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EOROPE'S NEW INTEREST IN SILVER.

Our people are searcely alive to the change which the silver question has undergone during the past few months, we might almost say weeks. Oaly last summer the United States asked for and obtained a conference of the leading European governments, and although representatives of the mest of those governments appeared at our convention they did it under protest, and when there, all with one accord began to make excuse; finally, with true French politeness they patted us on our backs, wishing us God-speed in our single-handed effort to "rehabilitate" silver. To the European vision it appeared at that time as if specie payments here, meant silver payments, and while indulging in that hope they could afford to let us rest unassisted in the dilemma which they supposed the Bland bill had thrown us. Our call for a convention was therefore interpreted as simply a cry for help, and naturally enough they did not heed it. "Not for us but for you," was the gracious benediction which followed our retiring delegates to their homes.

This was less than eight months ago. Since then the depression and disorganization in the trade of Great Britain have been day by day developing, until now the distress has become so general that the mercantile distress was not nearly so w despread as the present, for

classes there are thoroughly awake to the necessity of removing every impediment to recovery. In our issue of March 22, we referred to this and to the fact that the depreciation in silver was beginning to be widely recognized as one of the foremost of those hindrances. We based our remarks upon the meeting of the Manchester Chamber of Commerce, held March 6, to consider this very question. Since then the evidences of a great revolution in opinion have been multiplying. On the 25th of March the Council of the Liverpool Chamber of Commerce actually adopted a resolution in favor of an international agreement for the remonetization of silver; and yesterday (Friday) a deputation from the Chamber waited upon Lord Beaconsfield to present the same view.

But the most important indications are those which come from the head of the English government himself. In the House of Lords, on the evening of March 25th, when Lord Huntley suggested an inquiry into the causes of the depression of commerce and agriculture in Great Britain, Lord Beaconsfield discouraged such a general investigation, believing it would be without results, but he added that the existing "low prices were partly "caused by the depreciation of silver; possibly an "inquiry as to the change in value of the precious metals "and its effect on English industry might hereafter be "desirable." As we write we have not the report of his interview with the delegation from the Liverpool Chamber of Commerce. Those, however, who are believed to have a knowledge of Lord Beaconsfield's views, represent that he is thoroughly in accord with the movement to remonetize silver, and the above quoted remarks certainly leave us to infer that he has determined not to be behind public opinion in this matter.

These facts and circumstances all indicate that a very remarkable change is in process in Great Britain, and we are confident that we do not overestimate the progress that has been already made. Of course we are aware that the English people are very conservative; that is to say, they do not give up their old tried ways for new ones easily. But any one who knows the existing condition of mercantile affairs there, and has read the history of the great free-trade movement in England-beginning with a very few merchants and manufacturers and for a long time seemingly confined to them, while the great body of the nation and all the landed interest were in opposition-will not have any doubts, growing out of English conservatism, of the result of the present movement. Distress was at the bottom of that reform, and merchants were the movers; but that the agricultural interests were prosperous, the evil then was more theoretical and not by any means as patent as now, while the mercantile classes in those days had almost no influence compared with their present power. The end will not be reached without opposition and possibly after a severe struggle, but the present suffering is so very general and extreme, and evidently so largely due to the depreciation and demonetization of silver, that unless the United States encourages the idea which still prevails in Europe that our currency must eventually be based on that metal solely, the end cannot be doubtful or long undetermined.

It is not necessary for us here again to explain the manner in which Great Britain, and in fact all of Europe is suffering from this single cause. England is the greatest sufferer, being the largest producer, trader and creditor. She shares in the depreciations of every country where her industries penetrate, and most of all in By this means those of her own Indian Empire. markets are being closed to her, and as a consequence thousands upon thousands of her laborers are out of employ, while very much of her machinery, a short time since so active, is lying idle. We can see therefore how urgent and forcible the appeal has become which the Manchester spinner and the Liverpool merchant are to-day urging upon the attention of the government. Progress in France is also very intimately connected with a speedy solution of this question. Some French speakers and writers are advocating a single standard, but they are mainly influenced by a supposed necessity which has overtaken the world in these latter days to disuse one of these metals, and by the hope of being able to get rid of their silver through the action of the United States. So long, however, as France has million dollars of silver in circulation (the latest estimate of one of her economists) she must, if we do not extend to her the hope of a market, continue anxious to follow the lead of Great Britain in establishing with the United States an international ratio. The following table of the actual returns of the Bank of France, showing the stock of silver and gold held by the Bank Dec. 31 of each year, is also suggestive of the interest France has in this question. It will be seen that last December the Bank had on hand over 42 millions of pounds sterling, or 211 millions of dollars in silver.

COMPOSITION OF THE STOCK OF THE PRECIOUS METALS HELD BY THE BANK OF FRANCE ON THE 31st DECEMBER OF EACH YEAR (1850-1878). Clphers (,000) omitted.

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Year.	Co	in.	Bullien and Foreign	То	General Total.				
	Gold.	Silver.	Coins.	Gold.	Silver.	Total.			
	2	2	2	£	£	£			
1850	700	17,236	860	1,560	17,236	18,796			
1851	3,328	19,212	168	3,496	19,212				
1852	2,832	16,940	136	2,968	16,940	22,708 19,908			
1853	4,180	7,932	272	4,452	7,932	12,384			
1854	7,216	7,448	4	7.220	7,448	14,668			
1855	1,660	6,156	400	2,060	6.156	8,216			
1856	2,304	3,912	* 968	2,984	* 4,200	7,184			
1857	3,856	4,788	* 388	4.024	* 5,008	9,032			
1858	10,724	10,180	* 628	11,124	*10,408	21,532			
1859	8,724	12,601	* 900	9,124	*13,064	22,188			
1860	5,036	9,948	* 984	5,460	*10,508	15,958			
1861	8,956	3,708	204 .	0.160	3,708	12,868			
1862	7,016	4,364	696	7,712	4,364	12,076			
1863	5,076	2,948	32	5,108	2,948	8,056			
1864	9,932	3,680	412	10,344	3,680	14,024			
1865	11,184	4,856	1,464	12,648	4,856	17.504			
1866	18,104	5,484	.4,280	22,384	5,484	27,868			
1867	17,736	12,528	9,520	27,256	12,528	39,784			
1868	13,748	18,992	11,564	25,312	18.992	44,304			
1869	20,024	22,404	6,928	26,952	22,404	49,356			
1870	11,324	2,552	*6,012	17,148	* 2,740	19,888			
1871	19,244	3,172	*2,968	22,136	* 3.248	25,384			
1872	23,260	4,924	*3,468	26,348	* 5,304	31,652			
1873	21,940	6,064	*2,700	24,452	* 6,252	30,704			
1874	32,512	12,536	*7,980	40,484	*12,528	53,012			
1875	39,836	20,168	*7,168	46,972	*20,200	67,172			
1876	50,740	25,544	10,476	61,216	25,544	86,760			
1877 1878	36,384	34,616	10,700	47,084	34,616	81,700			
40/0	38,052	42,324	1,292	39,344	42,324	81.668			

^{*}The column of Bullion and of Foreign Coins represented for these years, 1856-60, 1870-75, the gold and silver, divided according to their respective proportions in the columns of the Total of Gold and Silver.

These statements help us to understand the meaning of M. Emile Guyot's remarks, about a week since, in the French Chamber of Deputies, to the effect that the French public were looking to an export demand for silver (where from except from the United States?) which would enable them to reduce their stock of silver and "put France in position to discuss a single standard." Thus they are still deluding themselves with the hope, yes expectation, that the United States is to become a silver-paying country, the dumping ground of their discarded currency.

We would, therefore, once again most earnestly urge upon Congress, now in session, to temporarily repeal the act authorizing and directing the coinage of silver dollars. That act, not only from the work done under it, but more from the inferences Europe is drawing from it, is seriously delaying the remonetization movement now so evidently in progress. No country has equal interest with the United States in a restoration of the old relations. Our being the main producer of that metal, and, therefore, directly affected by the decline in price, is by no means the most important consideration to us. We have seen that silver demonetization is causing business depression in Europe; business depression or idle machinery and idle labor in Europe are causing our cotton, breadstuffs, meats, &c., the special products of the South and of the West, to sell at extremely low prices. Remove that depression, set the idle laborers at work, and these productions will rise again in value. Have we not then, every one of us, a deep interest in this question, and will not Congress, before it adjourns, give expression to that interest.

PROPOSED DEBT ADJUSTMENTS IN VIRGINIA AND TENNESSEE.

The text of the new funding bill just passed by the Virginia Legislature will be found on another page. The bill—which is conditioned upon the formal acceptance of its terms by the Council of Foreign Bondholders, and the Funding Association of the United States, on or before the 1st of May-provides for the substitution of new 40-year bonds, at 3 per cent for the first ten years, 4 for the next twenty, and five for the remaining ten, redeemable at option after the first tenyear period. The exchange is to be made dollar for dollar, except that past-due interest is to be rated at 50 cents on the dollar. The new bonds are expressly exempted from all taxation whatever, and the coupons are to be receivable, at or after maturity, for all taxes and debts due the State; eight millions of old bonds may be presented for funding, this year, and five millions in each half-year thereafter, until all are funded. The two corporations above mentioned are to have the exclusive privilege of funding, so long as they present bonds for that purpose according to the provisions of the act; but in case they fail to so present them, or fail to signify assent to the act within the time named, the Governor has discretionary power to make a like contract with other responsible parties. In 1885, and annually thereafter, until all the bonds authorized are paid, a tax of two cents on the \$100 of all assessed valu ations in the State is to be collected, for credit of the sinking fund,

The annual interest at present amounts to about 13 millions, and this will of course be reduced about one-half for the next ten years by carrying out the new adjustment. The receipts for the fiscal year ending October 1 last, deducting sundry items of temporary loans and like transient ones, were \$2,631,000, of which

nearly 14 millions were in coupons; the disbursements, including the interest represented by the coupons, were \$23,000 less than the receipts. The Auditor has officially expressed an opinion that the present tax rate is sufficient to pay 4 per cent upon the debt proper, whence the feasibility of paying the proposed 3 per cent without being burdened thereby seems to be unquestionable. new bill, however, provides for emergencies by enacting that whenever there is not enough money on hand to meet accrning interest, the Auditor may raise it by a temporary loan in anticipation of accruing revenues; and in case this resource proves insufficient, he may issue certificates of indebtedness, not bearing interest, receivable for all dues to the S:ate, which may be sold at the minimum price of 75 cents on the dollar, or they may be hypothecated, at the same rate, as security for temporary advances.

The Tennessee bill, which has just passed, originally proposed a settlement at 40 cents and 4 per cent interest, but this was raised by the House to 50 cents, and was finally accepted by the Senate in that form, the vote in the latter body being 15 to 10, and in the former 42 to 31. It is first to be submitted to the bondholders for acceptance, and then, in September, to the people for ratification. Mr. Eugene Kelly, however, who sent a dispatch to Nashville, while the bill was pending, that the proposed terms would not be accepted by him and the other bondholders he represents, is still of the same mind, basing his disapproval not so much upon the extent of the reduction as upon the fact that the coupons of the new bonds are not made receivable for taxes, and that the bondholders desire to retain their lien upon the railroads. The matter of that alleged but disputed lien we discussed on February 15, and we need say no more about it now. The other point of objection-that bondholders are asked to accept what the people of the State will not take-is of much practical importance and leaves the success of the arrangement somewhat in doubt. It is noticeable, however, that the Tennessee proposition, even aside from the special points of objection raised to it, is much severer in its terms than that of Virginia. The Tennessee debt now stands at about 2"1 millions of principal and four millions of past-due interest; at 50 cents, this would be \$12,137,000, and the interest at 4 per cent would be \$485,480-about \$400,000 less than that of Virginia. The assessed valuation in Virginia was 3161 millions in 1878; in Tennessee, 223 1-3 millions. The Tennessee tax in 1878 was only \$223,000, the previous Legislature having reduced the tax rate to ten cents on the hundred dollars. The new bill requires an annual payment of \$100,000 from the railroads, and appropriates the same "to the public debt."

In both these States the proposed adjustment has been reached after persistent and carnest efforts. In Tennesser, meetings of "State-credit Democrats" were held, a few days ago, at which resolutions were adopted pledging earnest effort to secure popular ratification of any bill, acceptable to the creditors, which the Legislature might pass; but if no action should be taken by the Legislature, or if the action taken should not prove a settlement of the question, then a convention for dealing with it should be had. As this meeting was held before the legislative action, an adjournment to April 4 was voted, in order to be able to pursue, at that time, one of the alternative courses above suggested.

We see no reason for apprehending any practical difficulty in securing the acceptance and carrying out of the Virginia plan, for the two corporations with whom

the contract is to be made already control a large share of the debt, and are probably in a position to influence the rest. The Tennessee proposition is, of course, put in doubt by encountering at the start the opposition of heavy bondholders, and what they will decide to do remains to be seen. Yet, it will be a great misfortune if a settlement fails to be reached, in case of either State, and still worse if-after being made as nearly as possible an irrevocable contract by being first enacted by the law-making power and then accepted by the creditors (in Tennessee, by the people also) as a deliberate pledge-there is any failure to stand by the agreement to the letter. If these settlements are to have any credit and efficacy they must have the element of fixedness; heretofore, they have been too much marred by the lack of it, and the inevitable result of repetition of failure must be the loss of faith on one side, and, on the other, the moral insensibility which leads to repudiation.

The advantage to the creditors of a settlement is apparent, when we reflect that a debt fully committed to default can have, at best, only a contingent value dependent upon the ultimate adoption of some basis of settlement, and that the settlement is in fact a creation of market value which did not exist before. As to the States to enlarge upon the paramount advantages of settlement would be sheer superfluity. In both these States there has been an annual decline in the valuations during several years past, and although it is quite possible that most or all of the decline has been dictated by the desire to lessen taxation as much as by a decline in real values, the unsettled debts necessarily have operated as a paralysis of growth. A further advantage of these settlements, if they are completed, will be in the material aid they will give in effecting similar results in other States, in counteracting the ruinous disposition, more or less prevalent all over the country, towards evasion of public debts, and in improving the feeling of confidence. The resources of the country never appeared so ample as now, nor was its future ever so justly hopeful, with certain indispensable conditions assured, among which are an honest fulfilment of obligations, a sound money, and faith in As contributing towards every one of these conditions, every step towards settling these hitherto destructive debt troubles is an event for congratulation.

THE STATE LEGISLATURE AND BIENNIAL SESSIONS.

lt is only a few weeks since we called the attention of our readers to the subject of biennial sessions of our legislative bodies. We are pleased to see that this question is now receiving some attention in Albany, and that the concurrent resolution introduced by Mr. Skinner has passed the Assembly by a vote of 91 to 17. This proposal is to amend the Constitution so that the Legislature shall assemble every second year, instead of annually, as at present; that Senators shall be chosen for four years instead of two, and members of As sembly for two instead of one; that the compensation for each actual session shall remain as at present; and that in case of extra or special sessions extra allowance shall be made.

It was nrged, and nrged with as much propriety as force, that such a change was desirable on many grounds; that it would be an actual saving of the funds of the State; that it would prevent hasty, ill-considered and oftentimes wholly unnecessary legislation; that it would greatly simplify proceedings in our courts of law;

that it would prevent much ruinous and utterly meaningless litigation; that it would give rise to a feeling of general security, which excessive legislation and fre gent chauges in the law disturb, and that in many other ways it would be a positive gain to the general community. It was also shown, as we have before pointed out in these columns, that the change would be no novelty, annual sessious being held in ten only of the thirty-eight States, namely in Louisiana, Maine, Connecticut, Massachusetts, Mississippi, New Jersey, New York, Rhode Island, South Carolina, and Wisconsin. In three of these States-Maine, Massachusetts, and Connecticut-it was mentioned that the initial steps were already taken in the direction of the biennial system. With the resolution itself, and with a'l that was said in its support, we heartily coucur. We are really oppressed with too much legislation; and it would be a positive relief to have a little occasional leisure to study and become familiar with the old before we are called upon to grapple with the new. It was a poor argument which was used by one of the opponents of the measure when he said that the logic of the resolution, if fully carried out, would lead to a policy which had its exponents in the Khedive of Egypt and the Bey of Tunis. There is a difference, surely, between good legislation and no legislation at all. Such arguments only reveal the weakness of the cause in defense of which they are used.

If there is any one of the points made in its favor by Mr. Skinner, on which we would be disposed to lay less stress than upon any other, we should single out that which refers to the actual saving to result. He stated that a session now costs the State nearly \$500,000. According to the new arrangement, one-half of this money would be saved every year. This is no doubt of some importance; and, in a sense, it may be regarded as a necessary consequence of the biennial system, if once in operation. It has this one essential drawback, that it threatens the men who are asked to approve of it with a very heavy reduction of salary. If there is any strong objection to the proposed change, the presumption is that that objection will be found among the members of the Legislature, and among them only, and that when formulated in so many words, it will, only mean that members of the State Legislature are not to be expected to vote for a measure the immediate effect of which would be to reduce their pay by one-half. In view of the infinitely greater gains which could not fail to resalt from the adoption of the principle of biennial sessions, we should say, "Let them keep their salary." If the work would be better done-and no one can deny that it would be better done—it would be a wise economy to allow the salaries, for a time at least, to remain as they are. What we want, above all things, is to have good legislation, and not too much of it; to spread abroad a feeling of security among the people, that for at least a reasonable period a good law will not be supplanted by a bad one, and thus to know where we stand, and what we may do, without running the risk of having our plans thwarted and our enterprise ruined by the lawmaker; and if these results can be attained, as we believe they will be attained, by biennial sessions of the Legislature, it would not be an unwise policy to secure the desired change, at even a pecuniary sacrifice. The mercantile classes will wish the movement all success.

AN INTERNATIONAL RATIO FOR SILVER.

The following letter we take from the Manchester Guardian. Mr. Sannel Smith needs no introduction to

our readers. The point he has discussed is a very interesting one, and he presents it with his usual clearness.

SIR.—I would like, with your permission, to say a few words in reply to the view so widely held in all trading communities, that legislation cannot fix a definite ratio of value between gold and silver. Till that view is dispelled, there is no chance of converting the British public to "bi-metallism." It has much on the face of it to recommend it. All experience tends to show that articles of commerce vary in value according to supply and demand, and that no power on earth can fix a permanent ratio of value between, for instance, cotton and wool or iron and copper.

The subject of "money" is a recondite one, and business men are apt without reflection to apply to it the principles they have found to be true in the ordinary operations of trade. But as soon as a careful examination of this subject is male, it is found that ordinary commercial laws are inapplicable to monetary questions. Let me illustrate this by referring to the history of gold and silver since the beginning of this century. Silver was produced far more largely than gold in the early part of this century—the best anthorities say three times as much. Then came the extraordinary gold discoveries of Australia and California, which increased the yield of gold fivefold, and for several years afterwards gold was produced to threefold the value of silver-that is to say, the ratio of production between gold and silver has varied ninefold since the beginning of the century. If that had happened between two competing artieles of trade, we know that the relative value would have varied enormously. It actually did happen between cotton and wool during the American Civil War, and the price of cotton, which used to be less than half that of wool, became actually higher. But what happened in the case of the precious metals? Their relative value remained identically the same. The quotation of silver in the London market stood at 60d. to 61d. per onnce, with trifling oscillations depending upon the demand for shipment to the East. In other words, the ratio of 1 to 15% remained for 75 years practically the exchangeable value of the two metals.

Now, if the "free-trade" theories are sound, it is perfectly evident that gold should have become far cheaper compared with silver after the discoveries of Australia and California than it was before. The yield of these mines in twenty or thirty years nearly doubled the stock of gold money existing in the world, whereas that of silver money increased very slowly. Why did not gold diminish in value compared with silver? We have never heard an answer, or the attempt of an answer, to this question by our opponents. The reason is that no answer can be given from their point of view, but an effective one from ours.

The answer is that France up till 1875 coined both metals without restriction, making them equally full legal tender for the payment of all debts, at a fixed ratio of 1 of gold to 15% of silver. Inside of France it was impossible for the metals to vary materially from that ratio, and outside of it only by the trifling cost of carriage and sometimes by the payment of a small commission to bankers when a very heavy and unexpected demand for one metal arose, as happened with silver in 1864-6, when we had to ship such enormous amounts to India to pay for cotton at four times its usual price. For all practical purposes gold and silver kept a fixed ratio of value to each other up till 1875, for the sole reason that France was bi-metallic, and thereby the whole world, and England more than any, enjoyed the advantages of bi-metallism. It is true that the people of this country did not know the reason of it. They supposed that the "intrinsic" or "natural" value of silver as compared with gold was about 5s. per ounce. It never occurred to them that it was owing to an "artificial" or "legislative" arrangement by France, and latterly by the combination of States called the Latin Union. We were like an ignorant man who never had indigestion and did not know he had a stomach, but after a severe fit of dyspepsia and after consulting a doctor found he had a delicate apparatus for digesting food which could easily be put wrong. So we have discovered in regard to silver. The closing of the French mints to silver has snapped the tie which bound gold and silver together, and there is no longer in the world a regulating power. Precisely the same thing would have happened if in 1848-50 France had demonetized gold or refused any longer to allow it to be coined as full legal tender. That was what M. Chevalier proposed under dread of the huge influx of gold from Australia and California. Had his advice been followed we

should have seen silver amounting up to 6s, per ounce in the London market; perhaps, after a while, to 10s. per ounce, and such intense inconvenience would have happened that possibly the leading autions would have been discussing the question of demonetizing the cheap and superabundant metal gold, and sticking to the metal of more steady supply-silver.

Surely, if the bi-metallic machinery of France tided the world through the crisis caused by the vast increase in the production of gold, much more will the adoption of bi-metallism by England, France and the United States, as we propose, tide us through a period of large silver production. And it must be remembered that, after all, the increase of silver production in late years, even when added to the mass of silver demonetized hy Germany, is a trifle when compared with the huge addition made to the gold supplies by Australia and California. The annual production of silver is now about 14 millions sterling, that of gold about 19 millions; and the amount of silver sold by Germany may represent about five millions per annum for, say, six years: so that the entire quantity of silver brought into the markets of the world is just equal to that of gold. For several years after the mines 'of Australia and California were discovered, the amount of gold brought to market was three times that of silver, but it was all absorbed without altering the relative value of gold to silver, thanks to the bi-metallic system of France. Surely an equal supply of the two metals can be far more easily disposed of by a bi-metallic compact between England, France and America; and the latter two Powers would only be too glad to join us, and would be soon followed by most civilized nations.

People cry out against "artificial" arrangements. It was an "artificial" arrangement that made gold sole legal tender in England in 1816, whereas in past times sometimes silver only, sometimes silver and gold combined, had been full legal tender. It was an "artificial" arrangement that made France bi-metallic till 1875. Another "artificial" arrangement gave Germany a gold instead of a silver currency. An "artificial" arrangement by this country some time ago made silver sole legal tender in India. As a matter of fact, it is necessary and unavoidable for all countries to decree what metal, or whether both metals, be used as money; and to that extent "artificial" arrangements cannot be dispensed with. We only ask for one legislative or "artificial" act to undo what another one has done. We ask that law shall recognize what nature has always done-viz., supplied both gold and silver to mankind for apparently no valid use except as "money," and all history records that they always have been used for money, and recent history proves to demonstration that they can be tied together by a fixed ratio to the immense advantage of mankind.

Gold and silver may be compared to two lakes—one fed by a golden, the other by a silvern stream. The supply pouring into each lake varies very much from age to age; hence it might be expected that the level of the two lakes would vary accordingly. But an extraordinary equality of level having been noticed for many years, a scientific investigation was made, and an underground pipe was discovered which connected the lakes and caused their waters to rise and fall simultaneously. This pipe was the bi-metallic system of France. But the pipe became choked and a flood occurred in the silver stream, which made that lake rise above its ordinary level; while a drought on the other side caused the golden lake to shrink far below its former level. The stoppage of the pipe was the closing of the French mint to silver, and till that block is removed the lakes will rise and fall without reference to each other, and the sage economists will tell as that their "natural" or "intrinsic" level must be determined by the volume pouring into each, and that no "artificial" arrangement can withstand "the laws of supply and demand." We say restore the connecting pipe, and we shall soon see which is true-the logic of facts or the speculations of theorists .- I am &c.,

SAMUEL SMITH.

Liverpool, March 13, 1879.

FINANCIAL REVIEW OF MARCH.

The month of March presented a contrast in some respects to the two months which preceded it. There was a material decline in the volume of business at the Stock Exchange, resulting from the feeling of uncertainty which prevailed in regard to the money market in April. It was generally apprehended that the immense volume of exchanges to be made in April-the called bonds maturing in that month amounting to no less than taking place in the finances of several of those States.

\$150,000,000-might cause a disturbance in the money market which would lead to serious trouble for the time being,

Secretary Sherman, however, did much to relieve the apprehension by making the payments for called bonds as easy as possible, and not calling for the payments until the money was actually needed to settle for the five-twentles coming in for redemption. Towards the close of the month confidence was again felt, and the demand for Government securitles, as well as other stocks and bonds, improved materially. On the 20th, the banks in New Orleans suspended payments as a precautionary measure to prevent a run on their currency reserves, but resumed again on the 25th, when they had drawn in their balances from the North,

The total transactions at the Stock Exchange, compared with previous months, were as follows:

	December.	January.	February.	March.
U.S. governm't bonds State bonds Rallroad bonds	\$7,553,500 1,935,000 12,775,000		1,269,000	4,855,150 1,536,000 10,613,800
Bank stocksstures RR& miscel.stks "	3,749,253		1,992 4,716,495	1,34 3,934,634

The following summary shows the condition of the New York Clearing House banks, the premium on gold, rate of foreign exchange, and prices of leading securities and articles of merchandise, on or about the first of April in each year, from 1877 to 1879, inclusive:

STATISTICAL SUMMARY ON OR ABOUT APRIL I, 1877 TO 1879.

