Imported Linens are quiet and inactive, although firm, at unchanged prices.

#### IMPORTATIONS OF DRY GOODS AT THE PORT OF NEW YORK.

The importations of dry goods at this port for the week ending May 19, 1870, and the corresponding weeks of 1868 and 1869, have been as follows:

ENTERED FOR CONSUMPTION FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 19, 1870.					
	1868.		1869.		1870.
	Pkgs.	Value.	Pkgs.	Value.	Pkgs. Value.
Manufactures of wool...	673	\$208,280	851	\$282,717	714 \$257,951
do cotton...	825	221,962	904	254,107	894 243,413
do silk....	585	297,688	445	400,599	632 549,855
do flax....	700	161,262	938	212,941	837 200,228
Miscellaneous dry goods.	195	62,317	300	68,283	385 136,069
Total.....	2,978	\$951,509	3,438	\$1,218,647	3,512 \$1,378,514
WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE AND THROWN INTO THE MARKET DURING THE SAME PERIOD.					
Manufactures of wool...	362	\$127,937	334	\$111,903	445 \$165,818
do cotton...	178	42,653	220	52,401	397 105,448
do silk....	70	78,503	60	59,981	81 77,740
do flax....	356	60,810	396	83,795	337 71,902
Miscellaneous dry goods.	1,070	30,142	1,239	24,224	1,664 23,862
Total.....	2,036	\$335,038	2,249	\$335,303	2,924 \$444,760
Add entered for consumption.	2,978	951,509	3,438	1,218,647	3,512 1,378,514
Totalth'w'n upon m'rkt	5,014	\$1,286,541	5,687	\$1,553,950	6,436 \$1,823,274
ENTERED FOR WAREHOUSING DURING THE SAME PERIOD.					
Manufactures of wool...	195	\$63,817	538	\$176,595	324 \$106,991
do cotton...	151	35,648	272	33,355	130 37,224
do silk....	26	32,545	30	33,973	61 75,539
do flax....	216	42,970	341	94,192	251 52,929
Miscellaneous dry goods.	20	3,419	78	22,447	39 13,733
Total.....	608	\$184,399	1,259	\$393,560	805 \$287,066
Add entered for consumption.	2,978	951,509	3,438	1,218,647	3,512 1,378,514
Total entered at the port	3,586	\$1,185,908	4,697	\$1,612,207	4,317 \$1,665,580



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Total amount of Marine Premiums. \$8,623,639 05

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1869, to 31st December, 1869. \$6,472,915 41

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such payment of interest and redemption will be in  
gold.

A dividend of FORTY Per Cent is declared on the  
net earned premiums of the Company, for the year  
ending 31st December, 1869, for which certificates will  
be issued on and after Tuesday, the Fifth of April next  
By order of the Board,

J. H. CHAPMAN, Secretary.

## TRUSTEES:

J. D. Jones, Joseph Gaillard, Jr.  
Charles Dennis, C. A. Hand,  
W. H. H. Moore, James Low,  
Henry Colt, B. J. Howland,  
Wm. C. Pickersgill, Benj. Babcock,  
Lewis Curtis, Robt. B. Minton,  
Charles H. Russell, Gordon W. Burnham,  
Lowell Holbrook, Frederick Chauncey,  
R. Warren Weston, R. L. Taylor,  
Royal Phelps, Geo. S. Stephenson,  
Caleb Barstow, William H. Webb,  
A. P. Pillot, Sheppard Gandy,  
William E. Dodge, Francis Skiddy,  
David Lane, Charles P. Burdett,  
James Byrce, Robt. C. Fergusson,  
Daniel S. Miller, William E. Bunker,  
Wm. Sturgis, Samuel L. Mitchell,  
Henry K. Bogert, James G. DeForest,  
Nathaniel Perkins, Robert L. Stuart.

J. D. JONES, President.  
CHARLES DENNIS, Vice-Pres't.  
W. H. H. MOORE, 2d Vice-Pres't.  
J. D. HEWLETT, 3d Vice-Pres't.

## Insurance.

OFFICE OF THE

Pacific Mutual Insurance  
COMPANY.

HOWARD BUILDING, 176 BROADWAY,  
New York, January 18, 1870.

THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT OF THE  
affairs of the Company is published in conformity  
with the requirements of Section 12 of its charter:

Outstanding Premiums, January 1,  
1869. \$104,463 46  
Premiums received from January  
1 to December 31, 1869, inclusive 611,290 80

Total amount of Marine Premiums. \$715,754 26  
This Company has issued no Policies, except on Cargo  
and Freight for the Voyage.

No Risks have been taken upon Time  
or upon Hulls of Vessels.

Premiums worked off as Earned, during the  
period as above. \$608,830 22  
Paid for Losses and Expenses, less Savings,  
&c., during the same period. 324,844 50  
Return Premiums. 86,697 03

The Company has the following  
Assets:

Cash in Bank. \$86,015 51  
United States and other Stocks. 583,009 90  
Loans on Stocks Drawing interest. 196,700 00  
Premium Notes & Bills Receivable. \$865,725 41  
Subscription Notes in advance of  
Premiums. 234,561 05  
Reinsurance and other Claims due  
the Company, estimated at. 46,000 00  
20,142 47  
Total Assets. \$1,165,129 23

SIX PER CENT INTEREST on the outstanding  
Certificates of Profits will be paid to the holders  
thereof, or their legal representatives, on and after  
TUESDAY, the 1st day of February.

The whole of the OUTSTANDING CERTIFICATES  
OF THE COMPANY, OF THE ISSUE OF 1865, will be  
redeemed and paid in cash to the holders thereof, or  
their legal representatives, on and after TUESDAY,  
the 1st day of February, from which date interest  
thereon will cease. The Certificates to be produced  
at the time of payment and cancelled.

A Dividend in scrip of THIRTY-FIVE PER CENT,  
free of Government Tax, is declared on the net amount  
of Earned Premiums for the year ending December  
31st, 1869, for which Certificates will be issued on and  
after TUESDAY, the 5th day of April next.

## TRUSTEES:

John K. Myers, William Leconey,  
A. C. Richards, Wm. T. Blodgett,  
G. D. H. Gillespie, H. C. Southwick,  
C. E. Milnor, Wm. Hegeman,  
Martin Bates, James R. Taylor,  
Moses A. Hoppock, Adam T. Bruce,  
B. W. Bull, Albert B. Strange,  
Horace B. Claflin, A. Augustus Low,  
W. M. Richards, Oean K. Fenner,  
A. S. Barnes, Emil Heineman,  
Egbert Starr, Jehiel Read,  
A. Wesson, William A. Hall,  
John A. Bartow, Francis Moran,  
Oliver K. King, Theo. W. Morris,  
Alex. M. Earle, Robert Slimmon,  
John K. Waller, Stephen C. Southmayd

JOHN K. MYERS, President.  
WILLIAM LECONY, Vice-President  
THOMAS HALE, Secretary.

## PHOENIX

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY  
OF HARTFORD, CONN.

Capital and Surplus \$1,600,000.

D. W. C. SKILTON, Sec'y. H. KELLOGG, Pres't.  
G. H. BURDICK, Ass't Sec'y. A. W. JILLSON, Vice-P't

Losses promptly adjusted by the Agents here, and paid  
in current money.  
EZRA WHITE & SONS, Agents.

No. 50 William Street.

THE  
NORTH BRITISH  
AND  
Mercantile Insurance Co

OF  
LONDON AND EDINBURGH.

PAID UP CAPITAL AND ACCUMULATED FUNDS  
\$14,044,635 31 IN GOLD.

UNITED STATES BRANCH OFFICE,  
50 WILLIAM STREET, NEW YORK.

EZRA WHITE, Manager.  
SAM. P. BLADGEN, Ass't Manager  
WM. CONNER, Jr., } Associate Managers.  
CHAS. E. WHITE, }

## M. K. JESUP &amp; COMPANY,

BANKERS AND MERCHANTS,

12 PINE STREET.

Negotiate  
Bonds and Loans for Railroad Cos.,

Contract for  
Iron or Steel Rails, Locomotives,  
Cars, etc.

and undertake  
all business connected with Railways

## Insurance.

OFFICE OF THE

MERCANTILE

## Mutual Insurance Co.,

No 35 Wall Street.

New York, January 20, 1870.

