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### CLEARING HOUSE RETURNS.

The following table, made up by telegraph, etc., indicates that the total bank clearings of all the clearing houses of the United States for the week ending to-day, February 2, have been \$994,330,465, against \$919,979,994 last week and \$836,-721,199 the corresponding week of last year.

CLEARINGS.	Week Ending February 2.				
Returns by Telegraph.	1895.	1894.	Per Cent		
New York	\$458,073,439	\$369,632,423	+23.9		
Boston	73,289,973	61,204,406	+19.7		
Philadelphia	397,776	44,079,935	+15.7		
Baltimore	949	10,234,918	+ 0.1		
Chicago	66,289,568	63,865,463	+ 3.8		
St. Louis	18,717,566	17,605,088	+ 6.3		
New Orleans.	7,414,737	. 7,782,462	- 4.7		
Seven cities, 5 days	\$685,028,008	\$574,395,695	+19.3		
Other cities, 5 days	132,903,463	119,271,462	+11.4		
Total all cities, 5 days	\$818,931,471	\$693,667,157	+18.1		
All cities, 1 day	175,398,994	143,054,042	+22.6		
Total all cities for week.	\$994,330,465	\$836,721,199	+18.8		

The full details of clearings for the week covered by the above statement will be given next Saturday. We cannot, of course, furnish them to-day, bank clearings being made up by the various clearing houses at noon on Saturday, and hence in the above the last twenty-four hours of the week have to be in all cases estimated, as we go to press Friday night.

Our usual detailed figures for the previous week, covering the returns for the period ending with Saturday noon, January 26, are given below, and we also present the results for the corresponding week in 1894, 1893 and 1892. In comparison with the preceding week there is a decrease in the aggregate exchanges of nearly fifty millions of dollars, the loss at New York being eighteen and three-quarter millions. Contrasted with the week of 1894 the exhibit is quite favorable, the total for the whole country showing an excess of 13.7 per cent. Compared with the week of 1893 the current returns record a falling off of 32.1 per cent, and the loss from 1892 is 23.9 per Total Canada.... 18.2 cent. Outside of New York the excess over 1894 is 12.6 per \*Not included in totals.

cent, the loss from 1893 reaches 17.5 per cent and from 1892 is 4.7 per cent.

			Week en	ding Ja	nuary 26.	
	Clearings at—	1895.	1894.	1895. P. Cent	1893.	1892.
	New York Philadelphia. Pittsburg. Baltimore. Buffalo Washington Rochester. Syracuse Wilmington. Scranton Binghamton Total Middle	13,849,970 12,536,359 3,858,958 1,679,241 1,365,635 893,575 703,085 830,307 297,900 595,096,992	52,158,416 12,951,604 12,177,143 3,361,455 1,363,885 1,465,013 772,673 703,120 754,165 337,800 517,490,781	+14** +22*\$ +6** +2** +14*\$ +23** -6*\$ +15** -10** -11*\$ +15**	16,872,836 11,375,79 8 4,367,69 2 1,780,62 1,780,62 1,590,78 1,010,000 855,05 272,300	10,077,913 3,150,288 4 1,693,088 1,348,017 725,039 740,728
	Boston Providence. Hartford New Haven Springfield Worcester. Portland Fall River Lowell New Bedford. Total New Eng	1.296,798 1,297,732 1,222,816 1,195,120 780,361 552,644 292,031 97,234,385	89,906,325	+7.4 +24.6 +8.8 +6.7 +17.1 +23.7 +5.8 +3.9 -21.7 -25.8 +8.1	1,311,187 1,355,368 1,379,908 925,548 745,538 580,184	1,323,263 1,535,500 1,092,829 1,061,191 742,712 309,573
	Chicago Cincinnati Milwaukee Detroit. Cleveland Columbus Peoria Indianapolis Grand Rapids Lexington Saginaw Bay City Akron Springfield, Ohio Canton Rockford Kalamazoo Tot. Mid. West'n.	81,222,676 12,887,700 4,148,652 5,707,366 5,791,174 2,713,500 1,899,029 1,105,894 826,530 328,537 290,551 125,190 128,245 173,065 138,834 234,323 244,235	70,501,337 11,280,850 4,475,879 4,869,895 4,320,552 2,920,300 1,502,800 1,141,460 740,124 332,412 213,935 1,98,766 183,957 165,800 110,433 168,965 237,763 103,364,218	+15·2 -7·3 +17·2 +34·0 -7·1 +26·4 -3·1 +11·7 -1·2 +3·5·8 +3·6·4 +3·7 +26·4 +3·8·7 +1·0 +1·2	13,979,700 8,298,684 7,024,976 6,021,628 3,321,000 1,813,500 907,771 867,122 500,000 2211,986 320,000 250,418 166,528 160,000	82,720,585 14,384,600 7,179,980 6,356,115 5,297,181 2,948,300 2,068,205 2,468,786 772,993 333,689 306,099
	San Francisco. Portland. Salt Lake City. Seattle. Tacoma. Los Angeles. Helena. Spokane. Sjoux Falls. Fargo.	9,667,628 1,085,188 1,007,408 461,605 495,872 910,861 783,303 300,000 56,269 129,163	8,883,099 755,138 1,296,780 521,687 633,933 615,689 700,000 229,726 117,033 126,900	+8.8 +43.7 -21.1 -11.5 -21.8 +47.9 +11.9 +30.6 -51.9 +1.8	13,206,582 1,660,771 1,606,4%6 950,305 1,010,586 675,056 873,098 841,639 99,549	14,706,248 1,787,280 1,476,615 1,051,671 948,831 690,271
	Total Pacific  Kansas City  Minneapolis  Omaha  St. Paul  Denver  Duluth  St. Joseph  Sioux City  Des Moines  Lincoln  Wichita  Topeka  Fremont  Tot. other West	14,897,297 9,617,280 5,288,992 3,983,170 3,446,205 2,713,885 1,700,000 1,368,213 515,999 923,440 398,915 501,997 524,965 64,795 31,047,856	13,859,985 8,568,351 4,277,365 4,346,599 3,083,379 2,337,460 1,645,339 1,575,000 542,767 815,342 468,668 495,501 397,126 52,796	+7·5 +12·2 +23·6 -8·4 +11·8 +16·1 +3·3 -13·1 -4·9 +13·3 -14·9 +13·3 +32·2 +22·7 +8·5	10,891,660 7,068,674 7,742,531 5,550,318 5,374,953 1,733,318 1,994,796 1,389,465	8,696,469 5,953,910 5,649,690 4,494,448 4,286,833 1,724,001 1,584,947 1,050,058 828,728 744,128 629,862 387,095
ı	New Orleans. Louisville. Galveston. Houston. Richmond. Savannah Memphis. Nashville. Atlanta. Norfolk. Dallas. Waco. Fort Worth. Birmingham. Jacksonville. Chattanooga. Little Rock*	33,957,068 10,927,058 6,665,501 2,913,325 3,441,181 2,943,905 2,956,273 1,256,693 944,175 1,190,882 1,246,693 944,175 1,266,23 1,246,693 944,175 2,262,246 303,384 420,332 203,358 301,393	21,417,979 10,695,785 5,985,775 2,383,398 2,445,508 2,212,587 2,186,650 1,172,676 980,696 780,090 277,636 402,639 200,000	+11-9 +12-9 +12-8 +25-4 +40-7 +33-0 +35-2 +8-8 +11-5 +7-2 +4-4 +4-4 +9-3 +4-4 +4-4 +1-7	24,054,345 12,341,585 8,156,216 3,510,163 3,073,220 4,558,807 2,585,043 2,120,606 1,360,337 772,011 1,175,000 697,295 555,427 372,651 479,124	21,227,952 12,882,208 7,012,197 2,760,612 1,986,613 2,100,000 1,875,641
	Total Southern Total all Outside N. York.	63,641,170 919,979,994 424,958,955	55,675,135 808,902,127 377,456,620	+12.6	67,037,324 1,354,546,017 515,328,889	60,017,911 1,209,808,014 446,003,618
	Montreal	10,363,496 5,644,187 1,008,035 752,097 482,166 18,249,981	9,977,180 6,367,226 1,137,823 699,240 580,376 18,761 845	$ \begin{array}{r} +3.9 \\ -11.2 \\ -11.4 \\ +7.6 \\ -16.9 \\ \hline -2.7 \end{array} $	$ \begin{array}{r} 10,727,108 \\ 5,246,841 \\ 1,100,392 \\ \phantom{00000000000000000000000000000000000$	9,758,660 5,900,000 1,200,000 572,148 17,430,808

# REPORTS OF TRUST COMPANIES IN NEW YORK AND BROOKLYN.

On pages 220 to 223 will be found complete reports of the condition of all the trust companies in New York City and Brooklyn on December 31, 1894, as compared with the corresponding dates in 1893 and 1892.

### THE FINANCIAL SITUATION.

The apathy and actual hostility which Congress has exhibited of late with reference to any legislation tending to reënforce and strengthen the power of the Treasury to keep our gold dollar, our silver dollar and our paper dollar convertible has been the strangest and most unaccountable attitude ever shown by any legislative body of which we have the history. Who in this broad land except thieves and wreckers can be interested in promoting the bankruptcy of the Government or the confusion of values it would be hard to tell. Certainly bankers are not, for they have risen to a man to plead for action. Merchants are not, for every mercantile organization that has spoken has most earnestly united in the call for immediate help. The laboring men are not and the poor men are not, for they depend more nearly than all others for their daily bread upon the safety and prosperity of the country's industries. Only from a single class so far as we have heard has any intimation come that it hoped to make gain by forcing the Government to protest on its obligations, and by destroying currency stability. Those who have silver to sell, if we may believe their officious friends in the two Houses of Congress, have taken that position. We do not believe even they are fairly represented by those who thus profess to speak for them. It cannot be possible that as a class they can even suppose they are interested in making silver dollars worth less than one-half the value of a gold dollar, and yet that and precisely that is what their policy if successful, must end in. Can other Senators and Congressmen afford to see all this going on and perhaps accomplished under their very eyes without bestirring themselves and showing a good deal more activity in efforts to prevent it than they have shown hitherto?

All other events have had their influence absorbed by the engrossing inquiry as to the daily condition of the Government gold reserve and the calls which have been made upon it. After deducting the gold withdrawn from the Sub-Treasury last week for shipment to Europe and for hoarding, the net gold remaining in the Treasury reserve Monday morning was \$56,069,995. On that day \$3,750,000 was withdrawn, all but \$1,000,000 being for export on Tuesday. On Tuesday a further amount of \$3,000,000 was withdrawn, of which \$2,-400,000 was for export on Wednesday. On Wednesday \$3,725,000 was withdrawn, of which \$3,250,000 was for export on Saturday. On Thursday \$2,448,000 was withdrawn, of which all was for export on Saturday. Yesterday only \$1,257,000 was withdrawn, all of which was also for export on Saturday, making the total withdrawals for the five days beginning with Monday, \$14,180,000. After the apparent confirmation of a bond issue yesterday, \$1,800,000 was returned to the Treasury.

The smaller withdrawals on Thursday and Friday, as well as the return of gold on Friday, were due to advices from Washington which seemed to be authentic, that there was to be an immediate issue of bonds

by the Government. Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Curtis came here on Thursday and had a conference at the Sub-Treasury with several of our bankers with foreign connections as to placing \$100,-000,000 or more of the 4 per cent bonds, of which fifty or seventy-five millions should be taken abroad and the remainder here. Mr. Curtis learned that he could float a 3 per cent gold bond at above par, but that the best terms he could get for the 4 per cent coin bond was a price netting  $3\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. Mr. Curtis also got from our banks the terms on which he could secure the temporary use of their gold pending a bond issue and the obtaining of the gold from Europe. He returned to Washington Thursday night, and on Friday it became evident that an issue of bonds would not be long delayed. Aside from the direct reports to that effect, the action of the gold exporters and the course of the foreign exchange market furnished pretty convincing testimony to the truth of the reports. Early in the day the engagements of gold for export by today's steamers amounted to \$5,050,000. Later nearly all the orders were canceled, and it was certain only that \$500,000 would go, with a possibility that \$600,000 more might be sent by a shipper who was undecided as to what course he would pursue. At the same time rates for sterling exchange sharply declined, and the foreign exchange market became demoralized. Word was also received that the Secretary had given instructions to the Bureau of Engraving and Printing to print a large amount of the 4 per cent bonds at once.

While Congress seems to think that this country has no mission except "to do something for silver," and that the tide of opinion here is still in the direction of coddling the silver idol, little events continue to crop out all the time which go to show that this is a mistaken notion. The election was a big event, which for the moment startled all followers of populistic ideas. But there is no kind of man that can recover from a severe set-back so soon as one whose whole self is swallowed up by a single error. An occurrence of last week, which has led us to refer to this subject, is the passage of a measure by the Legislature of Idaho repealing a law passed two years ago which in substance provided that the obligations of the State, its municipalities and inhabitants should be payable in gold or silver. A significant fact with reference to this repeal is that the new law expressly enacts that the payment of its bonded indebtedness shall hereafter be in gold, and this notwithstanding it appears from the bonds hitherto issued by the State that both the principal and interest are made payable by their terms in current funds. Is it not true that the State legislator of Idaho has gained a wider knowledge and appreciation the last two years of the financial conditions ruling in the world at large than some of her citizens she sends to Washington to represent her?

Another one of the large anthracite coal-carrying companies has issued its annual report this week. We refer to the Delaware & Hudson Canal Company. Like all the anthracite roads this company plainly shows the effects of the industrial depression from which the whole country has suffered and more particularly the unsatisfactory condition of the anthracite trade. It is rather noteworthy however that the general result for that road is somewhat better than that for the Delaware Lackawanna & Western, upon which we commented last week. The Lackawanna we showed fell \$196,656 short of earning the 7 per cent dividends paid. The Delaware & Hudson on the

other hand shows the full 7 per cent earned, the percentage of profit for the year (figured on the basis of \$30,000,000 stock for nine months and \$35,-000,000 stock for the last three months) being 7.1 per cent. In 1893 the profit for the stock was 10.71 per cent and in 1892 10.11 per cent. In amount the profit was \$2,218,713 in 1894 and \$3,214,550 in 1893, a loss roughly of a million dollars. In the gross revenues the falling off was nearly 25 million dollars, the total standing at \$18,068,219 against \$20,672,317. The bulk of the loss occurred in the coal receipts (sales of coal), where the amount was only \$7,864,152 in 1894 against \$9,939,648 in 1893, a decrease of over 20 per cent. But in the quantity of coal mined the decrease was only about 10 per cent, 3,997,059 tons having been produced in 1894 against 4,467,346 tons in 1893. This makes it evident that the loss has followed mainly from the smaller price received for the coal, a result of course which accords with known

Money on call, representing bankers' balances, has been active this week, loaning at 3 per cent on Monday in consequence of the calling in of loans incident to the settlements for bonds issued by the Brooklyn Wharf & Warehouse Company, but falling by the close of the day to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. Thereafter, for the remainder of the week, there was more or less calling in of bankers' balances early in the day, with the object of obtaining good rates, and after the day's loans had been adjusted the market grew easier. The range each day was from  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  per cent, with very little done at the higher rate, and the bulk of the business was at 2 per cent. This makes the average for the week a fraction above 2 per cent. Renewals have been at 11/2/202 per cent, and banks and trust companies have quoted  $2@2\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. In some cases early in the week, influenced by the Treasury situation, there was a disposition on the part of a few lenders to insist upon re-payment in gold, but borrowers generally refused to make such contracts and the requirement was not insisted upon after the middle of the week. The outlook for a new bond issue and the strained currency conditions induced large lenders of time money to withhold their offerings, and there was a disposition to restrict lending to the call-loan branch of the market. Consequently rates for time money were nominal at 2 per cent for thirty days, 21 per cent for sixty days, 3 per cent for ninety days to four months and  $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent for four, five and six months, until Thursday, when, influenced by the somewhat urgent demand, considerable business was done for sixty days and longer periods, but brokers negotiating the loans that the list of securities should required first be submitted to the lenders. The rates then and thereafter ruling were 2 per cent nominal for thirty days, 3 per cent for sixty days, 32 per cent for ninety days and 4 per cent for four, five and six months. For commercial paper quotations were early in the week advanced, and as the demand was limited to a few institutions who were selecting choice grades, the supply in the market accumulated, and at the close of the week rates were 4 per cent for sixty to ninety-day endorsed bills receivable, 4@4½ per cent for four months commission house and prime four months single names,  $4\frac{1}{2}$ @5 per cent for prime six months and 7 per per cent and above for good four to six months single names, for which, however, there was little inquiry. A fairly good business was done in the best names after the middle of the week, and brokers handling the pa-

per were willing to make concessions and accept even higher rates than those quoted.

There has been no important feature in the European financial situation this week. The Bank of England minimum rate of discount remains unchanged at 2 per cent. The cable reports discounts of sixty to ninety day bank bills in London 7 of 1 per cent. The open market rate at Paris is 17 per cent, at Berlin it is 18 per cent and at Frankfort 18 per cent. According to our special cable from London the Bank of England gained £588,713 bullion during the week and held at the close of the week £35,946,720. Our correspondent further advises us that the gain was due to the import of £580,000 (of which £555,000 was bought in the open market and £25,000 came from Australia), to receipts from the interior of Great Britain of £329,000 and to exports of £320,000, of which £250,000 were to Africa and £70,000 to the Argentine Republic.

The market for foreign exchange was strong until Thursday morning, when it was affected mainly by the reports of an early issue of new bonds, though it promptly reacted in the afternoon. Yesterday, evidence of a bond issue having become stronger, rates declined, and the market was very much unsettled. On Monday a reduction by the Bank of England in the price of American gold coin from 76 shillings 4 pence to 76 shillings 31 pence per ounce caused an advance in the rates of exchange by Brown Bros. & Co., Heidelbach, Ickelheimer & Co. and Lazard Freres to 4 895 for sixty-day and 4 90½ for sight. The market was almost bare of bills, the few coming in from cotton and from cattle shipments being promptly absorbed at high prices, and there was a disposition on the part of the foreign bankers to remit with gold as promptly as possible, so that the Lahn, which sailed on Tuesday, carried \$3,562,-000. The selling of stocks and bonds for European account was large, thus increasing the demand for remittance, and the Majestic, which sailed on Wednesday, took out \$2,400,000. Then came further withdrawals of gold from the Sub-Treasury shipment on Saturday, these consisting wholly of coin, and though the price of bars was reduced to 1.10 of 1 per cent premium, shippers declined to pay that price, some feeling confident that the Treasury would soon be obliged to exchange them at par, while others claimed that they could obtain smelters' bars at a lower price. On Thursday, on the report, which was generally credited, that an issue of bonds would be immediately ordered by the Administration, the demand for remittance subsided and the market for exchange grew weak; it was however influenced more by sentiment than otherwise, though Brown Bros. reduced their rates half a cent per pound sterling and the Bank of British North America lowered their rates, which they had advanced on the afternoon of the previous day. By noon however the demand for remittance increased, and rates for actual business advanced, though they were not fully restored to the figures ruling on Wednesday, and the tone was strong at the close. Friday the apparent confirmation of the reports of an issue of bonds completely changed the tone of the market, and Brown Brothers further reduced their rates half a cent, to 4 88 for long and 4 89½ for short sterling, while the bankers who had been quoting 4 891 and 4 90½ for long and short respectively reduced to 4 89 and 4 90; \$5,050,000 gold had been engaged for shipment to-day, but orders for \$3,950,000 were positively canceled, while an order for \$600,000 more may also be canceled, leaving only \$500,000 to go. The following table shows the daily changes in rates of exchange by leading drawers:

J	Fri.,	Mon.,	Tues.,	Wed.,	Thurs.,	Fri.,
	an. 25.	Jan. 28,	Jan. 29.	Jan. 30.	Jan. 31.	Feb. 1.
Brown Bros 60 days Sight	89	891/4	8914	891 <u>6</u>	8914-9	88 16-8
	90	901/4	9014	901 <u>6</u>	9014-90	90-89 16
Baring, \$60 days	89	89	89	89	89	89
Magoun & Co. Sight	90	90	90	90	90	90
Bank British 60 days	89	89	89	89-16	8914-9	89
No. America Sight	90	90	90		9014-90	90
Bank of \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	89	89	89	89	89	89
	90	90	90	90	90	90
Oanadian Bank 60 days of Commerce. Sight	89	89	89	89	89	89
	90	90	90	90	90	90
Heidelbach, Ick- 60 days	89	8914	8914	8914	8914	89
elheimer & Co Sight	90		9014	9014	9014	90
Lazard Freres 60 days Sight	89 90	8916	8916	8914 9014	8914 9014	8914-9 9014-90
Merchants' Bk. 60 days	89	89	89	8914	8914	8916-9
of Canada Sight	90	90	90	9014		9012-90

The market closed firm on Friday at 488@489 for sixty day and  $489\frac{1}{2}@490$  for sight. Rates for actual business were  $487\frac{1}{2}@487\frac{3}{4}$  for long,  $488\frac{3}{4}@489$  for short and  $489@489\frac{1}{4}$  for cable transfers. Prime commercial bills were  $487\frac{1}{4}@487\frac{1}{2}$  and documentary  $486\frac{3}{4}@487$ .

In a previous paragraph we have referred to the annual exhibit of the Delaware & Hudson. The Philadelphia & Reading, also an anthracite carrier, has issued its earnings statement for December, and the showing is a very poor one. For the Railroad Company there is a loss of \$200,584 in gross and \$175,366 in net, and for the Coal & Iron Company a loss of \$691,055 in gross and \$304,880 in net. For the two companies combined therefore the falling off in net for the month is \$480,246. The Coal & Iron Company fell \$293,428 short of earning its fixed charges for the month in 1894 against a surplus in 1893 of \$9,132, while the operations of the Railroad Company resulted in a deficiency of \$211,478 in 1894, against a deficiency of only \$68,302 in 1893. In brief, the two companies have failed to earn charges in the sum of \$504,906 for December 1894, against a deficiency of only \$59,170 for December 1893—which does not reveal a very encouraging state of things.