	1879.	1878.	1877.
New York City Banks-			
Loans and discounts \$	240,458,500	241,590,900	259,828,700
Specie	18,446,800	38,767,600	
Circulation	19,512,100	19,912,300	
Circulation	108,945,600	210,378,400	219,738,900
Legal fenders\$	34,268,900	29,425,400	44,356,000
Surplus reserve (over 25 p.c.)\$	2,979,300	15,598,400	
Money, Gold, Exchange-			
Culf loans	7 @	4 @6	2 @3
Prime paper			4 25
Gold	100		105
Silver in London, per oz		5434	5-138
Prime sterling bills, 60 days	$ 4\ 86\ -1\ 86^{1}_{2}$	4 874-4 874	481 484
United States Bonds-			
5-20 bonds, 1867, coupon	10214	1074	11103
58, entrency		11734	123%
10-10s, coupon	102	1051_{2}	11112
4129, 1891, conpon	10478	10318	
4s of 1907, compon	99	10034	
Railroad Stocks-		4001	000
New York Central & Hud. Riv.		10612	8914
Erie	2534	1012	47 _M
Lake Shore & Mich. Southern.		65	4514
Michigan Central		6518	3534
Chteago Rock Island & Pacific	1304	10334	9712
Illinois Central	8212	741 ₂ 45	401g 31 kg
Chicago & Northwestern, com.			18
Chicago Milw. & St. Paul, com.		43 ¹ 2 55	58
Delaware Lack. & Western	3814	16%	9
Central of New Jersey	90.4	204	3
Cotton, Middl'g Uplands. & B.	1058	104	115:
Wool, American XX & D.	33@35	347042	35748
Iron, Amer. plg, No. 1 9 ton.	18 00 218 50		
Wheat, No. 2 spring 3 bush.		1 25% 1 27	1470 153
Corn. Western mixed 9 bush.		450 56	
Pork, mess	10 40@10 50	10 15@10 25	
1018, RCSS B UUL	20 10 2 10 00	10 10 20 20	707 00 00 111111

BANK MOVEMENTS AND THE MONEY MARKET.

The bank movement of the month showed a decline in the surplus reserve of the Clearing House banks to \$2,979,300 on the 29th, and this was against a surplus of \$15,598,400 about the same time in 1878, and \$9,612,075 in 1877. The money market became decidedly firmer, and rates for call loans advanced to 6@7 per cent, while the business in paper was checked by the higher rates, as there were few sellers found at 5@6 per cent.

NEW YORK CITY BANK STATEMENTS IN MARCH.

	March 1.	March 8.	March 15.	-March 23.	March 20.
Loans and discints Specie Circulation	18,458,500	16,945,200	17,312,400	18,803,700	19,448,800 19,519,100
Net deposits Legal tenders Surp.res.over25p.c	213,429,700 42,651,800	213,293,100 40,593,800		36,972,600	34,34K,9KK
Range of call loans R'te of prime pap'r	14664	2@4 4@5	2665 4665	8 647 44648	Sec7

INVESTMENT SECURITIES.

Subscriptions to the U.S. four per cent bonds in March were only about \$21,000,000, and the calls for five-twenties were for \$30,000,000 only-\$10,000,000 each on the 5th, 13th and 29th. The business in other classes of Government bonds, and in railroad stocks and bonds of the investment sort, were considerably less than in previous months. State bonds alone showed an increase in the volume of transactions, arising from the increased sales made in Southern State bonds, by reason of the changes

-	CLOSING PRICES OF GOVERNMENT SECURITIES IN MARCH, 1879.												
3.5	eh.	6s. 1	881.	5-20s	coup.	10-	10s.	58,	4128, 1	891.	49	68, cur-	8
									Reg.	Coup	coup		8
-	1						*0218						S
-	2	1065					5.		$105^{1}8$			122	
	4	10658	10658						105	*0514	10018		Ţ
	$6\dots$	1065_{8}				1.00	10234	2015	105 ¹ 8 105 105 105	105 ¹ 8	10018		1
	6	100-2			1	120-		2015	1205 1		10033		
	9		1001		1001		15.	10.15			100		1 1
1	1	1063s	1064	1024		10178	102	10438	1043		$\frac{100}{100}$	122	1
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- 1	4							1:	10 4				1
į	6						8.		104^{5}_{8} 104^{1}_{2} 104				4
1	8		1064			1015	1013	1043	10112		9978	1217 ₈	1
1	9	10618	3			1014	1014	1044	104-2	104^{1}_{2}	9912	12134	(
9	1	106	106	1021	1093	1013	10136	10114	104	104	99-2		H
2	3	100.8	100-4	102		1011	8.	101	1037	101	9914	12110	1
57.57	5	1053	1057	102		1014		10378	10358		9914	1011.	,
2	8::.	1061	1061	1021	3	1014	1013	$104 \\ 1043$	10412		9912	12112	ľ
6	8	1061	1	1021	1	1017	102	1043	103^{7}_{8} 103^{5}_{8} 104^{1}_{2} 104^{1}_{4}	10458	9958	12138	l
-	19 30	1063	1069	8		. 101	S.	1			007.		[
3	31	1063	e 1063	8	1001	1017	*007	1045	10510	*0514	10019		1
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CLO	CLOSING PRICES OF CONSOLS AND U. S. SECCRITIES AT LOADON IN MARCH.										
	Cons'ls for money.						Cons'ls for money.				
4)			8.			21	97^{1}_{16} 96^{15}_{18}	103/8	10008	107	11017
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15:	96718	11044	1065a	1073	10258	24	$9613_{18} \\ 963_{4}$	10334	10614	106_{2}	10118
7	96716	104	10610	10778	10212	26	961518	10334	$106^{1}4$	1065_{8}	10118
	96716		8.	[1	28	$971_{16} \\ 971_{16}$	104	10658	10718	1014
10		104	10612	10758	10238	29	97116	101	10678 S.	10738	101%
12	96718	104	106^{1}_{2}	10712	$1023_{8} \\ 1021_{4}$	31	97118	10414		1073_{8} 1077_{8}	
14	96918 9611 ₁₆	104	10612	1074	*0114	Hgh	97118	10419	10678	10778	1023
	961318			1074	10114	Low	96016			106^{1}_{2} 107^{3}_{8}	
17	9611_{18}	1104	10638	1074	1014	S'ce	Jan. 1	111	1093	10938	1023
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RAILROAD AND MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

Speculative stocks showed much less animation in March, and at times the market was quite dull with considerable depression in prices. There were no conspicuous movements on either side of the market, and toward the close of the month prices were much firmer, with a general recovery in tone.

The following table will show the lowest, highest, and closing prices of railway and miscellaneous stocks at the New York Stock Exchange during the months of February and March: RANGE OF STOCKS IN FEBRUARY AND MARCH.

RANGE OF STOCKS IN FEBRUARY AND SIGNOR.									
	RAILROADS. Jan. 31. Low. High. Feb.28. Low. High. Mar.31.								
	. 31.	Low.	High. 1	eb.28.	LOW.	lligh. M	ar.31.		
Albany & Susq'hanna	*81	7912	$\begin{array}{c} 87^{1}_{3}\\ 32\end{array}$	*80	80	82	82		
Burl Ced Ran & No.	*23	2310	32	*2914	$29^{1}4$	33	33		
Canada Southern	56	55	58	5540	5334	6310	62		
Central of N. Jersey.	4934	3610	4735	3810	35	631 ₃ 391 ₄	3814		
Cbes. & Ohio, 1st pf.	70.4	00 2	-E1-0	170 2	5	6			
Coes. & Omo, 181 pr.	059.		87 110 x	50		80	80		
Chicago & Alton	99.4	275	110	719	100	110	00		
do pref.		10712	110 3		108	110	*****		
Chie. Burl. & Quincy.		11512	1224	116	1123_{8}				
Chie. Mil. & St. Paul.	4238	3734	4222	3818	35^{1}_{2}	·1108	4138		
do pref.	83	$-793_{\rm L}$	8518	824	791_2	8378	X8034		
Chic. & Northwest	6018	5618	6414	561_{2}	5112	6034	6034		
do pref.	85	8679	911a	8779	x8378	89	X8834		
Chie, & Rock Island	12710	126	135	1313	128	133	x130		
chic. & Northwest do pref. Chic. & Rock Island. Clev. Col. Cin. & Ind.	46	3010	4610	43	40	1.1	4310		
Clev. & Pittsb., guar. Col. Chie. & Ind. Cent. Dol. Lack. & West'rn.	031	* QQ	95	F92	90	00	9116		
Col Chio & Tud Cont	*53	20.07	610	4510	5	570	*5		
Del Tark (Washing	500	407.	F 4.5	50-2	4.45	8.63	401.		
Dol. Lack. & West Th.	21.73	4918	34.08	50	44.8	50	481 ₄ *57		
Dubuque & Sloux C		D8 12	$\frac{61}{271_4}$	5812	57	$\frac{571_2}{257_8}$	*07		
Erle	26	24	274	$25^{1_{3}}$	2318	2578	25%		
do pref	49	4312	50	4412	42^{1}_{2}	46^{1}_{2}	464		
Hannibal & St. Jo	1442	1458	163_{8}	$15^{1_{2}}$	1412	16	15%		
do pref. Hannibal & St. Jo do pref.	3834	3710	4410	4373	42	4514	4458		
Harlem	*145	147	160	*150	x1521a	155	x153		
do pref			******	200	154	154			
Illinois Central	8710	20	9910	8914	7014	82	89		
Kansas Pacifio	110	111	$\begin{array}{c} 881_{2} \\ 221_{4} \end{array}$	1714	17	82 221 ₂	9935		
YE 1 1 - 6 Th 2 F - 1	11.2	11-2		11-4	773	2072	7710		
do pref.					01'4	23	*001		
do pref.		0000	60 c c c c		21	23	72244		
Lake Shore	122	68.98	7209	71.48	68.8	7248	7108		
Louisville & Nashv	135	35	42%	4243	41	49	4878		
Michlgan Central	8812	8613	8978	8814	· 8214	884	8612		
Mo. Kans. & Texas	618	6	9	7^{7}_{8}	7^{1}_{2}	11	934		
Morris & Essex	83	8214	8678	84	8134	23 .72 ¹ 8 .49 .88 ³ 4 .11 .84 ³ 4 .2 ⁷ 8	84		
N. Jørscy Southern	238	258	312	258	134	278	1212		
N. Y. Cent. & Hud. R.	116%	1153	120 141	117	x112	117	x11434		
Marri Toule Elamotad	3.40	102	2 4 3		1.40	170	41 51		
N. Y. N H & Hartfrd	160	158	160	*15014	1503	160	*160		
Ohlo & Mississippi	10	010	19	1111	0.50	191	1910		
do minorosippi	10	'90°	40	001-	001	27	977		
Deponie prei.	+101	100	190	*100	100	307	1105		
Tanania	124	120	130	133	130	133	1130		
Fittsb.Ft.W.&C.gnar.	10973	105	107	106	Z103#	10678	*XU334		
Renseel T& Saratoga.		100	10712	100	94	10114	*99		
N. Y. N. H. & Hartf'rd Ohlo & Mississippi do pref. Panama Pittsb. Ft. W. & C. guar. Ronssel'r & Saratoga. St. L. Alton & T. H do pref.	219	314	4		319	319			
do pref.		9	9	11034	10	10			

	F	ebruar	у		March-	
Director Ton 31	Low.	High, 1	eb.28.	Low. I	ligh. M	ar.31.
St. L. Iron Mt. & So 16	15	1614	1534	1418	1618	*14
St. L. Iron Mt. & So 16 do assented St. L. Kans. C. & No 8 do pref 364 St. L. & S. Francisco. do pref 412 do 1st pref 934 Union Paelfie				14	$15^{1_{2}}$	1412
Cu T Form C & No. 8	731	9	810	734	834	814
St. 14 Kans. C. & No. 2634	35	3714	*3539	31	3558	34
do bier 20-4	314	534	00 0	4	73a	634
St. L. & S. Francisco.	430	610		434	912	838
do prei 4-2	10	1315		11	195	1810
do 1st prei.	4910	21	74	¥6834	7434	x727
Union Pacific 65	$\frac{63^{1}2}{136^{1}2}$	1971	1271	135	135	*13416
	· 2138	0975	99	173	2170	2010
		8.00	*00	83	83	20 2
Warren	80	80	00	00	00	
TELEGRAPH.						100
American District *30	34	48	*4012	44	49_{-2}	4813
Atlantic & Pacific 38	$\frac{34}{357_8}$	3813	3812	x35	3934	x3512
Gold & Stock			00	00-3	40.9	
Western Union 10138	98	10612	10612	$x102^{5}8$	108	x10658
Wedlerd Carpination						
EXPRESS. 10614	1051	10914	107	105	10619	1064
Adams 10614	4813	50	50	4710	50	*4710
American 4914	47	401	40	10	49	*17
	9612	100	100	0634	10010	9935
Wells Fargo *x99	90-9	100	100	004	100-2	00-0
COAL AND MINING.						
Consolidation Coal *1712	$\frac{21}{24}$ 12	21				
Homestake Mining 25	2412	2734	2734	2734	35	x3234
Pennsylvania Coal 137	130	136	*135	134	137	
Mariposa Land & M	130^{34} 130^{34} 11^{3918} 12^{3318}	3	1411			*21 ₄ *23 ₈
do pref	1	1	tõ			*238
Ontario Silver Min'g. 391g	3918	40.18	4018	$x391_{2}$	4012	x40
Quicksilver Mining 1141g	12	1512	12	11	1234	*1218
do pref. *3312	3348	3512	*33	344	36	*3412
0.0						
GAS.				80	80 *	
VARIOUS.						+0"
Cauton *2956	3 2934	30	*2712		40	120
Del. & Hudson Canal 42	3878	45	40%	384	42	4008
VARIOUS. Canton	. 360	360				101
Pacific Mail 12	1012	1558	1318	12	14	13.8
Pullman Palace Car 81	x8012	x85	x85	$78\frac{1}{4}$	84_	******
Sutro Tunuel Co	. 234	4		23g	478	*312
The state of the s	horles	4 12-	e mainth	O/FO		

l Prices asked. ; Ex-privilege. * Prices bid. ·

EXCHANGE.

Foreign exchange was steady, with prices keeping inside of the specie shipping point throughout. The transactions in bonds was the principal element affecting the rates from week to week.

DANKERS' STERLING EXCHANGE FOR MARCH, 1879.

Mch.	60 days.	Demand.	Mch.	60 days.	Demand.
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UNITED STATES TREASURY STATEMENT.

The following statement from the office of the Treasurer for pril I was issued this week. It is based upon the actual

J	April I was issued this week. It is based apon	the detail
	returns from Assistant Treasurers, depositaries and s	uperintend-
1	ents of mints and assay offices.	
ı	LIABILITIES, APRIL 1.	
ł	Fund for redemption of certificates of deposit, June 8, 1872	\$27,725,000 00
ı	Post-office Department account	2,253,554 00
	Post-oince Department account	16,097,673 60
ı	Disbursing officers' balances of national banks "falled," Fund for redemption of notes of national banks "falled,"	
1		12,412,223 75
		1.189,371 03
۱	This was cont fund for redemption of Ballonal Dank Hoten	13,710,180 90
ı		1,720 00
	Character and minor coin redemption account	4,477 89
,	Interest account Pacific Railroads and L. & P. Canal Company.	141,618 50
l	Interest account, Pacific Railroads and L & P. Canal Company.	8,480 00
		52, 161 42
ŀ	Treasurer's transfer checks outstanding	2,327,490 87
Ł		
2	Interest due and unpaid 5,328,020 40	
3	Called bouds a d interest 7,997,936 45	
	Coin certifica es 19,631.23; 0)	410 010 000 40
Ŀ	Special fund for redemption of tractional curvicy 55,432,302 40 Interest due and unpaid 5,232,020 40 Called bouds a d interest 7,937,936 45 Coin certifica es 18,631,23 + 01 Balance, including builion fund 37 + 963,544 63	-912.019,105 49
		\$488,243,607 45
3		\$100,412,001 40
1	ASSETS, APRIL 1.	¢133,416,125 85
1	Gold coin and bullion	21,559,894 00
8	Stardard silver dollars	15,116,445 80
	Silver coin and bulion. Gold certificates	50,740 00
-	Silver certificates	2.074,530 00
В	Silver certincates	67,870,677 54
2	United States notes U. S. notes (special fand for redemption of fractional carrency).	8,448,991 00
4	National bank notes	
8	National bank notes.	108,020 00
8	Fractional enginery	111,913 50
2	Fractional currency. Deposits held by national bank depositaries.	226,681,802 01
1	Nick- is and minor coins	.1,481,022 59
-	Now York and San Krancisco exchange	778,500 00
2		496 50
ų.	Redeemed certificates of deposit, June 8, 1872	2,580,000 00
-	I Oughterly interest checks and coin coupons paid	0101000 E0
	Registered and naciaimed interest bald	(100)
8		1,498,117 05 810 87
	Interest on District of Columbia bonds	80 00
	Pocific Rullroad interest baid	00 00
4	Spunker's a rilleging	74.401.2
	Deficita, unavailable funds	000,010 00
٠		\$408,213,607 42

THE DEBT STATEMENT FOR MARCH, 1879.

The following is the official statement of the public debt as appears from the books and 'Treasurer's returns at the close of business on the last day of March, 1879:

Interest-bearing debt.

Character of Iesus. Auth'rising Act. Periods. Bonds Outstanding. Registered. Coupon.							
Character or resuc.	Act.	Pa	i crious.	Stz	Itegistered.	Coapon.	
5a, 10-40's	March 3, '65	1980 1-81 1881 1881 1904 1855 1887 1888		ते ते ते ते	\$260,000 14,047,000 131,360,850 36,067,250 141,333,450 114,744,950 16,472,100 257,459,050 165,663,950	\$	
416, do. 1891	July 14, '70 July 14, '70	1891	QM.		2:9,173,650	160,226,350	
3a, navy pens'n f'd,'68	July 13, '68		J. & J.		1,189,580,550, 14,00		
Aggregate of inter	Aggregate of interest bearing debt						

*Coupons of \$50 and \$100 bonds are paid anomally in March.
The sizes or denominations of each issue of bonds are as follows: (a) Coupon, \$1,000; registered \$5,000. (b) coupon \$1,000; registered \$1,000, \$5,000. \$10,000. (c) \$30, \$100 and \$500. (d) coupon \$50, \$100, \$300 and \$1,000; registered, same and also \$5,000 and \$10,000.
On the above issues of bonds there is a total of \$5,323,000 of interest over-due and not yet called for. The total current accrued interest to date is \$19,428,517.

Debt on Which Interest Has Ceased Since Muturity.

There is a total amount of over-due debt yet outstanding, which has never been presented for payment, of \$7,672,160 principal and \$325,776 interest. Of this amount, \$6,946,650 is on the "called" five-twenties.

Debt Bearing no Interest.

Character of Iesne.	Authorizing Acts.	Amount.
Legal-tender notes Certificates of deposit Fractional currency Gold certificates Sliver certificates	July 17, 1861; Feb. 12, 1861 Feb. 25, 1862; July 11, 1862; Mar. 3, 1863 June 8, 1872 July 17, 1862; Mar. 3, 1863; June 30, 1864 March 3, 1863 February 25, 1878 February 25, 1879	18,304,700 2,326,530
Aggregate of deht be Unclaimed Pacific RR.	earing no interest	\$409,032,903 8,447

Recapitulation.

	Amount	
the same of the same of	Outstanding.	Interest.
INTEREST-BEARING DEST-		
Bonds et 6 per cent	\$589,421,750	
Bonds at 5 per cent	703,266,650	
Boods at 4% per cent	250,000,000	
Bonds at 4 per cent	449,400,000	
Navy pension fund at 3 per cent	14.0.0.00	
zini, pania and par dani timi titti		
Total interest-bearing debt	2,006,091,400	\$24,156,897
DEBT ON WHICH INT. BAS CRASED SINCE MATURITY.	7,672,160	325,776
DEST BEARING NO INTEREST-		
Old demand and legal tender notes	\$346,742,941	
Certificates of deposit	27,180,000	
Fractional currency	15,925,661	
Gold and silver certificates	15, 81,2:0 53,070	
Refunding Certificates	53,070	
Matel daht hasslan as Interest	24024000	
Total debt hearing no interest	\$ 10 1, 32,903	
Unclaimed Pacific RR. interest	*********	8,647
Total	49 499 708 48 t	\$25,091,260
Total	interest due	\$49,091,400
not presented for payment	THEOLOGIC LICE	\$2,447,987,724
Total caeh in Treasury		420,787,458
Debt, less cash in the Treasury, April 1, 1879		\$2,027,107,265
Debt, less cash in the Treasury, March 1, 1879	******	2,026,207,541
Increase of debt during the past month		\$892,721
Decrease of debt since June 30, 1878		8,546,575
CURRENT LIABILITIES-		,
Interest due and namid		\$5,329,020
Deht on which laterest has ceased		7,672,160
Interest thereon		825,776
Gold and eliver certificates		18,631,230
United States notes held for redemption of certificat	tes of deposit.	¥7,680,100
United States notes held for redemption of fractions	al currency	3,458,991
Called be nds not matured for which 4 p. c. bonds hav	e been lasued.	204,417,700
Cash balance available April 1, 1879		141,248,581
A		\$420,787,458
AVAILABLE ASSETS-		400 POR 150
Cash in he Treasury		420,797,458

Bonds Issued to the Pacific Ratiroad Companies, Interest

		as Maciecy	•	
Character of Issue.	Amount Outsland'g.	luterest paid by United St's	repaid by	Int. paid by U. S.
Central Pacific	6,308,000 27,236,512 1,600,000	17,603,992 1,117,808	1,766,530 6,208,4-8 78,142	2,660,991 11,395,509 1,014,665
Wastern Pacific	1,628,320	1,024,651	86,258	935,392

The Pacific Railroad bonds are all issued under the acts of July 1, 1862, and July 2, 1864; they are registered bonds in the denominations of \$1,000, \$5,000 and \$10,000; bear 6 per cent interest in currency, payable January 1 and July 1, and mature 30 years from their date.

Monetary Commercial English News

English Market Reports-Per Cable.

The daily closing quotations in the markets of London and Liverpool for the past week, as reported by cable, are shown in the following summary:

London Money and Stock Market .- The bullion in the Bank of England has decreased \$203,000 during the week

Sa		Tuea.	Wed.	Thurn.	Fri.
Mar.	29. Mnr. 31	. Apr. 1.	Apr. 2.	Apr. 3.	Apr. 4.
Silver, per ozd. 501	8 50 la	4(11818	4020	494	451 Su
Consols for money 971	16 97116	97316	177514	97310	177910
Consols for account 971	16 97116	17316	97614	97316	97918
U. 8. 6a (5-20s) 1867 1033	104	10110	10414	1013	104
U. B. 10-10a 104	10-134	1014	10-14	10119	104%
U. S. 5a of 18811063	A 10678	1067a	10078	1067	107
U. S. 4 28 of 18911073	8 10738	10712	1075H	10758	10712
U. S. 4a of 19071013	8 1014	10138	10112	10112	10114
Erie, common stock 242	8 257	257 _N	25 5H	25%	255
Illinois Central 821	9 83	84	84	8414	84
Pennaylvanla				3534	
Philadelphia& Reading, 12:			******	*****	13

Liverpool Cotton Market .- See special report on cotton.

Liverpool Breadstuff	8	Ma	rket	.—							
1	Ba	t.	Mo	n.	Tuer	L.	Wed	l,	Thurs.	Fr	i.
	l.	d.	Z.	d.		d.		d.	s. d.	8.	d.
Flour (ex. State) \$\pi\$ bbl2	3	6	23	6	23	6	23	6	23 6	23	U
Wheat,spr'g,No.2,100lb								0 0			
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	9	1	9	1	9	0	9	0	9 0	9	1'
	9	4	9	4	0	3	9	3	9 3	9	4.
Av. Cal. white "	1)	1	9	1	8	1	0	1	0 1	9	1
Callfornia club. "	9	5	9	5	13	5	9	5	9 5	9	.5
Corn,mix,sft,old, Weent't	4	8	4	8	4	8	4	8	4 8	4	8 :
Prime, new "	4	6	4	6	4	6	4	6	4 6	4	-452
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Liverpool Provisions	Har	ket	-							,	Page 1
8a	t.	Mo	n.	Tuc	B.	We	d.	Thu	irs.	Fr	10 40
8.	d.	R.	d.	a.	d.	a.	d.	R.	d.	8.	d.
Pork, West. mess., Wbbl.51	0	50	0	50	0	50	0	50	0	50	0
Bacon, l'ng el'r, new. cwt. 26	6	26	6	26	6	26	6	27	0	27	3
Short clear, new . " 27	43	27	1)	27	6	27	6	27	6	27	9
Beef, pr. mess, new, ptc.74	0	74	0	7.1	0	7.1	0	74	0.	74	.0 7
Lard, prime West. Bewt.33	0	33	3	33	0	33	0	33	3	33	. 6
Cheese, Am. choice. " 45	0	44	0	44	0	44	0	44	0	44	0.

London Petroleum Market .-

	Sat.	Mon.	Tues.	d.		
Petroleum, ref 2 gal Petroleum, spirits "			77878	8	8 984	

Commercial and Miscellaneous News.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS FOR THE WEEK.—The imports of last week, compared with those of the preceding week; show an increase in both dry goods and general merchandise. The total imports were \$6,430,784, against \$5,803,558 the preceding week and \$7,075,817 two weeks previous. The exports for the week ended April 1 amounted to \$6,754,971, against \$6,098,015 last week and \$5,900,575 the previous week. The following are the imports at NewYork for the week ending (for dry goods) Mar. 27 and for the week ending (for general merchandise) Mar. 28:

FOREIGN IMPORTS AT NEW TORK FOR THE WERK.

Dry Goods General indse	1876. \$2,206,005 5,241,166	1877. \$1,940,648 6,083,335	1878. \$1,765,151 2,795,911	1879. \$2,267,560 4,163,224
Total week Prev. reported	\$7,447,171 79,798,214	\$5,023,983 76,487,995	\$1,561,062 70,202,072	\$6,430,784 70,683,674
Tot. s'ce Jan. 1	\$87,245,385	\$94,511,978	\$74,763,134	\$77,114,45\$

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 April 1:

EXPORTS FROM NEW YORK FOR THE WEEK.