The following Statement of the affairs of the  
Company, on the 31st December, 1869, is published in  
conformity with the requirements of its Charter:

Premiums outstanding December 31st, 1869. \$341,683 83  
Premiums received during the year 1869. 1,039,111 53

Total Premiums. \$1,371,795 36

Premiums marked off as earned from Jan-  
uary 1st to December 31st, 1869. \$1,082,311 00  
Less Return Premiums. 79,649 93

Net Earned Premiums. \$1,002,661 07

Paid during same period:  
Losses, Expenses, Commissions  
and Reinsurance, less Salvages \$718,144 12

Cash paid to Stockholders for  
Interest. \$91,724 50

Cash paid to Dealers as an equiv-  
alent for the Scrip Dividends  
of Mutual Companies. \$119,848 66

The Assets of the Company on the 31st December  
1869, were as follows:

United States, State, Bank and other Stocks \$404,826 25  
Loans on Stocks and other Securities. 53,539 28  
Cash on hand and in Banks, and with For-  
eign Bankers. 86,830 82  
Interest on Investments due, but not col-  
lected. 4,822 00  
Bills receivable and Premiums due and  
collectable. 499,531 44  
Security Notes. 200,000 00  
Scrip, Salvages and other Claims due the  
Company. 77,810 15  
\$1,427,380 02

The Board of Trustees have resolved to pay to the  
Stockholders an INTEREST DIVIDEND OF THREE  
AND ONE HALF (3 1/2) PER CENT., free of Govern-  
ment Tax, on and after TUESDAY, February 1st.

## TRUSTEES.

James Freeland, A. Foster Higgins,  
Samuel Willets, Francis Hathaway,  
Robert L. Taylor, Aaron L. Reid,  
William T. Frost, John D. Wood,  
William Wait, Geo. W. Hennings,  
James D. Fish, Henry Eyre,  
Ellwood Walter, Joseph Slagg,  
D. Colden Murray, Edward Merritt,  
Townsend Scudder, Daniel T. Willets,  
Samuel L. Ham, L. Edgerton,  
Bryce Gray, Henry B. Kunhardt,  
N. L. McCready, John S. Williams,  
William Nelson, Jr., Charles Dimon,  
Harold Dollner, Paul N. Spofford,  
Jos. Willets, James Douglas,  
ELLWOOD WALTER, President,  
ARCHD. G. MONTGOMERY, Jr., Vice-Pres't.  
ALANSON W. HEGEMAN, 2d Vice-Pres't.  
C. J. DESPARD, Secretary.

Fire Insurance Agency,  
NO. 62 WALL STREET.  
NEW YORK.Ætna Insurance Comp'y,  
HARTFORD, CONN.

INCORPORATED 1819.

Cash Capital. \$3,000,000 00  
Assets. \$5,549,504 97

## SPRINGFIELD

## FIRE &amp; MARINE INSURANCE CO.

SPRINGFIELD, MASS.

INCORPORATED 1840.

Cash Capital. \$500,000 00  
Assets. \$936,246 65

Providence Washington  
INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF PROVIDENCE, R. I.

ORGANIZED 1799.

Cash Capital. \$200,000 00  
Assets. \$392,425 52

## AMERICAN

INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF PROVIDENCE, R. I.

ORGANIZED 1831.

Cash Capital. \$200,000 00  
Assets. \$372,219 38

JAS. A. ALEXANDER, Agent.