Most of the other companies which have submitted statements this week for December make pretty good exhibits as a rule—at least as far as the net is concerned. Of course the grain-carrying roads in the Northwest have lost heavily in their gross receipts. For the Milwaukee & St. Paul the decrease in gross is \$330,651, but as this was attended by a reduction of \$372,458 in expenses, the company is able to report an increase of \$41,807 in net. For the half-year ending December 31 net shows a loss of \$1,238,592. The Chicago Burlington & Quincy for the month has lost \$435,875 in gross, which was offset by a decrease of \$322,-871 in expenses, leaving the loss in net \$113,004. For the calendar year the company shows \$6,841,605 decrease in gross, \$5,387,882 saving in expenses and \$1,453,723 decrease in net. The Chicago Burlington & Northern, which is controlled by the Quincy, for the year suffered a decrease of \$532,847 in gross and of \$299,634 in net. For December the road has \$29,891 loss in gross and \$18,794 loss in net.

The Wabash has a very favorable return, with gross of \$1,017,680 against \$987,602, and net of \$248,030 against \$110,481. The same is true of the Cleveland Cincinnati Chicago & St. Louis, which reports gross of \$1,194,574 against \$1,110,076, and net of \$329,024 against \$279,038; and the Peoria & Eastern with gross of \$140,608 against \$121,623, and net of \$37,361 against \$13,966. The Denver & Rio Grande for December has a small increase in both gross and net, and for the half-year ending

December 31 shows \$396,157 surplus above charges in 1894 against \$146,863 surplus in the corresponding half-year of 1893. The Canadian Pacific for December reports net of \$588,443 against \$580,897, the Rio Grande Western \$49,983 against \$51,743, the Buffalo Rochester & Pittsburg \$82,785 against \$72,030, the Western New York & Pennsylania \$49,297 against \$57,249, the Grand Rapids & Indiana \$54,067 against \$17,331, and the Cincinnati Jackson & Mackinaw \$9,090 against \$7,356.

Southern roads as a whole have done about as well as any. The Louisville & Nashville has \$41,554 gain in gross and \$35,407 gain in net, the Chesapeake & Ohio reports gross of \$800,247 against \$718,339, and net of \$252,678 against \$217,452, while the Norfolk & Western shows gross of \$871,671 against 794,911, and net of \$191,054 against \$187,826. Among the smaller roads the Georgia Southern & Florida has gross of \$87,831 against \$87,975 and net of \$37,649 against \$30,041. In the following we furnish a comparison for four years for a number of roads in various parts of the country.

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Name of Road.	1894.	1893.	Earnings	1891.
Buff. Roch. & PittsburgGross	253,511	255,097	251,568	\$ 240,416 72,894
Net	82,785	72,030	42,842	
Canadian PacificGross	1,554,859	1,633,884	1,894,128	1,914,814
Net	588,443	580,897	820,786	882,197
Chesapeake & Ohio Gross	800,247	718,339	839,083	826,938
Net	252,677	217,452	280,090	207,430
Chicago Burl. & NorthernGross	135,491	165,382	201,891	225,421
Net	43,858	62,652	101,041	115,895
Chicago Burl. & QuincyGross	2,460,353	2,896,231	3,544,276	3,524,478
Net	1,068,941	1,181,945	1,328,564	1,308,424
Chicago Mil. & St. PaulGross	2,203,524	2,534,175	3,291,618	3,236,978
Net	901,248	859,441	1,330,399	1,424,057
Cin. Jackson & MackGross	56,259	52,334	60,717	66,114
Net	9,090	7,356	16,997	19,975
Clev. Cin. Ch. & St. LouisGross	1,194,574	1,110,076	1,300,209	1,338,899
Net	329,024	279,033	398,088	395,688
Peoria & EasternGross	140,608	121,623	163,075	171,225
	37,361	13,966	29,033	51,226
Denver & Rio GrandeGross	591,961	575,430	803,229	662,690
Net	247,253	237,006	375,528	288,131
Ga. Southern & FlaGross	87,831	87,976	78,304	75,363
Net	37,649	30,012	24,753	28,999
Grand Rapids & IndGross	198,064	185,622	245,686	258,961
Net	54,067	17,331	82,179	72,797
Louisville & NashvilleGross	1,716,404	1,674,850	2,030,897	1,791,151
Net	730,383	694,981	900,584	605,895
Norfolk & WesternGross	871,671	794,911	901,011	791,753
Net	191,054	187,826	226,392	272,571
Philadelphia & ReadingGross	1,551,928	1,752,512	1,968,367	1,881,522
Net	604,861	780,227	875,843	
· Coal & IronGross	1,588,255	2,279,310	1,705,345	
Net d	ef. 187,428	117,452	def.11,257	
Rio Grande WesternGross	159,684	158,237	185,379	219,187
Net	49,983	51,743	65,723	87,059
WabashGross	1,017,680	987,602	1,151,958	1,348,196
	248,030	110,481	238,905	379,053
West. N. Y. & Pa Gross	233,045	232,765	315,137	304,119
Net	49,297	57,249	115,153	106,525

The following gives the week's movements of money to and from the interior by the New York banks.

Week Ending February 1, 1895.		Shipped by N. Y. Banks.	Net Interior Movement.
Ourrency			Gain.\$4,188,000 Loss, 50,000
Total gold and legal tenders	\$5,947,000	\$1,809,000	Gain.\$4,138,000

Result with Sub-Treasury operations and gold exports.

Week Ending February 1, 1895.	Into Banks.	Out of Banks.	Net Change in Bank Holdings.
Banks'interior movement, as above	\$5,947,000	\$1,809,000	Gain.\$4,138,000
Sub-Tress. oper. and gold exports	31,800,000	46,062,000	Loss.14,262,000
Total gold and legaltenders	\$37,747,000	\$47,871,000	Loss.10,124,000

The following table indicates the amount of bullion in the principal European banks this week and at the corresponding date last year.

Bank of	Jan	uary 31, 1	895.	February 1, 1894.		
2501111 02	Gold.	Silver.	Total.	Gold.	Silver.	Iotal.
	£	£	£	£	2	£
England	35,946 720		35,946,720	28.026,616		28,026,646
France	84,824,310	49,382,132	134,206,472	68,074,000	50,449,000	118,523,000
Germany	40,707,000	13,569,000	54,278,000	33,000,750	11,000,250	44,001,000
AustHung'y	15,517,000	13,708,000	29,225,000	10,178,000	16,263,000	26,439,000
Spain	8,004,000	11,440,000	19,444,000	7,918,000	7,308,000	15,226,000
Netherlands .	4,107,000	6,894,000	11,001,000	4,125,000	7,014,000	11,139,000
Nat. Belgium.	3,514,667	1,757,333	5,272,000	2,991,667	1,497,333	4,492,000
Tot.this week	192,620,727	98,750,465	289,371,192	154,315,063	93,531,583	247,846,646
Tot. prev. w'k	190,664,895	96.525,020	287,189,915	153,463,181	93,287.750	246,750,931

### THE FINANCIAL DISLOCATION AND HOW TO RELIEVE IT.

No one can question the gravity or the needlessness of the present financial strain. Those who enact our laws have impaired the situation, and they alone can reinstate it. They undertook to make a silver dollar, a paper dollar and a gold dollar legal tender for all debts, private and public, and they put upon the Treasury of the United States the work of keeping these unequal units equal in value. President Cleveland has this week sent a special message to Congress, directing attention to the state which the action of these laws has brought the Treasury to, and pointing out the new legislation required and the urgency of the want. He also says in substance that although he is reluctant to use the insufficient powers he now has he shall speedily do so unless Congress grants a measure for permanent relief.

The obvious explanation of the position the country finds itself in is that this leveling system under which one unit and one-half unit and a credit instrument are held interchangeable has broken down at the point of greatest tension. Those who formed and fused this bunch of incongruities supposed when they brought the credit of the Government into their service they had devised a smelting process of so great adhesive power that nothing could dissever the established union. It is certainly a fact that there could not have been a better field or better conditions for trying the experiment. It is probably within the truth to say that waste and error can with greater prodigality be longer indulged in without disaster in this new country, so rich in undeveloped resources, than in any other country on this earth. Besides our Government had a credit second to none; its promise when in the line of human possibilities had currency the world over, every financial market was open to it, and it could borrow and did borrow at a two per cent rate.

Yet in the face of such advantages it is glaringly true to-day that our financial system has broken down; the strain has been so great at the pivotal point that intense friction has been developed until it has become palpable to every one that the Government cannot any longer perform the function it has been charged with unless some material change in the conditions is made. To be sure, a palliative can be used to give the Treasury and the country temporary relief. Congress, if it so wills, can authorize a gold bond on which gold can be borrowed in Europe (the home visible supply having been too nearly exhausted), and the critical stage of the present distress be for the time being made more tolerable. Even the existing bonds may be so placed if a sufficient inducement by way of greater interest be granted. But of course such borrowing without correcting the cause which makes it necessary can be but a temporary expedient; every time it is used it must lower the credit of the Government, and how long it can be made effective will evidently depend upon circumstances. The effort to keep three unequal things equal is a reach after the unattainable. Substantially that is the endeavor we are engaged in; and in time capital everywhere must avoid the securities of the Government when used for so aimless a purpose just as surely as it would if used to raise money to be devoted to damming up Niagara. Acts like those bring in question the prudence and even the sanity of the borloans necessary for such a purpose.

Still the situation even without Congressional action is not quite as dark and hopeless as some think. That is to say another resource exists to which resort may be had whether Congress does anything or not, though a new bond authorization would greatly facilitate the transaction. To be sure, like the other device just mentioned, it would be a temporary expedient, but its effect might be prolonged if we rightly understand the condition of the revenue. We are inclined likewise to think that this latter operation would be much more efficacious than the one previously mentioned. It consists in the issue of an offer by the Secretary under the present law (if Congress passes no new and better bond authorization) to sell say not less than 100 millions of the Government four or five per cents, leaving it optional with the purchaser to make payment for the bonds in legal-tender Treasury notes of 1890, or in the old legal tenders, or in gold. If this plan were carried out the effect would be to collect in the Treasury substantially all the surplus legal tenders which are now congesting our money market and are being used to draw out the Treasury gold from the Treasury vaults for export and in paying Customs duties.

With that currency transferred from the banks to the Government, it is easy to see what new phases Treasury operations would thereafter manifest. Judging from the January figures of Government receipts and payments there would seem to be good reason for saying that the revenue has got very near meeting the disbursements, and that the currency, once in the Treasury, would stay there. Indeed, during the last sixteen days of January the Government receipts have reached \$13,997,885, against \$11,384,606 disbursements, or an excess of receipts of \$2,613,279; and for the whole month the adverse balance is only \$6,681,922, or about a million dollars less than the half-yearly interest which fell due January 1st. The Customs duties in January have been large, the largest since March 1893, but the internal revenue receipts have increased only a little. Obviously the stock of spirits taken from bond last August and previous months in anticipation of the addition to the tax has not been used up, and that circumstance still keeps the receipts from internal taxes far below normal; it is anticipated though that in February this item of revenue will show a gradual increase.

Altogether the belief is said to have been expressed by Treasury officials that February transactions of the Government are likely to leave only a very small if any deficit; moreover the January results would seem to encourage such an expectation, especially as there is no interest falling due in February except the quarter's payment on the 100 million fives. Accepting then that view of the Government income as correct, the transfer of so many additional millions of currency to the Treasury to be held there through the year could not fail in the first place to relieve the money market, raise the rates of interest and thereby in turn tend to stop or decidedly restrict gold exports. In the second place as the surplus legal tenders would be in the Treasury and not in the banks, Customs duties would have to be largely paid in gold, and thus the Government would in a wholly natural way secure control of the gold movement, and could therefore get and retain as much gold as it desired to hold. We have heretofore and many times suggested this device as practicable rower, or rather of the people who make Government so soon as the income should meet or nearly meet the disbursements. The last reference made to it was, we

think, in August, when the Government revenue was for a time large. It will be remembered also that it was the plan so efficaciously adopted by Mr. Manning when he was Secretary, only on that occasion the accumulation of currency was effected by the retention of the Government's current surplus, which was then so ample.

We thus see that the President already has power sufficient to render him in some measure independent of Congressional action or non-action. He can fortify the Treasury reserve and prevent its depletion and so tide over the difficulty to the meeting of the new Congress, or perhaps even to a later date. Just so long as the Secretary retains in the Treasury the currency received for his bonds the notes will be kept from doing harm as effectually as if they had been redeemed and destroyed under a law of Congress. This is worth recalling if only to allay present anxiety. It does not, though, by any means make less desirable or less the duty of Congress to immediately take definite action for the relief of the Treasury along the lines of President Cleveland's proposal or in the manner provided by the bill which the Banking and Currency Committee has prepared with so much care and has reported to the House. For no permanent cure will be established until the notes have been actually funded and a sound bank-note system substituted. They will from time to time rise to plague us unless they are not only held in durance but so disposed of as to be past resurrecting.

# HISTORY OF THE NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Mr. Francis L. Eames, of the firm of Eames & Moore, and President of the New York Stock Exchange, has compiled a history of the Exchange.\* It is an exceedingly neat and artistic affair—in form a large paper quarto volume, printed on wood-cut paper, the whole executed in very fine style, and one of the handsomest publications which has reached us in a long time. Besides the text, which contains much matter of historical interest, there are a number of illustrations—some from rare prints, and also photographs of Mr. Eames and the officers of the Exchange. The edition is a limited one, only six hun dred copies having been printed, including those reserved for the author, and this of course adds to the value of the book.

Mr. Eames is modest as to his own worth, claiming that his "only qualification" for the task which he has undertaken has been "a live interest in the subject." Nor does he take credit for certain thirgs where he is justly entitled to credit. For instance in speaking of the establishment of the Stock Exchange Clearing-House he makes no mention of his own part in the work. He tells us that the plan for the Clearing-House system was submitted by a special committee appointed for that purpose, and that this plan was approved without modification by the Governing Committee of the Exchange, but refrains from saying that he was one of the two members of the special committee and that it has been largely through his instrumentality and efforts that the clearing system has proved so successful.

Mr. Eames also, we think, under-estimates the degree of public interest which will be felt in such a history as this. The book, he states, is not intended to be a recital of personal reminiscences, nor a history of specu-

\* THE NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE. By Francis L. Eames. New York: Thomas G. Hall, Publisher, 26 Broad Street.

lation, but simply an accurate record of the movement and development of the organization as gleaned from official data and from contemporary accounts. Hencehe ventures the statement that "the matter herein contained will possess little interest for the public; it is written solely for those members of the Exchange who have an interest in the history of their organization, and a pride in its growth and development." But the facts which the author has brought together have a usefulness which extends beyond the confines and membership of the Stock Exchange. The history of the Exchange is in great part the history of Wall Street, and the history of Wall Street is the history of the country's advance in material welfare and prosperity. We know that this is not the view of the Western populist and granger. But it is the truth nevertheless. Those who contemptuously or maliciously refer to the business of the Exchange as "stock gambling" misunderstand or misrepresent the aim and work of the organization The Exchange does not exist to promote stock-gamb ling. It is simply a mart where facilities are offered for the buying and selling of corporate property, and considering what a large proportion of the total property in existence now takes the corporate form, it must be admitted the Exchange is both a beneficent and a necessary adjunct of modern life. If the facilities afforded are sometimes availed of to promote gambling, it is because it has not yet been found possible to devise a scheme for eliminating transactions of that sort from any kind of business. Dealings on the Exchangeare conducted according to the strictest business methods, all transactions are on the basis of the actual receipt and delivery of property, and the standard of right is admittedly as high as anywhere in the world,

The author makes no attempt at rhetorical display. In a plain and unaffected manner he narrates the history of the Exchange. And this narrative contains a most interesting record of important events, covering the whole of the last century, for the Exchange is a pretty old institution, Mr. Eames tracing it back to 1792. Some of these events relate merely to the Exchange itself, but the most of them bring to mind important happenings in the history of the nation, which are indelibly written in the records of Stock Exchange business. Perusal of the volume leaves upon the mind a variety of impressions. When we look at a Stock Exchange list for January 17, 1837-58 years ago-and observe that even in those days there were extensive dealings in Delaware & Hudson stock, in Long Island, in "Harlem," etc., the fact is forced upon our attention that some things have endured notwithstanding the lapse of time, even though not entirely in the old form. And this impression is further strengthened when we see that as far back as 1818—seventy-seven years ago—bank shares of institutions in existence to-day were dealt in, such as the Bank of New York, the Manhattan Bank, etc. On the other hand, there are painful reminders of properties and institutions now defunct, and whose downfall involved ruin and disaster to many. Perhaps a feature as noteworthy as any is the evidence of growth and expansion met with in so many cases. The capital, the debt and the mileage of our roads have vastly increased. Everything is on a bigger sale. The Stock Exchange itself furnishes an evidence of the growth of a powerful organization from small beginnings. Then the membership of the Exchange is full of interest. The venerable William Alexander Smith, the Chairman of the Trus tees of the Gratuity Fund, has been a member for overfifty years, having joined the Exchange December 17, 1844.

Some of the events too here narrated are full of instruction, and convey a lesson and a warning to the present generation. At this moment the subject uppermost in the minds of the public is that concerning the ability of the Government to maintain gold payments, and President Cleveland has just addressed a message to Congress bringing to the attention of the members of that body the urgency of the situation and asking them to pass laws to relieve the Government of the embarrassments under which it now labors. Some of our legislators at Washington profess indifference as to whether the country is kept on a gold basis or not. They seem to think that no one will be hurt by a change of monetary standards except possibly a few capitalists and moneyed men. Have they forgotten the conditions which prevailed during the war, when our merchants had to make daily and hourly calculations as to the effect on their transactions of the varying fluctuations in the premium on gold? What Mr. Eames says regarding the operations of the Gold Exchange may serve to refresh their memories. A few lines from some verses by E. C. Stedman are suggestive of a situation the recurrence of which all thoughtful men are desirous of avoiding.

"Just where the Treasury's marble front Looks over Wall Street's mingled nations; Where Jews and Gentiles most are wont To throng for trade and last quotations; There, hour by hour, the rates of gold Outrival in the ears of people, The quarter chimes, serenely tolled From Trinity's undaunted steeple."

The foregoing lines were written in 1867, two years after the close of the war, and the same writer (himself an old member of the Stock Exchange) also penned verses depicting some of the Black Friday scenes. our Congressmen imagine that the public would welcome a return of the condition of things prevailing at this unfortunate period in our national existence?

Mr. Eames refers but briefly to another important event in the history of the Gold Exchange. We mean the effort of Congress to prohibit dealings in gold and the utter failure of the attempt. The matter was treated of at length in the CHRONICLE of July 9, 1892. The facts are interesting and instructive. In those early days a great many persons were possessed with the idea that the rise in the premium on gold was entirely the work of speculators, just as a good many persons maintain that if gold should now go to a premium it would not be the result of any lack of confidence on the part of either our own people or the foreign public in the country's condition or currency, but simply the result of efforts by Eastern capitalists and moneyed institutions to create a situation out of which somehow they expect to derive an advantage. Even Mr. Chase, the Secretary of the Treasury, entertained this delusion at the time. Various laws were passed by Congress intended to destroy the power of the supposed speculators and to lower the premium on gold. By an act approved March 17, 1864, the Secretary of the Treasury was given authority to make sales of gold. This it was thought would be a weapon which could always be used effectively to break up any attempted speculation in that metal. But the act did not work as expected. In January 1864 the highest price of gold had been 1593, in February 161; in March the price rose to 1693, in April to 1843.

It was then that the determination was reached to resort to drastic measures to check the rise and M: Sherman in to stop speculation completely. the Senate accordingly introduced a bill prohibiting dealings in gold, which became a law on June 17, 1864. This was the most stringent enactment of its kind ever placed on the statute books. It forbade the making of any contract for the purchase or sale of gold except for delivery on the same day, or upon any terms other than the actual delivery of the gold and upon payment in United States notes or national currency; forbade the making of any contract where the gold was not at the time of the contract in the possession of the seller; prohibited also contracts for the purchase or sale of foreign exchange to be delivered at any time beyond ten days subsequent to the making of the contract; prohibited likewise all sales of gold or foreign exchange at any other than the place o' business of the buyer or seller; and provided stringent penalties for a violation of any of the provisions of the act.

As a result of this law, dealings on the Gold Exchange had to be discontinued. But the success of the Act in checking the rise in the gold premium may be judged by the fact that the price of gold in June 1864, after the passage of the law, rose to 250, and by the further fact that so alarming did the situation become and so clamorous the public for the repeal of the obnoxious statute, that after having been in effect only fifteen days the law was on July 2, 1864, uncondition-

ally repealed.

This happened thirty one years ago. The experience of that period is not without application to the present time. We are now enjoying profound peace, and the country's general condition is immeasurably superior to what it was three decades since. The stability of our currency system therefore need not be in doubt. But there is only one way in which this stability can be secured beyond peradventure, and that is by promoting confidence in the determination and ability of the coun try to keep all its obligations inviolate, and by furnishing convincing evidence that all needful sacrifices will be made to protect the honor and credit of the nation and keep absolute good faith with all creditors at home and abroad.

### MASSACHUSETTS RAILROADS IN A YEAR OF DEPRESSION.

The annual report of the Board of Railroad Commissioners of Massachusetts has just been issued. This is still one of the best of the State Rullroad reports. The statistics are elaborate, are intelligently and conveniently arranged, and furnish a good indication of the course of traffic and income and the changes in condition of the roads for a series of years. The Massachusetts lines constitute of course an important body of roads, and the results for the late year possess especial interest in view of the great depression in trade and business which has prevailed. It is desirable to see how the depression has affected the revenues and fortunes of the roads.

There are 49 corporations which make returns in the State, but of these only 13 are engaged in actual railroad operation, nearly all the res; being leased to or operated by other companies. Moreover, of the 13 operating companies five-namely the Boston & Albany, the Boston & Maine, the Fitchburg, the New York & New England and the New York New Haven & Hartford—operate over 95 per cent of the

mileage and do more than 98 per cent of the entire freight and passenger business. During the year covered by the report no addition was made to the length of line in the State. There was nevertheless a very substantial addition to the capital expenditures of the roads. The Commissioners take occasion to say that there is practically no end to the opportunity and demand for the enlargement and perfection of railroad facilities. A railroad, they assert, is always unfinished. And this statement certainly finds illustration in the case of the Massachusetts roads themselves. These roads are supposed to be more substantially built than those of other sections, and hence presumably less in need of heavy outlays on capital account. Yet we find that in a year of tremendous depression in business, the disbursements on the roads for additional construction and equipment and for other permanent improvements amounted to no less than \$17,806,756. In stock and funded debt there was an increase of 235 million dollars-\$5,452,275 in stock and \$18,177,805 in debt, which shows that these roads have certainly not stood still.