For the week Prev. reported	1876. \$4,449,173 55,821,776	1877. \$3,901,319 60,652,109	1878. \$6,316,755 \$2,136,770	1879. \$6,754,971 72,092,407
Tot. e'ce Jan. 1	\$60,070,949	\$64,553,428	\$88,453,525	\$78,847,378

The following will show the exports of specie from the port of New York for the week ending Mar. 29, 1879, and also a comparison of the total since January 1, 1879, with the corresponding totals for several previous years:

Marca.			
25-Str. San Domingo .	Porto Plata	Mex. allv. dols.	\$6,000
	Cane Havtl	Am. ellv. dols	4,000
	Cielio and a commi	Am, gold dols	6.000
OC COM Allen	Connect arrest		9118
26-Str. Allan	Greytown	Am. gold com.	
		Am. gold coln.	5,000
	Savanilla	Am. silv. bars.	6,275
26-Str. Adriatie			4.300
20-Sti. Administration		Am. sllv. coln	31,177
am a: a 1			45.386
27-Str. Lessing	I.ondon	Am. Bilv. Dars.	
29-Str. C. of Richmon	I. Liverpool	Am. sllv. bars.	19,000
29-Str. Oder	Loudon	Am ally hars	101,280
air-our Out	ANTHURING	No. of the dole	50.000
29-Str. Hadjl	St. John, P. R.	Mex. suv. dom.	
	St. Thomas	Anı. elly. coln	1,000

Tot. since Jan. 1, '79 (\$1,901,516 silver, and \$155,785 gold) .. \$5,057,301

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23,313,575 85,174,557 \$38,983,233

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been as follow	vs:	. teo caso po		· ·	
March. 24—Str. Hadji.	i	inguayra	Am.	sliver	\$34,021 8,474
24—Str. C. of N	lew York	Vora Cruz	For	. gold eign gold . silver	4,236
	200		- Am For	. gold eign gold	$\begin{array}{c c} 3,120 \\ 5,216 \end{array}$
25—Str. Camim	a	lamilton	Silv	er bar	84
25—Str. Acapu	teo	Aspinwall	Am	. silver	8,452
			75.111	. void	1.0001
25—Brig Theti 27—Str. Morro 28—Brig Emil	Castle	Havana	Am Am	. silver	1,734 950
28—Brig Emil	y :	Belize	Am	gold	3,000
Total for the w	eek (\$104,4 orted (\$2,3	86 silver, a. 20,237 silver	nd \$46,746 r, and \$390	gold) 280 gold)	\$151,232 2,710,517
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the following balances for t			rency move	ements and	Treasury
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banks			11,672,210	0 12,312,512 4 85,318,934	
Total amount of	greenbacks k Circulation	outstanding	34 5,631,0.0		
Circulation retir	ed		1,075,51	5 421,423	922,434
Total circulation	n ontstandin	Gold Gold	343,930,84	9 321,579,250 0 1,466,930	3 3,560,276
New York Boston	•••••		3 956 00	0 6,500,000	4,062,000
Philadelphia			0.00:.00	0 = 4.700.000	5.001.01
Miscellaneous			462 00	9 3:10,000	580,000
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The following is the statement of the Comptroller, showing the issue and retirement of national bank notes and legal-tender notes, under the Acts of June 20, 1874, and January 14, 1875, to April 1, 1879: National bank notes increase from June 10, 1874, to Jun. 14, 1875. National bank notes issued between same dates 57,816,730 Decrease from Jan. 14, 1875, to d te National bank notes ontatanding at date...... Circulation re-leemed by Treasurer between same dates without re-isaae..... Greenbacks on deposit at date..... Lafayette-Muncie & Bloomington.—This railroad was sold by order of the United States Court at Lafayette, April 3, for \$1,413,000, to Messrs. Edward H. R. Lyman, C. R. Cummings, Daniel P. Eels and John S. Newbury, Trustees. There was only one bid.

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Pennsylvania Anthracito Coal Company.—This company (*hich should by no means be confused with the "Ponnsylvania Coal Company") has the most extensive private mine in the Lackawanna region, and went into the hands of a receiver a few weeks since with \$800,000 liabilities. It was incorporated in 1864 as the Lackawanna Coal & Iron Company, the name being changed in 1875. It owns 1 400 acres of mining land near Scranton, and holds a lease of 550 more. The property is bonded for \$1,000,000. The company for two years has been greatly embarrassed by the state of the coal market. R. T. McCabe, treasurer of the company, is the receiver. The company's breakers have a capacity of 40',000 tons of coal a year, and 600 hands find work in its mines. To these employees the company owes \$20,000. The product of its mines was furnished to the Dalaware & Lackawanna Railroad Company at prices based on the rates at tidewater. The receiver has authority to go on with the mines.

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tidewater. The receiver has authority to go on with the mines. The Associated Press report giving the above, also said: Much comment has been created in the coal regions by the recent diversion of the product of two very large private mining companies from Lehigh Valley markets to others. The collieries at Forty Fort, formerly operated by J. H. Swoyer, the well-known Lehigh operator, are now worked in the interest of the Delaware & Lackawanna. The product of these mines is 1,500 tons a day. The Butler colliery at Pittaton, which furnished its coal to the Lehigh Valley to the amount of 200,000 tons a year, now ships its coal over the Eric Railway, by way of Carbondale."

—New York has again been favored by the establishment here of a branch of one of the most prominent banking institutions of Europe—the Credit-Lyonnais of France. This company, with a capital of seventy-five millions of francs, has just opened in New York an agency, with offices in the Equitable Building, 120 Broadway, and has given a general power of attorney to the following gentlemen: Mr. Maurice Landon, Superintendent of Foreign Branches, who is specially intrusted with the organization of this new agency; Mr. Edmond Robert, sub-manager of the London office, who is appointed manager in New York; Mr. Phillippe Maillard, who will sign per procuration. With the increasing proportions of commercial and financial transactions between the United States and Europe, it is fair to predict for this agency a full share of the business. is fair to predict for this agency a full share of the business.

— The twenty-eighth annual report of the Manhattan Life Insurance Company of New York has just been issued. This company, which ranks among the prominent life corporations of this city, shows gross assets on the first of January, 1879. of \$10,096,524, and a surplus by the New York standard of \$1,848,172 over and above the full reserve against existing policies. The income for 1878 was \$1,645,945, and the expenses of all sorts, including \$700,933 for death claims and matured endowments and annuities, were \$1,515,110. The total expenses for salaries; office, agency, real estate, &c., was only \$122,559.

—Attention is called to the 15th regular dividend of the Plumas National Quartz Mining Company of 8 per cent, payable on the 18th inst. This is the lowest per cent yet paid by the company, owing to the great snow-fall in and near the mines, which nearly suspended operations; but the latest dispatches report a better state of affairs.

— The Toledo & Wabash equipment bondholders who desire to participate in the suit now pending may address Benjamin F. Ham, 25 Nassau street.

The Bankers' Gazette.

NATIONAL HANKS ORGANIZED.

No national banks organized the past week.

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The following dividends have recently been announced:

Name of Company.	Per	When	Hooks Closed.
	Cent.	Payable.	(Days inclusive.)
Berkshire (quar.). Housatonic prof. (quar.). Nashua & Rochester New York Elevated Pittst, Ft. Wayne & Chic. (quar.). do special guar. (quar.). Sioux City & Pacific prof. Verment & Massachusetts Banks. Oailatin National. North River.	1 % 5 1 % 1 %	April 15. April 1. May 1. April 8. April 1. April 1. April 7.	April 22 to May 1

FRIDAY, APRIL 1, 1879-5 P. M. The Money Market and Financial Situation.—The de-

cided Improvement noticed in our report of last week has been continued since, and the demand for Government bonds has increased immensely. There had been a good many parties ready to buy governments who were holding off till April with the expectation of buying at much lower prices, but with the turn which has lately taken place many of these have come in as purchasers, and stimulated greatly the demand for bonds.

Just at the close of business to-day the intelligence was made public that the regular subscriptions to the 4 per cent loan today amounted to \$6,000,000, and that in addition to this amount the Bank of Commerce had taken \$40,000,000, and the loan was for the present withdrawn from the market. It was understood, also, that the Continectal Bank put in subscriptions for \$30,000,-.000, and the Hanover Bank for \$25,000,000, which were too late to be accepted. This extraordinary transaction, which furnishes the means for redeeming all the remaining five-twenties of 1867 and 1868, was known too late to affect the markets to-day, but it was generally believed that the effect would be decidedly stimulating on the prices of all kinds of securities, both of the speculative and investment sort.

Our local money market has worked rather more easily, and on call loans the usual range has been 4@5 per cent on governments, and 527 on miscellaneous collaterals. Prime paper has been slow, because there are few parties willing to sell at current quotations of 6@7 per cent, though buyers are ready enough to take all that is offered at those rates.

The Bank of England statement on Thursday showed a loss of £203,000 in specie for the week, and the reserve fell off from 511 per cent of liabilities, last week, to 49 per cent this; the discount rate is unchanged at 21 per cent. Silver in London to-day is 49\$d. per oz. Specie in the Bank of France increased 7,307, -000 francs in the week.

The last statement of the New Yor's City Clearing-House banks, issued March 29, showed a decrease of \$1,149,150 in the excess above their 25 per cent legal reserve, the whole of such excess being \$2,979,300, against \$1,129,450 the previous week.

The following table shows the changes from the previous week and a comparison with the two preceding years.

		Differ nees fr'm previous week.		1877. Mar. 31.
Loans and dis. Specie Circulation Net deposits Legal tenders.	18,440,500 19,512,100 198,915,600	Inc. 221,200	38,767.600 19,912,300 210,378,100	20,190,800 15,797,800 219,738,900

United States Bonds. - The course of Government securities has been upwards, under the stimulus of a very large demand. Financial institutions have been among the heavy buyers, and we have heard of one or two corporations that had parchases of \$1,000,000 to \$2,000,000 to make during this month. Few bonds have been going out to London the past three days, as the higher prices have checked the demand for that market. have been made this week, and the 4 per cent loan has been atl taken up as above noted.

Closing prices of securities in London for three weeks past and the range since Jan. 1, 1879, were as follows:

	Mch.	Meh.	April	Rango since	Jan. 1, 1879.
	21.	28.	4.	Lowest.	Highest.
U. S. 6s, 5-20s, 1867. U. S. 5s, 10-40s. U. S. 5s of 1981. U. S. 4's' of 1891. U. S. 4's' of 1907.	10378 10638 107	104 106ኤ 107ዜ	1014 107 1074	x033 Mch. 15 1064 Feb. 11 1064 Mch. 24	111 Jan. 7 109% Jan. 4 109% Jan. 20

Closing prices at the N. Y. Board have been as follows

			April April	April April
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64. 1991еопр.	J. & J. 10	10134 10134	10699 1003	9 1064 1064
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6a, 5-20a, 1808reg.	J. & J. 10	23, 1023	1025 1025	#11024 11024
пл. 5-20a, 1868 .com.				
5s, 10-40sreg. 5s, 10-40scoup.	M. & S. 10	2 102	102 102	102 103
5s, fund., 1931reg.	QFeb 10	134 10119	X,334 1031	n 103% 100%
5a, fund., 1881coup. 449a, 1891reg.	QFeb. 10	129 10434	104% 1043	4 °10 674 105
1494, 1891 comp.	QMar. 10	131-1013	10178 -1017	a 1047a 105
4n, 1907cog.	Q.Jan. 9	331 1197A	na78 BD	199 1914
4a, 1907comp.		934 997a 13a 1213a	x99 99 1214 1213	

. This is the price bid; no sale was made at the Board.

The range in prices since Jan. 1, 1879, and the amount of each class of bonds outstanding April 1, 1879, were as follows:

	Rango since	Jan. 1, 1879.	Amount April 1, 1879.			
	Lowest.	Highest.	Registered.	Coupon.		
6s, 1881 ep. 6s, 5-20s, 67.ep.	10334 Molt. 22		\$201,473,100 -114,744,250	\$81,261,250 158,562,550		
6s, 5-20s, 67. ep. 6s, 5-20s, 68. ep. 5s, 10-40sep.	1023 Meh. 22	1013 Jan. 4		20,964,500 50,233,850		
5s, fund. 81.ep. 44s, 1891ep.	x 03% Meh. 25	10712 Jan. 15	257,439,030	250,991,300		
4s, 1907 cp.	x99 Apr. I	1004 Feb. 17	259,173,650	160,226,350		
6s, our'ney . reg.	III941Jan. 4	122 Peb. 20	04,023,012			

All the numbers of called bonds maturing in April were fast published in the CHRONICLE of March 15, page 270, and we give below the numbers of the two calls issued during the week:

	93d Call.	91th Can.
Coupon.	Made Mar. 29.	Made April'3.
0 0 11 2 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 1	Matures June 29.	Matures July 3.
\$50	111001-117000	117001-123000
100	203001-220000	220001-234000
500	103001-112000	112001-115000
1,000	194001-203000	203001-213000
Total	\$7,000,000	\$7,000,000
Regis'd		1
1,000	44551- 44600	
5,000	15801- 16450	16451- 17050
Total	\$3,000,000	\$3,000,000
Grand total		10,000,000

State and Rallroad Bonds .- There has been some activity In State bonds since the funding acts of Virginia and Tennessee have both been passed and have become laws. The Virginia law is quite favorably regarded, and the holders of the consol bonds, with tax-receivable coupons, are the only parties who are likely to raise any objection to it. The Tennessee law is reported as not acceptable to bondholders, for the two principal reasons that the law has to be submitted to the people, and is thus quite uncertain, and that no guarantee is offered in the shape of tax-receivable coupons.

Railroad bonds have been fairly active at firm prices, and the second consolidated bonds of the N. Y. Lake Eric and Western (Eric) have sold in very large lots, nearly all "seller 30," showing that the bonds are to come from London. The closing price

to-day was 68%.

Messrs. A. H. Muller & Son sold at auction the following securities seldom sold at public sale:

Shares. 50 Twenty-third at. RR...... 95 20 Produce Bank (old stock).\$20

Bonds.
\$134,000 Greenville & Col.
RR. 2d mort. 7 p. c. bonds,
coupons of and from July,
1871-72, for the lot.....\$515

Closing prices of leading State bonds for two weeks past, and the range since Jan. 1, 1879, have been as follows:

STATES.	Meti. 28.	April 4.	Lowest. Highest.		
Louisiana consola	*10.1% 22% *35 *76% 44	*101 *221 391 *75 *401 *31	103% Meh. 5 18 Feb. 8 35 Meh. 8	69 Jan6 106½ Feb. 12 22½ Meh. 26 42 Feb. 13 44 Meh. 28 83¼ Feb. 27	

This is the price bid; no sale was made at the Board

Mattrond and Miscellaneous Stocks. - Without any partentificat and Miscellaneous Stocks.—Without any pacticular feature in the market, there has been a strong tone throughout the list, and on a moderate volume of business prices generally close at an advance on last week. The present prices appear to depend rather more upon the t-mper of the market, as regards the rates for money and the financial situation, than upon any important changes in traffic or earnings. A few rathroads—such as Erie with the narrow gauge, Union Pacific with its litigation ended, Atchison Topeka & Saute Fe with its large extension, Chicago & Alton with its Kansas City line, and possibly a few others—will have new circumstances to be considered in estimating their future status, but a majority of roads will remain the same as in 1878 for earning capacity, and will do well if they have as large a business as in that year.

The daily highest and lowest prices have been as follows:

	Saturday.	Monday.	Tuesday,	Wednes.	Thursd'y,	Friday,
	March 29.	March 31.	April 1.	April 2.	April 3.	April 4.
		100			2004 2014	601/ 61
Canada South.	61% 62	62 62	62 02	60% 61%	6036 6036	60¼ 61 40¾ 42¾
Cent. of N. J		38 3856	3814 30	3837 40	39% 41%	7716 78
Chic. & Alton.		7914 80	*7917 8014	80 80	114 114	114% 114%
Chic. Bur. & Q.	115 115	11454 11454	11458 11458	114 114	40% 41%	40% 41%
Chic.M.& St.P.	4014 4114	4058 4156	801 80%	801 60%	7937 8096	80 8034
do pref.	18814 83%	x801/4 81 591/4 603/4	5974 6034	50% 60%	5812 6018	5936 6034
Chic. & N. W.	5918 6018	59% 60% 87% 89	8836 8936	8836 89	67% 88%	8814 89
do pref.		x130 130%		1301 13016	*130 131	1303 131
Chic. R. I. & P.		43 43%	43 43	*4016 43	*4016 43	421 42%
Clev. C. C. & 1.		43 4316 9116 9112	9134 9134	9134 9134	921 921	92 92
Clev.& P., guar	*514 516	*5 51%	+5 536	*4% 5%	5 5	*476 516
Col. Chic. &1.C. Del. & 11. Canal		40 41	41 4184	40% 41%	41 4136	4174 43
Del.Lack & W.		4716 4814	4736 4018	4734 4816	4816 4956	4884 5056
Erie	2416 25	25 2534	251 25%	24% 25%	24% 25%	24% 25%
do pref		45% 40%	4556 4654	45 4574	4514 48	45% 45%
Han. & St. Jo.		15% 15%	15% 15%		1556 1556	*15 16
do pref.		44 445%		4436 4436	44 4436	43 44
Illinois Cent.	*8097 8197	8134 82	8212 8212	8214 8234	8236 83	821/4 823/4
Kansas Pacific			2134 22	21 21	20% 20%	211/4 21%
Lake Shore	71 72	2172 2216 71% 72	7136 7176		711/2 71/2	7112 7214
Mich. Central.		8612 87	85% 86%	84% 85%	8434 8556	
Mo. Kans. & T		931 10	95% 934	9% 9%	958 958	934 10
Mor. & Essex.		8312 84	841% 84%	*8316 8416	841/4 841/4	
N. Y. C.& H. R		11436 11434	*11456 115	114 114	11436 11436	
Ohio & Miss	1136 1134	1134 1234			1156 1136	
Pacific Mail	. 12% 13%	13% 13%			131/8 131/8	
Panama	, 130 180	19 135	* 135	* 135	132 132	*131 134
Pitts.F.W.& C		*10334 104	*10336 0436	*103% 04%		(104% 104%
St.L.1.Mt.&So	. 14% 14%	*14 15	*14 15	*14 15	*14 15	
St. L. K. C.& N		81/6 81/4	8 8	734 73	736 736	8 81/8
do pref		34 34	34 841/		3132 3216	
St.L.& S. Fran	. 7 74	634 7	634 63			656 634
do pref		. 836 854	8 89		8 8	8 814
do 1st pri		18% 18%	1814 181		17% 17%	
Sutro Tunnel		*312	414 414	7212 721	418 414	7156 78
I'nion Pacific	7178 733	72% 73%	7234 73			
Wabash	. 19% 20%	2016 21	2017 201			
West. Un. Tel	. 10414 1055	105% 106%	1 100% 101%	10634 1063	110634 10658	100 100%

* These are the prices bid and asked: no sale was made at the Board. † Sales were also made ex-div. at 804@803. ; A sale was also made ex-div. at 130.

Total sales this week, and the range in prices for 1878 and since Jan. 1, 1879, were as follows:

	Sales of	Prices since	Range for 1878.		
The same of the	Week. Shares.	Lowest.	Highest.	Low. High.	
Canada Sonthern	2,705	45 ¹ 4 Jan. 3		38 4512	
Central of N. J	74,884	33 ½ Jan. 2	4738 Feb. 17		
Chicago & Alton	1,070	75 Mch. 3			
Chic. Burl. & Quincy.	1,265	11118 Jan. 7	1224 Feb. 19		
Chie. Mll. & 8t. P	90,870	3438 Jan. 4		2712 5478	
do do pref.	19,711	74% Jan. 4		64 8434	
Chicago & Northw	186,200	495 ₈ Jan. 3		3212 5514	
do do pref.	59,214	7678 Jan. 3		5934 7912	
Chic. Rock Isl. & Pac.	2,432	119 Jan. 8		9838 122	
Clev. Col. Cin. & Iud.	1,374	343 Jan. 2	4816 Jan. 30		
Clev. & Pitteb., guar.	1,157	8412 Jau. 2			
Col. Chio.& Ind. Cent	200	5 Jan. 4			
Del. & Hudson Canal		38 Jan. 2	454 Jan. 24		
Del. Lack. & Western	165,960	43 Jan. 2		41 6176	
Erie	101,170	2118 Jan. 4			
do pref	8,800	3712 Jan. 2			
Hannibal & St. Jo	1,030	134 Jan. 4			
do do pref.		34 Jan. 10			
Illinois Central	1,535	7914 Mch. 26			
Kansas Pacific	6,130	91 ₈ Jan. 21		4 1258	
Lake Shore	47,551	67 Jan. 6			
Michigan Central	22,425	734 Jan. 2			
Missouri Kan. & Tex	6,000	538 Jan. 4			
Morria & Easex	7,179	75 ¹ 8 Jan. 3			
N. Y. Cent. & Hud. R.	1,052	112 Mch. 24			
Onio & Mississippi	14,740	73 Jan. 4			
Pacific Mail	2,270	103 ₈ Jan. 13			
Panama	150	123 Jan. 2			
Pitts. Ft. W. & Chic	188	101 Jan. 4			
St. L. I. Mt. & South.	300	13 Jan. 2			
St. L. K. C. & North.	3,000	7 Jan. 2	9 Jan. 25		
do	3,810	2512 Jan. 1	2838 Jan. 30		
St. L.& S. Francisco.	1,949	318 Jan. 8		112 418	
do pref.	3,700	418 Jan. 21	912 Mch. 14	112 514	
do 1st pref.	947	9% Jan. 23			
Sutro Tunnel	3,863	238 Jan. 16	478 Mch. 17	312 5	
Union Pacific	10,585	5712 Jan. 31	81 Fcb. 19	614 73	
Wabash	13,460	173 Mch 13		1218 2378	
Western Union Tel	44,923	9438 Jan. 7	71108 Mch. 4	754 102	

Total sales of the week in leading stocks were as follows:

	Western Un. Tel.		North- west.	N'rthw. pref.	Del. L. & West.	Eric.	Lake Shore,
March 29	8,610 11,367	28,560 21,210		10,640 15,610		31,320 26,315	
April 1	13,610	12,250	26,025	11,070	34,100	13,370	3,570
" 3 " 4	1,100 6,536	11,350	32,675	7,800	26,070		
Total Whole stock.	44,923	90,870	186,200	59,214	165,960	101,170	47.551

The total number of shares of stock outstanding is given in the last line for the purpose of comparison.

The latest railroad earnings and the totals from Jan. 1 to latest dates are given below. The statement includes the gross earnings of all railroads from which returns can be obtained. The columns under the heading "Jan. 1 to latest date" furnish the gross earnings from Jan. 1 to, and including, the period mentioned in the second column. tioned in the second column.

Latest carnings reported.— Jan. 1 to latest date. Week or Mo. 1879. 1878. 1879. 1878. Atch. Top. & S. F. 3d wk Mch \$125,000 \$\$86,858 \$\$1,079.000 \$\$594,838 \$\$Atl. & Gt. West. January . 309,121 \$\$298,976 \$\$309,121 \$\$298,976 \$\$Atlantio Miss. & O. February . 121,451 \$\$117,935 \$\$231,345 \$\$260,472 \$\$Bur. & Rap. & N.3d wk Mch \$25,308 \$\$26,540 \$\$290,817 \$\$400,973 \$\$Burl. & Mo.Rdin N January . 132,698 \$\$98,377 \$\$132,698 \$\$98,377 \$\$Cairo & St. Louis. February . 16,055 \$\$13,048 \$\$32,109 \$\$24,015 \$\$Central of Iowa. January . 58,060 \$\$67,111 \$\$5,060 \$\$67,111 \$\$Central Pacific... February 1,093,000 \$\$930,528 \$\$2,182,166 \$\$2,001,516 \$\$

—Latest carr	ings rep	orted.—	Jan. 1 to lat	est date
Week or Mo.	1879.	1878.	1879,	1878.
Chicago & Alton 3d wk Mch	\$86,449	\$113,959	\$909,407	\$869,122
Chic. Burl. & Q January 1	105,098	1,045,467	1,105,098	1,045,467
Chic. & East, Ill., 3d wk Mch	14,797	14.621	176,929	167,207
Chio, Mil. & St. P. 4th wk Meh	215,000	218,893	1,701,000	2,036,356
Chic.&Northwest.March1			3,040,230	3,258,632
Clev. Mt. V. & D 1st wk Mch	6,509	6,372	59,994	62,740
Dakota Southern. January	19,705	16,430	19,705	16,430
Dubuque & S.City.3d wk Meh	17,869	20,933	168,580	235,992
Gal. Houst, & H. February .	43,948	33,909	92,880	75,875
Grand Trunk. Wk.eud. Mch. 22	152,554	177,671	2,029,082	2,133,613
Gr't Western, Wk.end. Mch.21	82,469	89,530	983,237	1,128,434
Hannibal & 8t. Jo. 3d wk Mch	43,291	37,301	403,268	371.046
Houst. & Tex. C. February .	241,315	205,883	502,061	445,085 867,798
Illinola Cen. (Ill.) February .	379,377	380,048	829,958	867,798
do (lowa). February .	95,866	131,339	196,439	268,248
Indianap. Bl. &W.3d wk Meh	20,601	27,529	242,378	290,390
Int. & Gt. North 3d wk Meh	28,744	24,481	393,962	320,551
Kansas Pacific 3d wk Mch	76,267	67.604	672.522	557,370
Mo. Kans. & Tex .3d wk Mch	50,530		546.960	560,177
Mobile & Ohio February .	165,600		355,600	460,782
Nashy, Ch.& St.L. February .	158,034	155.771	315.312	333,577
Pad.& Elizabetht, 1st wk Mch	4.970		52,062	61.573
Pad. & Memphia lat wk Mch	3,254		31.834	39,968
Phila, & Erie February .	237,000		449,748	401,003
Phila. & Reading, February .	877,865	525,410	1,835,080	1,199,390
St.L.A.&T.H. (bra)3d wk Mch	10,100		123,212	104,092
St. L. Iron Mt. & S.3d wk Mch	89,250		946,294	990.124
8t. L. K. C. & No 3d wk Meh	88,917	87,822	753,392	723,238
St. L.& Southeast.2d wk Mch	20,067		217,332	215,888
St. Paul & S. City. February .	37,965	41,341	84.689	81.808
Sloux City & St. P. February .	20,724		42,672	54,084
Southern Minn February .	35,105		72,256	121,775
Toi. Peoria & War. 3d wk Mch	22,750		239,619	296,362
Union Pacific February.	747,761		1,438,302	1,377,268
Wabash 3d wk Mch	78,803		865,463	908,506

Exchange.—There is not very much doing in the market for sterling bills, but prices are pretty firmly held by leading drawers. The asking rates are 4.87 and 4.89 for long and short bills respectively. On actual business the rates are 4.86‡@‡ and 4.881@1.
Quotations for foreign exchange are as follows:

APRIL 4.	60 days.	Demand.
Prime bankers' sterling bills on London. Good bankers' and prime commercial. Good commercial. Documentary commercial. Paris (francs). Antwerp (francs). Swiss (francs). Amsterdam (guilders). Hamburg (reichmarks).	$egin{array}{l} 4.84 \ ^12 \% 4.85 \\ 5.19 \ ^38 \% 5.16 \ ^78 \\ 5.19 \ ^38 \% 5.16 \ ^78 \\ 5.19 \ ^38 \% 5.16 \ ^76 \\ 40 \ ^18 \% \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ $	4.88\2\alpha4.89 4.88\alpha4.88\2 4.87\alpha4.87\2 4.86\2\alpha4.87 5.17\2\alpha5.15 5.17\2\alpha5.15 4.03\alpha40\2 95\8\alpha95\8 95\8\alpha95\8
Frankfort (reichmarks)	95 @ 954 95 @ 954	95387 9558 95387 9558 95387 9558

The following are quotations in gold for various coins:

8overeigns\$1 83 @8	84 88 1	Dimes & 12 dimes.	_	98	a —	9834
Napoleous 3 82 @	3 87	Silver 4s and 12s.				
X X Reichmarks. 4 72 @		Five francs				
X Guilders 3 93 @		Mexican dollars				
8pau'h Doubloons.15 55 @:		English silver				
Mex. Doubloous 15 50 @:		Prus. allv. thalers.				
Fine ailver bara 10814@	108%	Trade dollara	_	9812	@ —	99
Fine gold bars par.@	aprem.	New silver doilars	_	9934	@ -	par