## PRICES CURRENT.

The Duties on Foreign Imports were published in the CHRONICLE of August 14, 1869

ASHES—		Pot, 1st sort.....	100 lb 6 25 @ 7 00
BEE SWAX—		American yellow.....	36 @ 37
BREADSTUFFS—		See special report.	
BRICKS—		N. Riv. common hard.....	M 7 00 @ 9 00
		Crotons.....	18 00 @ 20 00
		Philadelphia fronts.....	39 00 @ 42 00
BUTTER AND CHEESE—			
Butter—		Creamery pails.....	@
		State firkins, prime.....	33 @ 35
		State, firkins.....	29 @ 32
		State, half-firkins, choice.....	34 @ 35
		State, half-firkins, ordin'y.....	@
		Welsh tubs, prime.....	30 @ 33
		Welsh tubs, ordinary.....	27 @ 29
		Western, prime.....	29 @ 31
		Western, fair.....	26 @ 28
		Old, common to good.....	20 @ 26
		Old.....	13 @ 16
Cheese—		Factory prime.....	16 1/4 @ 17
		Factory fair.....	15 @ 16 1/2
		Farm dairies, prime.....	15 1/2 @ 17
		Farm dairies, fair.....	13 1/2 @ 15
		Farm dairies, common.....	11 @ 13
		Skimmed.....	6 @ 9
CANDLES—		Refined sperm.....	35 @
		Sperm, patent.....	45 @
		Stearic.....	14 ounce. 23 @ 25
		Adamantine.....	14 ounce. 14 @ 16
CEMENT—		Rosendale.....	2 00 @
COAL—		Newcastle gas, 2,240 lb.....	9 50 @
		Liverpool gas cannel.....	11 0 @
		Liverpool house cannel.....	14 00 @
		Anthracite—Auct. of Scranton, Apr. 27.....	
		10,000 tons lump.....	4 20 @ 4 32 1/2
		12,000 tons steamboat.....	4 20 @ 4 25
		16,000 tons grate.....	4 0 @ 4 45
		10,000 tons egg.....	4 52 @ 4 57 1/2
		20,000 tons stove.....	5 25 @ 5 30
		12,000 tons chestnut.....	4 25 @ 4 32 1/2
COCOA—		Caracas.....	20 @ 21
		Maracaibo (gold in bond).....	29 @ 30
		Guayaquil do.....	12 @ 12 1/2
		St. Domingo do.....	8 @
COFFEE—		See special report.	
COPPER—		Sheathing, new.....	31 @
		Bolts.....	31 @
		Braziers.....	31 @
		Sheathing, &c., old.....	15 @ 17
		Sheathing, yel. metal, new.....	24 @
		Bolts, yellow metal.....	24 @
		Yellow metal nails.....	18 1/2 @ 19 1/2
		American ingot.....	18 1/2 @ 19 1/2
CORKS—		1st regular, quarts, 3/4 gro.....	55 @ 70
		do superfine.....	1 40 @ 1 70
		1st regular, pints.....	35 @ 50
		Mineral.....	50 @ 70
		Phial.....	12 @ 40
COTTON—		See special report.	
COTTON SEED—		Cottons'd, Up'd ton.....	19 00 @ 20 00
		Cottons'd, B. Is. ton.....	22 50 @
DRUGS AND DYES—		Alcohol.....	2 05 @ 2 10
		Aloes, Cape.....	14 @ 16
		Aloes, Socotrine.....	70 @ 75
		Alum.....	@ 3 1/2
		Annato, good to prime.....	50 @ 1 00
		Antimony, reg. of.....	22 1/2 @ 23
		Argols, crude.....	13 @
		Argols, refined.....	23 1/2 @ 26
		Arsenic, powdered.....	2 1/2 @ 3
		Assafoetida.....	34 @ 37 1/2
		Balsam capivi.....	71 @ 80
		Balsam tolu.....	1 05 @
		Balsam Peru.....	3 50 @ 4 50
		Bark petayo.....	@ 45
		Berries, Persian.....	27 @ 31
		Bi carb. soda, N'castle.....	3 95 @ 4 00
		Bi chromate potash.....	14 @
		Bleaching powder.....	3 @
		Borax, refined.....	30 @ 31
		Brimstone, cru. 1/2 ton gold.....	44 50 @
		Brimstone, Am. roll.....	3 1/4 @