The Commissioners note that Massachusetts roads with a single exception (the New York & New England) have escaped the financial disaster which overtook so many of the railroad corporations, large and small, in other sections of the United States. With reference to these numerous receiverships elsewhere, they say the financial panic was the occasion rather than the cause of the collapse in many cases. The inability to cope with the stress of the times, in their estimation, was mainly the result of chronic misman. agement, excessive capitalization, the multiplication of unremunerative lines and ruinous competition. With Massachusetts roads, however, the situation was different. There the roads were, as a rule, amply prepared for the present emergency, being strongly fortified in resources and credit. For nearly ten years preceding the last, it is stated, there had been a steady and vigorous growth in the volume of their traffic and earnings, and the year next preceding had been one of unusual prosperity.

We are also told that the traffic of the roads of the State is largely of a stable character, the least likely to be affected by sudden fluctuations in the temper of business enterprise. That has always been the general impression too. But the results for the late year are calculated to throw doubt on the statement. that the number of tons of freight hauled fell off as much as 17 per cent. There is certainly nothing suggestive of stability in such a large contraction in a single year, even though we grant that comparison is with exceptional totals in the year preceding. And this argument becomes all the stronger when we go a step further and discover that while the decrease in the number of tons hauled is 17.02 per cent, the decrease in the freight tonnage mileage has been only 10.02 per cent; for that indicates that the falling off has been very largely in the local or short-distance traffic—just the class of traffic which we should least expect to contract. But the situation during 1893-94 was extraordinary and phenomenal, and we all know that for a time the New England roads suffered just as severely as those in other parts of the country.

The fluctuations in the passenger traffic have been less extreme, and this is an important fact, since in Massachusetts the passenger traffic constitutes a larger

ber of passengers carried and 6.87 per cent in the number moved one mile. Total passenger revenue declined only from \$35,579,616 to \$33,252,620, while the freight revenue dropped from \$34,630,751 to \$29,812,094, and as a result it will be seen the income from the passenger department exceeded the income from the freight department in the sum of almost 31/2 million dollars.

In aggregate gross earnings the decrease was 9.60 per cent and in net earnings 8.25 per cent. Both gross and net vary little from the results in 1892. The loss of two years' growth in business and earnings, the Commissioners say, would be of less consequence if in the meantime the capital stock and funded debt of the companies had not increased by \$44,000,000, and the interest and other annual charges, including rentals, by \$2,400,-000. This merely shows that the situation in that particular with Massachusetts roads is much like that with the roads elsewhere. There must be constant growth in traffic and income to meet the increase in charges and in stock and debt. The Commissioners note that notwithstanding the falling off in net income, the average rate of dividend declared was the highest in the last nineteen years, being 5.84 per cent for 1893-4 against 5.81 per cent for 1892-3. We do not understand this to mean that there has been an increase in the rate of distribution. As a matter of fact, we know that some of the companies have reduced their dividends during the year, among others the Boston & Maine and the Fitchburg. The increase in the average rate of distribuion, we take it, follows from the increase in the stock of companies whose rate of distribution was considerably higher than the average, thus having the effect of raising the average.

It is significant that while the average percentage of dividend declared was 5.84 per cent, the amount actually earned was only 4.89 per cent, showing that the amount paid was nearly 1 per cent in excess of the amount earned, the surplus of previous years being drawn upon to make good the deficiency. This deficiency aggregated \$1,823,561, and it compares with a surplus in 1892-3 of \$1,228,101, a difference against the late year of over three million dollars. Here then the effects of the depression in business at a time of increased interest and dividend requirements become very manifest. But this analysis hardly goes far enough. Of the aggregate deficiency of \$1,823,561, \$1,257,614 has come from one company, namely the New York New Haven & Hartford, which has since reduced its dividend from a basis of 10 per cent per annum to 8 per cent and whose earnings have latterly decidedly improved. The New York & New England is responsible for \$571,624 more of the deficit, and that company paid out nothing at all for dividends, having fallen that much short of earning its interest charges.

Another fact deserves to be recorded. There was a reduction during the year in the average of both passenger and freight rates on the roads in the Commonwealth. Both reached the lowest point ever known in the State. The average per passenger per mile, which already stood lower than in any other State, dropped from 1.83 cents to 1.80 cents, and the average per ton of freight per mile from 1.39 cents to 1.33 cents. A difference of three-tenths of a mill per mile on a single passenger, or of six-tenths of a mill per mile on a single ton of freight, seems to be of little acitem in the revenues than the freight traffic; the count, say the Commissioners, but the difference to ratio of falling off was only 8.64 per cent in the num- the companies and to the public on the total passenger

and freight mileage amounted to \$1,799,873, a sum almost equal to the \$1,823,561 deficiency for the year, mentioned above. The Commissioners well observe that whatever the causes of the prevailing distress may have been, it certainly cannot be attributed to any failure on the part of the railroads to furnish abundant and cheap facilities for transportation. In another part of their report, in analyzing the course of traffic and revenues during the last forty years, the Commissioners note that in times of business panic there is always a tendency to a reduction in rates. The rates fall more rapidly than the volume of traffic and do not revive with the traffic.

# THE WORLD'S GOLD AND SILVER PRODUCTION.

(From 1871 to 1894 inclusive.)

Chief interest in a review of the world's gold and silver production has been transferred recently from silver to gold. While the two metals remained tied together by the Latin Union, neither branch of the subject had special prominence. Silver was brought to the front by the action of Germany in 1873, was made further conspicuous through the subsequent suspension of coinage by France and the other Latin States, and for well-known reasons has retained its distinctive position almost down to the present date. But about six years ago gold began to attract new Theretofore its production after a long decline had for ten years become almost stationary, and in accord with the prevailing opinion it was assumed that the world's yield of gold was at its maximum, with a further decline likely in the near future. Instead of following that course which, with so much confidence, was prophesied, a new growth in the supply of the mines set in, say in 1888, and has developed almost month by month since then, with accelerated progression during the latest years. This characteristic was the distinguishing feature in our report with reference to the precious metals a year ago, and is the point which our annual review to-day of the production for 1894 makes chiefly prominent.

### GOLD.-PRODUCTION IN THE WORLD.

Obviously it is too early in the year to give the exact data of gold production in 1894 for the whole world. We are able though to revise the 1893 figures (which in our statement made a year ago were of course in part estimated); also to furnish close approximations for 1894 obtained from three of the four large gold producers, and to present a fair indication of the tendency in the output elsewhere. For the United States we have the usual detailed report prepared by Mr. Valentine in January each year, and likewise a preliminary estimate made by Mr. Preston, Director of the United States Mint. For Africa we have complete returns covering the whole Transvaal section and eleven months of the outside production. For Australasia our own correspondent has sent us a very full statement of the year's mining industry in the various districts, giving detailed results and estimates, from which we are able to furnish, as we believe, quite a close approximation of the entire product of that country. The only other large producer is Russia, and in that case we make the 1893 results the basis of our estimate for 1894. Besides these we have the figures for India and Mexico complete, while for the other smaller producers we take the previous year's results, as explained hereafter.

UNITED STATES .- What has led to the decided re. vival in gold mining in the United States is not difficult to determine. A significant fact connected with the enlarged output of our own mines, one that throws light on the inquiry suggested, and goes far to explain its cause, is not that the aggregate from all countries has grown so fast but that this total increase has been shared in by almost all the producing countries of the world. Here is a common movement that has been in progress for years and evidently needs a common influence to explain it. We do not mean to say that there have been no local agencies at work favorable to the result, but that the local inducements wherever they have operated have been merely tributary to a general tendency already existing. It would indeed be a phenomenal state of affairs that should show such a positive, general and widespread inclination in all parts of the world, co-extensive indeed with the mining industry, and yet that did not in the main have a common origin.

We are led to these remarks because the thought has importance in the current discussions of the day, and because also we notice that Mr. Preston, Director of the Mint, without we think giving the subject sufficient consideration, has named a local matter as chiefly accountable for the increased gold production in the United States. He says, in an article in the North American Review for January, "that the repeal of the purchasing clause of the Act of July 14, 1890, has stimulated the search for gold, and a good share of the increased gold output of the country in 1894 will be traceable to it." We think that is a misleading statement. It is not quite clear to us what it means. But however interpreted we should have to challenge the assertion. No doubt the common cause for the increased production of gold is the lower price for silver and the consequent decrease in the profitableness of silver-mining. This condition has induced miners to turn their attention more exclusively to gold, and led them to prospect for that metal with increased dilig-

Very possibly Mr. Preston meant that the repeal of the purchasing clause of the 1890 silver law induced such a decline in the price of silver as to discourage the mining of that metal and stimulate the search for gold. His words hardly admit of this construction; but it is the most reasonable interpretation we can give them. Even in that form we should have to take exception to the statement, for it assumes that the repeal of the law in question caused the decline in silver which has taken place; and that can by no means be proved. We are inclined to think that the influence of the 1890 act in depressing silver was during the life of the act and not after its repeal, and that any unprejudiced examination of the facts will show our surmise to be correct. At all events the course of the bullion market and the happenings of 1893 and 1894 in Europe and India affecting silver consumption prove that our repeal legislation had in those two fiscal years, ending with June last, no influence one way or the other on the production of gold. We have not space here to discuss the subject at any length, or to give many facts, but a very few dates and figures will set the reader on the inquiry.

It should be remarked that the increase in the gold product of the United States did not by any means begin in 1894. The new start was in 1888, and though the product fell back in subsequent years under the

higher price for silver predicated on the legislation first looked for and later realized in the passage of the 1890 act, it began to develop again in 1891; but the efforts in that direction did not fructify materially until 1893. Note next the prices of silver and apply the influences we have mentioned affecting price previous to 1893, and before and in 1888 was downward, the average price at London in 1888 being  $42\frac{7}{8}$ 1. per ounce, against  $44\frac{5}{8}$ 1. in 1887, and 453d. in 1886, &c. These figures suggest the decline in operation before our speculation that culminated in 1890 had got under way, which decline had brought the product to so low an average value in 1888 as to discourage silver-mining in the less productive sections and stimulate the search for gold. For illustration, note the aggregate silver product of almost all the States except Colorado and Montana for the years following 1887; Nevada's product, for instance, was at its maximum in 1888 or 5,414,062 ounces; in 1889 it was 4,800,000 ounces; in 1890 it was 4,450,000 ounces; in 1891 it was 3,520,000 ounces, and so on. Our speculation in silver bullion had its inception in 1889, and as already stated arrested in large measure the inclination to turn all new mining enterprise upon gold. The effect of this speculation upon the bullion market and its successive stages find brief expression in the fact that the average price, which was 427d. in 1888, stood in 1889 at 42 11 16d. advanced in 1890 to 47 11-16d., fell in 1891 to 45 1-16d. and dropped again in 1892 to 39 13 16d.

Next came the eventful year of 1893. That year the price of silver was quite steady for the first few months; indeed it averaged 38\structure d. the last five months of 1892, and in 1893 384d. until May and 38 1 16d. in May. On the 27th of June 1893 the India mints were closed to the free coinage of silver and the price of silver dropped almost immediately to 30d., but soon recovered a part of the decline, averaging 33\frac{1}{8}d. in July, 33\frac{5}{8}d. in October, 324d. in November and 32d. in December. The repeal of the purchasing clause of the 1890 bill passed the House August 28th and passed the Senate October 30th, and in its amended form passed the House November 1st and received the President's signature; and yet during all those events the price of silver did not again touch 30d. Moreover, there is no good reason to suppose that any part of the lower quotation in the latter half of 1893 or the first half of 1894 was due to the repeal in question. At least this much is true, that the movements and rumors connected with the change in India's currency arrangements are sufficient to account for the further drop without looking to any other cause. First came the rumor, apparently well founded, that a heavy import duty was to be put on silver. The effect of this rumor was first to induce a speculative demand and movement of silver bullion to India to take advantage of the higher price there after the anticipated tax had been laid. Then followed the difficulties connected with the sale of Council bills, and finally the announce ment in January 1894 that the import tax would not be laid, and in the first part of February the further announcement that the India Government had come to the conclusion to abandon the attempt to keep Council drafts any longer at 1s. 34d., or at any other fixed price. Of course any silver shipped to India on speculative account while the import tax was anticipated would have a double influence in depressing the Lon-

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We have dwelt on these matters at considerable length because it is of no little importance to have the facts understood with reference to the repeal of the purchasing clause of the 1890 silver act, and with reference to the failure of that law, and of any such law, to support the price. The anticipated influence of the act helped speculators, first to arrest the declining tendency of the market and then for a time to advance the quotations for bullion; the actual purchases after the legislation had been perfected enabled them to add a few points more to the price and to prolong for a few weeks the life of the movement they had begun, and that is all. In October, 1890, however, the decline set in again, and, pari passu with the piling up of the bullion in the vaults of the Government, it continued to progress until the drop to 30d. occurred in 1893, when the India mints were closed. The course of the silver market since has been already related.

That gold production in the United States would make rapid progress in 1894 was evident when the year opened. It always requires time and capital for mining operations to develop, and much longer time when capital is scarce. Recent years, as we all know, have not been at all favorable in the United States for procuring necessary money for industrial enterprises. In this respect no comparison can be made with South Africa, where capital for mining purposes has been so lavishly provided. That country has astonished the world because of the rapid way in which it has been adding to the world's gold supply. It is possible that too much has been predicated upon the output of the mines there hitherto. Promoters of African properties have never lacked means but have been able to procure the best machinery and every device and help for advantageously and quickly forwarding their projects. When we consider how unlike all this is to the present and recent situation of the mining industry in the United States, we are in a better position and have a more correct basis than we otherwise can have of measuring the future productiveness of the two countries by the relatively increased yield of the two in 1894. The new search and work for gold in Montana and Colorado had its inception as early as the latter part of 1891. In 1892 more money went into such enterprises and consequently more ventures got a foothold. But it was not until the last six months of 1893 that the real extent of the operations in progress and the richness of the more recent developments became evident by the results. According to the Mint figures the increase of the gold output of Colorado in 1893 was \$2,227,000 -the product being \$5,300,000 in 1892 and \$7,527,000 in 1893. Now the Mint's preliminary estimate for the yield of the State in 1894 is \$11,277,000, or a further increase of \$3,750,000 over 1893.

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be just about 10 million dollars, and if we were to add to this increase the figures of production in 1893 for the States Mr. Valentine does not include, the increase would be about a half a million dollars more. The early estimate of the Director of the Mint for 1894 for the whole United States is nearly 3 million dollars less, being only \$43,000,000. It is not improbable, however, that this result of Mr. Preston's will be increased when the final results of his investigation are made public. Mr. Valentine's larger figures seem to warrant that suggestion; and moreover, when a rapid increased production is in progress an early estimate is quite likely to be an under-statement and not an overstatement. We notice in a Treasury document sent to Congress dated December 27, 1894, with reference to the establishment of a mint at Denver, the following Mint exhibit, showing the production of gold in the States tributary to Denver, which, as will be seen, includes an estimate of the yield of those States in 1894. The estimates for 1894 and for the previous two years are as follows.

States—	1892.	1893.	1394.
Colorado	\$5,300,000	\$7,527,000	\$11,277,000
South Dakota	3,700,000	4,006,400	4,500,000
Arizona	1,070,000	1,184,000	1,400,000
New Mexico	950,000	913,100	1,200,000
Utah	660,000	853,000	1,000,000
Idaho	1,721,000	1,647,000	2,200,000
Montana	2,891,000	3,576,000	4,500,000
Total.	816,292,000	\$19,706,500	\$26,077,000

The foregoing shows that at the date mentioned the States named were credited by the Mint with an increased gold production in 1894 of \$6,370,500. Even on that basis there could hardly fail to be a total excess in the yield last year in all the States and territories of 81/2 million dollars. Besides that, we think some of the States above named will be found by later returns to have done better than the above estimate indicates. That would seem to be true at least of Colorado and Montana. So that altogether we are inclined to think that the Mint estimate will not differ very materially from the figures Mr. Valentine has prepared. We append the Mint estimates in ounces and values and Mr. Valentine's in values each year since 1878.

UNITED STATES ESTIMATES OF PRODUCTION SINCE 1877.

Bureau. Value. \$51,200,000	Mr. Valentine. Value. \$37,576,030
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36,000,000	32,559,067
34,700,000	30,653,959
32,500,000	29,011,318
	27,816,640
	25.183.567
	26,393,756
	29,561,424
33,000,000	32,500.067
	29,987,702
	32,527,661
	31,795,361
	31,685,118
	29.847.444
	33.948.723
	45,892,668
	36,000,000

\* Preliminary estimates by the Mint for 1894.

It will be noticed that as the estimates stand the gold yield of the mines of the United States in 1894 according to Mr. Valentine's totals has been much larger than any other year in the above record.

South Africa.—If Mr. Valentine's figures for 1894 may be taken as approximately correct, and that is all any estimate of the United States product can be, it will be noticed that (compared with the Mint estimate for 1893) the year's increase of the gold output in this country is more than in South Africa. If on the other the two results are not far apart, though in that case the comparison is unfavorable to the United States. In either case, however, the increase compared with all the mines in South Africa and the United States

the increase of the mines of South Africa makes a better showing for this country than we anticipated. Indeed, when we consider of how recent a date the gold-mining industry in South Africa is and how rich the ore and easily secured the early finds in a new mining district generally are, Africa does not seem to hold out the promise as a mining section that it did a year ago. This view likewise finds further support in the fact aleady referred to that everything that money could buy and which would aid to make the mines in Africa productive and cheaply productive has been supplied. Such lavish expenditures have produced large dividends on the properties and promoted a most unusual speculation in the South African mining stocks, an advance in the shares of 200 per cent and more within a year not being an uncommon result.

These facts and conditions are of no interest in this review except as they bear on future production. And on that point they appear to favor the conclusion that American mines hold out a better promise than the South African for a continued large and increasing yield of gold. For with little new capital and no excitement whatever our mining States have been able to add in 1894 eight to ten million dollars to their production; whereas, with unlimited capital and with such a speculative interest that a large body of European investors are all the time eagerly seeking fresh undertakings, Africa, a new mining district, has added less than ten million dollars to its production. South African mines have a very short history. The first record we have was in 1887, when the total product was 28,754 fine ounces, valued at £122,140. In 1894 the total product was 1,837,773 fine ounces, valued at £7,806,-494. As we have explained on previous occasions, this start was in the Witwatersrandt district, and that district has been developing so fast that in 1893 its total output was 1,221,151 fine ounces of a value of £5,187,206. The foregoing, it should be noted, is the total product for the years named stated in fine ounces. The reports of that district are always made in ounces valued at £3 10s., and the following is a summary of reports issued by the Chamber of Mines for each year since the movement began.

OUNCES VALUED	AT ABOUT £3 10s.	
	Oz. 34,897	122,140
1887 (part year) 1888	230,917	808,210
1889 1890	376,991 494,817	1,342,404 1,732,041
1891	729,268	2,552,333
1892 1893	1,478,477	4,255,5 <b>24</b> 5,187,20 <b>6</b>
1894	2,024,163	6,956,934
Total	6,580,399	22,956,792

But as is well known the Witwatersrandt does not include the entire mining district now being worked in South Africa. We have explained this feature in previous years and simply append to-day the full statement. In the following we have expressed all the results in fine ounces

results in june	ound	55.				
AI'.B	ICA'S GO	OLD PRODU	JCTION-	FINE OU	NCES.	
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Year.	Ounces.	£	Ounces.	£	Ounces.	£
1887 (part year)	28,754	122,140			25,751	122,140
1888	190,266	808,210	50,000	212,390	240,266	1,020,600
1889	316,023	1,342,404	50,000	212,390	366,023	1,554,791
1890	407,750	1,732,041	71,552	303,939	479,302	2,035,980
1891	600,830	2,552,333	127,052	539,691	727,912	3,092,024
1892		4,255,524	143,701	631,652	1,150,519	4,887,176
1893		5,187,203	159,977	679,550	1,381,128	5,866,756
1894		6,956,934	200,000	849,530	1,837,773	7,806,494
Total	5,404,395	22,956,792	807,282	3,429,172	6,211,677	26,385,964
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According to the foregoing the entire production hand the Mint Bureau's figures for 1894 be accepted of the South African mines for the eight years since the first opening was made has been 6,211,677 fine ounces, valued at £26,385,964. The 1894 product of affords the following comparison: South Africa in 1894 total yield 1,837,773 ounces, value in dollars \$37,988,076; United States total yield, Mr. Valentine's estimate, 2,219,578 ounces, value \$45,892,668; the Mint preliminary estimate 2,080,129 ounces, value \$43,000,000.

AUSTRALASIA. — Our correspondent at Melbourne (writing shortly before the close of the year) informs us that in a time of phenomenal business stagnation in Australia the mining industry almost alone continues to show signs of increasing activity. The export trade in stock and dairy produce has increased slowly, but the increase in the gold yield distances everything else, the 1894 yield being in excess of any year since 1874. The important factor is, of course, Western Australia. The yield of its mines was only 15,493 ounces in 1889 and 59,548 ounces in 1892, but in 1893 it increased to 110,890 ounces, and, as will be seen below, a production of 220,000 ounces is now estimated for 1894.

The West Australian fields have been a disappointment to thousands of miners. The alluvial deposits and the sensational finds again and again reported have proved will-o'-the-wisps to many a hard-pushed man. Indeed, the exportation of specimens to London helps to swell the export figures from which the estimate of the product is made, and the absurd over-valuation of some of the stone adds difficulty to the statistics. doubt however exists as to the future of Western Australia. Writing with reference to the scarcity of water, our correspondent says that "the arid, hideous climate make Coolgardie and Kurnalpi and all the fields a very purgatory for their crowds of human units. But the success of well-sinking hitherto proves that the water difficulty is only a question of time and organization. Similarly, the immense quartz veins will have to be approached with proper machinery in the charge of brainy men with capital behind them. I am of the opinion that the companies being floated, or partly floated, each week on the London market are for the most part too heavily handicapped."