Boston Banks .- The following are the totals of the Boston banks for a series of weeks past:

		Loans,	Specie. 1	L. Tenders.	Deposits.	Circulation.	Agg. Clear
1878	3.	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Oct.		127,418,600	2,563,800	6,127,800	52,264,600		45,547,518
Oct.	28.	126,876,100	2,557,100	6,524,300	52,240,24		41,489,955
Nov.		126, 25, 700	2,588,000	7,234,600	53,253,400		44,823,641
Nov.		126,512,400	2,9 0,800	7,787,500	54,956,500		45,810,772
Nov.		127,202,900	3,135,000	8,060,800	56,258,400		47, 970, 092:
Nov.	25.	128,472,600	2,933,000	8,228,000	55,241,900	25,450,900	44,426,291
Dec.	2.	126,898,100	2,862,400	8,655,500	55,713,500	25,311,400	86,257,603
Dec.	9.	127,376,300	2,779,900	8,112,900	56,036,910		46,164,108
Dec.	16.	127,483,800	2,630,500	7,483,500	55,932,300		42,852,885
Liec.	21.	128,689,701	2,659,900	7,296,300	56,433,300		45,064,725
Dec.		130,099,300	2,851,300	6,416,400	56,217,600	25,359,400	38,488,861
1879	9.						
Jan.		132,240,600	3,851,900	6,126,800	59,525,100		52,169,782
Jan.	13.	134,650,600	8,898,600	5,932,800	61,120,400		49,172,697
Jan.	20.	135,745,900	3, 35,900	5,419,700	60,968,600		46,764,891
Jan.	27.	136,700,300	3,822,500	6,230,200	63,747,200	25,500,100	43,763,114
Feb.	3.	139,979,500	8,927.500	5,127.900	64,796,300		41,620,628
Feb.	10.	139, 891,100	8,8,8,200	4,720,200	61,190,100		47,534,405
Feb.	17.	144,980,000	3,708,300	4,4 6,500	69,770,300		47,080,861
Feb.	24.	143,799,200	8,445,700	4,273,300	68.215.9		45,834,680
Mar.	3.	141,9:9,200	3,625,700	4,324,300	70,326,700		46,349,291
Mar.	10.	141,623,700	3,664,500	4,650,500	67,028,300		48,733,821
Mar.	17	141.308,300	3,649,900	4,750,300	65,677,100		45,739,465
Mar.	24,	140,442,800	3,620,800	4,713,600	64,050,100		45,907,569
Mar.	81.	140,033,100	3,614,000	4,591,000	63,435,100	25,438,200	89,857,020

Philadelphia Banks .-- The totals of the Philadelphia banks

	are as to	llows:					
I		Loans.	Specie.	L. Tenders.	Deposits.	Circulation.	Agg. Clear.
۱	1878.	8	\$	8	*	\$	
1	Oct. 21.	53,801,493	1,605,812	12,035,596	44,786,291	11,353,450	83,720,726
j	Oct. 28.	58,522,350	1,645.613	11,958,391	44,252,798	11,391,811	29,059,290
Ц	Nov. 4.	58,411,214	1,693.177	12,575,827	41,671,291	11,396,121	29,104,649
1	Nov. 11.	58,270,111	1.874.226	12,334,843	44,109,434	11,430,708	29.870,449
	Nav. 18.	57,656,695	1.379,359	12,506,845	44,496,416	11,3 3,116	27,805,472
	Nov. 25.	57,344,124	1,942,867	12,618,399	44, 112, 838	11,393,361	31,023,406
	Dec. 2.	67,461,311	1,946,959	18,022,453	45,144,517	11,395.817	21,195,262
	Dec. 9.	5.,714,763	1,996,059	12,740,471	41,816,112	11,386,822	87,595,551
	Dec. 16.	57,353 6:8	2,056,397	12,640 356	44,240,055	11,384,:75	29,809,821
	Dec. 23.	57,107,459	2,168,142	12,220,333	44,650,121	11, 79,546	32,208,916
	Dec. 30,	56,919,772	2,461,523	13,127,307	41,903,227	11,371,466	26,110,362
	1879.		·	~	The second		
	Jan. 6.	67,972,291		73.233	45.693.721	11.364.651	32.976.823
	Jao. 13.	57,777,397		36,557	45,030,219	11,343,315	31,826,979
ı	Jan. 20.	67,613,619		101,731	45,520,021	11,340,673	33,644,739
	Jan. 27.	57,614.478	15,6	183,053	45,264,816	11,325,5 2	29,942,353
i	Feb. 3.	57,138,021	15,9	150,850	45,686,151	11,810,790	30,718,162
	Feb. 10.	56,713,691		19,118	45,273,028	11,309,856	31,163,572
	Feb. 17.	66,942,785		14,566	44,916,027	11,306,127	30,293,686
	Feb. 24.	57,012 193		154,299	44,576,403	11,338,4 14	27,812,892
	Мяг. 3.	57,600,832		47,786	45,278.745	11,321,223	31,157,942
	Mar 10.	59,268,2311		9,655	46,023,633	11,847,059	36,871,591
	Mar. 17.	58,488,555		59,150	46, 336, 571	11,855,472	29,556,598
	Mar. 21.	18,508,715		60,186	45.763.418	11,361,550	31,288,063
;	Mar. 81.	59,006,812	11,8	90,998	45,256,362	11,422,038	29.945,441

New York City Hanks.—The following statement shows the condition of the Associated Banks of New York City for the week and in a trib common country of husiness on March 20, 1870.

ending at the commencement of business on March 29, 1879:												
	1	1	Avo	rage amou	nt of							
Banks,	Capital.		1	Land	Not dop'ta	Oleans						
		Loans and discounts.		Logal Tenders.	other	Circuin-						
					than U.S.							
Name Wants	8 000	8 100	# WOO	1,270,300	7,802,600	\$ 000						
Manhattan Co	2,000,000	8,445,500 5,300,700	6%1,500 469,300	838,500	8,200,100	41,000 500						
Mechanica'	.12,000,000	6,414,800	495,500	7801.500	5.008,200	81,300						
Merchants	.12,000,000	5,300,700 6,414,800 6,832,200 8,904,700 7,732,300	779,600 263,800	856,900 512,800 870,100	4,313,800 2,838,800	41,590 130,000						
America	.F $3.000,000$	7,732,300	412,400	870,100	6,170,600	1,100						
Phoenix	1,000,000	2,9,50,000	200,000 1,002,800	240,000	2,143,000 0,758,500	213,000						
City Trudesmen's	1,000,000 1,000,000	2,953,500	318,800	105,600	1,730,000	770,600						
Enline	T BOOD DOOD	OCH 10022 T	190 500	820.800	1.189.800	*****						
Merch'nts' Erch	800,000 1,000,000	2.981.500	1,504,500	293,700	10,661,000 2,207,500	429,500						
Chemical	1,000,000	1 - 3.401.500	200,400 81,200 182,000	2,002,800 293,705 304,200		629,900						
Butchers'& Drov.	300,000	1,140,100	182,000 27,000	190,200	952,400 921,000	261,600 192,000						
Groonwich	1 900,000	720,500	21,900	142,100	709,300	2,700						
Leather Man'f'rs	600,000	2,573,000	207,900	349.0001	2,031,900	310,200						
State of N. York.	800,000	897,800 1,450,500	64,400 9,800	149,800 432,100 782,000	755,500	45,000						
Leather Man'i'rs Seventh Ward State of N. York. American Exch	800,000 5,000,000	1,450,500 11,123,000	1,245,000 1,237,000	782,000	1,410,000 7,886,000	2,700 310,200 37,200 45,000 180,000						
Broadway	5,000,000 1,000,000	14,346,100 5,226,600	1,237,000 218,900	1,214,900	7,211,000 8,595,890	1,007,700						
Moreantile	1,000,000	3,437,400	320,800	362,800	3,032,000	883,700 179,300						
Pacific	422,700	2,112,700 3,637,100	53,800	319,300	1 880 400							
Republic	1,500,000 450,000	2.980.600	96,400 105,900	403,800 678,500	2.781.900	400,500						
l'eople's	412,500	1,322,100 1,722,500	105,900 50,800	88,6001	1,939,500 2,781,900 1,082,500	5,400						
Hanover	700,000	5,851,500	52,000 435,400	251,000 845,700	1,524,100 4,917,000	360,000						
Irving	500,000	2,015,800	113,800	425,800	1.926,100	198,900						
Metropolitan	3,000,000 600,000	11,502,000 1,604,800	425,000 121,900	1,823,000 424,800	7,268,000 1,707,300	2,239,000 240,000						
Nassau	1.000.000	2.079.000	14,400	192,800	1.816,500	3,900						
Market	1,000,000 500,000 500,000	2,125,500 1,439,300	14,400 27,900 20,200 828,000	192,800 890,200 217,800 369,100	1,836,500 1,672,100 831,800	3,900 354,200						
St. Nicholas Shoe & Leather	500,000	2,897,100	828,000	369.100	2,018,000	450,000 447,000						
Corn Exchange	1,000,000	3,306,100	63,000	166,000	1,707,600	4,700						
Oriental	1,000,000 300,000	3,782,900 1,339,500	13,500 39,600	777,600 149,000	3,101,400 1,147,100	780,800						
Marine	400,000	2,254,100	6,400	581 000	2 110/1 00/01	347,800						
Marine Importors' & Tr Park	1,500,000	14,899,400	1,012,400	3,887,000	18,532,300	347,800 1,108,700 535,100						
Mech. Bkg. Ass'n	2,000,000 500,000	11,091,000 614,800	6,406 1,012,400 257,500 77,800 11,400	3,887,000 3,800,500 38,700 104,190	16,532,300 13,111,200 407,800	307,400						
Gracers' North River	300,000	487,600	11,400	104,190	423,400							
East River	210,600 250,000	758,500 743,400	51,800 96,400	104,490 68,800	700,100 572,200	144,000						
East lilver	100,000	375,600	800	80.8001	572,200 395,000							
Fourth National. Central Nat. Second National. Ninth National.	3,200,000 2,000,000	7 485 000	1,085,400	1,902,700 1,642,000 428,000	11,450,400 5,004,000	1,054,500 1,470,900						
Second National.	300,900	7,485,000 2,245,000	448,000 163,000	429,000	2,289,000	299,000						
Ninth National	750,000 500,000	8,865,000 8,078,100	206,000 1,824,200	647,000 500,200	3,324,000	357,000						
First National Third National	1,000,000	8,058,800	722,800	794,800	8,940,000 5,042,500	799,200						
N. Y. Nat. Exch Bowery National N. York County	1000.000	1,409,500	49,100	147,000	829,200	266,000 224,706						
N. York Connt	200,000	1,157,000	27,000 13,400	208,000	803,000	224,700 180,000						
Gorm'n Americ'n	250,000 200,000 750,000	1,082,200 1,907,200	13,400 139,000	341,400 244,400	1,149,300 1,690,100							
Chase National	300,000	2,838,800	66,300	400,400	1,507,500	270,000						
Total	60,875,200	249,459,500	18,440,800	34,268,900	198,945,600	19,512,100						
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	Loans.	Specie.	L. Tenders.	Deposits. (Circulation.	Agg. Clear.
1878.	8		3		8	8
Aug. 3	239,000,200	17,990,803	58,010,100	219,978,500	19,273,600	414,140,015
Aug. 10	210,220,100	20,407,600	56,236,500	223,432,700	19,189,800	355,692,670
Ang. 17	235,555,400	19,234,300	55,479,400	217,831,700	19,325,600	342,277,499
Aug. 24	238,994,300	18,662,800	55,059,800	216,088,500	19,305,600	330,537,433
Aug. 31	239,431,700	17,000,300	58,948,500	216,181,100	19,433,700	285,766,611
Sep. 7	243,432,000	10,953,100	50,683,500	216,711,200	19,062,300	\$48,022,456
Sep. 14	241,215,100	18,554,700	48,891,200	218,289,000	19,478,300	330,877,701
Sep. 21	215,377,400	18,322,800	48,538,400	217,304,000	19,616,300	\$33,606,566
Sep. 23	240,322,500	18,199,000	45,680,700	216,332,000	19,617,800	870.111.707
Oct. 5	217,831,900	17,599,700	43,362,290	214,103,400	19,577,500	453,971,364
Oct. 12	248,631,300	13,991,100	42,050,800	210,011,200	19,593,100	424,149,900
Oct. 19	246,593,100	15,517,800	49,729,100	208,144,600	19,601,200	482,291,920
Oct. 20	245,103,400	19,800,500	\$9,962,500	211,098,700	19,889,700	392,878,293
Nov. 2	244,511,800	24,144,100	40,219,090	215,443,400	19,904,900	488,571,553
Nov. 9	210,221,200	20,873,200	39,155,400	210,737,600	19,905,400	408,903,425
Nov. 16	237,645,500	25,405,400	39,938,200	209,752,100	19,909,400	460,572,737
Nov. 23	234,917,700	23,414,400	40,589,200	207,181,800	19,961,900	404,087,742
Nov. 30	236,433,400	22,967,400	41,275,700	206,797,200	20,007,000	368,238,659
Dec. 7	239,815,500	20,169,700	39,961,600	207,058,600	20,059,200	436,695,221
Dec. 14	238,047,200	20,882,900	49,478,500	208,134,400	20,141,600	380,741,510
Dec. 21	235,971,100	20,911,500	39,600,000	293,625,800	20,077,000	421,244,872
Dec. 28	235,824,400	20,514,100	49,767,000	203,209,700	19,578,700	325,696,134
1879.			40 000 000			
Jan. 4	231,250,000	20,986,200	41,832,600	200,173,000	19,819,800	411,598,796
Jan. 11	230,632,000	18,982,400	45,055,400	200,432,200	19,785,000	424,413,225
Jan. 18	233,169,400	17,341,600	49,065,800	211,590,699	19,767,600	486,222,549
Jan. 25	234,410,200	17,431,700	53,599,000	214,981,200	19,617,600	507,831,740
Feb. 1	239,241,400	18,633,300	54,048,800	219,219,200	19,486,600	011,074,082
Feb. 8	242,280,200	17,819,300	51,135,400	216,387,300	19,427,100	493,410,515
Feb. 15	244,184,500	18,059,500	48,334,800	217,271,200	19,398,800	452,720,433
Feb. 21	214,007,000	17,031,303	45,377,000	210,892,000	19,335,900	434,908,004
Mar. 1	216,716,999	16,456,500	42,651,800	213,429,700	19,232,400	516,297,775
Mar. 8	217,974,200	16,945,293	40,593,800	213,293,100	19,238,000	501,821,270
Mar. 15	246,321,500	17,312,409	39,173,400	210,563,300	10,335,200	400,417,429
Mar. 22	243,830,890	18,803,700	56,972,600	206,591,400	19,200,000	413,892,738
Mar. 20	240,458,500	18,446,800	34,268,900	198,945,606	19,512,100	899,872,657

QUOTATIONS IN BOSTON. PHILADELPHIA AND OTHER CITIES.

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SHOURITIRE.	Bid.	Ask.	SECURITIES.	Bid	Ask.
			DECCUTITES,	ww.	ZER.
BOSTON.			Hartford & Erle 7a, new	9212	3354
Maine 6a			Ogdensburg & Lake Ch. 8s	307%	91
New Hampshire 6s			Did Colony, 7e		
			do 68		
Masaachusetts 5s, gold			Omeha & S. Western, Se		
Boston 6s, carrency			Pueblo & Ark. Valley, 7s. old		107
do 5m, gold			Entland Sa, lat mort	2517	
Chicago sewerage 7s			Vermont & Canada, new 8a.	1079	
do Municipal 78	***		Vermont & Mass. RH., 8s	1000	
Portland 6s.		•••	STOCKS.		,
Asch. & Topeka lat m. 78		112		10101	100
do lend crunt 7a	110	112	Boston & Albuny	104%	
do land grant 7s do 2d 7s	11109/	1117	Boston & Albany.		13314
do land inc. 8s.	11294		Boston & Maine.	.71	711/4
Boston & Albany 78	1101/		Beston & Providence		***
do 68	10082	1101		:11	112
Boston & Lowell 7s	10074		Cheshire preferred.	25	
Boston & Lowell 6s	1/459/	1001	Chic. Clinton Dub. & Min		1001
Boston & Maine 7s	10094		Cin. Sandusky & Clev	4.2	4234
Boston & Providence 78			Concord	416	458
Burl. & Mo., land grant 78		• • • •	Connecticut River	***	52
do Ncb. 68	1041	105	Conn & Breammade	****	***
do Neb. 8s, 1883	*0.575	100	Conn. & Passumpaic		42
Conn. & Passumpsie. 76, 189;			Eastern (New Hampshire))	11	111/4
Eastern, Mass., Sas, new	88	6814	Englery (New Bembanite)		22484
Fitchburg RR., 68	00			1/141/	114%
00 76			Manchester & Lawrence	104%	
Ken City Ton & W 7s 1st		11236	Nashna & Lowell.	92	
Kan. City Top. & W., 7s, 1st do do 7s, inc.		Brain	New York & New England	9017	0.11
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ļ	Northern of New Hampsbire Norwich & Worcester		87	Phila. A Read. C. & I. deh. 7s 7 do deh. 7s pp. of		
ı	ORGODIO, & D. COMMPINIO	1 2 29	(1 1444	uo mort., 70, 1892-3		***
ĺ	Old Colony Partland 84co & Portamonti		1004	Phila. Willin, & Balt, 6a, '81 Pitta. Cin. & St. 1, 7a, cou., '80.	102	1027
Į	Pulling Palace Cyr	10 H	81 68%	Phila. Wilin, & B.di., 6a, 94 Pitta. Cin. & St., 7, e. cou., '5v. Shangakar V.& Pottey 7a, 1901 Stutberv. & Ind. at, 6a, 183 Stony Creek lat in, 7a, 4, 97, Sunb. Hez. & W., lat in, 54, 24 Snnbury & Eric Jat in, 5a, 23 Snnbury & Eric Jat in, 5a, 24 Consum. Seg. 1905	102	104
ı	Rintland, preferred,	10	117	Stony Creek lat in. 74 .977.	72	***
ı	Vermunt & Massachusetts Wordester & Nashua	87	ชบ	Texas & ruc. let in .6s, g. 196	7934	9354
Į	STATE AND CITY BONDS.	=		1 00 Inc. & 1. gr. 7n 19 5	80	3:56
Į	Penna. Sa, g'd, .nt., reg. or cp.			oo Inc.&1. gr ,7a 19 5 Union & Tituav , tat m 7a, %. United N.J. cone. m. 6a, 91 Warren & F. 1at m. 7a, 91 West Chester cone. 7a, 91 West Jersey 6a, dob., coup. 83	80	86
ŀ	Penna. 5a, g'd, nl., reg. or cp. do 5a, cur., reg. do 5a, new. reg., 1592-199 do 6a, 10-15, reg., 1-71-782, do 6a, 10-15, reg., 1-82-792 do 6a, 15-25, reg., 1-82-792 do 6a, nl., rl., reg., 1-71-70 do 6a, old, reg. do 6a, nl., rg., prl., r to 96 do 6a, nl., rg., 993-& over Allegheny County 6a, coup Allegheny City fa, reg.	11114	1023	West Chester cons. 7s, '91	87	100
Į	do 6s, 15-25, reg., 1884-192	1165	103	do int in. 6s, cp., '96.	1 7	10814
l	Philadelphia, 5a reg	100	116	West Creater cons. 4s, 7d West Jersey 6s, deb., coap., '83 do at m. 6s, cp., '96. do lat m. 7s, '94. Western Penn. Et. 6s, 'p., '899 do 6s P. B., '96	9914	2.649
l	do 6s, n., rg., prior to '95	116%	11694	CANAL BONDS.	307	100
ı	Allegheny County 61, coup			Chesan, & Dela lates, rg., % Delaware Division es, cp., 78 Lehigh Naviga m., 84, reg., % do mort. till., rg., 9	• • • •	
l	Pittsburg 4s, coup., 1913	85		do mort. itit., rg., 9	103	10314 107
l	Allegheny County 54, coup Allegheny City 16, red Pittsburg 48, coup., 1913 do 58, reg. & cp., 1913. do 68, grid, reg do 78, w't'r ln.r.g. & c do 78, tr. timp red 32-56" N. Larger 68, reg. and coup.	108	1111%	do mort. gold, 'v?	93	93
ı	N. Jersey 6s, reg. and coup	110	120	do cons. m. 7s, rg., 191 Morris, bost loan, reg., 885 Pennsylvania 6s, coup., '910		***
l	do exempt, rg. & coup.		***	Schuylk, Nav. at m.sa.r '97.	F()	6514
l	do exempt, rg. & coup. Camden County 6s, coupon Camden City 6s, coupon do 7s, reg. & coupon			do 2d m. 6a, reg., 1707. do 6a, boat&car,rg.,12.3 do 7a, boat&car,rg.,19 ?	00 42	
l	Delaware 6s, coopon Harrisburg City 6s, conpon			Suaquehanna 6a. coup 9.8.	25	
	THE THREE PROCES	į.		Maryland Sa, d fen-e, J.& J.	109	10934
l	Camden & Atlanticdo do pref	41	45	do 68, exempt, 1584	112	118
۱	Catawissado prefdo new prefDelaware & Bonad Brook	3514	311/4	do 5s, quarterly. Baltimore 6s, SSL quarterly	100	105
ı	Delaware & Bonnd Brook			do 6s, 886, J.&J	108	109
l	East Pennsylvania	26		do 5, cass, quarterly. do 5s, quarterly. Baltimore 6s. 5s1, quarterly do 6s, 8s6, J.&J do 6s, 189, quarterly. do 6s, park, 199, Q.—5i do 6s, 1895, M. & S. do 6s, gently, 35, M. & S.	112	113
l	do do pref Har. P. Mt. Joy & Lancaster Huntingdon & Broad Top		S	do 6s.exempt, 15, M.&S	114	118
	do do pref. Lehigh Valley Little Schuylkill	311%	34%	do 1900, J. & J	116	115
ı	Little Schnylkill	4714	4134	BAILROAD STOCES, Par		00
ı	Nesquehouing Valley	101	50 102	Balt. & Ohio	130	92 145
ı	Northerd Pacific pref	8¾ 28¾	2814	Mosthagen Control	1294	131
l	Pagnavlyaula	35%	35	Western Maryland	83	30
ı		754 1356	1314	RAILROAD BONDS.		
	Philadelphia & Reading Philadelphia & Trenton Phila Wilning & Baltinore.	434	47/6	do 68, 1885, A.&(\).	1013± 104	10414
	United N. J. Companies	135%	139	Pitteb.& Connellav.ia, 98, 1 & J	100	105
	West Chester consol, pref West Jersey CANAL STOCKS.	2136	2236	do 6s, 1900, A.&()	106	107 104
	Chesanenke & Delaware			Cen. Ohio 6s, 1st m., 90, M.& 8	10336	190 5 4 104
	Dclaware Division Lenigh Navigation	1516	1554	Balt. & Ohio 6a, 1880, J. & J do 6a, 1885, A. & C. N. W. Va. 8d m., guar., 85, J& J Pitteb, & Cunnellav., 7a, 186, 187 Northern Central 6a, 85, 2& 3 Northern Central 6a, 85, 2& 3 do 6a, 1900, A. & J do 6a, 181 m., 90, M. & 5 W. Md. 8a, 1st m., gr., 90, J. & J do 181 m., 879, J. & J do 2d m., guar., J. & J do 2d m., guar., J. & J do 2d m., guar., J. & J do 2d m., grar.	108	114 105 114
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	Suaquchanua			Union RR. ist, guar., J. & J.	103	
	do inc. 78, end '91	98 27	311/2	MISCELLANEOUS. Baltimore Gas certificates.	98	9914
	do inc. 78, end '91 Belvidere Dela. 1st m., 68, 1902. do 2d m. 68, '81 do 8d m. 68, '37	104	100	People's Gas	1114	99% 11%
	do 3d m. 6a, '97 Camden & Amboy 6s, coup, '38 do 6s, coup, '89 do mort, 6s, '39 Cam. & Atl. 1st m. 7e, g., 193 Cam. & Atl. 1st m. 7e, g., 193 Cam. & Burlington Co. 6a, '97. Catawiasa 1st, 1s, couv., '22 do chat. m., 19s, '89 Connecting 6s, 1900–1904 Chartlers Val., 1st m. 7s, C., 190. Delaware inort., 6s, various.	9936	100	CINCINNATI.	106	
	de mort. 6s, '89	111	112	do 78	109	109
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	do do reg., 1895	11111/2	1121/2		100	
	do do reg., 1895 do 2 m., 18, reg., 1910 do con. m., 68, re., 1928. do do 6e, p., 19 8 Little Schuylkili, 1st m. 7s, '2 North, Fenn. 1st m. 6s, cp., 85, do 2d m. 1s, cp., 96, do gen. m. 7s, reg., 190 Oil Creek 1st m. 7s, coup., 8 rtish, Tilber, & B., 74, cp., '8	1013	102 102		20 198	22
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	do gen. m. 7s, reg., 190		82	do water 6a, '87 to '89 †	99%	100%
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	do cons. m. 6s. cp., 1905	100	104	Lonisy. C.& Lex. 1st m.7s, 974	105%	10016
	do Navy Yard 6s, rg, ol Penn, Co, 61, rgg	101%	16132	Lonisy, & Nashville-	101	
	do Navy Yard 68, rg, ol Penn. Co, 63, rgg rerkiomen ist m. 68, coup., 's, Phila. & Eric ist m. 68, co., '81, do 2d m. 78, ep., '82, Phila. & Read. ist m. 6e, '43-'44 do 2d m., 78, p., '8	10314	:04	Lonisy, & Nashville— Leh Br. 6s, '86	100	10134 10054 10054
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	do scrip, 1832. do 1n. m. 7e, cp. 1896 do cons. m. 7e, cp. 1911		10416	ST. LOUIS. St. Lonia 68, long	106	
	do cons. m. 78, cp.,1911 do cons. m. 78, rg.,1911 do cons.m.6e,g.1.1911	101	10112	St. Louis Co. new park, g. 68.	106	1 0 0 4
	do conv. 7s, 1893' do 7s, coup. off, '93	***			100	• • • •
	* in default. † Per share.		1	† And interest.	- 1	

QUOTATIONS OF STOCKS AND BONDS IN NEW YORK.