		Brimstone, flor sulphur.....	4 @
		Camphor, crude (in bond).....	20 @ 21
		Camphor, refined.....	74 @ 75
		Cantharides.....	2 @ 2 1/4
		Carb. ammonia, in bulk.....	17 @
		Cardamoms, Malabar.....	3 85 @ 4 00
		Castor oil.....	30 @
		Chamomile flowers.....	25 @ 27
		Chlorate potash.....	27 @
		Caustic soda.....	4 82 1/2 @ 4 87 1/2
		Caraway seed.....	17 1/2 @
		Coriander seed.....	12 @
		Cochineal, Hondur. gold.....	71 1/2 @
		Cochineal, Mexican.....	@ 65
		Copperas, American.....	@ 2
		Cream tartar, pr. gold.....	@ 31
		Cubebs, East India.....	18 @ 20
		Cutch.....	6 @ 6 1/2
		Epsom salts.....	@ 3 1/2
		Extract logwood.....	@ 10 1/2
		Fennel seed.....	10 @ 13 1/4
		Flowers, benzoin.....	30 @ 60
		Gambier.....	4 1/2 @
		Gamboge.....	90 @ 95
		Ginseng, Western.....	@
		Ginseng, Southern.....	70 @ 75
		Gum Arabic, picked.....	48 @ 75
		Gum Arabic, sorts.....	32 @ 33
		Gum benzoin.....	60 @ 35
		Gum kowrie.....	28 @ 32
		Gum gedda.....	14 1/2 @
		Gum damar.....	37 @ 33
		Gum myrrh, East India.....	42 @ 46
		Gum myrrh, Turkey.....	@
		Gum Senegal.....	@ 33
		Gum tragacanth, sorts.....	28 @ 55
		Gum tragacanth, w.....	@
		Hyd. potash, Fr. and.....	gold 1 00 @ 1 15
		Iodine, resublimed.....	gold 3 50 @ 3 70
		Ipecacuanha, Brazil.....	1 90 @ 2 60
		Jalap.....	gold 1 00 @
		Lac dye.....	30 @ 45
		Licorice paste, Calabria.....	41 @ 42
		Licorice paste, Sicily.....	24 @ 25
		Licorice paste, Sp. solid.....	20 @ 29
		Licorice paste, Greek.....	31 @
		Madder, Dutch.....	gold 10 @ 12
		Madder, Fr. E. F. F.....	@ 16 1/4
		Manna, large flake.....	2 00 @
		Manna, small flake.....	90 @
		Mustard seed, Cal.....	7 @ 16
		Mustard seed, Trieste.....	20 @
		Nutgalls, blue, Aleppo.....	28 @
		Oil anis.....	3 1 1/2 @
		Oil cassia.....	2 70 @
		Oil bergamot.....	5 20 @ 5 40
		Oil lemon.....	2 95 @
		Oil peppermint, pure.....	3 00 @
		Oil vitriol (60 to 68 degs).....	2 00 @ 2 50
		Opium, Turkey.....	gold 10 25 @
		Oxalic acid.....	20 1/4 @
		Phosphorus.....	80 @ 90
		Prussiate potash, Amer.....	81 @
		Quicksilver.....	60 @
		Rhubarb, China.....	1 18 @ 2 00
		Sago, pearled.....	6 1/2 @
		Salaeratus.....	20 @
		Sal ammoniac, ref. gold.....	10 1/2 @
		Sal soda, Newcastle, g'd.....	1 75 @
		Sarsaparilla, H. g'd, in b'd.....	@ 30
		Sarsaparilla, Mex.....	11 @ 12
		Seneca root.....	85 @
		Senna, Alexandria.....	23 @ 25
		Senna, East India.....	14 @ 16
		Shell Lac.....	36 @ 47
		Soda ash (80 p. c.) gold.....	2 12 1/2 @ 2 40
		Sugar lead, W'e.....	21 1/2 @
		Sulp. quinine, Am.....	2 20 @ 2 25
		Sulphate morphine.....	8 75 @
		Tartaric acid (crystal).....	52 @ 52 1/2
		Taploca.....	10 1/2 @ 11
		Verdigris, dry & ex. dry.....	36 @ 38
		Vitriol, blue.....	9 1/2 @ 10
DUCK—		Ravens, light.....	15 00 @
		Ravens, heavy.....	17 00 @
		Scotch, G'ck, No. 1, yd.....	68 @
		Cotton, No. 1.....	55 @
DYE WOODS—		Camwood.....	gold, 115 00 @