The actual amount of Victorian gold handled by the Mint for the first three quarters of 1894 was 543,796 ounces. Our correspondent states that as a matter of fact not all the gold produced is presented for coinage, but that the estimate of yield only covers the amount of the Mint figures. The anticipation is that the Mining Department will this year quote for Victoria an amount rather less than the 1893 production, which was 671,126 ounces.

Queensland on the other hand shows some increase in the output of gold. This province has no mint and sends most of its gold to Sydney for coinage. The returns for the nine months ended September are 471,108 ounces and for the year will probably reach 625,000 ounces, or larger than any year since 1889.

New Zealand ships its gold according to the exigencies of exchange—sometimes to Melbourne or Sydney and sometimes to San Francisco. The total gold exports for March, June and September quarters were 173,903 ounces, and the expectation is that the year's total will not be less than 228,000 ounces, which is a slight increase on 1893.

The returns from New South Wales for the first three quarters of 1894 were 166,785 ounces and the belief is that an estimate for the whole year of 220,000 ounces would not be too much.

The Tasmanian and South Australian estimates from latest returns are put down at 47,000 and 37,000 ounces respectively.

From the foregoing details we have all the figures for 1894. They are of course stated in gross ounces. We have, however, compiled the results for the previous four years and give them below, adding the 1894 results also both in gross ounces and fine ounces. In obtaining the fine ounces 8 per cent has been deducted for base metal in 1894, but for previous years the reduction is a little more, being made for each province on the basis of returns made to us. The compilation is as below.

PRODUCT OF GOLD IN AUTRALASIAN COLONIES-GROSS OUNCES

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I		New Sz	Queens-					Total Aus-	
I	Yrs. Victoria.	Wales.	land.	Australia.	Zealand.	Australia	. nia.	tralasia.	
ı	1890588,560	127,460	610.587	34,209	193,193	24.831	20.510	1.599.350	
ı	1891.,576,399	153,335	561.641	30,311	251,996	24,700	48,769	1,651,151	
١	1892654.456	156.870	605,612		237,392	38,974	43,278	1.796.130	
ı	1893671.126	179,288	616,940	110.890	226,811	33.820	37.687	1.876.562	
ı	1894*.670.000	220,000	625,000	220,000	228 000	37,000	47,000	2 047 000	

\* Estimated.

PRODUCT OF GOLD IN AUSTRALASIAN COLONIES—FINE OUNCES.

Yrs. Victoria. 1890, 554,225 1891, 530,287 1892, 602,100 1893, 612,767	New So. Wales. 116,774 141,069 142,227 163,571 202,400	Queens- land. 531,096 516,710 545,051 562,649 575,000	Western Australia, 30,603 27,886 54,785 101,132 202,400				Total Australasia. 1,453,172 1,518,690 1,638,238 1,711,892 1,883,240
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\*Estimated.

To the foregoing it is of interest to add that Australasia is at present served by two mints, one at Sydney and one at Melbourne, but a project has met with official approval to establish a third mint at Perth, Western Australia. At present the bulk of the "Westralian" gold is shipped for mintage to Melbourne, but the incidental charges are sufficient to induce the local Ministry to incur the expense of a mint of their own. The necessary approval has been obtained from the London Treasury, and in a few years it is claimed that Perth will no doubt turn out its own sovereigns.

GOLD PRODUCT OF THE WORLD .- We have obtained nothing from Russia respecting the 1894 production. Consequently for that country and also for all the minor producers-except India and Mexico, from which we have complete figures—we estimate the yield on the basis of the previous year's results obtained through the State Department of the Government for the Mint Bureau. The total product for the whole world reached in this way is surprising, but it is, we believe, a close approximation to the actual yield, which cannot be known for months. At least we feel confident that the general result is not an over-statement. It will be noticed that for the United States we have used the preliminary Mint estimate (\$43,000,000) instead of Mr. Valentine's larger figures (\$45,892,668), although there seems to be reason to assume that the Mint will raise its estimate when its returns are all in; but in that particular as well as in the use of the other returns our purpose has been wherever the reports were not conclusive to keep the general aggregate down to a minimum. The full statement is as follows, given in fine ounces, from 1871 to 1894, inclusive:

GOLD.—WORLD'S PRODUCTION IN OUNCES.

		United			Other	
Fine	Australia.	States.	Russia.	Africa.	Countries	s. Total,
Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
1871	2,378,729	1,896,947	1,264,000		470,832	6,010,508
1872	2,150,417	1,856,661	1,215,000		470,832	5,692,910
1873	2,114,910	1,907,112	1,066,000		470,832	5,558,854
1874	1,993,460	1,870,973	1,068,000		470,832	5,403,265
1875	1,895,615	1,944,030	1,050,500		470,832	5,360,977
Total 1871-75	10,533,131	9,475,723	5,663,500		2,354,160	28,026,514
1876	1,668,082	2,086,009	1,081,778		470,832	5,306,701
1877	1,581,496	2,188,785	1,317,741		522,532	5,610,554
1878	1,407,564	1,896,947	1,354,500		525,071	5,184,082
1879	1,425,872	1,617,269	1,385,900		607,510	5,036,551
1880	1,443,898	1,741,500	1,391,260		634,508	5,211,166
Total 1876-80	7,526,912	9,530,510	6,531,179		2,760,453	26,349,054
1881	1,475,161	1,678,612	1,181,853		641,354	4,976,980
1882	1,438,067	1,572,187	1,154,613		660,927	4,825,794
1883	1,333,849	1,451,250	1,132,219		942,184	4,859,502
1884	1,352,761	1,489,950	1,055,642		1,004,536	4,902,889
1885	1,309,804	1,538,325	1,225,738		928,717	5,002,584
Total 1880-85	6,909,642	7,730,324	5,750,065		4.177.718	24.567.749

		United			Other	
Fine	Australia.	States.	Russia.	Africa.	Countries	Total.
Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounce:
1886	1,257,670	1,693,125	922,226		1,171,342	5,044,363
1887	. 1,290,202	1,596,375	971,656	28,754	1,174,503	5,061,490
1888	1,344,002	1,604,841	1,030,151	240,266	956,363	5,175,623
1889		1,587,000	1,154,076	366,023	963,539	5,611,245
1890		1,588,880	1,134,590	479,302	1,055,507	5,711,451
Total 1886-90	6,885,653	8,070,221	5,212,699	1,114,345	5,321,254	26,604,172
1891	. 1,518,690	1,604,840	1,168,764	727,912	1,266,029	6,286,235
1892	. 1,638,238	1,597,098	1,199,809	1,150,519	1,456,158	7,041,822
1893	. 1,711,892	1,739,323	1,279,734	1,381,128	1,550,000	7,662,077
1894		2,080,129	1,354,085	1,837,773	1,665,000	8,820,227
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The ounces in the foregoing table may be turned into dollars by multiplying by 20.6718. The value in pounds sterling can be ascertained by multiplying the ounces by 4.2478. Thus according to the above the product in 1894 stated in dollars is \$182,330,010 and in sterling £37,466,569. That aggregate compares with \$158,388,923 and £32,546,971 in 1893, and \$145,567,-136 and £29,912,251 in 1892.

### SILVER.-PRODUCTION OF THE WORLD.

Silver is produced in so many countries where gold has not been discovered in large quantities, and is so very cheaply produced in wide districts, it is not remarkable that the falling off in the output of the mines of the world is by no means general. Just what has been the course of the industry it is too early to say. The two chief producers, the United States and Mexico, show a loss, the former a material loss; the figures for Australia indicate a little larger product; while for all other countries our knowledge as yet is so meagre that we cannot form an opinion. For them the aggregate we insert in our table is a mere repetition of the total for the previous year.

UNITED STATES.—Mr. Valentine estimates the product for the United States in 1894 at \$28,721,014 against \$38,491,521. These, though, are commercial values, and the falling off in actual production is by no means so radical as the figures as they stand indicate. For 1894 the ounces are averaged at 63 cents, hence the aggregate given for that year represents 45,588,911 ounces; in the previous year the value per ounce was placed at 74 cents, and consequently the estimate for 1893 is equivalent to 52,015,569 ounces. Stated in this way the loss is seen to be about  $6\frac{1}{2}$  million ounces. Mr. Valentine remarks that his results are not complete, but cover fully 95 per cent of the entire output of the country. No division of the product by States is given, but private advices indicate a considerable loss in Colorado and Montana, and it is not unlikely that most if not all of the producing States will have a share in the decrease. Of course Mr. Valentine's estimates of silver are quite different from the Mint's estimates, but as an indication of the comparative results they usually present a nearly similar contrast. The following table is made up from the Mint reports and covers the production of silver since 1886. The 1894 figures are of course merely estimates, and are chiefly based upon Mr. Valentine's results. We add a column giving the average annual price of silver in London.

220,220	011011 111 111.	LONDO	N.	AVERAGE	I ICIOIS III
Valendar Co		oduction i	n ounces	Total.	Av. Price Silver.
				18,000,000	2815 <sub>16</sub> d.
189325,	838,600 16,	906,400	17,255,000	60,000,000	3558d.
1892 26,6	632,300 19,0	038,800 1	7,828,900	63,500,000	3913 <sub>16</sub> d.
189121,	160,000 16,3	350,000 2	20,820,000	58,330,000	451 <sub>16</sub> d.
189018,	800,000 15,	750,000	19,966,300	54,516,300	4711 <sub>16</sub> d.
188916,	000,000 15,0	000,000	19,000,000	50,000,000	421116d.
188814,	695,313 13,	148,437 1	7,936,250	45,780,000	4278d.
188711,	601,825 11,9	988,553	7,669,622	41,260,000	4458d.
188612,	375,280 9,	590,842	17,473,878	39,440,000	45%d.

MEXICO.—As usual, Mr. Valentine has included in

ico; the figures he gives are, however, for the fiscal year ending with June 1894. According to these results there is a slight decline in the yield-about one million two hundred thousand dollars; probably for the calendar year of 1894 the decline will prove to be a little larger. Assuming, in the lack of later returns, that Mr. Valentine's recorded loss foreshadows the loss which the report of Mr. Javier Stavoli (Mexico's Chief of the Bureau of Statistics) will show, the result this year may be stated at about 43,100,000 ounces, against 44,370,717 given by Mr. Stavoli last year. The figures ; issued by Mexico's Chief of the Bureau of Statistics have been for three years as follows.

MEXICO'S ESTIMATED SILVER PRODUCTION BY MR. STAVOLI.

Deposited at mints. To be coined	1891. Kilos. 603,341.000	1892. Kilos. 654,594·183	1893. Kilos. 684,477.477
Exported. Silver ore, bars, &c	507,884.650	574,400:342	695,638.152
Total production, kilos	,111,225.650	1,228,994.525	1,380,115.629
Total production, ounces.	35,719,237	39,504,800	44,370,717

AUSTRALASIA.—The Broken Hill Proprietary Company continues to supply the greater part of the silver product of Australasia. We have the returns for the last year and in the following exhibit add the results of the workings of the company for the previous years.

SILVER PRODUCT OF THE BROKEN HILL PROPRIETARY COMPANY.

	S1	lver——	Average
	Ore treated.	Produced.	per ton
Year-	Tons.	Ounces.	Ounces.
1890	219,311	8,171,877	37.26
1891	283,966	9,853,008	34.70
1892	208,134	7,065,572	33.59
1893	438,792	12,498,301	28.48
1894	580,954	13,538,202	23.30

It will be observed in the foregoing that the aggregate production increased 1,039,901 ounces or a little over 8 per cent in 1894, but that the amount of ore treated was 142,162 tons, or over 30 per cent greater the past year than in 1893, the average yield of silver per ton having further materially decreased. The conclusion from this is apparently that the cost of proj duction continues on the increase.

SILVER PRODUCT OF THE WORLD .- We now bring forward our usual statement of the production of silver each year, beginning with 1871 and including an estimate for 1894, using for the basis of the estimate for the latest year such returns as we have received up to this date.

SILVER.-WORLD'S PROPTION IN OUNCES AND STERLING.

	United		-	All Other		Total
Fine	States.	Mexico.	Australia	. Countries.	Total.	Values.
Ounces.	Ounces,	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	£*
1871	17,886,776	19,657,983	151,583	14,770,091	52,466,433	13,210,788
1872	22,358,472	19,657,983	94,619	14,770,091	56,881,165	14,294,355
1873	27,650,000	19,657,983	117,531	15,146,490	62,572,004	15,447,463
1874	28,849,000	19,657,983	130,499	15,522,890	64,160,372	15,588,965
1875	24,518,000	19,657,983	103,480	15,522,890	59,802,353	13,755,245
Total '71-'75.	121,262,248	98,289,915	597,712	75,732,452	295,882,327	72,296,816
1876	30,009,000	17,611,239	108,217	15,808,800	63,537,256	13,964,959
1877	30,783,000	19,169,869	85,019	18,232,668	68,270,556	15,594,604
1878	34,960,000	20,122,796	106,576	17,459,422	72,648,794	15,910,843
1879	31,550,000	20,356,133	127,537	23,172,040	75,205,710	16,059,553
1880	30,320,000	21,173,203	134,671	24,844,863	76,472,737	16,648,752
Total '76-'80.	157,622,000	98,433,240	562,020	99,517,793	356,135,053	78,178,711
1881	33,260,000	23,685,215	97,096	24,226,650	81,268,961	17,502,456
1882	36,200,000	23,762,183	64,655	27,592,415	87,619,253	18,847,371
1883	35,730,000	23,956,630	116,012	29,549,548	89,352,190	18,824,459
1884	37,800,000	25,679,045	145,644	22,593,531	86,218,220	18,186,656
1885	39,910,000	26,919,511	839,749	25,779,655	93,448,915	18,933,140
Total '81-'85.	182,900,000	124,002,584	1,263,156	129,741,799	437,907,539	92,294,082
1886	39,440,000	27,637,342	1,053,963	27,379,873	95,511,178	18,057,582
1887	41,260,000	28,017,287	3,184,930	25,653,312	98,115,529	18,243,356
1888	45,780,000	28,262,071	6,481,374	27,173,470	107,696,915	19,239,605
1889	50,000,000	32,979,770	9,150,235	32,069,774	124,199,779	22,089,141
1890	54,500,000	33,623,049	11,277,603	32,627,692	132,028,344	26,233,757
Total '86-'90.	230,980,000	150,519,519	31,148,105	144,904,121	557,551,745	103,863,441
1891	58,330,000	35,719,237	10,000,000	33,916,175	137,965,412	25,900,276
1892	63,500,000	39,504,800	13,439,011	36,496,175	152,939,986	25,370,513
1893	60,000,000	44,370,717	20,501,497	36,298,028	161,170,242	23,923,70
1894	48,000,000	43,100,000	22,000,000	36,000,000	149,100,000	17,977,422

\* Values of silver in this table are commercial values and are com-MEXICO.—As usual, Mr. Valentine has included in puted on the average price each year of silver as given by Messrs. his December 31, 1894, report the production of Mex-Pixley & Abell, London. Value of £ in this table \$4.8665.

The figures in the above table for 1894 are of course estimated and incomplete. For 1893 the total production in ounces will be seen to be a little over 161 million ounces, of which the mines of the United States contributed a little less than 39 per cent.

### COTTON CONSUMPTION AND OVERLAND MOVEMENT TO FEBRUARY 1.

The movement of cotton to market in January has been quite liberal. There has come into sight during the month 973,789 bales, against 750,991 bales in January of 1894 and 556,371 bales in 1893. The aggregate amount of the crop of 1894-95 now visible is 7,901,277 bales, against 6,218,030 bales at the close of January last year, or a gain of 1,683,247 bales.

#### OVERLAND MOVEMENT TO FEBRUARY 1.

The gross rail shipments in January have been 178,673 bales, which compares with 160,775 bales list year and 125,700 bales in 1893. The increase over a year ago in the total for the season to date therefore reaches 347,395 bales and contrasted with 1892-93 the gain is 429,425 bales. The net for the month has been only 88,592 bales, or a decrease from 1894 of 371 bales, the total then being 88,963 bales. In 1893 the net reached 85,914 bales. The aggregate for the five months records an increase over last year of 261,621 bales, and the excess compared with two years ago is 286,840 bales. The details of the whole movement overland for three years are appended.

OVERLAND FROM SEPTEMBER 1 TO FEBRUARY 31.

	1894-95.	1893-94.	1892-93.
Amount shipped—			
Via St. Louis	659,826	467,654	275,854
Via Cairo	251,043	176,975	142,698
Via Hannibal	545	13,290	122,131
Via Evansville	2,694	6,068	12,824
Via Louisville	130,235	70,587	89,149
Via Cincinnati	116,837	77,683	67,285
Via other routes	85,108	87,942	107,762
Shipped to mills, not included above	7,583	6,277	6,743
Total gross overland	1,253,871	906,476	824,446
Deduct shipments—			
Overland to New York, Boston, &c	296,308	188,455	158,308
Between interior towns	16,708	20,451	17,943
Galveston, inland and local mills	2,330	2,041	1,806
New Orleans, inland and local mills	16,917	15,400	8,160
Mobile, inland and local mills	12,339	10,955	12,672
Savannah, inland and local mills	1,845	600	800
Charleston, inland and local mills	8,281	5,760	8,782
N. Carol'a ports, inland and local mills.	739	625	1,702
Virginia ports, inland and local mills	4,872	30,368	7,681
Total to be deducted	360,439	274,665	217,854
Leaving total net overland*	893,432	631,811	606,592

\* This total includes shipments to Canada by rail, which since September 1 in 1894-95 amounted to 55,314 bales; in 1893-94 were 35,671 bales and in 1892-93 were 33,192 bales.

### RECEIPTS, EXPORTS AND SPINNERS' TAKINGS.

At the outports the net receipts for the month have reached a total of 938,197 bales, against only 682,028 bales in January of 1894 and 436,457 bales in 1893. The aggregate for the five months is therefore much greater than last year and exhibits an even heavier increase over 1892-93. The exports to foreign ports have been of large volume, the outward movement for the menth this year being 1,095,106 bales, against only 770,293 bales in 1894 and 450,657 bales two years ago. For the season to date the total exports are 1,053,901 bales more than in 1893-94 and 1,800,079 bales in excess of 1892-93. Port stocks show a reduction since the first of January of 235,374 bales. Our usual table of recripts, exports and stocks is as follows:

Movement from	Receipts		EXPORTS	S SINCE S	SEPT. 1, 1	1894 то-	Stocks
Sept. 1, 1894, to Feb. 1, 1895.	since Sept. 1, 1894.	since Sept. 1 1893.	Great Britain*	France.	Conti- nent.	Total.	Jan. 31, 1895.
Galveston	1,433,288	904,374	616,276	170,342	261.644	1,081,262	190,724
Velasco, &c	47,115	30,951			00 00.		
New Orleans	1,977,980	1,510,958	580,178	361,768	421,700	1,363,646	
Mobile	198,294	171,761	63,975				
Florida	17,762	30,892	300		300		
⊰avannah	771,138	821,121	63,132	24,317	319,531	406,980	
Brunswick, &c.	127,769	56,184	65,749		15,942		
Charleston	358,675	308,874	109,065	2,100	149,300		-,000
Port Royal,&c.	101,732	48,397	93,315		8,500		00,000
Vilmington	215,716	177,645	55,014	4.16	129,104		
Washingt'n,&c	870	477				200,000	10,010
Vorfolk	373,923	397,233	119,371		23,833	143,204	44,590
West Point	234,837	198,799	70,871		30,257	101,128	200
Newp'tNews,&c.	31,438	44,197	24,955			24,955	
New York	97,703	50,515	261,19	22,893	139,723	A STATE OF THE STA	
Boston	43,912	65,825	130,765		1.554	132,319	35,000
Baltimore	77,646	40,354	60,687	1,430	75,219		1001000
Philadelphia,&c.	77,047	31,771			8,299		10,776
Total 1894-95	6,181,845		2,369,945	587,010	1,637,655	4,591,610	1,075,597
Total 1893-94		4,883,219	2,008,017				1,118,730
Total 1892-93		4,033,169	1,585,503	. 366,846	842,182	2,794,531	1,065,02

\* Great Britain exports include to the Channel.

Using the facts disclosed by the foregoing statements we shall find that the portion of the crop which has reached a market through the outports and overland, and the Southern consumption, since September 1 this year and the two previous years is as follows.

	1894-95.	1893-94.	1892-93.
Receipts at the ports to Jan. 1bales. Net shipments overland during same time	6,184,845 893,432	4,888,219 631,811	4,033,169 606,592
Total receiptsbales.	7,078,277	5,520,030 364,000	4,639,761 343,000
Total to January 1bales.	7.466.277	5.884.030	4.982.761

The amount of cotton marketed since September 1 in 1894-95 is thus seen to be 1,582,247 bales more than in 1893-94 and 2,483,516 bales greater than in 1892-93. To determine the portion which has gone into the hands of Northern spinners during the same period we have prepared the following:

Total receipts to February 1, 1895, as above......bales. 7,466,277

| 14,005-36,747,1894 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,863 | 1,905,8

The above indicates that Northern spinners had up to February 1 taken 1,517,863 bales, an increase over the corresponding period of 1893-94 of 436,733 bales and a gain over the same period of 1892-93 of 342,134 bales.

### AMOUNT OF CROP NOW IN SIGHT.

In the foregoing we have the number of bales which has already been marketed this year and the two previous seasons. An additional fact of interest is the total of the crop which was in sight on February 1 compared with previous years.

	1894-95.	1894-94.	1892-92.
Total marketed, as abovebales. Interior stocks in excess of Sept. 1.	7,466,277 435,000	5,984,030 334,000	4,982,761 319,000
Total in sightbales.	7,901,277	6,218,030	5,301,761

This indicates that the movement up to February 1 of the present year is 1,683,247 bales more than in 1893-94 and 2,599,516 bales in excess of 1892 93.

As it will interest the reader to see what has come into sight each month of the season during this and previous years, we have prepared the following, which shows the movement for the last four seasons.