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RECURITIES.	Bid.	Ask.	SECURITIES	Btd.	Ask.	AROUBITIES.	Bid.	isk.	SECURITIES.	Bid. Ask.		
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Gallatin German Am.* German Exch.*	100	750,000 200,000	42,500 55,400	F. & A.	₆		Apl, Feb., May, Mny, Nov.,	174.	8	70	70
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Imp.& Traders' Irving Island City	100 50	500,000	1,684,100	J. & J.	14	8	Jan.	'79.	4	202	
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Manhattan	50	100,000 600,000 2,050,000 190,000 400,000	1,017,500	F. & A	8	S	July,	79.	916 816	191	
Marine	100	400,000	65,200 218,800	j. & J.	71/2	7	July,	771.			
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Gas and City Railroad Stocks and Bonds.

[Gas Quotations by George H. Prauties, Brokar, 24 Broad Street.]

GAS COMPANIES.	Par.	imount.	Perlod.	Rate	Date.	Bid.	Aak.
Brooklyn Gas Light Co	25	2,000,000		5	Jan , ":0	133	141
Citizena' Gas Co (Bkl) n)	20	1,200,000	Var.	.3	Jan., '79	70	78
do sertificates	1,000	320,000			Oct., '78	93	100
Harlam.	50	1,850 000		3	Feb., 78		45
	20	750,000			Jan., '7		150 -
Manhattan.	50	4,000.000		5	Feb , '70		195 4
Metropolitan	100	12,500,000		5	Feb., '79	115	123
do certificates	Vr.	1,000,000			Feb . '74		100
Mutual, N. Y.	100	5,000.000	Quar.	156	Ap!., '79		76
do bonda.	1,000	1,000,000	F.& A.	3798	- ** ::::	98	100
Wassan, Brooklyn	25	1,000,000		3	Jan., '79	72	76
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New York	100	4,000.000		4	Nov., '78	100	105
People's (Brooklyn)		1,000,000		34	Jat ., '76	25	30
	1,000			316		80	9636
do do certificates.	Var.			316	lan , '79	73	83
Central of New York	50	466,000		3	Feb , ':9 Jan , '79	60	70
Willamsburg	50	1,000,000		2	Jan , '79	75	83
	Var.	1,000,00"		3 4	an., '70	55	95
Metropolitan, Brooklyn	100	1,000,000		240	No., 78	58	80
Maulcipal	100	1,500,000		3	Feb., '70	115	125
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[Quotations by H. L. GRANT, Broker, 145 Broadway.]													
Bleenten Ut & Pulton house.	1 200		1,	[*		1						
Bleeckar St. & Fulton Ferry-atk.	100	000,000		175	Jan., 71	10	20						
Broadloay & Seventh Ave-sta.	1,000	ผม1,000	J. & J.	7	J'1y,1900	83	80						
1st morticare	100	2,100,000	Q-J.	2	Jan, '79 June, '84	6.0	62						
1st mortgage	1,000	1,500,000	1.&D.	3.	June, 764	100	101						
Brootlyn City-atock	10	2,000,000	Q-r.	3.5	Feb., '79	130	140						
9roudway (Brooklyn)-atock.	1,000	300,000	4. CN	17	Nov., '81	103	110						
Brooklyn & Hunter's Pt-stock.	100	200,000	Q1.	3	Jan., '74	1160	150						
lat mortgage hands		400,000	A. & O.	3	Uct., '76		100						
Rushiniak da (Philum)	1,000	800,000	1.02 4.	7	1888	100	102						
Bushwick Av. (Bklyn)-stock central Pk., N. & E. River-atk.	100	500,000				85	60						
Consolidated mortgage bon a		1,800,000	0.00	3	Jan. '79		40						
Den tuck & D A Datter	1,000	1,200,000	J. & D.	7	Dec.1902	90	9:16						
Dry Dock, E. B. & Battery -atk	100	1,200 000		2	Feb., '78		68						
lat mortgage, cons'd	100&c	000,000		?	Jule, 93	101	105						
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lat mortgage	1.000	203,000	1. 62 J.	7	1an., '81	100	110						
2d St. & Grand St Ferry -stock	100	748,000		8 .	Nov., '78	140	137						
let mortgage	1,000	230,000		3	Apr., '93	105	113						
Central Crows Town - stock	100	600,000			**		40						
lat mortgage	1,000	200,000		7	Nov.1001								
Houston, West at. at Par. Fy-atk	100	250,000			20200 222	10)	20						
1st mortgage		500,000		3	July, '94	80	86						
second Avenue-stock	100	1,199,500		2	*pr., ".	11.5	85						
rd mortgage	1,000	150,000		7	Apr , 85	85	80						
Cons. Convertible	1.000	1,050,000		7	May, 88		15						
Extension	00.ce.	200,000		7	Sept. 83		75						
with Anenies atuck	100	750,000		5	Miv. 177	75	85						
let mortgage	1,000	415,000		7	Ju'y, '90	105	115						
Third Areauc-stock	100	2,000,000		5	Fe'i., '79	115							
1st mortgage	1,000	,,000,000		7	Inly, '90	03	100						
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	American Exch	100 50 100	200,000 400,000 200,000	1494,348	25 15 10	15 15 10	834 14 10	July, 78, 8 July, 78, 85 Jan. 79, 7 Jan. 79, 5 Jan. 79, 5	95	72			
	Amity Atlantic Bowary	100 60 25	200,000 200,000 300,000 200,000	1,442 87,545 410,567 203,641		10 20	N'n 10 20		85 70 193	77			
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ı	Commercial Continental	100	1 000,000	170,528 1,038,423 514,359	25 11.45	25 12·50 20	129	Jan., '79.10	183	175			
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l	Globe Greenwich Guardian	25		844,901 25,348	40 10	40	30	Jan., '79, 75	270 65	772			
I	Hamilton Hanover Hoffman	15 50 50	200,000 150,000 500,000 200,000	815,049 754,424 127,110 844,301 25,348 124,537 685,899 78,817	10 10	10 10	10	Jan. '79, 714 1 n., '79, 5 Jan., '79 5	85	140			
1	Home	100 25 50	3,000,000 1f 0,000 500,000 200,000	1,363,4:9 15,969 206,869	10	10 10	10	Jan. 79. 5	123 60 105	106			
	Hope	8/3/3	1 200,000	99 049	10	12 12 13	10 10 10	Jan., 79 5 Jan., 79 5 Jan., 74 5 Jept. 178 5	100	106			
	Kings Co.(Bkn) Kulckerbocker	30 20 40	200,010 150,000 280,000	†314,003 199,901 27,884 1*6,5 :7 116,478	10 20	10 20 10	10 20 5	1 1 8434	160	897			
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	Mercantlle	50	150,000	203,281 241,421 281,637, 186,569 51,886- 205,979	20 10	20 10	20 20 10	Jan., '79.10 Jan., '79.10 Jan., '79.5	163	87			
-	Merchaute' Moutank (Bkn) Nassau (Bklyn) National	50 50 50	200,000 200,000 200,000	205,979 114,189 174,081	20 20 25	20 18 20	16 12 20	Jan., '79. 8	140 115 185	171			
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-	N. Y. & Boaton	100 100 100		160,005 24,571 55,061		17	N'ne N'ne	Feb., '79, 7	80 65	130 65.			
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1	Relief	100 50 100	200,000	59,449 84,678 71,991 205,201	10	10 i	10 5 18	Jan., '79. 5	80 70	90° 75-			
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City Securities.

[Quotations by Daniel A. Mouan. Broker, 10 Wall Street.]

		INTEREST.	Bonda	PR	104.
	Rate.	Months Payable	due.	Bid.	Ask
New York: Water stock1841-68.	5	Feb., May Aig.& Nov.	10%0 1006	100	103
do1954-57.	6	do ; do	1878-1870	160	100
Croton water stock 1845-51.	5 6 0	do do	1890	102	103
Croton Aquad'et stock .1865.	ŏ.	do da	1884-1911	104	108
do pipes and mains to reservoir bonda	7 6	May & November. Feb., May Aug. & Nov.	1884-1900 1907-1911		119
Central Park bonds 1858-57.	5	do do	1978-1898	101	103
Dock bonds1870.	556767	do uo May & November.	1901	118	11
do	6 .	May & November.	1893 1894-1897	107	119
Impi ovement stuck 1869	6	do do	1859	'05	106
Consolidated bondsvar.	7 ~	do do	1901	1/2 1/1	114
Street Imp. stockvar.	6 g.	do do	1883	10:256	105
New Consolidatedvar.	7 g.	January & July.	1879-1893 1896	111	105
Weatchester County	7 5.	do do		106	107

[Quotations by N. T. Basss, Jr., Broker, 3% Wall st.]

Brooklyn Local Imprem't— City boads		1879-1880 101 108 1881-1895 102 111 1015-1024 1014 1213£ 1195 11896 121 1002-1905 104 108
do do	January & July.	1890-1483 102 106 1924 1104 11234
Pridge	do do	1007-1010 10993 1115

[Quotations by C. Zabrickie, 4; Montgomery St., Jersey City.]			
Jerney City— Water loan, long	7 Jan., May, July 3 Nov. 1878 1879 97 95		

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Investments

STATE, CITY AND CORPORATION FINANCES.

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ANNUAL REPORTS.

Wabash.

(For the year ending Dec. 31, 1878.)

(For the year ending Dec. 31, 1878.)

In the annual report for 1878, the general manager remarks:
"If the average (freight) rate of 1877 could have been obtained in 1878, the net earnings would have been about \$2,186,000, or about \$663,000 more than the actual net earnings as shown above. Under the plan of reorganization the company has paid the annual installment on the Seney mortgage due Jan. 1, 1878, amounting to \$206,555, and \$56,000 on the contract with the Equipment Company. It has also been found necessary to provide large additions to our terminal facilities and rolling stock, with other items included in the construction and improvement account. These heavy outlays, together with the payments above mentioned of mortgage debt, added to the amount paid last year for similar purposes, with \$151,605 expense of organization, have involved the employment of a large sum in addition to the net earnings of the road. While these advances have reduced the mortgage debt and added largely to the earning capacity of the road, they have rendered it necessary to provide for payments which were not expected to be met from the net earnings. It will also be necessary during the current year to make further additions to our sidetracks, purchase other grounds, ereet some new buildings, and also to provide a large number of cars in addition to those built during the past year. To meet these requirements and provide for the balance of the Seney mortgage, it is recommended that a mortgage of \$2,000,000, covering the entire road and equipment, should be executed." * * *

"The Hannibal & Naples road, heretofore operated by this company, under a lease, at \$35,000 per annum, it is now prepared."

ment, should be executed." * * *

"The Hannibal & Naples road, heretofore operated by this company, under a lease, at \$35,000 per annum, it is now proposed to consolidate with the Wabash, by issuing mortgage bonds upon the leased road. These bonds, amounting to \$500,000, at 7 per cent interest, impose no new burden upon the company, but simply change the form of the contract, and the Wabash Company thus succeeds to the ownership of the road by paying interest on \$10,000 per mile. As an important part of our trunk line to the Mississippi River, the wisdom of this acquisition can scarcely be questioned."

The mileage worked by this company is as follows:

Miles.

Toledo, O., to Camp Polut, Ill.	Miles.
Toledo, O., to Camp Point, Ill	.452.10
Clayton, Ill., to Elvaston Bluffs, Ill., to Naples.	35.10
Decatur, Ill., to East St. Louis	109.40
m-4-1 1	
Comp Point to Ouiper, used jointly with C. P. 4. O	600.20
Total owned	8
Naples to Hannibal Bridge and Pittsfield Branch (leased)49.6	ŏ
	- 77 ·85
Total worked	
	010 00

The equipment consists of 197 locomotives, 67 passenger and 39 baggage, mail and express cars; 2,712 box, 303 Red line, 119 Diamond line, 197 Canada Southern line, 508 stock, 386 platform, 486 coal and 101 caboose cars; 1 directors', 5 wreck and 30 dump cars.

omission, and one calculated to influence unfavorably the opinions of those who are desirous of getting at the "bottom facts" in respect to this much litigated company. The following statement is made of bonded debt:

	Total	Amount	
	nount (old).	funded.	Balance.
Toledo & Illinois first mortgage	\$900,000	*\$895,000	\$5,000
Lako Erie Wabash & St. Louis, first	2,500,600	2,474,000	26,000
Great Western, first	2,500,000	2.486,000	14.000
Illinois & Southern lowa, first	300,000	295,000	5.000
Quincy & Toledo, first	500,000	490,000	10.000
Decatur & East St. Louis, first	2,700,000	2,638,000	62,000
Great Western, second	2,500,000	2,446,000	54,000
Toledo & Wabash, second	1,000,000	836,250	163.750
Wabash & Western, second	1.500.000		
		1,285,900	214,100
Toledo Wabash & Western, cousol'd	2,610,000	2,554,000	56,000

Total.....\$17,010,000 \$16,400,150 \$609.850

This does not include the so-called Seney mortgage, the \$2,000,000 proposed new mortgage, nor the equipment bonds now in dispute.

The traffic for the year was as follows:

Passengers carried.....

Passenger mileago	43,194,183	39,977,180
Tons freight carried	1.952.003	1,430,866
Tonnage mileage	501,834,839	380,668,034
Average rate per passenger per mile.	2.730e.	2.820c.
Average rate per ton per mile	0.693c.	0.825c.
The earnings and expenses in 1	1878 and 1877 were	as follows:
1878.	1877. Inc. o	r Dec. P. c.
Freight\$3,514,999		52,475 11.1
Passongers 1,179,846		53,349 4.7
	-,120,101 200	OOJOED 4.

1878. 858,879

1877. 893,543

	Mail and express Miscellaneous	1878, \$228,017 75,507	1877. \$233,102 63,789	Ino. or Dec. Dec. \$5,084 Inc. 11,717	P. c. 2·2 18·4
	Total. Expenses		\$4,585,914 3,329,801	Inc. \$412,457 Inc. 145,143	9.0
i	Net carnings	\$1,523,426	\$1,256,112	Inc. \$267,313	21.3
7 e '	Payments from net	earnings w	ere as follow	ws:	
3 r	Net carnings Interest on bonds and c Rent of track C. B. & Q.	ertificates		\$1,246,644 $$22.633$	23,426
	Rent of track T. P. & W	. R. R		10,000	
1	Rent of Hannibal & Naj Rent of Wabash Equipu	oles R. R aent Co. cars		$32,916 \\ 40.320$	
_	2000001				52,515
	Surplus Pald for permaneut imp	provements, l		and equip-	70,911

Kansas City St. Joseph & Council Bluffs Railroad. (For the year ending December 31, 1878.)

Excess of payments

The following is from the annual report just issued. The gross earnings were:

Frelgbt	1,016,360
Mail	30,384
Miscellaneous	87,751
	\$1,533,650
Total operating expenses, exclusive of rent and taxes, 66 23-100 per cent	•
taxes, 66 23-100 per cent	
Rents, including Kansas City Bridge	
Taxes (estimated)	
20,000	
Total operating expenses, 70 78-100 per cent	1,085,591
Leaving as net earnings	\$148,059
The gross earnings show an increase over those of the pre-	, -,
	\$109.853
ceding year of	106,401
The operating expenses, an increase of	100,401

The operating expenses, the report says, were unusually large, and unless more steel rails are required for 1879 than in 1878, may reasonably be reduced in amount for this year \$50,-

Passengers

O00 to \$75,000.

The operating expenses include cost of 2,674 tons steel rails, extraordinary expenditures on account of floods, encroachments of Missouri River, as well as rents, taxes, insurance, betterments, etc. The large increase over 1877 is explained as follows. The increase in cost of train and locomotive service, repairs of locomotives, fuel, and oil and waste, was \$27.873, or 12½ per cent. The increase of tonnage was 35 6-10 per cent, and to this increase is wholly due the increase in the above accounts, as also the increase in station service, \$10,675.

GROSS EARNINGS, OPERATING EXPENSES AND NET EARNINGS, YEARS 1874

l			10 1010 1	CLLSI E.		
l		1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.
ı	Pass'gerearn's	\$528,324	\$528,841	\$424,869	\$128,997	\$399,154
ļ	Freight "	817,086	746,665	717,457	893,035	1,016,360
Į	Miscel's "	90,662	87,198	99,002	101,763	118,136
ı			44 000 000	A. 044 000	h. 100 =0=	A. ***
l	Tot. earn's. \$				\$1,423,797	\$1,533,650
ı	*Oper'g exp's	941,164	1,010,836	908,117	979,190	1,085,591
ı	77 . 4	4401000	\$251 000	\$333,211	\$444.606	\$448,059
Į	Net earn's.	\$494,908	\$351,869	\$333,211	\$444,000	\$448,000

* Operating expenses include rents and taxes.

The amount of steel rail now in the track is 107 miles. The amount charged operating expenses for rail renewals in 1878 was, after deducting value of old rails, \$73,875; for the same item in 1877, \$59,613.

PASSENGER BUSINESS.

There were 11,840 more passengers carried in 1878 than during the previous year, but the earnings were \$29,843 less,—a decrease wholly owing to a reduction of rates, made May 7, to

conform to the requirements of the general law of Missouri.

Total number of passengers carried during the year, 229,622;
passengers one mile, 12,903,214; average distance carried,
54 1,933-10,000 miles. Earnings per passenger per mile, 3 094-1,000 cents.

FREIGHT BUSINESS.

During 1878, there was carried of paying freight 674,194 tons. The average distance hauled was 78 11-100 miles, making 52,661,523 tons one mile, which is an increase of 36 6-10 per cent over 1877. The increase of freight earnings was \$123,324, or 12 per cent more than the earnings of last year. With a single exception, the earnings per ton per mile since 1870 show a decrease each year. They were in 1871 4 24-100 cents; in 1877 they were 2 32-100 cents; and in 1878 they were 1 93-100 cents.

The St. Louis Kansas City & Northern Railway Company will, in the course of this year, extend its Pattonsburg branch to Council Bluffs, crossing the Hopkins branch at Maryville. The completion of this road will somewhat decrease on earnings, though the business between St. Louis and Omaha is much smaller than is generally supposed, and in considering this question, it should be borne in mind that the general business of this section is increasing rapidly, and our road will participate in it. The following statement of assets and liabilities is submitted:

STATEMENT OF FLOATING INDEBTEDNESS AND AVAILABLE ASSETS, JAN. 1, 1879

	Troutering	The Continues.	
Miscellaneous open ac	counts		\$265,450
Unpaid coupons paya Note for real estate at	ble		1,132
Note for real estate at	St. Joseph,	due July 31, 1879.	\$45,000
Note for new freight o	ars		71,715
Note for borrowed mo	ney		105,000-221,71

Accrued interest on mortgage bonds due and payable Jan. 1, 1879	EARNINGS AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 81, 1878.
\$663,140	Fastavo Waster
Arailable Assels.	Freight
Due from agents, and open accounts. \$209,917 Due from United States Government. 17,479 Cash and bills receivable in Missouri. 19,182 Beston 132,778	Mail. 6,115 6,115 Express 6,803 2,340
Metorials on hand for future and	Misceliaueous
Materials on hand fer future use. 67,052 \$446,609 Balance, being net liabilities 216,631	
\$663,140	Total operating and renewal expenses \$390,684 \$189,535
The prediction ventured in the last report of the board as to	Expenses other than Operating and Renewat.
reduction of floating debt has not been fulfilled, by reason of the unexpected expenditures for construction and equipment	luterest on receiver's certificates 2,631 2,300
and increased operating expenses, as hereinbefore set forth.	Current taxes in Nobraska 14,435
St. Joseph & Denver City.	St. Joseph & Western R. R. Co
(For the year ending December 31, 1878.)	\$30,253 \$28,902
The gross earnings of the St. Joseph & Denver City Railroad,	Rock Island & Peorls. (For the year ending Dec. 31, 1878.)
for the year ending December 31, 1878, were as follows: Freight \$519,563	The Peoria & Rock Island Railway was sold under foreclosure
Passenger	of its first mortgage, by order of the U.S. Circuit Court, at
Express 9,145 Miscellaucous 3,944	Chicago, April 4, 1877, and was purchased for the bondholders by R. R. Cable, for \$550,000.
\$641,391	Pussenger earnings. \$71,224 59 Freight earnings. 283,400 50
OPERATING AND RENEWAL EXPENSES. The total operating and renewal expenses were	Mail and express earnings. 8,073 10 Earnings from other sources. 3,724 63
EXPENDITURES OTHER THAN OPERATING AND RENEWAL,	Total earnings. \$306,488 82
Current taxes in Kansas \$18,892 Current taxes in Nebraska 14,925	Tetal expenses
Improvements—Additions to property 17,967 Interest on receiver's certificates 4,931 8t. Joseph & Western Railroad Co 2,500	Net earnings \$96,277 63 Payments from net earnings:
The state of the s	Interest
Total	Other payments from income 32,324 60 Last dividend paid (3 per cent) December 31, 1878.
Total earnings \$641,391 Total expenditures 639,426	GENERAL BALANCE.
Balance \$1,965	Stock com. paid in \$1,500,000 00 Cost of rail'd, rolling Funded debt outst'g 150,000 00 st'k, real est'e, &c. \$1,677,669 52 Current accounts. 21,573 98 Profit and loss. 39,550 86 hand. 7,277 86
The following is a detailed statement of renewal expenses for	Current accounts 21,573 98 Materials and fuel en
the year ending December 31, 1878:	Total
EASTERN DIVISION. \$12,974	Total\$1,711,124 84
Fastenings. 527 64,000 cross-ties. 38,733	Sonthern Central (N. Y.)
Rebuilding bridges. 12,015 New culverts and cattle guards. 2,376 Rock ballast for track. 6,525	(For the year ending September 30, 1878.)
Robuilding Troy depot	Passenger earnings. \$78,850 16 Freight earnings. 336,120 12
Rebuilding Mannville depot	Maif and express earnings 17,619 34 Earnings from other sources 30,317 02
30 2000-2240 tons iron rails	Total carnings\$462,906 64
Fastenings 588 58,144 cross-ties 35,309 Robuilding bridges 301	EXPENSES. Maintenance of way including taxes
Robnilding bridges	Rolling stock. 36,293 18 Transportation. 175,363 13
	Total expenses
Of the receiver's certificates outstanding December 31, 1877,	Net earnings. \$462,906 64 Payments from net earnings: 1nterest and sinking funds. \$126,102 53
there have been paid and canceled five certificates of \$1,000 each, and fourteen of \$1,000 each have been duly renewed for	
the term of one year from their respective dates.	GENERAL BALANCE. Stock com, paid in., \$1,790,234 94 Cost of railroad \$3,273,491 70
There have been issued during the year ending December 31, 1878, certificates Nos. 20 to 64, inclusive, on the Eastern Division,	8tock eom. paid in \$1,790,234 94 Cost of railroad \$3,273,491 70 Funded debt 2,540,125 00 Cost of rolling stock 387,661 58 Billi payable,eur'nt Real estate and
amounting to \$45,000, and certificates Nos. 1 to 54, inclusive, on	Bills payable, curr'nt accounts and other liabilities
the Western Division, amounting to \$54,000; thus making, with the fourteen certificates renewed, the entire amount outstand-	International & Great Northern (Texas).
ing on the 31st day of December, 1878, 113 certificates of \$1,000	(For the year ending Dec. 31, 1878.)
each, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of \$113,000. The following is a statement of the Receiver's floating liabili-	Passenger earnings \$318,927 89 Freight earnings 1,216,146 02
ties and assets, as they existed at the close of business on the	Mall and express earnings
31st day of December, 1878, exclusive of the outstanding certificates:	Total earnings. \$1,636,585 38
Freight uncollected and in transit	91 WE WAS TO THE BOOK OF THE B
Other accounts receivable. 5,631 Material and supplies on hand 34,518	Maintenance of way. \$295,766 89 Rolling stock. 346,653 40 Transportation 302,524 57 Taxes and miscellaneous. 129,657 63
Casa on hand	Titales and miscensineous
LIABILITIES. \$20,092 Receiver's accounts payable. 26,583 Due connecting lines. 2,027— 48,704	Total expenses. \$1,064,602 49 Net earnings. \$571,982 89
Due connecting lines	No payments from net earnlags except under orders of the U. S.
Balance Receiver's assets\$2,984	Circuit Court. GENERAL BALANCE.
The following is a condensed balance sheet for the year ending Dec 31st, 1878:	Stock com. paid ln. \$5,500,000 00 Cost of railroad \$16,963,628 55 Bills payable 417,376 97 Cost of rolling st'k. 1,479,394 12
DR.	Other Habilities 165,268 79 Stocks and Donds 1st mortgage bonds 7,348,000 00 owned 1,274,745 83
	Convertible bonds. 2,793,000 00 Profit and loss 1,781,830 06
Proceeds of receiver's certificates, Eastern Division	Coupons past due funded 2,458,850 00 Total \$21,632,805 76
Receiver's accounts payable	Conpons past due not funded 784,310 00
\$831,194 CR.	Total\$21,632,805 76
By receiver's floating liabilities December 31, 1877, paid dur-	Leavenworth Lawrence & Galveston RR.
Ing the year 1878. \$67,419 Paid receiver's certificates, Eastern Division. 5,000 Paid overtiller and receivers and receivers between the paid over the paid	The following statistics of traffic, earnings and expenses are curnished for the past three years:
Paid operating and renewal expenses	1876. 1877. 1878.
Expenditures other than operating, renewal and cur't taxes. 25,398 Nebraska taxes for 1874, 1875 and 1876. 59,557	Fonnage miles
Judgment for taxes of 1874 in Kansas. 7,687 I Judgment Nebraska Land Tax. 415 I	Passenger earnings\$112,819 14 \$113,716 08 \$123,761 38 Preight "311,436 56 238,155 74 260,923 23 Hall "12,907 41 12,363 34 12,588 92
Accounts receivable	Evapose " 18.000 00 18.000 00 18.000 00
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\$831,194	Total earnings \$484,525 05 \$410,336 83 \$439,604 26

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GENERAL INVESTMENT NEWS.

Boston Bank Dividends.—Mr. Joseph G. Martin, of Boston, in his list of dividends payable there in April, remarks upon the banks and their dividends as follows: The National Bank of Commerce cut down its capital, Feb. 24, from \$2,000,000 to \$1,500,000, each stockholder surrendering to the bank one-fourth of his stock. The Merchandise reduces its capital from \$750,000 to \$500,000, redeeming one share in three at \$100. The Globe passes at this time, but earned 2½ per cent net, and will probably resume dividends in October next. The Shoe and Leather passes for the first time in its history of forty-three years.

The Blue Hill reduced its capital March 15 from \$300,000 to \$200,000, by redeeming one share in three at \$100. The dividend will not be decided until Monday. The Commerce decides Saturday.

Saturday.

The changes in bank dividends are growing less numerous from the fact that previous reductions have been very large, and this is shown clearly in the paragraph below, comparing now with even four years ago. A few which passed in October now make dividends, and others which then paid now pass. As compared with October, the Boston (old) decreases from 3 to 2 per cent, Freeman 3 to 2, Hamilton 3 to 2, Hide and Leather 2½ to 2, National Market of Brighton 5 to 4½, New England 3½ to 3, Rockland 4 to 3. The Blackstone increases from 0 to 2 per cent, Continental 0 to 2, Market 0 to 2, and Third National 0 to 2. The following pass: Central, Commonwealth, First Ward, Globe, Manufacturers', Merchandise, Mount Vernon, Revere, Shoe and Leather, and Traders'.