		Fustic, Cuba.....	@
		Fustic, Tampico.....	gold 19 00 @
		Fustic, Jamaica.....	19 00 @
		Fustic, Savanilla.....	18 00 @
		Fustic, Maracaibo.....	17 00 @ 19 00
		Logwood, Laguna.....	34 00 @ 36 00
		Logwood, Campeachy.....	@ 30 00
		Logwood, Honduras.....	25 00 @ 28 00
		Logwood, Tabasco.....	30 00 @
		Logwood, St. Domin. gold.....	17 00 @ 18 00
		Logwood, Jamaica.....	19 00 @ 20 00
		Limawood.....	cur. 60 00 @ 62 50
		Barwood.....	gold 18 00 @ 20 00
		Sapanwood, Manila.....	cur. @
FISH—		Dry cod.....	quint. 6 50 @ 7 25
		Pickled scale.....	bbl. 4 5 @ 5 00
		Pickled cod.....	bbl. 4 50 @ 6 00
		Desiccated cod.....	@
		Mackerel, No. 1, shore.....	28 00 @ 23 50
		Mackerel, No. 1, Bay.....	27 50 @ 28 00
		Mackerel, No. 2.....	14 50 @ 15 00
		Mackerel, shore, No. 3.....	@ 7 50
		Mac'el, No. 3, Mass., large.....	13 00 @
		Mackerel, shore, No. 2.....	15 50 @ 16 00
		Mac'el, No. 3, Mass., med.....	7 00 @ 7 50
		Salmon, pickled, No. 1.....	27 00 @ 27 50
		Salmon, pickled.....	@ 34 00
		Herring, scaled.....	35 @ 37
		Herring, No. 1.....	28 @ 30
		Herring, pickled.....	bbl. 5 00 @ 7 50
FLAX—		N. River, g'd to prime.....	12 @ 14
FRUITS—		See special report.	
GROCERIES—		See special report.	
GUNNY BAGS—		Calcutta, light & h'vy, p. c.....	19 1/2 @ 20
GUNNY CLOTH—		Calcutta standard.....	yard 29 @
GUNPOWDER—		Blasting (B).....	25 lb keg. 4 00 @
		Shipping and mining.....	4 50 @
		Kentucky rifle.....	6 50 @
		Meal.....	6 00 @
		Deer.....	5 50 @
		Sporting, in 1 lb canisters.....	36 @ 1 08
HAY—		North River, in bales.....	100 lb for shipping. 90 @ 95
HEMP—		American dressed.....	ton 265 00 @ 315 00
		American undressed.....	@
		Russia, clean.....	250 00 @
		Italian.....	gold 265 00 @ 275 00
		Manila.....	14 1/2 @ 14 1/4
		Sisal.....	12 @ 12 1/2
		Tampico.....	7 @ 7 1/2
		Jute.....	gold 6 1/4 @ 6 1/2
HIDES—		Dry Hides—	
		Buenos Ayres.....	23 @ 23 1/2
		Montevideo.....	22 @ 22 1/2
		Rio Grande.....	@ 22
		Orinoco.....	21 @ 21 1/2
		California.....	21 @ 21 1/2
		San Juan.....	18 @ 18 1/2
		Matamoras.....	18 @ 18 1/2
		Vera Cruz.....	18 @ 18 1/2
		Tampico.....	19 @
		Porto Cabello.....	18 @ 19
		Maracaibo.....	15 @ 16
		Bogota.....	19 @ 19 1/2
		Truxillo.....	19 @
		Rio Hache.....	17 @ 18
		Curacao.....	14 @ 15
		Port au Platt.....	17 @
		Bahia.....	16 @ 17
		Texas.....	cur. 19 @ 20
		Western.....	19 @ 20
		Dry Salted Hides—	
		Maracaibo.....	gold. 12 @
		Maranham.....	" 13 @ 13 1/2
		Pernambuco.....	" 13 @ 13 1/2
		Matamoras.....	" 15 @
		Savanilla.....	" 12 @ 13
		Bahia.....	" 12 @ 13
		Chilli.....	" 15 @ 15 1/2
		Sandwich Island.....	" 13 @ 14
		Wet Salted Hides—	
		Buenos Ayres.....	11 1/2 @ 12
		Rio Grande.....	" 12 @ 12 1/2
		California.....	" 11 @
		Para.....	" 10 @ 10 1/2
		New Orleans.....	cur. 9 @ 9 1/2
		City s'ter trim. & cured.....	9 1/2 @ 10
		Upper Leather Stock—	
		B. A. & B. log. kip.....	24 @ 25