Months.	1894-95.	1893-94.	1892-93.	1891-92.
September	663,703	511,273	522,552	826,932
October	2,14.130	1,637,555	1,465,067	2,026,205
November	2,187,667	1,704,608	1,467,066	1,927,880
December	1,961,988	1,613,603	1,290,705	1,622,475
January	973,789	750,991	556,371	752,027
Total 5 months.	7,901,277	6,218,030	5,301,761	7,155,519
Balance season		1,309,181	1,415,381	1,883,158
Total crop		7,527,211	6,717,142	9,038,707

WEIGHT OF BALES.

To furnish a more exact measure of the receipts up to Feb. 1 we give below our usual table of weight of bales. We give for comparison the figures for the same time in the two previous years.

	Five Month	ns Ending Jan. 3	1, 1895.	Same peri'd in 1893-94.	Same peri'd in 1892-93.	
	Number of Bales.	Weight in Pounds.	Average Weight.	Average Weight	Average Weight	
Texas	1,480,403	791,423,444	534.60	521.20	531.90	
Louisiana	1,977,980	989,484,495	500.25	496.18	497.33	
Alabama	198,294	100,733,352	508 00	500.00	499.00	
Georgia*	916,669	450,405,313	491.35	486.40	489.25	
South Carolina.	458,407	225,004,492	490.84	482.43	484.00	
Virginia	640,198	316,360,244	494.16	487.43	486.37	
North Carolina.	216,586	107,125,601	494.61	486.50	479.31	
Tennessee, &c	1,577,740	786,976,712	498.80	496 00	496 00	
Total	7,466,277	3,767,513,653	504.60	496.65	500 18	

THE DRY GOODS TRADE IN JANUARY.

There has been no such development in business during the past month as was in many quarters expected, and the aggregate results have been indifferent at first hands, in staple cottons particularly. The demand for these has been conservative with only rare transactions of any moment, and the tendency of prices has been in favor of buyers, although a number of lines of both plain and colored goods have ruled quite steady, being sold ahead. Outside of staples the striking features were breaks in the prices of indigo blues and shirting prints to the lowest on record, American indigoes to 4½c. and shirtings to 3½c., and in leading makes of standard Eastern staple ginghams, which were sold for several days at 4½c., although subsequently revised to and closing at 5c. per yard. In the print cloth market a new record was also made, 24c. for 64 squares, but there has been a recovery of 1-16c. since, and at the close sellers are firm at 2 9-16c. At second hands a good distribution of spring dress fabrics is reported in the West, Southwest and North-

3Y,			1895.					1894.		
JANUARY.	Oott'n low mid- dling.	Print- ing cloths, 64x64	Sheet- ings, stand- ard.	Lan- caster ging- hams.	S'th'n 3-yd. sheet- ings.	Oott'n low mid- dling.	Print- ing cloths, 64x64	ings,	Lan- caster ging- hams	S'th'n 3-yd. sheet ings.
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The above prices are—For cotton, low middling uplands at New York; for printing cloths, manufacturers' net prices; for sheetings as d gingha...s, agents' prices, which are subject to an average discount of 5 per cent, except when otherwise stated; Southern sheetings net.

### PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S MESSAGE RE-GARDING THE GOLD RESERVE.

President Cleveland on Monday January 28th sent the following message to Congress urging prompt action for strengthening the Government in its efforts to protect the gold reserve and maintain gold payments, and recommending the authorization of a 3 per cent bond, specifically payable in gold, for this purpose. Comments on the message will be found in a preceding

To the Senate and House of Representatives:

In my last annual message I commended to the serious consideration of the Congress the condition of our national finances, and, in connection with the subject, endorsed the plan of currency legislation which at that time seemed to furnish protection against impending danger. This plan has not been approved by the Congress. In the meantime the situation has so changed, and the emergency now appears so threatening, that I deem it my duty to ask at the hands of the legislative branch of the Government such prompt and effective action as will restore confidence in our financial soundness and avert business disaster and universal distress among ness and avert business disaster and universal distress amon?

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Whatever may be the merits of the plan outlined in my annual message as a remedy for ills then existing, and as a safeguard against the depletion of the gold reserve then in the Treasury, I am now convinced that its reception by the Congress and our present advanced stage of financial perplexity necessitate additional or different legislation.

With natural resources unlimited in variety and productive treastly and with a receptor whose activity, and entorprise

strength, and with a people whose activity and enterprise seek only a fair opportunity to achieve national success and greatness, our progress should not be checked by a false financial policy and a heedless disregard of sound monetary laws, nor should the timidity and fear which they engender stand

in the way of our prosperity.

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It is hardly disputed that this predicament confronts us to-day. Therefore, no one in any degree responsible for the making and execution of our laws should fail to see a patriotic duty in honestly and sincerely attempting to relieve the situation. Manifestly this effort will not succeed unless it is made untrammelled by the prejudice of partisanship and with a steadfast determination to resist the temptation to accomplish party advantage. We may well remember that if we are threatened with financial difficulties all our people in every station of life are concerned; and surely those who suffer will not receive the promotion of party interests as an excuse for permitting our present troubles to advance to a disastrous conclusion. It is also of the utmost importance that we approach the study of the problems presented as free as possible from the tyranny of preconceived opinions to the end that in a common danger we may be able to seek with unclouded vision a safe and reasonable protection.

The real trouble which confronts us consists in a lack of confidence, widespread, and constantly increasing, in the continuing ability or disposition of the Government to pay its obligations in gold. This lack of confidence grows to some extent out of the palpable and apparent embarrassment attending the efforts of the Government under existing laws to procure gold, and to a greater extent out of the impossibility of either keeping it in the Treasury or cancelling obligations by its expenditure after it is obtained.

The only way left open to the Government for procuring gold is by the issue and sale of United States bonds. The only bonds that can be so issued were authorized nearly twenty-five years ago, and are not well calculated to meet our present needs. Among other disadvantages, they are made payable in coin instead of specifically in gold, which in existing conditions detracts largely and in an increasing ratio from their desirability as investments. It is by no means certain that bonds of this description can much l

standing.

Since the 17th day of January, 1894, our bonded interest-bearing debt has been increased \$100,000,000 for the purpose of obtaining gold to replenish our coin reserve. Two issues were made, amounting to fifty millions each—one in January and the other in November. As a result of the first issue there was realized something more than fifty-eight millions of del-

lars in gold. Between that issue and the succeeding one in lars in gold. Between that issue and the succeeding one in Novemter, comprising a period of about ten months, nearly one hundred and three millions of dollars in gold were drawn from the Treasury. This made the second issue necessary, and upon that more than fitty-eight millions in gold was again realized. Between the date of this second issue and the present time, covering a period of only about two months, more than sixty-nine millions of dollars in gold have been drawn from the Treasury. These large sums of gold were expended without any cancellation of Government obligations or in any permanent way benefitting our people or improving our pecuermanent way benefitting our people or improving our pecuniary situation

The financial events of the past year suggest facts and conditions which should certainly arrest attention:

More than one hundred and seventy-two millions of dollars in gold have been drawn out of the Treasury during the year for the purpose of shipment abroad or hoarding it at home.

for the purpose of shipment abroad or hoarding it at home. While nearly one hundred and three millions of this amount were drawn out during the first ten months of the year, a sum aggregating more than two-thirds of that amount, being about sixty-nine millions, was drawn out during the following two months, thus indicating a marked acceleration of the depleting process with the lapse of time.

The obligations upon which this gold has been drawn from the Treasury are still outstanding and are available for use in repeating the exhausting operation with shorter intervals as our perplexities accumulate.

Conditions are certainly supervening tending to make the bonds which may be issued to replenish our gold less useful

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for that purpose.

An adequate gold reserve is in all circumstances absolutely essential to the upholding of our public credit and to the maintenance of our high national character.

Our gold reserve has again reached such a stage of diminution as to require its speedy re-enforcement.

The aggravations that must inevitably follow present conditions and methods will certainly lead to misfortune and loss, not only to our national credit and prosperity and to financial enterprise, but to those of our people who seek employment as means of livelihood and to those whose only capital is their

daily labor.

It will hardly do to say that a simple increase of revenue will cure our troubles. The apprehension now existing and constantly increasing as to our financial ability does not rest upon a calculation of our revenue. The time has passed when the eyes of investors abroad and our people at home were fixed upon the revenues of the Government. Changed conditions have attracted their attention to the gold of the Government. There need be no fear that we cannot pay our current expenses with such money as we have. There is now in the Treasury a comfortable surplus of more than \$63,000,000, but it is not in gold, and therefore does not meet our difficulty.

I cannot see that differences of opinion concerning the ex-

tent to which silver ought to be coined or used in our currency should interfere with the counsels of those whose duty it is to rectify evils now apparent in our financial situation. They have to consider the question of national credit and the consequences that will follow from its collapse. Whatever ideas may be insisted upon as to silver or bimetallism, a proper solution of the credit of th may be insisted upon as to silver or bimetallism, a proper solution of the question now pressing upon us only requires a recognition of gold as well as silver, and a concession of its importance, rightfully or wrongfully acquired, as a basis of national credit, a necessity in the honorable discharge of our obligations payable in gold, and a badge of solvency. I do not understand that the real friends of silver desire a condition that might follow inaction or neglect to appreciate the meaning of the present exigency if it should result in the entire banishment of gold from our financial and currency arrangements.

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Besides the Treasury notes, which certainly should be paid in gold, amounting to nearly \$500,000,000, there will fall due in 1904 \$100,000,000 of bonds issued during the last year, for which we have received gold, and in 1907 nearly \$600,000,000 of four per cent bonds issued in 1877. Shall the payment of these obligations in gold be repudiated? If they are to be paid in such a manner as the preservation of our national honor and national solvency demands, we should not destroy or even imperil our ability to supply ourselves with gold for that purpose.

that purpose.

While I am not unfriendly to silver, and while I desire to see it recognized to such an extent as is consistent with financial safety and the preservation of national honor and credit, I am not willing to see gold entirely banished from our currency and finances. To avert such a consequence I believe thorough and radical remedial legislation should be promptly assed. I therefore beg the Congress to give the subject im-

mediate attention.

mediate attention.

In my opinion the Secretary of the Treasury should be authorized to issue bonds of the Government for the purpose of procuring and maintaining a sufficient gold reserve and the redemption and cancellation of the United States legal tender notes and the Treasury notes issued for the purchase of silver under the law of July 14, 1890. We should be relieved from the humiliating process of issuing bonds to procure gold to be immediately and repeatedly drawn out on these obligations for purposes not related to the benefit of our Government or our people. The principal and interest of these bonds should be payable on their face in gold, because they should be sold only for gold or its representative, and because there would now probably be difficulty in favorably disposing of bonds not containing this stipulation.

I suggest that the bonds be issued in denominations of twenty and fifty dollars and their multiples, and that they bear interest at a rate not exceeding three per cent per annum. I do not see why they should not be payable fifty years from their date. We of the present generation have large amounts to pay if we meet our obligations, and long bonds are most salable. The Secretary of the Treasury might well be permitted at his discretion, to receive on the sale of well be permitted, at his discretion, to receive on the sale o bonds the legal tender and Treasury notes to be retired, and of course, when they are thus retired or redeemed in gold they should be canceled.

These bonds, under existing laws, could be deposited by national banks as security for circulation; and such banks should be allowed to issue circulation up to the face value of should be allowed to issue circulation up to the face value of these or any other bonds so deposited, except bonds outstanding bearing only two per cent interest, and which sell in the market at less than par. National banks should not be allowed to take out circulating notes of a less denomination than \$10, and when such as are now outstanding reach the Treasury, except for redemption and retirement, they should be canceled, and notes of the denomination of \$10 and upward issued in their stead. Silver certificates of the denomination of \$10 and upward should be replaced by certificates of denomination. and upward should be replaced by certificates of denomina-

and upward should be replaced by certificates of denominations under \$10.

As a constant means for the maintenance of a reasonable supply of gold in the Treasury, our duties on imports should be paid in gold, allowing all other dues to the Government to be paid in any other form of money.

I believe all the provisions I have suggested should be embodied in our laws if we are to enjoy a complete reinstatement of a sound financial condition. They need not interfere with any currency scheme providing for the increase of the circulating medium through the agency of national or State banks, since they can easily be adjusted to such a scheme.

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Objection has been made to the issuance of interest-bearing obligations for the purpose of retiring the non-interest-bearing legal tender notes. In point of fact, however, these notes have burdened us with a large load of interest, and it is still accumulating. The aggregate interest on the original issue of bonds, the proceeds of which in gold constituted the reserve for the payment of these notes amounted to \$70,326,250 on Jan. 1, 1895, and the annual charge for interest on these bonds and 1895, and the annual charge for interest on these bonds and those issued for the same purpose during the last year will be \$9,145,000, dating from Jan. 1, 1895.

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While the cancellation of these notes would not relieve us from the obligations already incurred on their account, these figures are given by way of suggesting that their existance has not been free from interest charges, and that the longer they are outstanding, judging from the experience of the last year, the more expensive they will become.

In conclusion, I desire to frankly confess my reluctance to issuing more bonds in present circumstances and with no better results than have lately followed that course. I cannot, however, refrain from adding to an assurance of my anxiety to co-operate with the present Congress in any reasonable measure of relief an expression of my determination to leave nothing undone which furnishes a hope for improving the situation or checking a suspicion of our disinclination or disability to meet with the strictest honor every national obligation.

GROVER CLEVELAND. GROVER CLEVELAND.

THE EXECUTIVE MANSION, Jan. 28, 1895.

STOCK EXCHANGE CLEARING-HOUSE TRANSACTIONS. - The subjoined statement includes the transactions of the Stock Exchange Clearing-House from Jan. 21 down to and including Friday, Feb. 1; also the aggregates for January in 1895, 1894 and 1893.

STOCK EXCHANGE CLEARING HOUSE TRANSACTIONS.

		both sides.— Total Value.		Ralances, one Value Shares		
1893— January	28,544,500	\$ 2,064,709,000	3,000,000	210,700,000	3,300,500	6,830
1894- January	18,363,000	1,088,600,000	1,354,000	69,100,000	2,041,000	6,835
1895- January	13,593,500	896,200,000	1,091,000	63,700,000	1,483,100	6,434
	-Shares, Cleared.	both sides.— Total Value.		lances, one s Value Shares		
Jan. 21 " 22 " 23 " 24 " 25	764,000 512,500 485,200 779,200 508,100	52,600,000 34,000,000 30,700,000 46,700,000 31,100,000	71,800 39,200 38,100 58,600 48,700	4,400,000 2,400,000 2,000,000 3,100,000 2,500,000	79,600 60,900 41,600 72,400 42,400	279 270 299
Fot. wk	3,049,000 4,017,800	195,100,000 269,900,000	256,400 280,700	14,400,000 16,000,000	296,900 382,300	
Jan. 28 " 29 " 30.	645,600	37,900,000 44,700,000 44,600,000	62,000 70,100 57,400	3,100,000 3,800,000 2,800,000	46,400 72,800 64,200	311
" 31 Feb. 1	566,500	30,500,000 38,500,000	56,900 61,900	2,800,000 3,200,000	27,300 70,400	299
Tot. wk Wklastyr	3,414,800 3,251,700	196,200,000 187,800,000	308,300 237,100	15,700,000 12,600,000	281,100 349,100	

The stocks cleared now are American Cotton Oil common American Sugar common, Atchison, Central of N. J., Chicago Burlington & Quincy, Chicago Gas, Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul common, Chicago & Northwestern common, Chicago Rock Island & Pacific, Delaware & Hudson, Delaware Lackawanna & Western, Distilling & Cattle Feeding, General Electric, Lake Shore & Michigan Southern, Louisville & Nashville, Manhattan, Missouri Pacific, New York Central, New Y. L. E. & West., North. Pac. pref., National Lead common, Phila. & Read., Un., Pac., U. S. Cordage common and preferred and Western Union.

### REVIEW OF PRICES IN JANUARY-STOCKS, GOVERNMENT BONDS AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

The following table shows the highest and lowest prices of railway and miscellaneous stocks at the N. Y. Stock Exchange during the month of January, 1895.

RAILROAD AND MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

RAILROA			LLANEOUS STOCKS.		
	iow. E	Iigh.			High
Atchison Top. & S.Fe.	312	78	Pitts. Ft. W. & Chic Pittsb. & West. pref	32	321 <sub>2</sub>
Atlantic & Pacific	5 <sub>8</sub> 614	6512	Renssel. & Saratoga.		80
Baltimore & Ohio B. & O.S. W. pref. new.	438	438	Richmond Terminal—		
Buff. Roch. & Pitts	22	22	5th assess'mt paid.	15	1518
Pref	58	58	Rome Water & Ogd	1154 1	
Canadian Pacific	514	59	St. L. A. & T. H	36	3812
Canada Southern	48	5034		1174 1	434
Cedar Falls & Minn.	5	5	St. Louis Southwest.	812	912
Central of N. Jersey	8478	94 1414	8t. Paul & Dul., pref.	9018	9018
Central Pacific Chesapeake & Ohio	16	18	St. Paul Minn. & Man.	10912	110
Chicago & Alton		147	Southern Pacific Co	1719	194
Pref		168	So. Ry. vot. tr. certs. Pref. vot. tr. certs.	812	1034
Chic. Burl. & Quincy. Chic. & East. Ill	6919	7238	Pref. vot. tr. certs.	2919	37
Chic. & East. Ill	50	50	Texas & Pacific	8 <sup>1</sup> 8 1 <sup>3</sup> 4	938
Prof	90	90	Tol. Ann A. & No. M. Toledo & Ohio Cent	41	41
Chic. Mil. & St. Paul.	54 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub> 116 <sup>1</sup> <sub>4</sub>	57 <sup>1</sup> 8	Pref	73	73
Pref Chie. & Northwest	9438	97	Union Pacific Union Pac. D. & G	812	1178
Drof	143	145	Union Pac. D. & G	312	334
Chie. & Rock Island.	6012	644	Wabash	558	619
Chic. St P. Minn. &O.	3112	34	Pref	1238	1412
Pref.		112	Wheel. & L. Erie	9 371 <sub>2</sub>	11 41 <sup>5</sup> 8
Cl. Cin. Chic. & St. L.	37 82	3938	Pref	234	3
Pref	156	1574	Express,	- 4	
Cleveland & Pitts Col. Hock. Val. & Tol.	16	1778	Adams	140	14419
Dnof	55	60	American United States		113
Delaware & Hudson.	1254	13312	United States	4212	45
DAL LACK, OF WOSCOLL	15778	16619	Wells, Fargo & Co	105	110
Den. & Rio Grande	10 <sup>1</sup> 8 32 <sup>3</sup> 4	11 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub> 36	Coal & Mining. American Coal	98	98
Des Mo. & Ft. D pref.	30	30	Col. C. & I. Devel	5	7
*Dul. So. Sh. & Atl	312	312	Col. Fuel & Iron	25	25
Evansy, & Terre H	35	35	Col. & Hock. C. & I	212	434
Great North'n, pref Gr. B. W. &St. P. tr. rec.	100	103	Consolidation Coal	33	3312
Gr. B. W. &St. P. tr. rec.	1	158	Homestake	18	20
Pref. tr. rcpts	8118	3 <sup>5</sup> 8	*Leh. & W. B. Coal Maryland Coal pref.	20 50	20 50
Illinois Central	88	88	Minnesota Iron	40	40
Do leased lines	538	619	New Central Coal	6	6
Pref	19	2342	Pennsylvania Coal	310	320
Kan. & Mich	9	919	Quicksilver Mining	2	24
Keoki k & Des. D	3	3	Pref	1234	1319
Lake Erie & West'n	154	154	Tenn. Coal & Iron	134	167g
Lake Erie & West'i	153 <sub>4</sub> 69	17 <sup>3</sup> 8 74	Am. Cotton Oil Co	1834	2412
Pref Lake Shore	13412		Pref	6212	70
Tama Ialand	844	884	*Am. Sugar Refin.Co.	8612	91
*Long Island Trac'II.	10	13	*Pref	904	924
Louisville & Nashv L.N. Alb. &C. new stk.	4958	5558	Amer. Tel. & Cable	91	9312
L. N. Alb. &C. new stk.	20	7 <sup>7</sup> 8 24 <sup>3</sup> 4	*Amer. Tobacco Co	92 1071 <sub>2</sub>	9938
Pref.	104	1094	Pref* *Bay State Gas	1934	24
Manhattan consol *Metropolitan Trac	10112		Chicago Gas Comp'y.	7019	784
Michigan Central	944		Dividend scrip	1.30	1.30
Minn. & St.L.tr.rects.			Dividend scrip Chic. Jun. & U. S. Y.	95	95
All assessm'ts paid	27	28	Consolidated Gas Co.	126	1314
Pref. trust receipts	464	4719	Dis. & Cat. Feed. Co.	95 95	102
All assessm'ts pa	124	144	Edison Elec. Ill. Co .	1124	1124
Mo. Kan. & Texas Pref	211		Ed. El. Il. Co., B'klyn Erie Teleg. & Teleph.	4912	54
Missouri Pacific	20	2634	General Electric	2834	3512
Mobile & Ohio	154	15)-		20 4	
		154		1064	1064
	160	164	Laclede Gas, St. L	106 <sup>1</sup> 2 23 <sup>1</sup> 4	2778
Nash. Chatt. & St. L.	160	164 70	Laclede Gas, St. L Pref	106 <sup>1</sup> 9 23 <sup>1</sup> 4 83	27 <sup>7</sup> 8 87
Nash. Chatt. & St. L. N. Y. Cent. & Hud. R.	160	164 70 1001	Laclede Gas, St. L Pref	106 <sup>1</sup> 9 23 <sup>1</sup> 4 83 2 <sup>1</sup> 9	27 <sup>7</sup> 8 87 2 <sup>1</sup> 2
Nash. Chatt. & St. L. N. Y. Cent. & Hud. R. N. Y. Chic. & St. Louis	160 64 971 13	164 70 1001 <sub>6</sub> 131 <sub>4</sub>	Pref	106 <sup>1</sup> 9 23 <sup>1</sup> 4 83	27 <sup>7</sup> 8 87 2 <sup>1</sup> 2 52 38
Nash. Chatt. & St. L. N. Y. Cent. & Hud. R. N. Y. Chic. & St. Louis	160 64 971 13 69 257	164 70 10016 1314 70 3 26	Pref. Manhattan Beach. Mich. Penin. Car, pf. *National Lead Co	106 <sup>1</sup> 9 23 <sup>1</sup> 4 83 2 <sup>1</sup> 9 52	27 <sup>7</sup> 8 87 21 <sub>2</sub> 52 38 84 <sup>3</sup> 4
Nash. Chatt. & St. L. N. Y. Cent. & Hud. R. N. Y. Chic. & St. Louis 1st pref	160 64 974 13 69 257 260	164 70 1004 134 70 26 260	Laclede Gas, St. L. Pref. Manhattan Beach. Mich. Penin. Car, pf. *National Lead Co. *Pref. National Linseed.	106 \( \frac{1}{2} \) 23 \( \frac{1}{4} \) 83 2 \( \frac{1}{2} \) 52 27 \( \frac{1}{4} \) 78 \( \frac{1}{4} \) 17 \( \frac{1}{4} \)	2778 87 21 <sub>2</sub> 52 38 843 <sub>4</sub> 183 <sub>4</sub>
Nash. Chatt. & St. L. N. Y. Cent. & Hud, R. N. Y. Chie, & St. Louis 1st pref. 2d pref. N. Y. & Harlem	160 64 974 13 69 257 260 1164	164 70 100 <sup>1</sup> 6 13 <sup>1</sup> 4 70 26 260 117 <sup>1</sup> 4	Laclede Gas, St. L. Pref. Manhattan Beach. Mich. Penin. Car, pf. *National Lead Co. *Pref. National Linseed. National Starch.	1064 2314 83 21 <sub>2</sub> 52 2784 7814 1784	2778 87 21 <sub>2</sub> 52 38 843 <sub>4</sub> 183 <sub>4</sub> 61 <sub>2</sub>
Nash, Chatt, & St. L. N. Y. Cent, & Hud. R. N. Y. 'Chie, & St. Louis 1st pref. 2d pref. N. Y. & Harlem. N. Y. Lack. & West'n N, Y. Lake Erie & W.	160 64 971 13 69 257 260 1164 94	164 70 1004 134 70 26 260 1174 1078	Laclede Gas, St. L. Pref. Manhattan Beach. Mich. Penin. Car, pf. *National Lead Co. *Pref. National Linseed. National Starch.  1st pref.	1064 2314 83 212 52 2734 7814 1734 5	27 <sup>7</sup> 8 87 21 <sub>2</sub> 52 38 843 <sub>4</sub> 61 <sub>2</sub> 45
Nash, Chatt, & St. L. N. Y. Cent, & Hud. R. N. Y. 'Chie, & St. Louis 1st pref. 2d pref. N. Y. & Harlem. N. Y. Lack. & West'n N, Y. Lake Erie & W.	160 64 974 13 69 257 260 1164	164 70 1004 134 70 26 260 1174 1078	Laclede Gas, St. L. Pref. Manhattan Beach Mich. Penin. Car, pt. *National Lead Co. *Pref. National Linseed. National Starch 1st pref. 2d pref.	106 <sup>1</sup> a 23 <sup>1</sup> 4 83 2 <sup>1</sup> 2 52 27 <sup>8</sup> 4 78 <sup>1</sup> 4 17 <sup>8</sup> 4 5	27 <sup>7</sup> 8 87 21 <sub>2</sub> 52 38 84 <sup>3</sup> 4 61 <sub>2</sub> 45 20 3 <sup>5</sup> 8
Nash, Chatt, & St. L. N. Y. Cent, & Hud, R. N. Y. Chie, & St. Louis 1st pref. 2d pref. N. Y. & Harlem. N. Y. Lack, & West'n N. Y. Lake Erie & W. Pref. N. Y. & N. E. tr. rec. all instalm'ts paid.	160 64 971 13 69 257 260 1161 203 29	164 70 1004 134 70 3 26 260 1174 1078 4 23	Laclede Gas, St. L. Pref. Manhattan Beach. Mich. Penin. Car, pf. *National Lead Co. *Pref. National Linseed. National Starch. 1st pref. 2d pref. North American Co.	106 lg 23 l4 83 2 lg 52 27 lg 78 l4 17 lg 5 40 20 2 lg 11	27.8 87 21.2 52 38 84.34 61.2 45 20 358 11.2
Nash. Chatt. & St. L. N. Y. Cent. & Hud. R. N. Y. Chie, & St. Louis 1st pref. 2d pref. N. Y. & Harlem. N. Y. Lack. & West'n N. Y. Lack & Eric & W. Pref. 3ll instalm'ts paid. N. Y. Ont. & West.	160 64 971 13 69 257 260 1161 203 29 153	164 70 1004 134 70 260 1174 2 1078 4 23 3348	Laclede Gas, St. L. Pref. Manhattan Beach Mich. Penin. Car, pt. *National Lead Co. *Pref. National Linseed. National Starch 1st pref. 2d pref. North American Co. Oregon Improv't Co. Pacific Mall	106 lg 23 l4 83 2 lg 52 27 lg 17 lg 17 lg 10 20 20 2 lg 11 20	27 <sup>7</sup> 8 87 21 <sub>2</sub> 52 38 84 84 84 61 <sub>2</sub> 45 20 35 811 235
Nash, Chatt, & St. L. N. Y. Cent, & Hud. R. N. Y. Chie, & St. Louis 1st pref. 2d pref. N. Y. & Harlem. N. Y. Lack. & West'n N. Y. Lake Erie & W. Pref. N. Y. & N. E. tr. rec. 2ll instalm'ts paid. N. Y. Ont. & West. N. Y. Susq. & W., new	160 64 974 13 69 257 260 1164 94 203 29 153	164 70 100 <sup>1</sup> 6 13 <sup>1</sup> 4 26 260 117 <sup>1</sup> 4 2 10 <sup>7</sup> 6 4 23 33 <sup>1</sup> 6 17 14 <sup>3</sup> 8	Laclede Gas, St. L. Pref. Manhattan Beach. Mich. Penin. Car, pf. *National Lead Co. *Pref. National Linseed. National Starch. 1st pref. 2d pref. North American Co. Goregon improv't Co. Pacific Mail. Pipe Line	106 la 23 l4 83 2 l2 52 27 \$4 78 l4 17 \$4 20 23 11 20 95 l2	27 <sup>7</sup> 8 87 21 <sub>2</sub> 52 38 8434 1834 61 <sub>2</sub> 45 20 358 111 <sub>2</sub> 2358 9938
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The range of Government bonds sold at the Stock Exchange in January was as follows:

DANCE OF COVERNMENT BONDS IN TANILARY

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	Highest '97						*111

The following highest and lowest prices are from actual sales at the New York Stock Exchange:

RANGE OF STATE BONDS IN JANUARY.

Alabama Class "A". Louisiana consol. 4s. No. Car. 6s	934	934	Tenn. new settle. 3s.	82 7812	60
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The daily posted rates for 60 days and demand sterling exchange in January are given below, it being understood that bankers' actual rates are usually a fraction below the prices posted.

BANKERS' STERLING EXCHANGE (POSTED RATES) FOR JAN., 1895.

Jan	ı.	60 days.	De- mand.	Jan.	60 days.	De- mand.	Jan.	days.	De- mand.
3456789		4 8812	4 89 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub> 4 89 <sup>1</sup> <sub>9</sub> 4 89 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub> 4 89 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub> 4 86 <sup>1</sup> <sub>9</sub> 4 89 <sup>1</sup> <sub>9</sub>	15 16 17 18 19 20 21	4 89 4 89	894-90 894-90 894-90 4 90 4 90 4 90	26 27 28 30 31	4 89 4 89 4 89-1 <sub>2</sub> 4 89-1 <sub>2</sub> 4 89-1 <sub>2</sub> 4 89-1 <sub>2</sub>	4 90 4 90 4 90-1 <sub>3</sub> 4 90-1 <sub>3</sub> 4 90-1 <sub>2</sub> 4 90-1 <sub>2</sub> 4 891 <sub>3</sub> 4 901 <sub>4</sub>
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### Monetary Commercial English Aews

[From our own correspondent.]

London, Saturday, Jan. 19, 1895.

Money continues as cheap as ever. The discount rate for 3 months bank bills in the open market is rather under 5% per cent, although bill brokers are trying to get a little more. The fortnightly settlement on the Stock Exchange, which began on Monday morning and ended on Wednesday evening, was an exceedingly large one; yet it had hardly any effect upon the money market. In all other departments but the South African there is extremely little speculation, and consequently hardly any demand for money, and the South African market was therefore easily supplied. The general rate for the Stock Exchange was about 11/4 per cent; occasionally 1 per cent was taken, while sometimes 11/2 per cent was secured, and one bank held out for 2 per cent. Within the House the carrying-over rates for South African securities were very stiff; but the magnitude of the settlement was really not so great as it appeared, because the facilities granted by the Committee in other departments are withheld in the South African department. The tendency of the crisis in Paris is to send money for safe keeping to London. Possibly if confidence revives quickly that may stop; but at present the rise in the Paris

sterling exchange points to remittances to London.

The Indian exchanges are falling steadily. On Wednesday the India Council offered for tender 60 lakhs of bills and telegraphic transfers but sold rather less than 48 lakhs. Applicants at 1s. 01/2d. per rupee were allotted in full. Since then the exchanges have fallen further, and yesterday merchant bills were as low as 1s. 01/4d. per rupee. The main cause of course is the disturbance of trade by the currency experiment. It will be recollected that the Government, by refusing to sell drafts in London a year ago, accumulated about 10 crores of rupees in the Presidency treasuries. It was hoped that the conversion would get out most of this money. As a matter of fact only about 2 crores of rupee paper remain unconverted. The first effect of the accumulation in the treasuries was extreme stringency in the money market and a general check to trade. Since then trade has not recovered, for prices in Europe are so unprecedentedly low that exports continue exceedingly small. The consequence is, firstly, that there is hardly any demand for money in India. Even now in the middle of January the Bank rate in Bombay and Calcutta is only 4 per cent. A second consequence is that the excess of exports over imports is smaller than usual and that consequently there is not the demand for remittances expected at this season. The unconverted rupee paper was chiefly held in this country and it has been sold within the last week or two. No doubt that has competed with Council bills and so has tended to send down exchange. Furthermore, Lancashire merchants sold largely some months ago but did not cover. Now they are buying exchange to do so, and that likewise is against the Council. The general opinion in India seems to be that ex change will fall still further. As yet shipments of gold are very small. The silver market is weak, China being the only buyer. The price is fluctuating between 27d. and 271/4d. per ounce.

The railway dividends so far announced are, as was expected, unsatisfactory. The Great Eastern proposes to pay  $2\frac{1}{4}$  per cent for the past half-year, comparing with  $1\frac{1}{4}$  per cent for the second half of 1893. As that was the period of the great coal strike the small increase is disappointing. Compared with the second half of 1892, when the dividend was  $3\frac{1}{4}$  per cent, the disappointment is made clear. The London Brighton & South Coast pays  $7\frac{3}{4}$  per cent against  $7\frac{1}{2}$  per cent twelve months ago and  $9\frac{1}{4}$  per cent two years ago. On the Metropolitan Consolidated stock  $2\frac{3}{4}$  per cent is to be paid against  $2\frac{1}{2}$  per cent twelve months ago and  $3\frac{1}{4}$  two years ago. On the South Eastern stock  $5\frac{3}{4}$  per cent is to be paid against  $5\frac{1}{4}$  per cent twelve months ago and  $6\frac{1}{4}$  per cent two years ago.

Business on the Stock Exchange has been very much interrupted this week by the fortnightly settlement. As said above, the Stock Exchange Committee does not give facilities for settling in the South African market, and the consequence is that brokers, dealers and their clerks have been so much occupied that they had little time to attend to new business. Bitter complaints are made of the inconvenience to which all are subjected and the risks they run by the impossibility of delivering and receiving delivery within the proper time. The result of all is a pause in the South African department, but prices have not given way to any material extent except in a very few cases.

The Presidential crisis in Paris had wonderfully little influence upon markets. Every one has been surprised by the firmness of the Bourse, and the Continental bourses generally have taken their cue from Paris. French rentes, for example, are as high now as before the crisis began, and there has actually been a rise in Egyptian and Turkish stocks. The only material effect was on the South African department, in which French buying has been decidedly smaller than for months past. Yesterday, however, more orders were received.

Up to the present there is no inclination here to engage in the American department. The shipments of gold from New York continue to inspire apprehension; and until people see what Congress will do, and if it does nothing how the President will act after the 4th of March, there is not much likelihood that business will materially increase. There is equally little doing in the South American department. For some months a struggle has been going on between General Roca and the President. Owing to the General's influence, it is believed, Congress has called upon the President to grant an amnesty to political offenders. The President refuses, maintaining that the pardoning of offenders is his prerogative. The Cabinet has in consequence resigned, and every hour it is expected that the President will also resign. It is thought that it will be impossible for him to form a Cabinet and that, therefore, in the end he will have to give way.

The condition of the reconstructed Australian banks is again occasioning very serious apprehensions. That the banks are not earning the interest promised on their deposits everybody agrees, and that they will not be able to carry out their arrangements, therefore, is generally believed. The apprehensions are causing a general fall in all kinds of financial and mortgage securities connected with the Colonies. Colonial Government stocks, however, are fairly well maintained with the exception of Victorian stocks.

On the other hand there are signs that speculation is spreading in the British railway department. Hitherto it has been almost confined to South African securities; but during the past fortnight there has been a very marked rise in British railway stocks in spite of the disappointing dividends. The general belief is that trade throughout the country is improving and will continue to improve, and therefore the dividend disappointments are looked upon as merely temporary. Every one anticipates, too, that money will continue exceedingly cheap throughout this year; and cheap money, it is argued, must send up the prices of all good securities.

Messrs. Pixley & Abell write as follows under date of January 18:

Gold.—Sufficient inquiry has existed to absorb all arrivals of bars in the open market, and only coin has reached the Bank. The Bank has in this way received £228,000 and has sold £389,000, of which £350,000 goes to South Africa. Arrivals: South Africa, £125,000: Australia, £189,000; China, £5,000; Bombay, £86,000. Total £405,000.

Silver-Weaker rates from India and less Eastern demand caused the market to decline to 27 3-16d. The rates cabled from India are the lowest yet seen, and at the India Council allotment, 1s. 0-d. was accepted—a record in the sale of bills. Since then there has been a slightly better feeling, and with China inqui for silver the price has improved to 275-16d., at which the market is firm. Arrivals from New York, £60,000. Shipments January 17: Bombay, £47,500; Hong Kong, £29,900; Shanghai, £72,300. Total, £149,700.

Mexican Dollars.—There are no recent dealings to report in these coin and the price is nominal. Shipments to Penaug, £3, 00.

### The quotations for bullion are reported as follows:

GOLD. London Standard.	Jan.18.		Jan.11.		SILVER. London Standard.	Jan.18.	Jan.11.
	8,	d.	8.	d.		d.	d.
Bar gold, fineoz.	77	9	77	9	Bar silver, fine oz.	27 5-16	27 5-16
Bar gold, parting.oz	77	914	77		Bar silver, contain-		~, 0.20
Span. doubloons. oz.	73	8	73	8	ing 5 grs. goldoz.		27 11-16
U. S. gold coin oz.	76	4	76	4	Cake silveroz.		29 7-16
German gold coin.oz	76	416	76		Mexican dollarsoz.		2776

### The rates for money have been as follows:

		Rate.				ket Rat				Interest allowed for deposits by		
Lond	on.		B	ank Bil	ls.		rade Bil	ls.	- 1	Disc'	t H'se.	
		Bank	Three Months	Four Months	Six Months	Three Months	Four Months	Six Months	Stock	At	7 to 14	
Jan.	4 11	2	9-16@5% 5%	5% 5%	%@1 %@1	1 1	11/8 11/8@11/4	11/4@11/4	16	1/4	16	
	18	2	5/8	11-16	%@1	1	11/8@11/4	11/4@11/2	36	16	36	

The Bank rate of discount and open market rates at the chief Continental cities now and for the previous three weeks have been as follows:

Rates of	Jan	. 18.	Jan	Jan. 11.		n. 4.	Dec	28.
Interest at	Bank Rate.	Open Market	Bank Rate.	Open Market	Bank Rate.	Oper Market	Bank Rate	Open Market
Paris	21/6	156	214	156	216	2	216	2
Berlin	3	13/8	3	13/8	3	156	3	176
Hamburg	3	11/4	3	136	3	156	3	176
Frankfort	3	136	3	11/6	3	156	3	17/8
Amsterdam	21/6	156	21/6	134	216	134	216	15%
Brussels	3	1 9-16	3	11/6	3	136	3	116
Vienna	4	336	4	356	4	37/8	4	37%
St. Petersburg	6	6	6	6	6	516	6	5.
Madrid	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
Copenhagen	31/6	31/6	31/4	31/6	316	316	316	316

The following return shows the position of the Bank of England, the Bank rate of discount, the price of consols, &c., compared with the last three years:

	1895. Jan. 16,	1894. Jan. 17.	1893. Jan. 18.	1892. Jan. 20. £
Circulation	25,202,515	25,027,760	25,385,000	25,030,745
Public deposits	6,045,154	5,327,064	5,132,142	6,247,224
Other deposits	35,532,467	30,426,228	32,123,277	30,735,49+
Government securities	16,077,309	10,760,317	13,355.983	11,661,858
Other securities	17,448,428	25,206,720	25,569,434	28,739,299
Reserve of notes and coin	26,202,450	17,962,795	16,430,478	14,788,604
Coin & bullion, both departm'ts	34,604,965	26,540,555	25,365,478	23,369,349
Prop. reserve to liabilitiesp. c.	6234	50	437/8	3934
Bank rateper cent.	2	3	3	3*
Consols, 2% per cent	104 9-16	9878	97 15-16	95 13-16
Silver	27 3-16d.+	31¾d.	383/sd.	42 9-16d.
Clearing-Housereturns	143,131,000	133,232,000	138,939,000	109,802,00

January 21, January 17.

The following shows the imports of cereal produce into the United Kingdom during the first twenty weeks of the season compared with previous seasons:

#### IMPORTS.

١		1894-5.	1893-4.	1892-3.	1891-2.
ı	Imports of wheat.cwt	.25,618,966	24,397,477	26,307,500	32.483.890
	Barley	13,358,504	14,041,336	8,318,427	10,904,426
	Oats		5,480,150	5,921,248	6,231,523
	Peas	1,108,154	1,160,640	1,052,910	1,340,657
ı	Beans		1,882,309	1,751,320	1,586,995
١	Indian Corn		11,441,863	12,278,543	7,558,024
í	Flour	7,797,790	7,714,834	8,743,566	6,747,838

Supplies available for consumption (exclusive of stocks on September 1):

1894-5.	1893-4.	1892-3.	1891-2.
Wheatewt.25,618,966	24,397,477	26,307,500	32,483,890
Imports of flour 7,797,790	7,714,834	8,743,566	6,747,838
Sales of home-grown. 8,353,518	9,717,176	10,448,261	13,213,544
Total41,770,274	41,829,487	45,499,327	52,445,372
1894-5.	1893-4.	1892-3.	1891-2.
Aver. price wheat week.20s. 8d.	26s. 4d.	26s. 4d.	358. 6d.

The following shows the quantities of wheat, flour and maize afloat to the United Kingdom:

		This week.	Last week.	1894.	1893.
	Wheatgrs.	2,974,000	2,782,000	2,504,000	2,220,000
ij	Flour, equal to qrs.	279,000	305,000	335,000	506,000
1	Maize qrs.	474,000	507,000	333,000	207,000

### English Financial Markets-Per Cable.

then there has been a for silver the price has are reported by cable as follows for the week ending Feb. 1

London.	Sat.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
Silver, per oz	27516	274	2738	27716	27718	27716
Consols, new, 234 p. cts.		105316	10478	10458	104516	1044
For account	10478	1053 6	10478	109116	104518 02:5712	1044
Fr'ch rentes (in Paris)fr.		102.35	02.5212	102.30	02 37 2	102 80
U. S. 4s of 1907		438	414	4	4	419
Atch. Top. & S. Fe. com. Canadian Pacific		5478	5338	5278	534	544
Chie, Milw. & St. Paul		5612	5538	55%	5638	5714
Illinois Central	89	8834	38	88	8834	8931
Lake Shore	141	141	1394	139	13)	139
Louisville & Nashville		544	5178	5118	5134	53
Mexican Central 4s	564	5614	5819	5534	56	56
N. Y. Central & Hudson	10134	10134	101	101	10112	10219
N. Y. Lake Erie & West.		10	978	10	104	104
2d consols	6412	64	63	63	6212	62
Norfolk & West'n, pref.			1538	15	701	100
Northern Pacific, pref	1638	164	15%	16 <sup>1</sup> 8 49 <sup>3</sup> 4	164	1638
Pennsylvania	52	5112	5019	419	50 <sup>1</sup> 4 4 <sup>5</sup> 8	514 478
Phil. & Read., per share	434	4 <sup>5</sup> 8	834	858	1018	1018
Union Pacific	94	14	1334	13	134	1314

### Commercial and Miscellaneous News

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS FOR THE WEEK,—The following are the imports at New York for the week ending for dry goods Jan. 24 and for the week ending for general merchandise Jan. 25; also totals since the beginning of the first week in Tanaca. January.

FOREIGN IMPORTS AT NEW YORK

For Week.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895
Dry Goods Gen 1 mer'dise.	\$3,312,386 8,694,291	\$4,288,489 9,056,044	\$1,700,973 5,230,414	\$2,990,966 7,407,121
Total	\$12,006,677	\$13,344,533	\$6,931,387	\$10.395,087
Since Jan. 1.  Dry Goods  Gen'l mer'dise.	\$12,474,861 30,889,264	\$14,801,436 36,107,525	\$7,503,783 24,336,020	\$13,785,236 27,629,273
Total 4 weeks.	\$43,364,125	\$50,909,061	\$31,839,803	\$41,414,509

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

The following is a statement of the exports (exclusive of specie) from the port of New York to foreign ports for the week ending Jan. 29 and from January 1 to date:

EXPORTS FROM NEW YORK FOR THE WEEK.

	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895
For the week Prev. reported.	\$8,259,288 \$28,578,203	\$6,318,225 20,165,373		\$4,931,536 24,751,767
To al 4 weeks.	\$36,837,491	\$26,483,598	\$30,193,810	\$29,683,303

The following table shows the exports and imports of specie at the port of New York for the week ending Jan. 26 and since January 1, 1895, and for the corresponding periods in 1894 and 1893:

EXPORTS AND IMPORTS OF SPECIE AT NEW YORK.