Of the sixty-one banks within the limits of Boston, one pays 6 per cent (3 per cent quarterly), one 4½ per cent, six 4 per cent,

6 per cent (3 per cent quarterly), one 4½ per cent, six 4 per cent, one 3½ per cent, thirteen 3 per cent, four 2½ per cent, twenty-two 2 per cent, ten pass, two undecided, and the Pacific divides

January and July.

Four years ago there were fifty-eight banks, of which two then paid 7 per cent (semi-annual), six 6 per cent, eleven 5, three 4½, twenty-two 4, four 3½, nine 3 per cent and one passed. All above 4 per cent except a single 4½, have disappeared, and only nine divide over three per cent.

Boston & New York Air Line.—By the contract between this company and the New York New Haven & Hartford, the latter will have control of the business of both roads, and will pay the the Air Line Company yearly 6 per cent of the gross earning of both roads as its proportion. The agreement is dated Feb. 1, 1879, and is to run ninety-nine years. The Air Line Company is to pay its own interest, taxes and running expanses.

penses.
Indianapolls Bloomington & Western.—Judge Drummond has ordered a deed executed to the recent purchasers of the road. The deed is granted with the understanding that the property reverts into the hands of the courts should the company fail to pay certain indebtedness ordered paid by the United States District Courts. Cases involving all the important points in dispute have been appealed to the United States Supreme Court. The deeds will be executed by the Courts of Indiana and Ulippis.

and Illinois.

Jersev City Finances.—The temporary financial embarrassment of Jersey City in the failure to pay her employes on the first of April has apparently been exaggerated to the prejudice of bondholders. The recent default on Elizabeth City bonds, on the first of March, and again on the first of April, has caused unreasonable alarm among holders of Jersey City securities. But there is no analogy between the conditions of these two cities in their respective capacities for bearing taxation. Larsey City is an important commercial city, with an immercally Jersey City is an important commercial city, with an immensely valuable river front, while Elizabeth is but one of the bedrooms of New York, and has no corresponding capacity for bearing a heavy rate of taxation. In the CHRONICLE of Feb. 15, a statement was given of Jersey City finances. As to the present difficulty, it is stated that an application was made to the Equitable Life Assurance Society of this city for a loan of \$200,000, out of which a loan of \$125,000 just due to the same company was to be paid, and the balance used for current expresses.

The salaries of city employes due April 1 were not paid, amounting to \$30,000. The money out of which they were to have been paid was absorbed in the payment of the April interest. Of the total tax levy of \$1,400,000, about \$800,000 have been paid into the City Collector's office, and all used up. The city owes the Hudson County Bank \$95,000, and the Second National Bank of Jersey City \$95,000. The city collects the county tax, and is required to pay it over to the county as soon as received. She has \$900,000 of these tax bills on her hands, has collected \$210,000, and for that amount is in arrears to the county.

The public debt of the city at the highest is \$16,000,000. The assessed valuation of her property is \$60,000,000; and of this, the interest on \$6,000,000 of water debt is balanced by corresponding receipts from water rates, although the income from this source is not specifically pledged to the water bonds. The tax rate is 2.36 per cent.

New Jersey Southern.—At Long Branch, March 31, William S. Gummere, Master in Chancery, sold the New Jersey Southern Railroad and branch roads, under foreclosure proceedings instituted by Benjamin Williamson. The N. Y. Tribune report says: "The property sold was the franchises, etc., of the Long Branch

& Sea Shore Railroad and 1,619 shares of the capital stock of the same owned by the New Jersey Southern Railroad, and also the property and franchises of the Pemberton & New York Railroad, including the following railroads: the railroad from Port Monmouth to Atsion, the railroad from Eatoutown to Long Branch, the railroad from Toms River to Manchester, the railroad from Atco to Atsion on the Cauden & Atlantic Railroad, and the railroad from Long Branch to Sandy Hook, together with the East End Hotel and thirteen acres of ground, the boats and barges, rolling stock and piers at Sandy Hook. The lease of Pier No. 8 Hudson River was also included in the sale.

"Before the sale Mr. Gummere said the following mortgages were on the property: \$120,000 on the Toms River Railroad, which with interest would amount to-day to \$135,000; \$375,000 on the Pemberton & New York Railroad; \$200,000 on the Long Branch & Sea Shore Railroad, and \$15,000 on the East End Hotel and property. It was also annonneed that there were \$150,000 worth of unpaid coupons on the Pemberton & New York Railroad. The terms of the sale were 10 per cent of the amount in cash, the remainder to be paid, with interest from day of sale, on the 1st day of July, 1879, when the deed would be delivered. The property was then put up for sale in one parcel. Mr. Gummere, in the interest of Benjamin Williamson, the mortgagee, started the sale, bidding \$500,000. Henry Day then bid \$525,000, advancing bids being made by each gentleman until it reached \$752,000, at which figure it was knocked down to Mr. Day. When the auctioneer asked the name of the purchaser, William Walter Phelps, Samuel W. Bates, John W. Sterling, trustees, acting under a certain agreement dated September 30, 1875, between certain first mortgage bondholders of the New Jersey Southern Railroad and Jay Gould. The old wharf, at Sandy Hook was then sold and was purchased by A. P. Berthond & Co. for \$600. The New York & Pemberton Railroad, from Whitney's to Pemberton Junction, formerly leased, was next road Company

road Company."

—On the 29th ult., Judge Donohue, in New York Supreme Court, Chambers, granted an injunction against the defendants, restraining the consummating of the contract made with the first mortgage bondholders of the New Jersey Southern Railroal Company and Frederick W. Donner for a consolidation of the Long Brauch Road with the New Jersey Southern Road. It is claimed by the plaintiff that the bonds of the New Jersey Southern Road held by the defendants are pledged to the fulfillment of an agreement made in 1875 between that company and the Long Brauch and Sea Shore Road, which was placed then under the management of the Southern. The agreement by which the Central of New Jersey was to acquire possession of the Southern Railroad was made in the Fall of 1878 between the bondholders of the New York & Long Branch Road and the Southern Railroad Company. The Central owns three-fourths of the stock of the Long Branch Road. of the stock of the Long Branch Road.

New Orleans City Bonds.—An important decision has just been rendered in the United States Supreme Court, in the case of Morris Ranger against the City of New Orleans. The litigation been rendered in the United States Supreme Court, in the case of Morris Ranger against the City of New Orleans. The litigation arose out of an application for a writ of mandamus to compet the authorities of that city to levy a tax to pay certain judgments rendered against it upon bonds issued to the New Orleans Jackson & Great Northern Railroad Company. The city set up as a defense that there was no legislative anthority for the levy of such a tax. The petitioner demurred to this answer, but the Circuit Court overruled the demurrer, and denied the writ. This court holds that, although the power of taxation is a legislative prerogative, it may be delegated to a municipal corporation, and that, when such a corporation is created, the power of taxation is vested in it as an essential attribute for all the purposes of its existence, unless its exercise is in express terms prohibited. When, therefore, authority to borrow money or incur an obligation, to carry out any public object is conferred upon a municipal corporation, the power to levy a tax for its payment or the discharge of the obligation accompanies it, and this, too, without any special mention that such power is granted. It is always to be assumed, in the absence of clear restrictive provisions, that when the Legislature granted to a city the power to create a debt it intends that the city shall pay it, and that its payment shall not be left to its caprice or pleasure. Wherever a power to contract a debt is conterred it must be held that a corresponding power of providing for its payment is also conferred. The latter is implied in the grant of the former, and such implication cannot be overcome except by express words of limitation. The judgment of the lower court is reversed, and the cause remanded, with directions to issue the writ in compliance with the petition. tions to issue the writ in compliance with the petition.

New York Elevated.—The first mortgage bonds of the old West-side Elevated Railroad Company were bought in a fore-closure sale by J. A. Cowing, on behalf of the new company then formed, for \$750,000. At the request of some of the bond-holders, Cowing sold these bonds to the New York Elevated Railroad Company for \$100,000. On an action brought by Frederick P. James, one of the objecting bondholders, Judge Larremore decided that Cowing went beyond his trust and was liable for James' \$22,500, but that the New York Company was not. The General Term, in a decision rendered yesterday, affirmed the first part of this decision, but held that the New York Elevated Railroad Company was also liable.—N. Y. Tribuse.

New York Take Erie & Western.—The Evening Post gives the following in regard to this road:

Earnings for the second week in March.....

APRIL 5, 1879]	THE CH.
1879 1878	300,324
Increase	\$32,125 51,516
Increase first two weeks in March. The total earnings of the road from October 1, 1: March 15, 1879, were. Estimated earnings, sixteen days in March.	878, to \$7,182,000
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Old bonds. First eonsolidated 7s. Total	17,156,000
First consolidated coupons 7s. Second consolidated 6s, from December, 1879. Second consolidated 5s, to January, 1883. Second consolidated 6s, afterwards.	3,615,000
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St. Louis & Southeastern—The Louisville Courier-Journal gives details of an important move in railroad combinations, being the transfer of the securities of the St. Louis & Southeastern Railroad Company to the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company. It states that the St. Louis & Southeastern Railroad will consequently pass under control of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company.

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Sutro Tunel.—The Tribune gives the following in a San Francisco despatch of March 31. "The new compromise agreement is in effect as follows: The preamble recites the original agreement of March, 1866, between the Gould & Curry and Sutro Tunnel Companies, and declares all the mines interested in adjusting the differences. It is agreed that the terms of the original agreement have been complied with by each party; that the main tunnel has been constructed according to the terms of the original settlement. It is also arranged that a subdrain shall be constructed within ninety days, and that no water shall be sent through the tunnel until the end of that time, unless the sub-drain is sooner ready. It is further stipulated that lateral tunnels eight feet wide and seven feet high shall be constructed. The mining companies agree to advance \$70 per foot of the lateral tunnels, payments to be made on the 5th of each month on the work done during the preceding calendar month, and each of the companies may construct a lateral tunnel along its own claim, being credited therefor at the same rate. The companies are to be repaid these advances by deductions of the companies are to be repaid these advances by deductions of the companies are to be repaid these advances by deductions of the companies are to be repaid these advances by deductions of the companies are to be repaid these advances by deductions of the companies are to be repaid these advances by deductions of the companies are to be repaid these advances by deductions of the companies are to be repaid these advances by deductions of the companies are to be repaid these advances by deductions of the companies are to be repaid these advances by deductions of the companies are to be repaid these advances by deductions of the companies are to be repaid these advances by deductions of the companies are to be repaid these advances by deductions of the companies are to be repaid these advances by deductions of the companies are to be repaid these a tunnel along its own claim, being credited therefor at the same rate. The companies are to be repaid these advances by deduction of one-half of the monthly royalty on ore reduced or sold. The royalty is reduced from \$2 to \$1 per ton on ore yielding not over \$40 per ton of 2,000 lbs. Mines lying between the California and Chollar are to be considered drained whenever the tunnel is ready to receive water from the mines now connected with it; the mines north of the California and sonth of the Chollar are to be considered drained when the lateral tunnels reach their respective centres. Mining companies are to make sworn returns of the ore product each month, with the yield of bullion, and pay charges thereon by the 10th of each succeeding month. The construction of an outside parallel drain is provided for whenever it is found necessary.

"Mr. Sutro calculates that the tunnel will be ready for use within sixty days."

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Tennessee State Finances.-The following is the text of the funding law which has passed the Tennessee Legislature:

funding law which has passed the Tennessee Legislature:

AN ACT TO SETTLE THE BONDED DEBT OF THE STATE.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Tennessee, that the following described bonds, purporting to be the bonds of the State of Tennessee, with the accumulated interest thereon, be settled and funded in the coupon bonds of the State at the rate of fifty cents on the dollar upon their face value, bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum until paid, said bonds to be in denominations as follows: One-third at from five dollars to one hundred dollars, one-third at from one hundred dollars, one-third at from one hundred dollars to five hundred dollars, one-third at one thousand dollars, falling due at the end of thirty years, but redeemable and crewwhile at the pleasure of the State; the interest on said bonds being due and payable on the first day of January of each and every year, at the Capitol of the State at Nashville, in file Trehsurer's office. The bonds herein referred to being known and designated as follows:

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Capacot Ocultan	かまがりいいり
lfernitage bonds	35,000
Agricultural bonds	18,000
Union Bank bonds	125,000 l
Bank of Tennessee bonds	214.000
Bonds issued to the various Turnpike Cos	741,000
Hiawassee Railroad	280,000

Enst Tennessee & Georgia Raliroad Co	\$144,000
Memphis and La Grange Rallroad Co	GH,CKK
Ante-war railroad bonds	в,зыцемы
Post-war rullroad bonds	2,008,000
Funded under Act 1866 Funded under Act 1868	2,246,000
Funded under Act 1873.	4 9487 OHA

Funded under Act 1868.

Funded under Act 1868.

Funded under Act 1873.

Sec. 2. Be it further cancted. That the proposition to settle the State's indebtedness, contained in this or any other bill that shall pass, shall not be submitted to the voters of the Stale, nor the Legislature convened, until the flovernor shall communicate with the bondholders or their relairman, motifying them of the action of the Legislature, and when he shall have obtained the acceptance of said proposition from an equal number in amount as now proposed to take sixty cenis in the dollar and six per cent inferest.

Sec. 3. Be it further emeted. That the voters of said election, being qualified voters of the State, shall vote directly upon the provisions of the first section of this act, those voting for the neceptance of the same having written or printed on their tickef the word. "Accepted," and those opposed to the provisions of said section, having written or printed on their tickef the word. "Accepted," and those opposed to the provisions of said section, having written or printed on their tickef the word. "Accepted," and those opposed to the provisions of said section, having written or printed on their tickef the word. "Accepted," and those opposed to the provisions of said section, having written or printed on their tickef the word. "Accepted," and those opposed to the provisions of said section, and make return thereof to the Governor shall decide the result when ascertained. The Governor shall make proclamation as to the result of said election when so oscertained.

Sec. 4. Be it further enacted, That if there shall be a majority of votes cast as to said election in tavor of the acceptance of the provisions of said section, the Governor shall issue his proclamation convening a special session of the Governor Assembly for the purpose of enacting into a law and providing for the enactment of the provisions of this section of this act, initing the time within which said runding shall be completed, and making such provisions with

Virginia Finances.—The following sections give the text of the important parts of the bill for funding the State debt:

Approved March 31, 1879.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia. That to provide for funding the debt of the State, registered and coupon, dated the first day of January, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, the principal payable forty years, therefore, bearing interest at the rate of three per centum per annum for ten years, payable in the cities of Richmond, New York or London, as hereinafter provided, on the first days of July and January of each year, until the principal days of the payment of principal and accrued interest at any time after the expiration of ten years from the first day of January, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, on public notice to the holders of its purpose to make such redemption. The coupons on said bonds shall be receivable at and after maturity for all taxes, debts, dues and demands due the State, and this shall be expressed on the face of the holder. State, or the payable for all taxes, debts, dues and demands due the State, and this shall be expressed on the face of the bends. The said bonds shall be expressed on the face of the bends. The said bonds shall be expressed on the face of the bends. The said bonds shall be of the deduction of the creditors respectively, and the bonds as well as their coupons, shall be payable at Richmond and New York, or if desired, may be made payable in sterling at London, at the fixed rate of exchange of one pound sterling for five dollars. The bonds hereby authorized shall be be saved in sterling at London, at the fixed rate of exchange of one pound sterling for five dollars. The bonds have the fixed by

So long as the said corporations shall present for funding the obligations aforesaid, in the amounts and in the periods aforesaid, they shall have the exclusive privilege of funding the outstanding debt, under the provisions of this act: provided that the said corporations shall arrange to receive the outstanding bonds at the city of Richmond when the holders thereof shall so desire.

But if the said corporations shall fail to file with the Governor their assent and agreement as aforesaid, by the first day of May, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, or shall fail to present for funding the outstanding bonds in the proportions and amounts and during the periods hereinbefore specified, then the Governor may, in his discretion, make a like contract with responsible parties for the funding of the debt of the state under this act.

7. The owners of all classes of bonds mentioned in this act, who shall exchange their scentificates for the bonds created under this act, and who shall not have yet received certificates erpresenting the remaining one-third of their principal and interest due and payable by the State of West Virginia, shall receive certificates of a like character to those issued under the act of March thirdeth, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, when they make such exchange, and the State of West Virginia, will negotiate or aid the creditors holding all of such certificates issued under this act, or previous acts, in negotiating with the State of West Virginia for an amleable settlement of the claims of such creditors against the State of West Virginia. The acceptance of the said certificates for West Virginia's one-third, issued under this act, shall be taken and held as a full and absolute release of the State of Virginia from all liability on account of the said certificates.

9. In the year eighteen hundred and eighty-five, and annually thereather until all the bonds issued under this act.

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The balance of the bill

Monday was the day set for this examination. From private dispatches from Toledo received here, it was learned that this order of the Conrt was not obeyed. The treasurer and auditor refused, by the advice of the company's counsel, to appear for examination, and the inspection of the books was denied by the company.

the company In regard to this refusal an officer of the company said on Monday: "The proceedings begun in the Western courts were merely preliminary to a determination of the question whether the unsecured equipment bonds of the Toledo Wabash & Western Railroad, issued in 1862, were a lien on the property under the consolidated mortgage under the consolidated mortgage. ern Railroad, issued in 1862, were a lien on the property of the Wabash Company under the consolidated mortgage made in 1867 by the old corporation. The judge has decided that the plaintiff has probable cause for action, but at the same time he has refused the receivership and the temporary injunction. The real point at issue as to the lien of equipment bonds will be probably a matter of long litigation. These equipment bonds are an unprotected obligation of the former Toledo Wabash & Western Company, having been issued by that company as a plain bond without security. They were mentioned afterward as a part of the old indebtedness which was to be provided for by the issue of consolidated mortgage bonds of 1867; but the holders did not avail themselves of the benefits of this provision prior to the foreclosure of the gold mortgage under which the Wabash Company now holds its title to the property. I know of no reason for refusing an examination of the company's books other than that the company, through its counsel, did not wish in any way to recognize the validity of the alleged lien of the equipment bonds as part of the consolidated mortgage, or to compromise its position in the present and future litigation."

It is claimed on the other hand, by the holders of the equipment bonds that they were a series of the lien of the consolidated mortgage, or to compromise the they were a series of the holders of the equipment bonds that they were a series of the holders of the equipment bonds that they were a series of the holders of the equipment bonds that they were a series of the holders of the equipment bonds that they were a series of the holders of the equipment bonds that they were a series of the holders of the equipment bonds that they were a series of the holders of the equipment bonds that they were a series of the holders of the equipment bonds that they were a series of the holders of the equipment bonds that they were a series of the holders of the equipment bonds that they were a series of the holders o

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It is claimed on the other hand, by the holders of the equipment bonds, that they were secured by the consolidated mortgage, and that at the time of the foreclosure sale under the gold mortgage, which was junior to the consolidated mortgage, they protested against the sale. On that account an order was granted by the court that the sale should be made subject to any equities of the equipment bonds that might be established subsequently in the courts. This question is claimed to be the real object of the suits begun in the Illinois and Indiana courts.

A bill was filed Monday in the Brown Circuit Court at Mount Sterling, Ill., in behalf of Levi Holbrook against the Wabash Company and others, asking for the foreclosure of the first mortgage executed by the Quincy & Toledo Railroad Company on May 29, 1865. The plaintiff holds some of the bonds that the mortgage was given to secure, and in his complaint asks that pending the litigation the Court enforce the trust by placing so much of the road as extends from Clayton to the west side of the Illinois River, opposite Meredosia, in the hands of a trustee or receiver. The bill attacks the legality of the consolidation. The Quincy Road is a part of the main line and of the consolidated company. According to the annual report recently submitted by the president of the Wabash Company, there remain unassented of these bonds only \$10,000.

The complainants are represented by C. W. Hassler, of New York, and George McWilliams, of Covington, Ind., and the defendants by W. Swayne, of Toledo, O., and others.

The Commercial Times.

COMMERCIAL EPITOME.

FRIDAY NIGHT, APRIL 4, 1879.

The weather has been cold and unseasonable. Snow storms of considerable violence have occurred in Northern latitudes, and little progress has been made in the re-opening of inland navigation. The severe weather and the late spring have an unfavorable effect upon home trade. The export business continues good, however, in breadstuffs and provisions; but in cotton it is restricted by a great speculative advance.

The following is a statement of the stocks of leading articles

of domestic and foreign merchandise at dates given:

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				31,665	17,344
			33,391	25,531	44,984

The market for provisions has shown a reaction during the past week; values have materially advanced, and the position has been one of marked firmness. This state of affairs is due solely to stronger advices from Chicago, where the speculative movement has been revived. To-day, the general market was lower and weak; old mess pork on the spot sold at \$9 40; new quoted \$10 50@\$10 62\frac{1}{2}; April, \$10 50@\$10 70, and May \$10 60@\$10_75 bid and asked. Lard was sold at 6.57\frac{1}{2}c. for prime Western on the spot, and 6\frac{1}{2}c. for city; June sold at 6.70@6.72%c.; April nominal at 6.55@6.574c.; refined for the continent, 6.90c. Bacon quiet at 51/4@5.30c. for long and short clear, and 5.20@51/4c. for long clear. Butter has continued dull, in liberal receipt, and generally weak.

Rio coffee has been fairly active, at an advance to 133/4@14c. for fair; and mild grades have been firm and have also sold fairly; the loss of the "Kingdom O' Fife" with 9,000 piculs Java, strengthened the market. Rice has been moderately active and steady. Molasses has met with a fair demand at steady prices. Raw sugar has been moderately active, generally on the basis of last week's quotations, at which the market closes rather weak; fair to good refining, 61/6061c.; refined has declined to 83/4c. for crushed.

Ocean freight-room has continued to be irregular, and at times rates were easier; and consequently a liberal movement has been effected. Late engagements and charters include: Grain to Liverpool, by steam, 6d., 60 lbs.; provisions, 20@27s. 6d.; cotton, by sail, 7-32d.; grain to London, by steam, 6d., 60 lbs.; provisions, 30@40s.; flour, by sail, 1s. 9d.; grain to Cork for orders, 4s. 10/2d.@5s. per qr.; do. to Bordeaux to Havre, 4s. 6d.; do. to Havre or Hamburg, 4s. 11 1/2d.; crude petroleum to Havre, 3s.; do to Alicante, 4s. 6d.; refined petroleum to Naples, 4s. To-day, rates without improvement: Cotton to Liverpool, by steam, 3-16d., which is now the minimum rate; grain to Hull, by steam, 61/4@6%d.; grain to Malpas, 4s. 41d. rer qr.; grain to direct Irish port, 4s. 41d.; refined petroleum to Levant, 271c. per case.

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The tobacco market has been quiet. The sales of Kentucky for the week are only 400 hhds., of which 300 for consumption and 100 for export. Prices are firm at 3@44c. for lugs and 5@12c. for leaf. Seed leaf is also quiet, and the only sales are 250 cases Pennsylvania at 9@25c., and 150 do. New England at 10@21c., all crop of 1877. Of Spanish tobacco, 550 bales are reported sold, at 88c.@\$1 10.

Rosins have been more or less stationary, and without changes; common to good strained quoted at \$1 35@1 40.

Spirits turpentine has advanced to 334@34c., owing to a speculative movement which has for a foundation very limited stocks here, and material advances in the Southern advices. Petroleum has been well sustained at 9%c. for refined, in bbls., with refiners' offerings still limited. American pig iron has advanced, and shows much firmness; 3,200 tons have sold, at \$18 50 for No. 1, and \$17 for No. 2. Rails are in demand and firm at \$45 for steel, at tide water. Ingot copper sells in a moderate way at 15%4@16c. for Lake.

COTTON.

FRIDAY, P. M., April 4, 1879.

THE MOVEMENT OF THE CROP, as indicated by our telegrams from the South to-night, is given below. For the week ending this evening (Apr. 4), the total receipts have reached 54,283 bales, against 61,693 bales last week, 61,202 bales the previous week, and 78,490 bales three weeks since; making the total receipts since the 1st of September, 1878, 4,173,5.33 bales, against 3,953,344 bales for the same period of 1877-8, showing an increase since September 1, 1878, of 220,159 bales. The details of the receipts for this week (as per telegraph) and for the corresponding weeks of four previous years are as follows: weeks of four previous years are as follows:

Receipts this w'k at	1879.	1878.	1877.	1876.	1975.
New Orleans	12,931	15,459	10,660	24,369	7,247
Mobile	3,443	4,143	1,303	3,860	1,007
Charleston	3,664	2,451	1,189	3,460	3,706
Port Royal, &c		1,993	90		217
Savannah	7,466	5,631	2,915	3,580	5,185
Galveston	5,037	4,772	2,409	4,673	4,598
Indianola, &o	99	43	56	151	269
Tennessee, &c	7,950	12,597	3,054	4,975	8,848
Florida	2,563	846	91	120	47
North Carolina	987	1,388	699	2,092	1,522
Norfelk	8.863	8,781	3,693	8,082	8,33t
City Point, &c	1,260	1,776	. 126	436	269
Total this week	54,283	59,886	26,287	55,801	41,156
Total since Sept. 1.	4,173,503	3,953,344	3,756,849	3,813,480	3,236,887

The exports for the week ending this evening reach a total of 44,736 bales, of which 20,628 were to Great Britain, 743 to France, and 23,365 to rest of the Continent, while the stocks as made up this evening are now 530,997 bales. Below are the stocks and exports for the week, and also for the corresponding week of last season:

Week	EXP	ORTED T	0-	Total	Same	втоск.		
Apr. 4.	Great Britain.	France.	Contt- nent.	this Week.	Week 1878.	1879.	1878.	
.N. Orl'ns	10,346	357	10,049	20,752	49,841	209,546	238,392	
Mobile					7,018	25,659	29,225	
Charl't'n			5,450	5,450	3,280	16,139	18,614	
Savan'h.			5,835	5,833	17,283	23,727	29,360	
Galv't'n-	3,175	85	1,686	4,946	8,212	24,344	31,152	
N. York.	1,438	301	54	1,793	10,021	192,514	152,295	
Norfelk-						10,068	23,969	
-Other*	5,669		291	5,960	7,042	29,000	42,000	
Tot. this								
week	20,628	71	23,365	44,736	102,727	530,997	564,997	
Tot.since								
Sept. 1.	1698,299	382,320	848,200	2928,819	2763,261			

• The exports this week under the head of "other ports" include, from Baltimore, 2,827 bales to Liverpool and 291 bales to Continent; from Boston, 2,831 bales to Liverpool; from Philadelphia, 11 bales to Liverpool.