		Minas.....	18 1/2 @ 19
		Sierra Leone.....	cash 35 @ 36
		Gambia and Bissau.....	25 @ 28
		Zanzibar.....	20 @ 23
		East India Stock—	
		Calcut. city s't. gold.....	16 1/2 @ 17
		Calcutta, dead green.....	13 1/2 @ 14
		Calcutta, buffalo.....	12 1/2 @ 13
		Manilla & Bat. buff. gold.....	12 @ 13
HONEY—		Cuba (duty p'd) gold.....	1 00 @ 1 10
HOPS—		Crop of 1863.....	8 @ 6
		do 1869 (good to prime).....	12 @ 20
		Bayarian.....	@
Pig, American, No. 1.....		31 00 @ 32 00	
Pig, American, No. 2.....		29 00 @ 30 00	
Pig, American, Forge.....		29 00 @ 30 00	
Pig, Scotch, No. 1.....		34 50 @ 37 00	
Bar, refined, Eng. & Amer.....		75 00 @	
STORE PRICES.			
Bar, Swedes, ordin. sizes.....		110 00 @	
Bar, Eng. & Amer., refined.....		77 50 @	
Bar, Eng. & Amer., com'n.....		72 50 @	
Scroll.....		87 50 @ 115 00	
Ovals and half round.....		95 00 @ 110 00	
Band.....		95 00 @	
Horse shoe.....		95 00 @	
Rods, 3/4 @ 3-16 inch.....		85 00 @ 120 00	
Hoop.....		105 00 @ 145 00	
Nail, rod.....		7 @ 7 1/2	
Sheet, Russia.....		10 1/2 @ 11	
Sheet, sing., doub. & treb.....		4 @ 5 1/2	
Ralls, Eng. (gold).....		59 00 @ 60 00	
Ralls, American.....		71 00 @ 72 00	
LEAD—			
Galena.....		100 lb 20 @ 22	
Spanish.....		gold 6 20 @ 6 25	
German.....		6 20 @ 6 37 1/2	
English.....		6 20 @ 6 62 1/2	
Bar.....		net 7 70 @	
Pipe and sheet.....		7 70 @	
LEATHER—		(cash, 3/4 m)	
Oak, slaughter, heavy.....		38 @ 42	
" " middle.....		37 @ 42	
" " light.....		36 @ 40	
" " crop, heavy.....		33 @ 39	
" " middle.....		34 @ 40	
" " light.....		34 @ 40	
" rough slaughter.....		32 @ 37	
Heml'k, B. A. & C., heavy.....		28 @ 29	
" " middle.....		29 @ 30	
" " light.....		28 @ 29	
California, heavy.....		27 1/2 @ 28	
" " middle.....		28 @ 29	
" " light.....		27 @ 28	
Orinoco, heavy.....		26 @ 27 1/2	
" " middle.....		27 1/2 @ 28 1/2	
" " light.....		26 1/2 @ 27 1/2	
" rough.....		30 @ 33	
" good damaged.....		24 @ 26	
" poor.....		20 @ 22	
LIME—			
Rockland, common.....		1 25 @	
Rockland, heavy.....		1 75 @	
LUMBER—			
Bird's-eye maple, logs.....		6 @ 7	
Spruce Eastern.....		18 00 @ 20 00	
Bl'k walnut, logs sup. ft.....		8 @ 9	
Black walnut crotches.....		15 @ 20	
Yel. pine tim., Geo. M. ft.....		33 00 @	
White oak, logs, cub. ft.....		45 00 @ 45 50	
White oak, plank, M. ft.....		50 00 @ 55 00	
Pop. & W. W. d. b'ds & pl'ks.....		45 00 @ 45 50	
Cherry boards and plank.....		70 00 @ 80 00	
Oak and ash.....		45 00 @ 60 00	
Maple and birch.....		30 00 @ 45 00	
White pine box boards.....		23 00 @ 27 00	
Wh. pine merch. box b'ds.....		27 00 @ 30 00	
Clear pine.....		60 00 @ 70 00	
Laths.....		2 15 @ 2 25	
H			



**Cotton.**

**VIBBARD, FOOTE & CO.,**  
AND  
**CHARLES G. JOHNSON,**  
PROPRIETORS AND MANUFACTURERS OF  
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SELF-FASTENING BUCKLE TIE.

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