0.11	Exp	orts.	Imports.		
Gold.	Week.	Since Jan. 1.	Week.	Since Jan. 1.	
Great Britain France	\$3,900,000 3,039,000	2,210,036	\$96,500		
West Indies	30,000 250,000	212,800 103,300 253,000	470 16,306 6,133	46,636	
Total 1895 Total 1894 Total 1893		\$19,241,136 939,296	\$119,409 113,009 37,420	\$351,236 271,828	
	Exp	orts.	Imports.		
Silver.	Week.	Since Jan. 1.	Week.	Since Jan. 1.	
Great Britain	\$741,500	\$2,279,280		\$193	
Germany	6,954	408 21,954	\$2,373	1,380 6,966 59,767	
South AmericaAll other countries		*******	3,749	32,167	
Total 1895 Total 1894 Total 1893	\$748,454 855,588 568,400	3,412,790	\$6,122 28,390 35,515	113,782	

—Messrs. Spencer Trask & Co., 10 Wall Street, have issued a near little pamphlet covering railroad bond issues, the rate of interest and yield of income at current quotations. The Albany branch of the same firm have issued a similar pamphlet relating to securities local to that city.

—The banking and brokerage firm of Russak & Herzog having expired by limitation, Frank Russak, Jacob Russak and Arthur Herzog have formed a new co-partnership for the transaction of a general banking and brokerage business under the firm name of Russak Bros. & Herzog.

—\$100,000 Illinois Central first mortgage four per cent gold bonds are advertised to-day by Messrs. Redmond, Kerr & Co. For particulars concerning the bonds see the advertisement.

-The firm of Dick Brothers & Lawrence is succeeded by Messrs. Dick Brothers & Rea, the former co-partnership having terminated by limitation.

—Messrs, Blake Bros, & Co. offer \$100,000 St. Louis fours. These bonds are a legal investment for New York State Savings institutions.

—In our advertising columns to-day will be found the prospectus of the Brooklyn Wharf & Warehouse Company, offering for subscription \$7,000,000 purchase money 1st mortgage five per cent fifty-year gold bonds, part of a total issue of \$17,500,000. The company owns in fee most of the warehouses on the Brooklyn water front, the total frontage (including the leasehold properties) being equivalent to nearly 234 miles, and the valuation by experts of the combined properties ranges from \$26,750,000 to \$30,000,000. The average net earnings for the four years 1891–94 were \$1,294,510, or a surplus of \$510,760 over the amount required for interest on \$15,675,000 bonds issued, and it is estimated that through consolidation of offices these earnings will be considerably increased. The officers and board of directors consist of men noted in the business world as representing integrity as well as large capital.

—The annual "red book." the "Financial R-view." will be

—The annual "red book," the "Financial Review," will be issued by the publishers of the CHRONICLE about the 12th

City Railroad Securities-Brokers' Quotations.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Atlan. Ave., B'klyn-			Christ'p'r & 10th St.—Stk.	152	155
Con. 58, g., 1931A&O	108	110	1st mort., 1898 A&O	105	108
Gen. M. 5s, 1909A&O	107	10812	D. D. E. B. & Bat'y-Stk		157
Impt. 5s, g., 1934J&J		98	1st, gold, 5s, 1932. J&D	114	
Bleek. St. & Ful. FStk.	25	27	1st, gold, 5s, 1932J&D Scrip	102 4	105
1st mort., 7s, 1900.J&J		112	Eighth Avenue-Stock	300	
B'way & 7th Ave.—Stock.		190	Scrip, 6s, 1914	103	
1st mort., 5s, 1904.J&D			42d & Gr. St. FerStock	318	
2d mort., 5s, 1914J&J	8108		42d St. & Man. & St. N. Av.		56
B'way 1st, 5s, guar. 1924	3111	115	1st mort.6s, 1910.M&S&		115
2d 5s, int. as rent'l. 1905	8105	10712	2d mort income 6s.J&J	55 %	
Consol 5s, 1943J&D		11012	Long Island Traction		
Brooklyn City-New stk.		165	Metropolitan Traction		96
Consol. 5s, 1941J&J	111	11342	Ninth Avenue		00
Bk'vn. Crosst'n 5s. 1908		110 2	Second Avenue—Stock		162
Bklyn Q'nsCo.&Sub.1st		10334		3108	109
		100 €	Debenture 5s, 1909.J&J	101	100
Bklyn.C.&N'wt'wn—Stk. 59, 1939	100	110	Sixth Avenue-Stock		217
Brooklyn Traction	103.		Third Avenue	176	178
Preterred		62	1st mort., 5s, 1937J&J	118	119
Central Crosstown-Stk.		04	Twenty-Third St.—Stock.		T T T T
			Deb. 58, 1903	100	105
1st mort., 6s, 1922.M&N	104	166	Thien Dr. 1et 5g 1049 2	1051	
Cen. Pk. N. & E. RivStk.		100	Union Ry—1st 5s, 1942?		102
Consol. 7s, 1902J&D	18117		Westchester, 1st,gu.,5s.	100	102
⩓ accrued interest.					

N. Y. and Brooklyn Gas Securities-Brokers' Quotations.

GAS COMPANIES.	Bid.	Ask.	GAS COMPANIES.	Bid.	Ask.
			Metropolitan (Brooklyn) Williamsburg 1st 6s Fulton Municipal Bonds, 6s	170 160 190 105 172 105	175
	154 200 100		Equitable Bonds, 6s, 1899	105	93 45

Auction Sales .- Among other securities the following, not regularly dealt in at the Board, were recently sold at auction: By Messrs, R. V. Harnett & Co.:

By Messrs. Adrian H. Muller & Son:

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### DIVIDENDS.

Name of Company.	Per Cent.	Wh Paye					losed. lusive	
Railroads.	21g .	Feb.				to	_	
Massawippi, guar	$\frac{2^{1}2}{1^{1}4}$	Feb.		Feb.	1	to		
Bank of the Manhattan Co	*312	Feb.	11	Jan.	29	to	Feb.	11
N. Y. National Exchange	3	Feb.	10		_	to		
Peter Cooper	5	Jan.	31		_	to		
Brooklyn City & Newt'n (quar.).	212	Feb.	1	Jan.	20	to	Feb.	1
Duquesne Traction (Pittsburg)	2 1 8	Feb.						
Erie Teleg. & Telep. (quar.)	1	Feb.					Feb.	
Fidelity & Casuality Co	8	On d						
Pittsburg Traction	(?)	Feb.					Feb.	
Providence & Stonington SS	112	Feb.					Feb.	
St. Paul Gas-Light (quar.)	112	Feb.	12	Feb.	6	to	Feb.	14
West Chicago Street RR. (quar.)	119	Feb.	-		_	to		

WALL STREET, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1895-5 P. M.

The Money Market and Financial Situation.—The recommendations in the President's message to Congress have absorbed attention in all departments of business during the week. The conditions now existing which made these recommendations necessary are of vital importance, affecting as they do every industrial and commercial interest.

As is usual with matters touching financial affairs, these conditions have had the most influence in Wall Street and have been most sharply reflected in the course of business at

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have been most sharply reflected in the course of business at the Stock Exchange.

The eagerness to sell various classes of securities, even at a sacrifice, which was manifest during the early part of the week is evidence of this fact. With the prospect of another Government bond issue, the tone of the market has changed, and strength and firmness are the characteristics as the week draws to a close. With additional evidence to-day that the new bond issue will soon be announced, and that a considerable part of it has been negotiated with foreign bankers, the price of exchange has dropped one point and a large amount of the gold engaged for shipment to-morrow will 'be retained.

tained.

The money market has ruled higher in all departments, but especially for commercial paper, and if the bond sale is carried through it is likely that higher rates will continue to

The open market rates for call loans during the week on stock and bond collaterals have ranged from 1½ to 3 per cent. To-day rates on call were 1½ to 2 per cent. Prime commercial paper is quoted at 4 to 4½ per cent.

The Bank of England weekly statement on Thursday showed an increase in bullion of £588,713, and the percentage of reserve to liabilities was 69·12, against 65·73 last week; the discount rate remains unchanged at 2 per cent. The Bank of France shows an increase of 12,550,000 francs in gold and 350,000 francs in silver.

The New York City Clearing-House banks in their statement of January 26 showed a decrease in the reserve held of \$282,300 and a surplus over the required reserve of \$45,880,450, against \$45,465,075 the previous week.

	1895. Jan. 26.	Differen'sfrom Prev. week.	1894. Jan. 27,	1893. Jan. 28
Capital	\$ 61,622,700 72,028,200		\$ 59,922,700 73,015,200	
Loans & disc'nts. Circulation Net deposits	490,158,600	Dec. 164,300	418,771,600 12,677,200	455,179,900 5,586,300
Specie Legal tenders	81,175,600	Inc.3,220,300 Dec.3,502,500	126,895,800	85,280,100
Reserve held Legal reserve	185,758,600 139,878,150		245,966,600 136,923,600	
Surnlug reserve	45 880 450	Inc. 415.375	109.043.000	23.143.300

Foreign Exchange.—The foreign exchange market continued firm at a fraction above last week's quotations until Thursday, when it weakened, and the price fell off in anticipation of a new Government bond issue. The offerings of commercial bills have not been in sufficient amount to have any perceptible effect upon the market. On Tuesday and Wednesday \$5,962,000 in gold was shipped, and \$5,050,000 was engaged for to-morrow, of which \$3,950,000 has been canceled, and \$600,000 undecided, leaving only \$500,000 to go.

To-day's actual rates of exchange were as follows: Bankers, sixty days sterling 4 87½@4 87½; demand, 4 88¾@4 89; cables, 4 89@4 89¼.

Posted rates of leading bankers are as follows:

February 1.	Sixty Days.	Demana.
Prime bankers' sterling bills on London		4 8912@4 90
Documentary commercial	4 87404 871 <sub>2</sub> 4 863404 87	
Paris bankers (francs)	5 164 <b>0</b> 5 155 <sub>8</sub> 405 <sub>16</sub> @403 <sub>8</sub>	
Frankfort or Bremen (reichmarks) b'nkers	95 2 2 2 95 5 8	407 <sub>16</sub> @40 <sup>1</sup> 9 95 <sup>3</sup> 4 <b>0</b> 95 <sup>7</sup> 8

The following were the rates of domestic exchange on New York at the under-mentioned cities to-day: Savannah, buying 1-16 discount, selling 1-16@1/8 premium; Charleston, buying

par, selling ½ premium: New Orleans, bank, par; commercial, 75c. discount; Chicago, 70c. per \$1,000 premium; St. Louis, \$1 00 per \$1,000 premium.

United States Bonds.—The market for Government bonds has been weak under liberal offerings. Sales at the Board include \$171,000 5s coupon at (ex. I.) 114% to 116%; \$63,000 4s coupon at 112% to 112%; \$55,000 4s registered at 112½ to 112½; and \$15,000 5s registered at 114% to 115¼. The following are closing prices:

	Interest		Jan.	Jan.	Jan.	Jan.	Feb.
	Periods	26.	28.	29	30.	31.	1
2s,reg.	QMch.	* 97	* 97	* 97	* 97	*x96	* 96
4s, 1907 reg.	QJan.	*113		*1124		*112	*11119
4s, 1907coup.	QJan.	*113		11234			*11158
5s, 1904reg.	QFeb.			*114%	*11449	11438	*1144
	Q Feb.			116	*115%	11558	x11436
6s, cur'cy,'95reg.	J. & J.	*100				*100	*100
6s, cur'cy,'96 reg.	J. & J.	*10212	1024	*1024	*10219	*10249	10212
6s, sur'cy,'97reg.	J. & J.	*10512	*10512	*105	*105	*105	*105
6s, cur'cy,'98reg.	J. & J.	*108	*108	*108		*108	*108
6s, cur'cy.'99 reg.	J. & J.	*111	*111	*111	*111	*111	*111
4s, (Cher.) 1896 reg.	March.						
4s, (Cher.) 1897reg.	March.						
4s, (Cher.) 1898 reg.	March.						
4s, (Cher.) 1899reg.	March.						
*Bid prices; no sale	e was ma	ide.					7.0

United States Sub-Treasury.—The following table shows receipts and payments at the Sub-Treasury.

[	_		Balances					
Date.	Receipts.	Payments.	Ooin.	Ooin Oert's.	Ourrency.			
	\$	\$	8	*	*			
Jan. 26	7.314.966	2.931.532	65,637,055	1,241,943	74,071,667			
" 28	1,939,014	2,925,944	61,896,162	1,230,162	76,837,412			
" 29	4,369,406	3,392,477	61,328,263	1,257,447	78,354,955			
" 30	10,624,759	3,648,690	65,864,470	1,358,566	80,693,699			
" 31	3,599,476	3,361,906	65,141,798	1,432,228	81,577,279			
Feb. 1	5,000,459	3,188,132	66,873,033	1,507,178	81,583,421			
Total	23,848,080	19,451,681						

State and Railroad Bonds.—Sales of State bonds at the Board include \$280,000 Virginia 6s defd. trust rects., stamped, at 6½@10; \$138,500 Virginia fund. debt 2-3s of 1991 at 59@ 59½; \$2,000 Tenn. settlement 3s at 84½; \$3,000 Alabama, Class A, at 104.

Class A, at 104.

The railroad bond market has been somewhat unsteady, and prices are generally lower. The most activity is noticed in bonds of the lower grades, although there has been a liberal movement of issues which sell at par and above. The evidences of liquidation which were apparent early in the week have partly disappeared with the change in sentiment which now prevails, and prices are improving. The principal features of activity have been the Atchison issues, Chic. & No. Pac. 1st tr. rects., C. R. I. & P. ex. 5s, Mo. Kan. & Tex. 1sts and 2ds, No. Pacifics, Phila. & Readings, St. Louis Southwest. 1sts and 2ds, -Southern Rys., Texas & Pacifics and Wabash bonds. Tabash bonds.

Wabash bonds.

Railroad and Miscellaneous Stocks.—The stock market has been sensitive, and reflected the general feeling of uncertainty which has prevailed in all financial circles. The activity was largely due to an apparent eagerness to liquidate, until Thursday, when the probability of a new Government bond issue was regarded as a hopeful feature and changed the tone of the market. Some of the so-called international stocks, notably Louisville & Nashville and St. Paul, were largely affected by the prevailing sentiment. Manhattan Elevated advanced on the report of the Rapid Transit Commissioners' expert engineers, which is in favor of extending the facilities of the elevated roads. The following table shows the prices at the close last week, the lowest point reached on Tuesday and the closing to-day of some of the most active railroad stocks.

Closing, Lowest, Closing, Lowest, Edwing, Lowest, Closing, Lowest,

	Closing,	Lowest,	Closing,
	Jan. 25.	Jan. 29.	Feb. 1.
Chic. Burl. & Quincy	7118	70	$72^{1}_{4}$
Chic. M. & St. Paul	5558	5412	5658
Northwest	9518	9412	9634
Chic. R. I. & Pac	6238	$60^{12}$	6338
Central of New Jersey	8778	8558	89
Louisville & Nashville	5358	5038	53
Mo. Pacific	215g	20	2212
Southern Ry	958	812	1018
Manhattan	10634	10418	109

everal features of the industrial list are of interest. The Several features of the industrial list are of interest. The selling movement noticed last week in Nat. Lead is said to have been for an estate in process of liquidation, and not because of any change in the affairs of the company, but it carried the price down to 2734 on Monday, since which it has recovered, and closes at 33. More than one day this week the sales of Chicago Gas have exceeded in volume the sales of any other stock at the Exchange, but its fluctuations have been narrow, and the prospect of a change in the control of the company in the near future is said to be improving. General Electric has been weak under persistent hammering, and sold company in the near future is said to be improving. General Electric has been weak under persistent hammering, and sold below 29 on Tuesday, but there has been no information given out in regard to the company to warrant the decline. The receivership for Distilling & C. F. has been anticipated both in the minds of the public and in the market for the stock, and therefore no perceptible change is noticed. Am. Cotton Oil has been a weak feature, selling at 18¾ on Wednesday, and closing at 20, against 23½. Pacific Mail has been freely sold on news of the revolution in Columbia, and closes at 21¾. Am. Sugar has been neglected, notwithstanding the action of the House of Representatives at Washington in repealing the differential duty of 1-10 on imports, and has remained steady.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE-ACTIVE STOCKS for week ending FEB. 1, and since JAN. 1, 1895.