From the foregoing statement it will be seen that, compared with the corresponding week of last season, there is a decrease in the exports this week of 57,991 bales, while the stocks to-night are 34,000 bales less than they were at this time a year ago. In addition to above exports, our telegrams to-night also give us the following amounts of cotton on shipboard, not cleared, at the ports named. We add also similar figures for New York, which are prepared for our special use by Messrs. Carey, Yale & Lambert, 60 Beaver street:

	On	On Shipboard, not cleared—for							
APRIL 4, AT—	Liver- pool.	France.	Other Foreign	Coast- wise.	Total.	Leaving Stock.			
New Orleans Mobile. Charleston Savannah Galveston New York Other ports.	37,250 11,000 3,415 3,500 8,112 1,200 9,000	9,000 3,236 None. None. None. None.	25,250 None, 2,300 4,000 1,039 750 1,000	3,500 None. 250 1,500 538 None. 2,000	75,000 14,236 5,965 9,000 9,689 *4,950 12,000	134,500 11,423 10,174 14,727 14,655 187,564 27,068			
Total	73,477	12,236	34,339	7,788	130,840	400,111			

*Included in this amount there are 3,000 bales at presses for foreign ports, the destination of which we cannot learn.

The following is our usual table showing the movement of cotton at all the ports from Sept. 1 to Mar. 23, the latest mail dates:

		RECEIPTS SINCE		EXPORTED SINCE SEPT. 1 TO-				
PORTS.	1878.	1877.	Great Britain.	France.	Other	Total.	Stock.	
	1010.	10/1.	britain.	- Ittibuo	Foreign			
: N.Orlne	1102,807	1277.197	516,426	193,635	290,373	1000,484	221,707	
Mobile.	342,929	386,017	42,035	32,347	29,677	104,059	27,038	
· Char'n*	499,990	436,255	141,638	57,140	162,360	361,188	18,798	
. Sav'h	667,498	553,169	184,730	23,646	219,768	428,144	26,689	
Galv.* .	528,639	413,962	200,033	59.478	61,285	320,846	25,740	
. N. York	133,499	106,712	192,086	10,551	21,772	224,409	188,085	
· Florida	51,948	12,957	13,756	1,967	135	15,858		
"N. Car.	129,135	132,737	44,472	2,050	18,589	65,111	3,464	
Norf'k*	501,691	448,857	178,458	713	5,098	184,269	15,000	
·Other	161,034	125,595	163,937	*****	15,778	179,715	21,500	
This vr	4119,220		1677 671	201 577	001 005	2884,083	549.00*	
Tung Ji.	2120,220	******	1077,071	301,377	334,000	2004,000	040,021	
Lastyr.		3893,453	1653,030	431,660	575.844	2660 534	632,027	

Under the head of Churleston is included Port Royal, &c.; under the head of beston is included Indianola, &c.; under the head of Norfolk is included City

We have had a very excited and buoyant market for cotton in the past week. Spots have not been active, but quotatious were advanced ic. on Tuesday, and again on Wednes iay, and yesterday ic. To-day, prices were advanced ic. early in the day, but inter were reduced ic., closing at 11ic. for middling uplands. The speculation in futures opened weak, and depression of tone and values continued till about noon on Monday, when a reaction set in, followed on Tuesday by an excited advance of 25 to 30 hundredths from the lowest figures of Monday. Wednesday showed renewed excitement and activity, but with the advance not so uniform nor so well sustained; the next crop, except September, being only slightly dearer at the close. Yesterday, there was a further advance, most decided for this crop, but October deliveries attracting some increase of speculative interest. Liverpool accounts have been variable, that market showing a disposition to resist our advance, but finally yielding to some extent. The chief element of strength has been the statistical position, conveying the impression that at the present rate of consumption supplies will not hold out for the remainder of the season, and that there is no alternative but to force prices up until consumption be reduced. The Southern markets have all advanced sharply. Another element of strength has been developed in reports from the Mississippi Valley, that an extensive emigration movement of the freedmen from that sec ion to the State of Kansas is in progress, threatening a serious disorganization of labor for the coming season. The published accounts of State of Kansas is in progress, threatening a serious disorganiza-tion of labor for the coming season. The published accounts of this movement are somewhat alarming, but it is not believed that much inconvenience will be felt, except in a few localities, and no serious obstacle will be interposed to the cultivation of the next crop of cotton. To-day, there was an excited and variable market, almost beyond precedent; sales were 206,600 bales, and prices fluctuated 26 to 35 points for the active months, closing 5 to 7 points lower for this crop, and 7 to 12 lower for the next crop, many of the bulls being disposed to realize the profits which the large advance afforded them, without much reference to the probable future of values.

The total sales for forward delivery for the week are 794,600 bales, including — free on board. For immediate delivery the total sales foot up this week 5.607 bales, including 869 for export, 3,936 for consumption, 1,702 for speenlation, and —in transit. Of the above, 30) bales were to arrive. The following tables show the official quotations and sales for each day of the past week:

Mar. 29 to	U	PLANI	os.	NEW	ORLI	EANS.	7	TEXAS	,
Apr. 4.		Mon	Tues	Sat.	Mon	Tues	Sut.	Mon.	Tues
Ordin'y. PD	81316	81316	81516	S15 ₁₆	81516	9116	81516	81516	9116
Strict Ord	9310	9316	9516	9516	9516	9718	9516	9516	3710
Str. G'd Ord	91516	911 ₁₆ 915 ₁₆	913 ₁₆ 101 ₁₆	91316	9^{13}_{16} 101_{16}	915 ₁₆ 103 ₁₆	913 ₁₈ 101 ₁₆	913 ₁₆ 101 ₁₆	10316
Low Midd'g	10316	10316	10516	10516	10516	10716	10516	10516	10716
Str. L'w Mid		1038	1012	1012	1012	105	1012	1019	105
Middling	1012	1012	1058	1058	1058	103	1058	1058	1034
Good Mid		107g	11	11	11	1118	11	11	1128
Str. G'd Mtd		1118	1114	1114	114	1138	1114	114	1138
Midd'g Fair	1134	113 ₄ 123 ₄	1170	1179	1170	12		1179	12
Fair	124	Traff	1278	1278	1278	13	1278	127_{θ}	13
	Wed	Th.	Fri.	Wed	Th.	Frl.	Wed	Th.	Fri.
Ordin'y. Bb	9116	9516	9716	9316	9716	9916	9316	9716	9916
Strict Ord.	9718	91110	91316	9918	91316	91518	9916	91310	91616
Good Ord	91518	10316	10516	10118	10518	10718	10118	10516	10718
Str. G'd Ord	10316	10718	10918	10510	10916	101116	10516	10918	101116
Low Midd'g	10/16	101116	101316	10916	101316	101516	10916	101316	101516
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Good Mid.			1119	1114					11 ¹ 4 11 ⁵ 8
Str. O'd Mid			1134	1114					1178
Midd'g Fair			1338	1218	1238			1238	1212
Fair	13	134	1338	1318	1338	1312	1318		1313
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				70 10	- 10	10 1	10 1	10	16

MARKET AND SALES,

		SALE	SALES OF SPOT AND TRANSIT. FUT					RES.
	CLOSED.	Ex- port.	Con- sump.		Tran- slt.	Total.	Sales.	Deliv- eries.
Mon . Tues . Wed . Thurs	Dull and easier Dull and easier Quiet, higher Nominal, higher. Unsettled,higher Unsettled,higher	124 275 75 395	224 76 i 230 550 895 374	196 100		1,080 $1,345$	71,300 62,900 144,800 143,800 165,200 206,600	100 200 1,700 1,300
Fotal		869	3,036	1,702		5,607	794,600	4,600

For forward delivery the sales have reached during the week 794,60) bales (all middling or on the basis of middling), and the

following is a statement of the safes and prices:									
* For March.	Balos. Cts.	Bales. Cts.	I Bales. Cts						
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*05 pd. to excb. 500 April for Oct.
*12 pd. to exch. 200 April for May.

The following will show the range of prices paid for futures, and the closing bid and asked, at 3 o'cleek P. M., on each day in the past week.

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Futures	Wednesday.		Thurs	day.	Friday.	
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* To 2 P. M.

THE VISIBLE SUPPLY OF COTTON, as made up by cable and telegraph, is as follows. The Continental stocks are the figures of last Saturday, but the totals for Great Britain and the affeat for the Continent are this week's returns, and consequently brought down to Thursday evening; hence, to make the totals the complete figures for to-night (April 4), we add the item of exports from the United States, including in it the exports of Eviday only. Friday only: 1879. 1878.

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ı	Stock at Liverpool	578,000	756,000	1,096,000	853,000	
l	Stock at London	58,500	11,000	35,730	59,250	
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i	Total Great Britain stock .	636,500	767,000	1,131,750	912,250	
ŀ	Stock at Havre	162,000	267,000	195,000	180,000	
ŀ	Stock at Marseilles	2,000	6,250	3,500	7,750	
l	Stock at Barcelona	26,500	32,030	69,000	94,000	
ı	Stock at Hamburg	4,250	7,000	14,500	19,000	
ı	Stock at Bremen	23,250	38,750	58,500	47,750	
l	Stock at Amsterdam	41,500	39,250	70,750	48,250	
Į	Stock at Rotterdam	8,750	10,250	11,000	16,750	
I	Stock at Antwerp	3.750	8,000	6,750	13,750	
k	Stock at other contlintal ports.	7,000	8,250		17,750	
	Total continental ports	279,000	416,750	441,000	445,000	
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	Total European stocks	915,500	1,183,750	1,575,750	1,357,250	
	India cotton affoat for Europe.	140,000	190,000		168,000	
	Amer'n cotton afloat for Eur'pe	586,000	606,000		692,000	
	Egypt, Brazil, &c., nflt for E'r'pe	25,000	53,000		47,000	
	Stock in United States ports	530,997	564,997		607,268	
	Stock in U. S. interior ports	71,487	69.389		81,399	
	United States exports to-day	10,000	18,000		7,000	
	onited States experts to-day	10,000	10,000	10,000	7,000	

Total visible supply, bales, 2, 278, 984 2, 685, 136 2, 971, 627 2, 959, 917 Of the above, the totals of American and other descriptions are as

follows:				
American-				
Liverpool stock	459,000	530,000	748,000	504,000
Continental stocks	245,000	363,000	363,000	278,000
American afloat to Europo	586,000	606,000	329,000	692,000
United States stock	539,997	561,997	688,870	607,268
United States interior stocks	71,487	69,389	83,007	81,399
United States exports to-day	10,000	18,000	15,000	7,000

Total American.....bales.1,902,484 2,201,386 2,226,877 2,169,667 East Indian, Brazit, &c.-349,000 35,750

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These figures indicate a decrease in the cotton in sight to-night of 406,152 bales as compared with the same date of 1878, a decrease of 692,643 bales as compared with the corresponding date of 1877, and a decrease of 60,933 bales as compared with 1876.

AT THE INTERIOR PORTS the movement—that is the receipts and shipments for the week, and stocks to night, and for the corresponding week of 1878—is set out in detail in the following statement:

	Week e	ading Ap	r. 4, '79.	Week en	ding Apr	. 5, '78.
	Receipts	Shipm'ts	Stock.	Receipts	Shipm'ta	Stock.
Augusta, Ga	1,058	3,220	10,200	925 516	1,397	10,169
Columbus, Ga Macon, Ga	683 84	1,327	5,923 1,575	317	2,813 1,083	3,350
Mantgomery, Ala	1,902	2,240	3,991	602	597	7,291
Seima, Ala Memphis, Tena	6,498	10,627	2,114 41,196	6,987	566 12,294	2,832 36,074
Nashville, Tenn.	412	3,320	3,485	915	491	3,186
Total, old ports.	11,172	21,603	71,487	10,829	19,241	69,389
Dallas, Texas	141	. 14	516	335	300	2,113
Jefferson, Tex	210	630	856	451	230	2,552
Shreveport, La Vicksburg, Miss	1,522 912	1,330 1,383	3,609 2,067	$\frac{1,125}{2,659}$	1,771 2,365	3,173 4,033
Columbus, Miss	134	515	266	259	337	1,162
Eufaula, Aia	217.	370	1,576	200	245	1,900
Griffin, Ga	1.139	370 1.063	4.787	450	280	4,56t
Rome, Ga	460	377	1,338	250	943	361
Charlotte, N. C	331	563	721	269	230	20.994
St. Louis, Mo	5,938 10,030	8,258 10,489	19,983	4,363 7,497	$\frac{8,194}{6,813}$	8,495
Total, new p'rts	21,217	25,370	45,392	17,895	21,835	59,602
Tetal, all	32,389	46,973	116,879	28,724	41,076	119,991

The above totals show that the old interior stocks have decreased during the week 10,431 bales, and are to-night 2,098 bales more than at the same period last year. The receipts at the same towns have been 343 bales more than the same week last

RECEIPTS FROM THE PLANTATIONS.—The following table is prepared for the purpose of indicating the actual movement each week from the plantations. Receipts at the out ports are sometimes misleading, as they are made up more largely one year than another, at the expense of the interior stocks. We reach, therefore, a safer conclusion through a comparative statement like the following:

RECEIPTS FROM PLANTATIONS.

	cek	Receip	ts at the	Ports.	Stock a	t Inter	r Ports	Re'cpt	from P	lant'ns
èn	ėnding-		1878.	1879.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1877.	1878.	1979.
Jan.	S	115,268	165,755	143,155	249,905	253,239	281,634	108,776	157,118	130,508
**	10	161,132	142,099	121,091	223,007	236,293	253,647	74,234	125,153	93,194
**	17				214,057				154,814	93,202
16	24				195,082				168,692	
16	31				182,240					
Feb.	7				179,266					
44	14				174,977					
44	21	89,068			178,478				103,318	
**.	28	68,615	94,349		173,178					98,239
	7	50,742	90,947		160,291				72,473	
64	14	44,537			165,747					72,289
**	21	32,386	75,723		158,041					42,396
14	28	30,397	65,470		151,199		,	23,555	_	50,540
Apr.	4	26,297	59,886	54,283	140,049	110,991	116,879	15,737	48,082	39,699
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The above statement shows-

1. That the total receipts from the plantations since Sept 1 in 1878-9 were 4,231,730 bales; in 1877-8-were 4,056,853 bales; in 1876-7 were 3,860,159 bales.

2. That although the receipts at the out ports the past week were 54,283 bales, the actual movement from plantations was only 39,699 bales, the balance being drawn from stocks at the interior ports. Last year the receipts from the plantations for the same week were 48,082 bales, and for 1877 they were 15,737 bales.

WEATHER REPORTS BY TELEGRAPH.—The past week has been favorable for farm operations, though the temperature has been generally low. Frost is reported in many sections, but cotton is not sufficiently advanced to be harmed wherever the frost was

Galveston, Texas.—We have had delightful showers on one day of the week, and the indications are that they were of wide extent. The thermometer has averaged 70, the highest being 85 and the lowest 56; the rainfall for the week is seventy-five hundredths of an inch.

The ship Lancaster loading at the outer bar for Liverpool, with 1,774 bales cotton on board, took fire at three o'clock this (Friday) morning, and is still burning. The vessel will probably prove a total loss. Crew saved, but personal effects lost. Suddenness of

the catastrophe and heavy surf prevent scattling.

Indianola, Texas.—It has rained on one day this week, but not enough to do much good. The thermometer has ranged from 52 to 90, averaging 71. The rainfall has reached five hundredths of an inch.

Corsicana, Texas. - Rain has fallen on one day (a shower), and

Uorsiana, Texas.—Rain has fallen on one day (a shower), and we are needing more. We have had a frost during the week, but not a killing frost. Average thermometer 68, highest 93 and lowest 37. The rainfall is fifteen hundredths of an iach.

Dallas, Texas.—We have had fine showers on one day this week, apparently covering a wide surface, but we are needing more. There has been a frost on one night, but not a killing frost. The thermometer has averaged 68, ranging from 37 to 93, and the rainfall has been thirty hundredths of an inch.

Brenham, Texas.—There has been rain on one day of the past week (fine showers, apparently extending over a wide surface), the rainfall reaching forty hundredths of an inch. Crops are doing well. Average thermometer 73, highest 91 and lowest 63.

New Orleans, Louisiana.—It has rained during the past week on one day, the rainfall reaching seventy hundredths of an inch. The thermometer has averaged 69. Daring the month of March

there has been a rotal rainfall of one inch and sixty-four han-

Shreveport, Louisiana.—The weather during the week has been fair and quite dry, and reads are in excellent condition. The thermometer has averaged 55, the highest being 85 and the lowest 45. The rainfall for the week is forty-seven hundredths of an Inch. River five feet eleven. Last week the weather was day, with roads in good condition. Average thermometer 67, highest 88 and lowest 46. There had been no rainfall.

Vicksburg, Missi sippi.—During the past week the days have been warm, but the nights have been cold.

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been warm, but the nights have been cold.

Columbus, Mississippi.—Rain has fallen during the week on two days, to a depth of one inch and twenty-two hundredths. The thermometer has averaged 55. There has been a rainfall during the past month of three inches and thirteen hundredths.

Little Rock, Arkansas.—Telegram not received.

Nashville, Tennessee.—Telegram not received.

Memphis, Tennessee.—It has rained during the past week on two days, the rainfall reaching one inch and twenty-seven hundredths. The thermometer has ranged from 36 to 85, averaging 59.

hundredths. The thermometer has ranged from 36 to 85, averaging 59.

Mobile, Alabama.—It rained constantly Tuesday night, the rainfall reaching twenty-eight hundredths of an inch, but the ba'ance of the week has been pleasant. Planting is progressing. The thermometer has averaged 66, the highest point touched having been 85, and the lowest 49.

Montgomery, Alabama.—The weather during the week has been too cold, the thermometer ranging from 41 to 71, and averaging 53. We had a frost, with ice, last (Thursday) night, injuring vegetation. The rainfall for the week is forty-four hundredths of an inch, and for the month of March two inches and seventy-two hundredths.

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Selma, Alabama.—During the earlier part of the week we had rain on two days, but the latter portion has been clear. The weather has been too cold.

Madison, Florida.—We have had rain on one day this week. The thermometer has averaged 53, the highest being 60 and the lowest 46. We had a frost on Thursday night, but not a killing frost. It was very windy on Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, and a chilly west wind is blowing to-day. Planting is making good progress, and there is about one hundred per cent more Sea Island cotton being planted this year than last.

Macon, Georgia.—Rain has fallen during the week on one day, and we have had a frost, but not a killing frost. The thermometer has ranged from 35 to 80, averaging 57. There will be less fertilizers used here this year.

Columbus, Georgia.—It has rained during the week on one day, the rainfall reaching fifty-six hundredths of an inch. The thermometer has averaged 60.

Savannah, Georgia.—It has rained on two days, the rainfall reaching seventy hundredths of an inch, but the rest of the week has been pleasant. The thermometer has averaged 63, the highest being 83 and the lowest 20

has been pleasant. The thermometer has averaged 63, the highest being 85 and the lowest 39.

Augusta, Georgia.—During the earlier part of the past week it rained heavily on two days, with a rainfall of fifty-two hundredths of an inch, but the latter portion has been clear and pleasant. We had a heavy frost, with ice, last (Thursday) night, and it is feared that the fruit crop has been badly injured. The thermometer has averaged 53, the extreme range having been 12 to 2. The principal for the most of the following the follow 42 to 82. The rainfall for the month of March is two inches and forty-six hundredths,

Charleston, South Carolina.—It has been showery two days of the past week. The thermometer has ranged from 46 to 78,

The following statement we have also received by telegraph, showing the height of the rivers at the points named at 3 o'clock April 3, 1879. We give last year's figures (April 4, 1878) for comparison:

Charles Control		3, '79. Inch.		4, '78. Inch.
New OrleansBelow high-water mark MemphisAbove lew-water mark	5	0	4 15	1
NashvilleAbove lew-water mark	15	Ŏ	5	6
ShreveportAbove low-water mark VicksburgAbove low-water mark		11	38	0

New Orleans reported below high-water mark of 1871 until Sept. 9, 1874, when the zero of gauge was changed to high-water mark of April 15 and 16, 1874, which is 6-10ths of a foot above 1871, or 16 feet above low-water mark at that point.

Comparative Port Receipts and Daily Crop Movement.—A comparison of the port movement by weeks is not accurate, as the weeks in different years do not end on the same day of the month. We have consequently added to our other standing tables a daily and monthly statement, that the reader may constantly have before him the data for seeing the exact relative movement for the years named. First we give the receipts at each port each day of the week ending to-night.

PORT RECEIPTS FROM SATURDAY, MAR. 29, "79, TO FRIDAY, APRIL 4, "79.

D'y a of we'k	Or-	Mo- bile.	Char- lestos.	Savan- nah.	Gal- vest'n.	Ner- folk.	Wil- ming- ton.	All others.	Total.
Sat	1,353	944	611	2,032	1,017	1,850	96	1,132	9,145
Mon	2,753	1,160	601	2,034	1,683	1,408	19	2,497	12,154
Tues	3,547	250	1,059	1,181	585	1,653	217	901	9,393
Wed	973	357	522	1,221	639	916	41	901	5,570
Thur	779	219	501	698	367	2,073	38	2,120	6,785
Fri	3,546	513	340	260	716	963	4	4,894	11,236
Tot	12,93,1	3,443	3,664	7,466	5,037	8,863	" 41 4	12,445	54,28

The movement each month since Sept. 1 has been as follows;

Manably		Year Beginning September 1.							
Monthly Receipta.	1878.	1877.	1876.	1875.	1874.	1873.			
Sept'mb'r	288,848	98,491	236,868	169,077	134,376	115,255			
October	699,264	578,533	675,260	610,316	536,968	355,323			
Novemb'r	779,237	822,493	901,392	740,116	676,295	576,103			
Decemb'r	893,664	900,119	787,769	821,177	759,036	811,668			
January .	618,727	689,610	500,680	637,067	444,052				
February.	566,824	472,054	449,686	479,801	383,324	482,688			
March	303,955	340,525	182,937	300,128	251,433	332,703			
Tot.Mr.31	4,140,519	3,901,825	3,734,592	3,757,682	3,185,484	3,375,908			
Pere'tage	of tot. port								
receipts	Mar. 31	87.78	92.48	89.66	91.09	88.75			

This statement shows that up to Mar. 31 the receipts at the ports this year were 238,694 bales more than in 1877 and 405,927 bales more than at the same time in 1876. By adding to the above totals to Mar. 31 the daily receipts since that time, we shall be able to reach an exact comparison of the movement for the different years.

	4	1				
	1878-79.	1877-78.	1876-77.	1875-76.	1874-75.	1873-74.
T'l Feb.29	3,836,564	3,561,300	3.551,655	3,457,554	2,934,051	3,043,205
Mar. 1	10,547	17,754	6,325	7,842	8,903	
. " 2	8.	9,868	9,782	12,518	10.947	26,819
" 3	19,628	8.	4,567	12,817	14,779	12,802
" 4	19,653	32,985	8.	10,411	10,928	18,943
* 5	7,947	17,175	8,531	8.	10,617	10,479
" 6	9,860	9,746	6,678	19,134	8,240	14,637
" 7	15,631	8,873	8,722	15,922	8.	11,795
" 8	12,430	12,300	6,561	15,674	13,681	8.
# 9	8.	8,728	16,228	6,387	12,118	19,884
" 10	18,764	8.	8,473	10,364	9,247	10,817
" 11	14,887	19,179	8.	8,451	12,365	15,914
" 12	8,298	11,487	8,391	8.	9,263	12,002
" 13	10,344	14,234	8,017	17,597	7,845	11,112
" 14	13,767	13,992	6,758	11,286	8.	10,571
" 15	7,531	14,644	7,692	11,015	14,581	8.
" 16	8.	11,210	6,341	6,572	5,923	16,789
" 17	12,019	8.	4,227	9,628	7,439	9,721
" 18	7,453	18,579	S.	10,121	7,989	10,008
" 19	8,718	16,441	7,229	8.	8,265	12,628
" 20	10,584	10,397	5,378	12,539	5,279	9,222
" 21	13,897	11,024	7,594	7,913	8.	8,804
" 22	6,427	8,072	4,982	13,096		8.
4 23	S.	9,800	5,943	10,312		18,011
" 24	13,707	~ 8.	5,836	9,375	7,436	8,164
" 25	8,851	13,681	8.	10,479	7,896	
4 26	11,185	15,793	7,428	S.	8,884	8,120
" 27	6,426	11,323	6,145			9,713
" 28	14,102	7,317	4,632	6,347	8.	10,124
4 29	9,145	7,556	1.584	8,722		8.
" 30	8.	8,367	5,212	8,494		
4 31	12,154	8.	3,641	1		
Tot.Mr.31	4,140,519	3,901,825	3,734,592	3,757,682	3,185,484	3,375,908
Apr. 1	9,393			8,735		
4 2	5,570	9,834	5,311	8.	5,976	6,901
· 3	6,783	6,649	6,277	15,839	5,160	8,003
" 4	11,236	5,114	4,836	7,094	8.	7,629
Total	4.173.503	3.939.186	3.751,016	3,789,350	3,201,125	3,409,655
Percentag			,	, , , , , ,	,,_	, , , , , ,
	ts Apr. 4.		92.89	90.41	91.53	89-63
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This statement shows that the receipts since Sept. 1 up to to-night are now 234,317 bales more than they were to the same day of the month in 1878, and 422,487 bales more than they were to the same day of the month in 1877. We add to the last table the percentages of total port receipts which had been received Apr. 4 in each of the years named.

BOMMAY SHIPMENTS.—According to our cable dispatch received to-day, there have been 6,000 bales shipped from Bombay to Great Britain the past week and 25,000 bales to the Continent: while the receipts at Bombay during this week have been 35,000 bales. The movement since the 1st of January is as follows. These figures are brought down to Thursday, April 3.

-	Shipments this week			Shipms	ents sine	Receipts.		
7	Great Brit'n.	Couti- nent.	Total.	Great Britain.	Contl- nent.	Total.	This Week.	Since Jan. 1.
1879 1,78 1477	19,000	32,000	51,000	60,000 134,000 180,000	95,000 186,000 133,000	320,000	33,000	439,000

From the foregoing it would appear that, compared with last year, there has been a decrease of 20,000 bales in the week's shipments from Bombay to Europe, and that the total movement since January 1 shows a decrease in shipments of 165,000 bales, compared with the corresponding period of 1878.

GUNNY BAGS, BAGOINO, &c.—Bagging is still ruling quiet, and the feeling is easy. A few transactions are reported, and we hear of one of 600 iolls of 2-lbs. at 9c. There are some orders for small parcels coming to hand, but large lots are not inquired for. Quotations are 8\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\f

THE EXPORTS OF COTTON from New York this week show a decrease, as compared with last week, the total reaching 1,793 bales, against 3,322 bales last week. Below we give our usus! 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 Sept. 1, 1978, and in the last column the total for the same period of the previous year.

Exports of Cotton(bales) from New York since Seut.1, 1878-

MEPORTED TO		WEEK :		Total	Same period	
ELPORTED TO	March 12.	March 19.	March 26.	April 2.	date.	year.
Liverpool Other British Ports	4,429	2,695	2,822 500	1,438	188,712 4,812	251,517 1,817
Total to Gt. Britain	4,429	2,65	3,822	1 438	193,524	253,834
Havre Other French ports	••••	83		301	10,751 160	4,978 115
Total Franch	••••	83		801	10,850	5,088
Bremen and Hanover Hamburg Other ports	278	828		54	13,379 2,402 635	16,327 4,655 10,132
Total to N. Europe.	278	128		54	16,216	31,114
Spain Oporto & Gibraltar & c All others	1,000				5,610	2,398
Total Spain, &c	1,000	••••	••••		5,610	2,338
Grand Total	5.7.7	3,106	3.322	1,793	226,202	991,984

The following are the receipts of cotton at New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Baltimore for the past week, and since September 1, 1878:

rece'te from	NEW YORK.		BOSTON,		PHILADELP'1A		BALTIMOBE.	
RECE TO FROM	This week.	Since Sept. 1.		Since Sept.1.		Since Sept.1.		Since Sept. 1
New Orleans	5,733	97,975		1,892		- 		
Texas	1.806	107,505 125,957	213	8,463	150	1,925	603	
Mobile.,			*10	43,019	130			10,000
Florida	1,298 1,022	19,242 85,545	• • • •	****	****		***	17,709
N'th Carolina. Virginia	1,197 1,478	35,146 135,355	1,219	100			20 971	13,785
North'rn Ports		6,246	2,535 3,604		1.431	47.545	-:-	15,000
Foreign		5,835	••••	7				
Potal this year	18 957	755,751	7,601	261,232	1,581	70,511	1,498	134,176
Total last year.	13,480	761,921	8,115	277,712	1,960	56,4°5	1,783	126,45 % .

Shipping News.—The exports of cotton from the United States the past week, as per latest mail returns, have reached: 62,304 bales. So far as the Southern ports are concerned, these are the same exports reported by telegraph, and published in The Chronicle, last Friday. With regard to New York, we include the manifests of all vessels cleared up to Wednesday night of this week.

night of this week.	
Tota	balca.
New York-To Liverpool, per steamer Humboldt, 1,438	1.43度
To Havre, per steamer Labrador, 301	301
7 To Bremen, per steamer Oder, 54	54
NEW ORLEANS-To Liverpool, per ships Erminia J. Martinolich,	
4,437Rock Terrace, 6,133per barks Bengal, 1,744	
Wild Hunter, 3,029	15.343
To Havre, per ship Hercules, 4,319	4,319
To Bremen, per bark P. Bredsdorff, 2,409	2,409
To Reval, per ship Criterion, 5.290	5,298
To Barcelona, per steamer Guadelonpe, 1,203	1,203
MOBILE-To Liverpool, per ship Ben Nevis, 4,668	4,668
To Havre, per ship Aurora, 3,800	3,800
To Barcelona, per brig Juanito, 700	700
CHARLESTON-To Havre, per ship David Brown, 2,881 Upland	
and 47 Sea Island	2,928
To Barcelona, per brig Soberano, 920 Upland	920
SAVANNAH-To Liverpool, per ship Northern Empire, 5,049 Up-	
land and 21 Sea Island. To Barcelona, per bark Virtuosa, 275 Upland	5,070
To Barcelona, per park virtuesa, 275 Upland	275
TEXAS-To Liverpool, per bark Skaregroem, 2,509per brig	0.004
Azha, 1,125. To Havre, per bark Fingal, 1,215.	3,634
Norfolk—To Liverpool, per bark Blanche, 2,905	1,215
To Bremerhaven, per bark Francis Herbert, 1,240	1,240
Baltimore—To Liverpool, per steamer Circassian, 98 and 666	1,240
One Talana	764
To Bremen, per steamer Berlin, (additional) 559.	559
Boston—To Liverpool, per steamers Semiramide, 158Iberian,	0.70
1.847 Pembroke, 1.064	3,069
1,847Pembroke, 1,064. PHILADELPHIA—To Liverpool, per steamer Castello, 200	200
	200
Total	62.304

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

	Liver-		Bre-	Bremer		Baree-	
	pool.	Havre.	men.	haven.	Reval.	lona.	Total
Now York	1,438	301	54				1,793
New Orl'ns		4,319	2,409		5,290	1,203	28,564
Mobile	4,668	3,800				700	9,168
Charleston		2,928				920	3,848
Savannah						275	5,345
Texas		1,215					4.849
Norfolk				1,240			4,145
Baltimoro			559				1,323
Boaton							3,069
Philadelphia	200						200

Total37,091 12,563 3,022 1,240 5,290 3,098 62,304
Below we give all news received to date of disasters to vesselscarrying cotton from United States ports, etc.:

GUY MANNERINO, steamer (Br.), at Liverpool from New Orleans, before reported, sailed from former port for New Orleans, March 20, having repaired.

MARY LOUISA, steamer (lir.), at Liverpool March 7, from Boston, before reported, on Feb. 23 threw overboard about 50 tons of cargo.

DAVID BROWN. The work of sinking the ship David Brown, before reported, was completed about 6 A. M., of March 25. The vessel was sunk to the guards, and the last spark of fire extinguished. Hefore this had been accomplished, however, the flames had burst through the deck into the captain's state room, and consumed all his clothing, besides scorching the walls and ruining all the furniture, so that the damage to the ship will be greater than was at drst supposed. The contract for pumping out and ruising the ship was awarded to Captain L. A. Holburn, and at five P. M., of the 25th, powerful pumps were put to work emptying the vessel at the rate of 1,000 gallons per minute. The main batch was opened A. M. of the 26th, and up to March 28 about 970 bales of cotton had heeu discharged. The burnt portion of the cargo was reached on the 27th. About 100 bales were taken out and placed in single tier on the wharf. Some of it was very baidly fired, and the upper portion of the cargo in the after part of the vessel was considerably burnt, as were also some of the beams. It will probably take a week to remove the rest of the cargo from the vessel. Quite a lot of canvas taken from the store room and placed in whatf appeared to be all badly burned. On the 27th there were seven feet of water in the well, and the vessel was leaking so rapidly that the water cand not be reduced. It was impossible then to tell the cause of the leak, although it was surmised that some of the seams of the ship's bettom had been opened by the swelling of the eargo.

Selicote, ship (Br.), with 4,100 bales of cotton on beard for Russla, took life at the Levec, New Orleans, March 28. The thanes were soon subdued by tilling the hold of the vessel with carbonic acid gas. She commenced discharging earge on the 29th. Not more than 100 bales were damaged. An examination of the ship's bottom showed but little damage from free.

Cotton freights the past week have been as follows:

	Satur.	Mon.	Tues.	Wednes.	Thurs.	Frl.
Laverpool, steam d.	@14	@14	@14	@14	@14	@14
do sall _d.	316@732	316@732	318@732	31670732	316@732	318@732
Havre, steam c.	@5 _{8*}	@58*	@*58	@ 58*	@58*	@ 58*
do sailc.						
Bremen, steamc.	*12@916	*122916	*122916	*12@916	*19@916	*12@916
do sailc.	1532@12	1532@12	1532 2 12	1532@12	1532712	1532@12
Hamburg, steam.c.						
				@1g		
Amst'd'm, steam c.						
				@		
Baltic, steamd.						
do salld.		@	@	@	a	@

-By cable from Liverpool, we have the following statement of the week's sales, stocks, &c., at that port:

	Mar. 14.	Mar. 21.	Mar. 28.	April 4.
Sales of the week bales.	55,000	71,000	72,000	69,000
Forwarded	9,000	8,000	8,000	6,000
Sales American	46,000	56,000	55,000	51,000
Of which exporters took	5,000	7,000		
Of which speculators took	4,000	7,000	8,000	
Total stock	552,000	567,000	549,000	578,000
Of which American				
Total import of the week				
Of which American	41,000			
Actual export	4,000			
Amount afloat				
Of which American	317,000	310,000	313,000	241,000

The tone of the Liverpool market for spots and futures, each day of the week ending April 4, and the daily closing prices of spot cotton, have been as follows:

Spot.	Saturd'y.	Monday.	Tuesday.	Wedn'sdy	Thursd'y	Friday.
Market, }	Mod. lnq. freely supplied.	Qulet and weak.	Hard'ning	Active and firmer.	Easler.	Buoyant.
Mid. Upl'da Mid. Orl'us.	578 6	513 ₁₆ 515 ₁₈	57 ₈ 6	6 618	515 ₁₆ 61 ₈	6 ¹ 8 6 ¹ 4
Market, 5 P. M.			Unch'ged.	Unch'ged.		
Sales Spec. & exp.	8,000 1,000	7,000 1,000	8,000 1,000	15,000 2,000	10,000 2,000	20,000 2,000
Futures. Market, 3 P. M.	Weak.	Cl'd st'dy at to-d'y's low.prices	offerings	Flat.	Firm.	Easles.

The actual sales of futures at Liverpool, for the same week, are given theles. These sales are on the basis of Uplands, Low Middling clause, suless otherwise stated.

ATTRESS OFFICE WING SERVEGE.	
SATURDAY.	
Delivery. d. Delivery. d.	Delivery. d.
Mar	AugSept 613276
MarApr52732 June-July51818@2932	SeptOct6116
AprMay52732 July-Aug 6@53132	
Monday.	
March	Delivery.
March	SeptOet6
MarApril52532 July-Ang52932	Shipment.
April-May 51316 @2532 Aug. Sept 51516 May-Juno	AprMay, sail51516
201	1
TUESDAY.	
Delivery. Delivery.	Delivery.
AprMay52732 April-May578	May-June53133
June July51516 May-June52932@1518	
July-Aug	July-Aug6116 May-June6253128
ReptOct	June-July6132
25 - 25 - 25 - 25 - 25 - 25 - 25 - 25 -	1 a amo a m. 1 . 1 . 1 . 1 . 1 . 2 . 2 . 2 . 2 . 2

WEDNESDAY.									
Delivery.	Delivery.	Delivery.							
April	SeptOct6532	June-July6							
AprMay 53132	April	July-Aug6133							
May-Juno	AprMay 51616	SeptOct							
June-July 11160132	Muy-lune 53132	AprMay 52932							
July-Aug6332 16	May-June	AugHept							
AugSept6532@18									
	THURSDAY.								
Delivery.	Delivery.	Delivery.							
April51516709932	July-Aug 6332@116	June-July 6132@116							
AprMay 51610@2932	AugSept 6332	July-Aug Bagg							
Mny-June. 6-53132-1518	AprMay 51516@3132								
June-July 613226	May-June 53132@0	OctNov							
	FRIDAY								
Delivery.	Delivery, "	Delivery.							
April 6116@332@12	April	AprMay 618							
April-May . 61 16-332-18	April-May 0532	May-June 6532							
May-June 618-532-316	June-July031	June-July6732							
June-July 63167732	July-Aug 6518	July-Aug							
July-Aug 6 4 @ 32	AugSept	AugScht6932							
AugSept 6932 7516	SeptOet	4							

BREADSTUFFS.

FRIDAY, P. M., April 4.

There was some depression in the flour market early in the week, under dull foreign advices and free receipts. Prices of the low and medium grades gave way slightly, and to the reduction our quotations are conformed; but the close is steadier, in sympathy with a better market for wheat, and an abatement of the pressure of supplies. To-day, the market was dull, but prices about steady, and few sellers at inside figures.

The wheat market was dull and depressed early in the week, selling at \$1 12 for No. 1 white, \$1 141/4 for No. 2 red winter, and \$1 05 for choice No. 2 spring. But there was yesterday a better market, owing to more favorable foreign advices and reports of injury to crop of winter wheat in the Southwest, owing to drought and other disasters. There was an advance in prices, which, however, had the effect of checking business. The sales included No. 3 spring, 95c.; No. 2 do., \$1 05; rejected do., 77½@79c.; No. 2 amber, \$1 13½@1 14; No. 2 red, \$1 16; and No. 1 white, \$1 13%@1 13%, on the spot: and for future delivery the sales embraced No. 2 spring for May, \$1 051/2; No. 2 amber, \$1 14 for April, and \$1 141/2 for May; No. 2 red at \$1 16 for April, \$1 16%@1 16% for May, and \$1 17% for June, and No. 1 white, \$1 131/2 for April, and \$1 141/2@1 141/4 for May. To-day, spring wheat was firm and fairly active, but winter growths declined fully 1/2c., and were dull; No. 2 red winter on the spot, \$1 151/4@1 151/2.

Indian corn was variable, but was yesterday slightly firmer; No. 2 mixed sold at 45%@45%c. on the spot and for April, 46c. for May, and 46 4c. for June; and steamer-mixed at 45c. on the spot and 44%c. for April and May. There has been less doing in other grades of corn, and they are nearly nominal. To-day, the market was dull and weak, but without decided decline.

Rye has been moderately active, at about steady prices. Barley is closing out for the seasonable at variable and irregular prices, covering a wide range. Choice samples are scarce. Oats have somewhat improved in the volume of business, and prices are slightly higher. There were large sales yesterday, including No. 1 mixed 321/2c., and No. 3 white 321/2@321/4c. Today, the market was dull, No. 2 graded closing at 31%c. for mixed and 34c. for white.

The following are closing quotations:

Trown			I Contract
FLOUR.			GRAIN.
	40@	B 10	Wheat-No.3 spring, bash, \$0 927 95
Superfine State & West-			No. 2 spring 1 03@ 1 05
ern 8	3078	3 60	Rejected apring 77@ 79
	80.00	8 99	Red winter No. 2 1 15% @1 15%
Western spring wheat	-		White 1 083 1 14
	1000	4 00	No. 1 white 1 13@1 181
	150	6 00	
do winter shipping ex-			do No. 2, new 45 % 45%
	900	4 30	do white 452 47
	500		
	50 ca		
	85.2		
Southern bakers' and fa-		•	Osts-Mixed 30@ 32%
	7520	6 25	
	200		Barley-Canada West 80 2 1 05
			State, 2 rowed 553 65
Corn meal—Br wine. &c. 2	55@	2 60	Peas-Canada bond&free 720 90
Receipts at iake and ri	ver	DO1	to for the week ending March 29

1879, and from Jan. 1 to March 29, and from Aug. 1 to March 29.

	Flour,	Wheat,	Corn,	Oats,	Barley.	Rye,
	hble.	bush.	bush.	bush.	bush.	bush.
AT-	196 lbe.)	(hd 165)	(56 Lb4.)	(32 lba.)	(48 lbs.)	(56 lbs.)
Chicago	46,956	265,016	758,099	350,459	28,299	18,937
Milwankee	51,395	212,854	8,860	27,410	24,090	0,245
Toledo	20	60,483	101,086	10,898		471
Detroit	8,845	163,763	2,541	11,112	7,268	
Cleveland	8,491	18,600	80,350	15.200	7,6:0	450
St. Louis	25,101	125,817	210,835	94,830	28,967	14,722
Peoria	1,715	1,850	258,780	92, 00	16,000	9,600
Dulutn					****	
Total	135,405	845,400	1,420.0.0	602,540	112,865	49,835
Prevlopa week	133,569	\$21,091	1,128,077	626,269	92,946	45,493
Correaping week,'78.	96,354	1,105,391	2,492,689	521,6-0	83,163	184,910
Corresp'ng week,'77.	81,595	293,757	1,190,826	236,236	85,535	31,958

	Flour,	Wheat,			Barley,	Rye,
Tot.Jan.1 to Mar. 29.	,516,162	14,476.747	17,584,782	5,853,192	1.661 681	714,791
Bame time 1878				4.721,652 3,163,700		5 18.8 9
Same time 1076	1,218,461	8,694,513	14,416,123	4,072,551	1.891,441	2,9,915
Tot Aug. 1 to Mar. 23.4 Same time 1817-84						
Same time 1876 7 8	1.645.756	33.3 8,6 1	:3,251,570	14,229,400	7.406,560	2,361.353
Same time 1:75-6						

Shipments of flour and grain from Western lake and river ports from Jan. 1 to March 20 for four years.

	Floar,	Wheat,	Corn,	Oate,	Bar'ey,	Rye.
	bble.	bush.	barb.	bueb.	bash.) neb
Jan. 1 to Mar. 291				3,642,173	1.212,189	369,163
Same 11me 18781	, 126, 230	11,233.6 0	:0,321,646	2,853,451	1,138,046	509,755
Same time 1877	893,595	1,819,121	7,449,949	1,877 042	874,341	248,008
Same time 18761	,3(5,0,0	4,058,667	9,883,553	2,374,153	8,0,974	190,720

Rail shipments of flour and grain from Western lake and river

ports. Week ending— March 29, 1*79. March 30, 1*78 March 31, 1877.	Flour,	Wheat,	Corn,	Oata,	Barley,	Rye,
	bbls.	bnsh.	bash	busb,	bush.	hush.
	154,230	1,917,578	1.2 1,483	458,616	108,930	53,559
	\$5,659	3-19,498	1.218,486	321,863	51,220	94,850
	75,238	166,027	7 7,178	163,874	54,874	20,794
April 1, 1876	121,001	410,121	602,035	174,438	55,032	6,0.3

Receipts of flour and grain at seaboard ports for the week ending March 29, 1879, and from Jan. 1 to March 29.

	Flour,	Wheat,	, Corn,	Oats,	Barley,	Rya,
AT-	bbla.	bu-b.	bush.	busb.	bnab.	bush.
New York	99,7:6	9:0339	341,152	218,719	25,553	18 0+4
Boston	35,206	189,100	259,610	104,550	18,500	400
Portland	3,500	62,000	1,8 0	7,000		
Montreal	8,225			5,775	1,000	
Philadelphia	14,150	3 5,9 0	343,000	191,500	23,000	29,500
Baltimore	20,621	351,300	734,500	47,000		2,400
New Orleans	8,950	32,056	178,460	36,852		4,000
						-
Total	170,171	1,902,701	1.847.622	520,896	69,350	41,344
Previous wiek	216,194	1,637,450	2.213.572	568,783	103.191	93,477
Corresp'ng week,'78.	189,017	1,201,312	2,404,722	363,466	45,500	:31,597
Tot.Jan. 1 to Mar. 29		18, 99,553	22 408 804	4,166,273	1.123,119	517,206
Same time 1875		16,217,119		3,891,523		759,401
Same time 1877			17.5 7.580	8.201.275		256,316
Bame time 1876						
pame time 1510	6,100,101	4,030,101	11,070,410	3,617,763	1,334,011	72,143
979 1 0 77	*4 . 7 (7)				2.5	

Exports from United States seaboard ports and from Montreal, for week ending March 29, 1879.

	Flour,	Wheet,	Corn,	Oats,	Ryc,	Peas.
FROM-	bbls.	bash.	hush.	basb	bash.	onsh.
New York	128,991	1,247.697	192,913	2, '96	75,564	15,197
Boston	10,283	76.815	78,76?			
Portland	28.0	62,000		7.000		14.500
Montreal						
Philadelphia	- 3,251	338.811	827,400			
Baltimore	8,575	283,421	512,805			
Total for week.,	151,591	2,013,777	1,519,889	2,893	75,961	23,99?
Previous week	116,817	1,820,021	1,867,743	4,815	20,915	24,486
Two weeks ago	100,377	1,475.980	1,677,945	5,449	76,7 5	3 ,510
Same time in 1878	52,039	697, 179	1,632,185	21,247	63,922	21,560

The visible supply of grain, comprising the stocks in granary at the principal points of accumulation at lake and seaboard ports, and in transit by rail and shoat in New York and Chicago, March 29, 1879, was as follows:

	Wheat.	Corn.	Onto	Donlow	Dwa
IN STORE AT-		bust.	Oate,	Barley, bash.	Rye, - bosh
New York	2.682.758	1.096.517	699.583	518,209	402,698
Albany		68 00.)	57,000	225,000	138,500
Boffalo		845,5.5	84,000	148,463	20,957
		2,916,341	5 11 251	694,566	
Chic; go			25 615		269,103
Afleat in Chicago	164,328	1,000,936		393,759	158,413
Milwaukee		21,310	159,101		
Doluth	353,721	70,000	1,261	4140	0 102
Toledo		1,556,977	11,476	41,4.8	9,155
.Deiroit		956	9,289	3,063	00,000
Oswego		183,000		395,000	35,000
St. Louis		2,116,833	151,564	55,125	16,110
Boston.		386,711	48,807	10,349	127
Toronto		1.7.0	23,426	FO 409	1212
Montreal		118,252	23,992	81,679	969
Philadelphia	469,659	\$54,123			89 669
Peoria		125,285	98,814	4,602	18,50
Indianapolis		116,723	18,700		2,313
Kansas ('ity		457,/117	5,:01		
Baltimore	450,353	845,121			
Reil shipments, week	1,047,578	1,221,43)	458,516	103,990	53,559
Affoat in New York*	250,600	30,000	20,000	120.0.0	
Total	19,314,257	13,00 ,969	2,430,230	2,885,656	1.160 139
March 22, 1879		13,150,646	2,271,434	3,139,438	1,23-,545
March 15, 1879		13,442,812	2,153,016	3,096,617	1,195,239
March 8, 1879		14,083,852	2,062 828	3,555,296	1,224 799
March 1, 1879		18,801,527	2,202,169	3,850,686	1,264,275
Feb. 22, 1879		12,596,680	2,162,119	4,107,046	1,218,583
Feb. 15, 1879		11.5(9.516	2, 146, 9 4	4,30 1,331	1.853,861
March 30, 1878		7,033,318	2,531,025	2,866,551	575,379
	.,		-11		0 3,310

^{*} hatimated.

THE DRY GOODS TRADE.

FRIDAY, P. M., April 4, 18:9.

The market was characterized by a moderate degree of animation the past week. There was a steady demand at first hands for re-assortments of seasonable goods, and the jobbing trade, though cheeked to some extent by unfavorable weather, was fairly satisfactory in volume. There was a more active movement in cotton goods, and many leading makes were advanced in price in sympathy with the enhanced cost of the staple. Woolen goods were dull and heavy in agents' hands, but a fair distribution of light-weight clothing woolens was reported by cloth jobbers. Foreign fabrics ruled quiet in first hands, and there was a continued pressure to dispose of dress silks through the auction rooms, by which means several thousand pieces were distributed at low average prices.

Domestic Cotton Goods.—The exports of cotton goods from this port to foreign markets during the week ending April 1 were 2,913 packages, including 1,792 to China, 233 to British West Indies, 172 to Chili, 113 to Brazil, 88 to Great Britain, 70 to Cisplatine Republic, 61 to British Guiana, 60 to Venezuela, and the remainder, in relatively small parcels, to other countries. The market has been fairly active throughout the week, and large transactions were reported in leading makes of brown, bleached and colored cottons, most of which were subjected to a slight advance in price because of the still upward tendency of the staple. Cheviots were in irregular request, and cottonades ruled quiet early in the week, owing to the announcement that 450 cases of Bridgewater 80z. goods of this class would be peremptorily sold at anction. The sale was held on the 2d inst., and low prices were obtained. Quilts were in fair demand, and leading makes of Marseilles and crochet quilts were advanced about five per cent. Print cloths continued to advance and 64x64s were quoted at 3 7-16 to 31/2c., cash, while sales of 56x60s were made at 3 1-16c. cash. Prints were in steady request at unchanged prices, and there was a moderate movement in cotton dress goods, printed lawns and ginghams.

Domestic Woolen Goods.-There was a light and spasmodic demand for spring woolens at first hands, and selections were mostly restricted to relatively small lots of fine fancy cassimeres, suitings and cheviots. Tweeds were lightly dealt in, and there was only a limited inquiry for cashmerettes. Overcoatings have begun to receive some attention from the clothing trade, and a few orders were placed for low-grade beavers and roughfaced overcoatings. Black cloths and doeskins continued sluggish but steady at current quotations. Kentucky jeans were distributed in small parcels to a fair aggregate amount, and there was a light demand for printed satinets. Worsted dress goods continued in steady request at first hands, and many makes of alpacas, poplins, buntings, &c., are closely sold up to production Worsted shawls ruled quiet and the agents for the Martin Landenberger Manufacturing Company disposed of about 15,000 shawls of this class through the auction room at

very low prices.

Miscell'neons dry good-

Foreign Dry Goods.-There was only a moderate demand for foreign goods at first hands, but the jobbing trade was fair in all departments. British and Continental dress goods were in fair request, and staple makes continued steady in price. Silks were sluggish in private hands, but (as above stated) large quantities found an outlet through the auction rooms. For housekeeping linens, white goods and embroideries there was a steady hand-to-mouth demand, and real and imitation laces, lace cortains and cortain nets were in fair request. Millinery goods and ribbons were slow of sale, and some makes of millinery gauzes were sold very low at anction. In men's-wear woolens there was no movement of importance, and shawls remained quiet.

Importations of Dry Goods.

The importations of dry goods at this port for the week ending April 3, 1879, and for the corresponding weeks of 1878 and 1877, have been as follows:

	1877		1878.		1879	
	Pkge.	Value.	Pkgs	Value.	Page.	Yalue.
Manufactures of wool	593	\$213,741	491	\$179,802	569	1 228,894
do eottoi.	1,165	318,755	9 15	178,107	933	808,954
" do ∮ilk ↔	529	413,241	721	488,615	753	461,697
do flax	968	130,893	578	186,753 132,248	1,031	206,844 125,855
Miscell'neous dry good	1,463	1:10,690	218	104,248	2,917	190 990
Total	4,676	\$1,337,712	3,637	£1,265,825	6,255	\$1,840,744
Manufactures of wool	2.0	\$144,810 67,526	281 259	\$104,940 71,324	\$08 237	\$118,719 65,320
co silk	1(8	113 856	124	128,398	107	96, 106
do flax Miscell'neons dry good:	560 392	£9,490 41,485	5,891	82.157 63.112	357 1,233	77,223 31,280
discent neods dry goods	000					
Total	1,628	\$157,170	6,520	?440,931	2.285	369,649
Add ent'd for cous'mp'i	4,6 6	1,837,772	8,637	1,265,825	6,255	1,316,744
Tot. thr'wn upon mark't	6,314	\$1,791,912	10,157	\$1,715,253	8,540	\$1,780,392
ENTERED F	Oa WA	REHOUSING	DURIN	O SAME PER	non.	
Manufactures of wool.	455	2190,829	223	\$ 89,223	376	\$:56,130
go cotto.	270	101,4 2	68	2:223	218	80,551
do silk	141	157,693	54	87,115	141	119,426
do flax	: 391	91.808	187	31,468 (4:25	90.682

25,767

\$568.568 1,837,772

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728 8,637

27,462

\$237,483

1,265,325

595

1,762

8.617

167

1,425

Tot'l entered at the port 6,101 \$1,903,280 4,365 \$1,472,811

32,415

\$4:9,154 1,340,741

\$1,819,899