NE'					r week ending FEB. 1, a	and since JAN. 1, 1895.  Sales of Range for year 1895.			
Saturday,	Monday.	Tuesday,	Wednesday	, Thursday,	Friday,	STOCKS.	the Week,		
Jan. 26.	Jan. 28.	Jan. 29.	Jan. 30.	Jan. 31.	Feb. 1.	A-M TIP G I	Shares.	Lowest.	Highest.
4 41 <sub>4</sub> 3 <sub>4</sub> 3 <sub>4</sub>	41 <sub>8</sub> 43 <sub>8</sub>		31 <sub>2</sub> 33 *1 <sub>2</sub> 3	4 *19 3	1 12 04	Active RR. Stocks. Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe. Atlantic & Pacific	10,105	3½ Jan. 30 58 Jan 23	5 Jan. 17 78 Jan. 9
*621 <sub>2</sub> 64 *541 <sub>2</sub> 56	62 63 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub> *53 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub> 54 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub>	614 614 52 52	5112 515	8 5212 521	5218 5218	Canadian Pacific	1,590	61 <sup>1</sup> 4 Jan. 29	65½ Jan. 18 59 Jan. 2
*49 50 87 <sup>1</sup> 4 88	*48½ 49½ 86¼ 8758	8558 8634		8719 881	877 894	Canada Southern	2,731 17,630	84'8 Jan. 4	94 Jan. 14
*13 14 16 <sup>1</sup> 2 *147	$12\frac{3}{4}$ $13\frac{3}{4}$ $16\frac{1}{2}$ $16\frac{1}{2}$ $146\frac{1}{2}$ $146\frac{1}{2}$	16 16%	1618 161	1658 163	17 17 <sup>1</sup> 8	Central Pacific. Chesapeake & Ohio Chicago & Alton Chicago Burlington & Quincy	3,035 12		14 <sup>1</sup> 4 Jan. 5 18 Jan. 21 147 Jan. 9
71 714	7034 7112	70 70%		8 70% 715	7134 7212	Chicago & Eastern Illinois	37,158	69½ Jan. 3 50 Jan. 12	72½ Feb. 1 50 Jan. 12
554 5558	55 <sup>1</sup> 8 56	54 <sup>1</sup> 2 55 <sup>1</sup> 8 117 117 <sup>1</sup> 2	5412 55	90 90 55 56	56 5678	Do pref. Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul	97,805	90 Jan. 31	90 Jan 31
118 118 <sup>1</sup> <sub>9</sub> 95 95 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub>		9412 9518	$\begin{array}{c} 116\frac{1}{4}117 \\ 94\frac{7}{8} & 95\frac{1}{4} \end{array}$	1163 1163 951 961 143 144		Chicago & Northwestern		1164 Jan. 30 9438 Jan. 23 143 Jan. 25	119 Jan. 17 974 Feb. 1
$\begin{array}{cccc} 144 & 144 \\ 62 & 623_8 \\ 327_8 & 327_8 \end{array}$	62 6258	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	614 613	6178 623	6234 6334	Do pref. Chicago Rock Island & Pacific Chicago St. Paul Minn. & Om.	36,955	60½ Jan. 3 31½ Jan. 3	145 Jan. 25 64 <sup>1</sup> 4 Jan. 18 34 Jan. 18
327 <sub>8</sub> 327 <sub>8</sub> *112 114 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub> 37 <sup>3</sup> <sub>8</sub> 37 <sup>3</sup> <sub>8</sub>	*111 114 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub> 37 <sup>1</sup> <sub>4</sub> 38			*108 110 374 384		Do pref. Cleve. Cincin. Chic. & St. L	300	110 Jan. 2	112 Jan 30
*1614 1612	164 164	16 16	16 16	85 85 16 18			50 4,730	16 Jan. 29	19 Feb. 1
*	* 62½ 128¼ 128½	12838 12538	1284 1284	1294 1294	129½ 129½ 1601-1601-	Delaware & Hudson pref.	1,187	55 Jan. 9 125 Jan. 3	13312 Jan. 18
160½ 160¾ *10¼ 11¼ 34⅓ 34⅓	158 <sup>1</sup> 2 160 <sup>1</sup> 2 10 <sup>1</sup> 4 10 <sup>1</sup> 4 33 <sup>1</sup> 8 34 <sup>1</sup> 4	1018 1018	*10 103	*104 114	3459 35	Delaware Lackawanna&West Denver & Rio Grande	3,972 225 1,975	15778 Jan. 29 1018 Jan. 29 3234 Jan. 29	11½ Jan. 15
*30 40 *102 103	*30 40 100 100	* 35	*100 103	*100 103	*100 103	Evansville & Terre Haute		35 Jan. 23 100 Jan. 28	35 Jan. 23
*87 88 *534 6	87 87 538 512	861 <sub>2</sub> 863 <sub>4</sub> 53 <sub>4</sub> 53 <sub>4</sub>	864 865	8 *876	883 <u>1</u> 883 <u>1</u> *6 7	Illinois Central	1,179 570	81 <sup>1</sup> 8 Jan. 4 5 <sup>3</sup> 8 Jan. 28	90 Jan. 18 61 Jan. 16
19 20 *16 17	*18 20 16 16	19 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> 19 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> 15 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> 15 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> 69 69	*18 19 15% 15%	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	21 21-0	Lake Erie & Western	525 455	15% Jan. 29	23½ Jan. 4 17% Jan. 18
70 70 138 138 *84½ 87	$\begin{array}{ccc} 69 & 69 \\ 137 & 138 \\ 87 & 87^{1}_{2} \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{cccc} 69 & 69 \\ 136 ^{1}4 & 136 ^{1}2 \\ 84 ^{1}2 & 84 ^{1}2 \end{array}$	1364 1364		1381 1381	Take Chang & Mri - 1 C	1,365 2,264 366	134 Jan. 2	74 Jan. 18 140 Jan. 17 88 <sup>1</sup> 4 Jan. 5
11 <sup>1</sup> 8 11 <sup>1</sup> 8 52 <sup>7</sup> 8 53 <sup>3</sup> 8	11 11 <sup>1</sup> 4 52 <sup>1</sup> 2 53 <sup>3</sup> 8	10 10 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub> 50 <sup>3</sup> <sub>8</sub> 51 <sup>3</sup> <sub>4</sub>	10 10	10 <sup>1</sup> 4 10 <sup>1</sup> 2 50 <sup>1</sup> 4 51 <sup>1</sup> 6	1038 101 <sub>2</sub> 5134 531 <sub>8</sub>	Long Island Traction Louisville & Nashville Louisv. New Alb. & Chicago	2,465	10 Jan. 29	13 Jan. 18 5558 Jan. 15
23 <sup>1</sup> 4 23 <sup>1</sup> 4	*7 734 23 2434	7 7 22 22 <sup>7</sup> 8	$^{*61_{2}}_{225_{8}}$ $^{71_{2}}_{227_{8}}$	*7 8 22 22			3,225	612 Jan. 2	778 Jan. 18 2434 Jan. 28 1094 Jan. 18
105 <sup>1</sup> 4 106 <sup>3</sup> 4 29 <sup>1</sup> 2 29 <sup>1</sup> 2	105% 106%	10418 106	106½ 107½ 94¼ 95			Manhattan Elevated, consol Michigan Central	538	104 Jan. 2 944 Jan. 30 27 Jan. 28	
*45 48½ *12½ 13¾	27 27 '45 48 *13 <sup>1</sup> 8 13 <sup>1</sup> 4	$^{*26}$ $^{*30}$ $^{*45}$ $^{47}$ $^{127}$ 8 $^{127}$ 8	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	46 46	*45 48 *13 <sup>1</sup> 2 14	Minn.&St.L., tr. rects., 2d p'd Do pref. tr. rects., 2d p'd Missouri Kansas & Texas	1,400	27 Jan. 28 46½ Jan. 19 12½ Jan. 30	47 <sup>1</sup> 2 Jan. 14 14 <sup>1</sup> 4 Jan. 17
$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	2134 2134 2042 2178	$\begin{array}{cccc} 12^{7}8 & 12^{7}8 \\ 21^{1}2 & 21^{3}4 \\ 20 & 20^{5}8 \end{array}$	21½ 21½ 20½ 21½	22 22 <sup>1</sup> 4 20 <sup>1</sup> 2 22 *15 17		Do pref. Missouri Pacific.	1,913 17,240	21 ½ Jan. 29 20 Jan. 29	23 Jan. 11 2634 Jan. 2
*64	*64	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	*15 17	10 10	Mobile & Ohio Nashv. Chattanooga&St. Louis New York Central & Hudson.	422 125	15 <sup>1</sup> 8 Jan. 30 64 Jan. 29	16 Feb. 1 70 Jan. 18
9934 9934 *13 14	99½ 99¾ *13 14	99 99 <sup>1</sup> <sub>4</sub> *13 14	99 99 *13 133 <sub>4</sub>	99 <sup>5</sup> <sub>8</sub> 99 <sup>5</sup> <sub>8</sub> *13 <sup>1</sup> <sub>4</sub> 14 <sup>1</sup> <sub>4</sub>	9934 10014	New York Chicago & St. Louis	2,430 10	13 Jan. 9	1004 Feb. 1 134 Jan. 22
*26 29½ 9¾ 9¾	*26 29 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub> 9 <sup>5</sup> <sub>8</sub> 10	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$^{\star}_{26}$ $^{\circ}_{9^{5}_{8}}$ $^{\circ}_{9^{7}_{8}}$	*26 30 97 <sub>8</sub> 10 <sup>1</sup> 4	*26 34 104 10k	Do 1st pref. Do 2d pref. New York Lake Erie & West'n	200 5,730	69 Jan. 21 2578 Jan. 8 912 Jan. 2	70 Jan. 18 26 Jan. 29 1078 Jan. 18
3038 31	*20 29½ 30¼	*20 29 30	*20 2958 2984	*21	304 304	Do pref. N.Y.& N.E., tr. recs. all ins. pd New York New Haven & Hart.	8,095	2034 Jan. 2 29 Jan. 29	23 Jan. 22 334 Jan. 12
*196 199 1534 1578	$^{*194}$ $^{196}$ $^{19}$ $^{15}$ $^{15}$ $^{8}$	*194 196 15 <sup>1</sup> 2 15 <sup>1</sup> 2	*194 196 1538 1512	193 196 15 <sup>1</sup> 2 16	10-8 10-4	New York Untario & Wastern	4,927	1538 Jan. 3	17 Jan. 18
1384 1384 391 <sub>2</sub> 40	1334 1334 4012 4012	$\frac{13}{38}$ $\frac{13}{2}$ $\frac{13}{39}$	$\begin{array}{ccc}  & 13 & 13 \\  & 39 & 39 \end{array}$	*13 13 <sup>1</sup> 4 39 <sup>1</sup> 4 39 <sup>3</sup> 4	40 4034	New York Susq. & West., new.	930 2,760 7,230	13 Jan. 29 38½ Jan. 29	14% Jan. 21 43½ Jan. 18
*4 <sup>5</sup> 8 5 *2 <sup>3</sup> 4 2 <sup>7</sup> 8	$\begin{array}{cccc} 4^{1_8} & 4^{3_4} \\ 16^{1_4} & 16^{1_4} \\ 2^{1_2} & 2^{7_8} \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{cccc} 3^{3}8 & 3^{5}8 \\ 14^{1}4 & 15^{1}8 \\ 2^{3}4 & 3 \end{array}$	$^{31_8}_{*14^14}$ $^{33_8}_{15^12}$ $^{*25_8}$ $^{3}$	3 <sup>7</sup> 8 3 <sup>7</sup> 8 14 <sup>1</sup> 2 15 <sup>1</sup> 4 3 3	1498 10	Norfolk & Western pref. Do pref. Northern Pacific	1,845	3 <sup>1</sup> 8 Jan. 30 14 <sup>1</sup> 4 Jan. 29 2 <sup>1</sup> 2 Jan. 28	5 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub> Jan. 5 19 <sup>3</sup> <sub>8</sub> Jan. 18 4 Jan. 2
15% 15% *14 20	15 <sup>5</sup> 8 16 <sup>1</sup> 4 14 20	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$^{*25}_{15^{18}}$ $^{3}_{15^{7}_{8}}$ $^{*14}$ $^{20}$		104 104	Do pref.	1,885 6,927	15½ Jan. 30	18 le Jan. 18
*18 20	*18 20	*18 20 334 4	*18 ±0 *3 <sup>7</sup> 8	*18 20 *4	*18 20 *378	Oregon R'y & Navigation Co. Oregon Sh. Line & Utah North	600	19 Jan. 23 34 Jan. 29	21 Jan. 17 6 Jan. 5
*3 <sup>1</sup> 4 3 <sup>5</sup> 8 8 <sup>8</sup> 4 9	3 <sup>1</sup> 4 3 <sup>1</sup> 4 9 <sup>1</sup> 2	*314 35 <sub>8</sub> 81 <sub>8</sub> 87 <sub>8</sub>	*3 <sup>1</sup> 4 3 <sup>5</sup> 8	9 9	938 10	Peoria Decatur & Evansville.	130	3 <sup>1</sup> 4 Jan. 28 8 <sup>1</sup> 8 Jan. 29	3 <sup>1</sup> 2 Jan. 16 13 <sup>3</sup> 4 Jan. 14
*13½ 16¼ *44 46 *157	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	*15 17 4334 4384 *157	15 15 43 <sup>1</sup> 8 43 <sup>1</sup> 8 *157	1534 1534 45 45 *157	40 40	ittsburg Cinn. Chic. & St. L. Do pref. Pittsb. Ft. Wayne & Chicago.	490 667	15 Jan. 12 43 Jan. 30	164 Feb. 1 464 Jan. 17
*29 31	*27 3012	3012	*27 30	30	29 29	Pittsburg & Western, pref Rio Grande Western	200	160 Jan. 24 29 Feb. 1	33½ Jan. 3
*116 117 *36 38	115 <sup>1</sup> 2 117 36 36	*116 117 *35 37	*115½ 117 *35 38½	*113 114½ *35½ 38½	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Rome Watertown & Ogdensb. St. Louis Alt. & Terre Haute.	175	115 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub> Jan. 2 36 Jan. 28	117 <sup>1</sup> 2 Jan. 21 38 <sup>1</sup> 2 Jan. 18
*812 914	*4 45 <sub>8</sub> 85 <sub>8</sub>	*4 45 <sub>8</sub> 81 <sub>2</sub>	*8 8 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub>	*4 <sup>1</sup> 8 4 <sup>3</sup> 4 *8 <sup>1</sup> 4 8 <sup>7</sup> 8	"8 9	St. Louis Southwestern	310 350	4 <sup>1</sup> 4 Jan. 25 8 <sup>1</sup> 2 Jan. 29	4 <sup>3</sup> 4 Jan. 2 9 <sup>1</sup> 2 Jan. 18
*20 25 *90 100 *109 112 *	*90 100 109 112	*20 25 90¹8 90¹8	*20 25 *90 100 *108 112	*20 25 *90 100 *106 110	*90 100	St. Paul & Duluth	100	90 <sup>1</sup> e Jan. 15 109 <sup>1</sup> 2 Jan. 3	90 <sup>1</sup> 8 Jan. 15 110 Jan. 8
18 18 93 <sub>8</sub> 95 <sub>8</sub>	$\begin{array}{cccc} 17^{1}_{2} & 17^{5}_{8} \\ 9^{1}_{8} & 9^{5}_{8} \end{array}$	$108 112 17\frac{1}{2} 17\frac{3}{4} 8\frac{1}{2} 9\frac{1}{4}$	*108 112 17 <sup>1</sup> 2 17 <sup>3</sup> 4 8 <sup>3</sup> 4 9	17 <sup>1</sup> 2 18 9 9 <sup>3</sup> 8	1712 1778 8	Southern Pacific Co	1,940 19,674	17½ Jan. 24 8½ Jan. 29	19 <sup>1</sup> 4 Jan. 2 10 <sup>3</sup> 4 Jan. 4
3234 33 878 878	30 <sup>7</sup> 8 32 <sup>7</sup> 8 8 <sup>1</sup> 2	2912 3034 818 814	30 <sup>1</sup> 4 30 <sup>7</sup> 8 8 <sup>1</sup> 8 8 <sup>3</sup> 8	3012 3134	31½ 33 838 8¾	Do., pref. voting trust. cert. Texas & Pacific	23,341 3,640	29½ Jan. 29 8⅓ Jan. 30	37 Jan. 8 938 Jan. 11
*38 50	*38 50	*40 45	*1½ 2 *38 45	*40 45	*134 2	Foledo Ann Arbor & N. Mich. Foledo & Ohio Central	260	134 Jan. 10 41 Jan. 14	2 <sup>1</sup> 2 Jan. 2 41 Jan. 14
*70½ 80 9 9 *3½ 378	*70½ 81 8 <sup>7</sup> 8 9 *3½ 3 <sup>7</sup> 8	$\begin{array}{ccc} 75 & 75 \\ 81_2 & 85_8 \\ 31_2 & 31_2 \end{array}$	*70½ 75 8½ 858 *3 3¼	*70\frac{1}{9} 75 9\frac{1}{8} 9\frac{7}{8} *2\frac{3}{4} 3\frac{1}{4}	*70½ 75 978 10¼ *3 378	Do pref. Union Pacific	7,677	73 Jan. 14 8½ Jan. 25 3½ Jan. 11	73 Jan. 14 1178 Jan. 15 334 Jan. 11
*3½, 3 <sup>7</sup> 8 5 <sup>7</sup> 8 5 <sup>7</sup> 8 13 <sup>5</sup> 8 13 <sup>3</sup> 4	*3½ 37 <sub>8</sub> 6½ 6½ 133 <sub>8</sub> 137 <sub>8</sub>	534 578 1238 13	584 584 1284 1278	558 6 13 13 <sup>1</sup> 2	0 0	WabashDo pref.	1,610 6,975	558 Jan. 31 1238 Jan. 29	6 <sup>1</sup> 2 Jan. 17 14 <sup>1</sup> 2 Jan. 15
*97 <sub>8</sub> 10 38 391 <sub>9</sub>	93 <sub>4</sub> 97 <sub>8</sub> 381 <sub>8</sub> 383 <sub>4</sub>	$9 95_8 371_2 38$	934 934 3734 3734	$95_8$ $93_4$ $375_8$ $375_8$	978 1018 1 38 3858	Wheeling & Lake Erie	1,485 1,491	9 Jan. 29 37 <sup>1</sup> 2 Jan. 29	11 Jan. 5 41 8 Jan. 15
*3 4	3 3	*212 312	*24 3	*214 314		Wisc. Cen. Co., voting tr. ctfs.	100	234 Jan. 9	3 Jan. 14
$\begin{array}{ccc} 22\frac{1}{4} & 22\frac{3}{4} \\ 67\frac{1}{2} & 67\frac{1}{2} \\ 89\frac{1}{8} & 90 \end{array}$	213 <sub>8</sub> 22 663 <sub>4</sub> 67 891 <sub>6</sub> 903 <sub>4</sub>	19½ 20½ 63¼ 63¼	1834 191 <sub>2</sub> 64 64	$\begin{array}{ccc} 19 & 20 \frac{1}{8} \\ 62 \frac{1}{9} & 64 \\ 90 & 90 \frac{3}{4} \end{array}$	04 04	Merican Cotton Oil Co Do pref.	5,366 1,322	18% Jan. 30 62½ Jan. 31 86½ Jan. 3	24 <sup>1</sup> 2 Jan. 18 70 Jan. 22 92 Feb. 1
89 <sup>1</sup> 8 90 91 <sup>3</sup> 4 91 <sup>3</sup> 4 92 93	$\begin{array}{cccc} 89\frac{1}{9} & 90\frac{3}{4} \\ 91\frac{1}{2} & 92 \\ 92\frac{7}{8} & 93\frac{1}{2} \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{ccc} 89 & 90 \\ 90^{1} 2 & 91 \\ 92^{1} 4 & 93^{3} 8 \end{array}$	89 <sup>1</sup> 4 90 <sup>3</sup> 8 90 <sup>1</sup> 4 90 <sup>1</sup> 4 92 <sup>3</sup> 4 93	$\begin{array}{cccc} 90 & 90 & 90 & 90 & 90 & 90 & 90 & 90 &$	91 91	American Sugar Refining Co. Do pref. American Tobacco Co	2,271 9,165	904 Jan. 8	92½ Jan. 19 99¾ Jan. 2
*108 110 72½ 73½	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	108 <sup>1</sup> 8 108 <sup>1</sup> 8 71 <sup>1</sup> 8 72 <sup>1</sup> 8	107 107 7134 7312	1077 <sub>8</sub> 108 731 <sub>4</sub> 745 <sub>8</sub>	$74^{1}_{2}$ $76$	Do pref. Chicago Gas Co., trust rec'ts	320 3 87,779	107 <sup>1</sup> 2 Jan. 28 Jan. 15	110 Jan. 18 78 <sup>1</sup> 4 Jan. 11
127 127 91 <sub>4</sub> 95 <sub>8</sub>	$126\frac{1}{9}$ $127$ $9\frac{1}{4}$ $9\frac{1}{9}$	126 126 8 9 <sup>1</sup> 8	125 127 <sup>1</sup> 4 8 <sup>3</sup> 8	*12512 12712 838 9	$^{*126}_{8^{1_{2}}}$ $^{129}_{8^{7_{8}}}$ I	Consolidated Gas Company Distilling & Cattle Feeding Co	1,213 1 46,250	126 Jan. 29 J 778 Jan. 30	131 <sup>1</sup> 4 Jan. 9 11 <sup>1</sup> 2 Jan. 14
33 <sup>1</sup> 8 33 <sup>1</sup> 2 28 <sup>3</sup> 4 33 79 <sup>1</sup> 6 81 <sup>1</sup> 4	2958 3318 2734 2938 7814 7970	2834 3038 2818 3014	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	29 31 <sup>1</sup> 4 30 <sup>3</sup> 4 32 <sup>1</sup> 4	28 <sup>3</sup> 8 30 <sup>1</sup> 4 0 32 33 <sup>1</sup> 2 N 82 82	Seneral Electric Co	94,510 38,201 5,883	2838 Feb. 1 2734 Jan. 28	35½ Jan. 10 38 Jan. 18 84¾ Jan. 16
$\begin{array}{cccc} 79^{1_8} & 81^{1_4} \\ 2^{7_8} & 2^{7_8} \\ *11 & 12^{1_2} \\ 20 & 20 \end{array}$	7814 7978 *278 3 *11 1212	$ \begin{array}{cccc} 79 & 80 \\ 2^{7_8} & 2^{7_8} \\ 11^{1_2} & 11^{1_2} \end{array} $	7934 81 234 3 *1012 1212	80 <sup>1</sup> 2 81 *2 <sup>3</sup> 4 3 <sup>1</sup> 4 *10 12 <sup>1</sup> 2	318 314 N	Do pref. North American Co Oregon Improvement Co	5,883 1,190 60	78 <sup>1</sup> 4 Jan. 28 2 <sup>8</sup> 4 Jan. 30 11 Jan. 2	3 <sup>5</sup> 8 Jan. 7 11 <sup>1</sup> 2 Jan. 10
10012 *	21 21 <sup>5</sup> 8 *	20½ 20½ *	2034 2034	20 20 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub>	101 <sup>1</sup> 4 F	ripe Line Certificates	3,393 4,000	20 Jan. 26 9512 Jan. 41	235 <sub>8</sub> Jan. 18 .00 Jan. 31
157 157 *5934	1574 1574	1544 1544 *	154 <sup>1</sup> 2 157 *60	156 156 *60 <sup>1</sup> 8	*154 <sup>1</sup> 2154 <sup>1</sup> 2 F *60 <sup>1</sup> 8 S	Pullman Palace Car Company ilver Bullion Certificates	600 1	154 Jan. 2 1 60 Jan. 10	57 Jan. 17 60 Jan. 10
14 14	14 1478	1314 1419	1458 1478	14% 14%	14 <sup>1</sup> 2 14 <sup>7</sup> 8 T	Cennessee Coal & Iron Do pref.	5,685	134 Jan. 29	1678 Jan. 18 812 Jan. 4
43 <sub>4</sub> 47 <sub>8</sub> 8 8 *91 <sub>4</sub> 103 <sub>6</sub>	4 <sup>5</sup> 8 5 8 <sup>1</sup> 4 8 <sup>1</sup> 2 8 <sup>1</sup> 2 8 <sup>1</sup> 2	4 <sup>1</sup> 2 4 <sup>7</sup> 8 8 7 <sup>7</sup> 8 8	45 <sub>8</sub> 5 8 81 <sub>4</sub> 10 10	5 5 8 <sup>1</sup> 4 8 <sup>5</sup> 8 *9 <sup>1</sup> 4 10 <sup>1</sup> 4	812 912	Inited States Cordage Co Do pref. Inited States Leather Co	5,210 2,782 128	10 Jan. 30	13½ Jan. 4 11½ Jan. 7
621g 621g 42 421g	60½ 61½ 41¼ 41½	$60\frac{1}{2}$ $61\frac{1}{2}$ $39\frac{3}{4}$ $40\frac{1}{2}$	61 <sup>1</sup> 2 61 <sup>7</sup> 8 39 <sup>3</sup> 4 40 <sup>7</sup> 8	62 62 <sup>7</sup> 8 41 41 <sup>1</sup> 4	62 <sup>1</sup> 2 63 <sup>1</sup> 2 42 42 <sup>1</sup> 4 [	Do pref.	2,835 2,902	60 Jan. 28 3934 Jan. 29	65 <sup>5</sup> 8 Jan. 17 45 Jan. 2
8718 8714	8658 8718	86 86%	864 8678	8658 8738	8712 8818 V	Vestern Union Telegraph	35,780	86 Jan. 29	88 Jan. 12

<sup>\*</sup>These are bid and asked: no sale made.

### NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES (Continued) -INACTIVE STOCKS.

(‡ Indicates actual sales.)

1	Feb.	1.	Range (sale	es) in 1895.	INACTIVE STOCKS.	Feb.	1.	Range (sai	les) in 1893
INACTIVE STOCKS  ¶ Indicates unlisted.	Bid.	Ask.	Lowest.	Highest.	¶ Indicates unlisted.	Bid.	Ask.	Lowest.	Highest.
Railroad Stocks. bany & Susquehanna100			::::	::::	Toledo Peoria & Western100 Toledo St. L. & Kansas City ¶100 Miscellaneous Stocks.	1	3	::::	::::
oston & N. Y. Air Line pref. 100 rooklyn Elevated \[ \]100	919	11 22	22 Jan.	22 Jan.	Adams Express	140 43	45	140 Jan.	1441 Jan.
affalo Rochester & Pittsburg 100 Preferred 100	20	60	58 Jan.	58 Jan.	American Express	1109		109 Feb. 91 Jan.	113 Jan. 934 Jan.
Sarl. Cedar Rapids & Nor100 Seveland & Pittsburg50	48 156	160	156 Jan.	157½ Jan.	Bay State Gas \( \) 50 Brunswick Company 100	1 1934	214		24 Jan.
Preferred100	22	30	30 Jan.	30 Jan.	Chie, June, Rv. & Stock Yaras. 100	*****		95 Jan.	95 Jan
Preferred \( \)	6	9	3½ Jan.	31 <sub>2</sub> Jan.	Preferred	******	75	21 <sub>2</sub> Jan.	4% Jan
lint & Pere Marquette100 Preferred100	719	45			Commercial Cable	130	35	33 Jan.	33½ Jan
c. Bay Win. & St. P. tr. rec100	1 178		1 Jan. 2 Jan.	178 Feb. 358 Jan.	Edison Electric Illuminating 100 Erie Felegraph & Felephone 100	1 96%	97	95 Jan. 49½ Jan.	102 Jan 54 Jan
Preferred trust rects100 Juston & Texas Central100			88 Jan.	88 Jan.	Interior Conduit & Ins. Co100 Laclede Gas100	1 24%	2514		2778 Jan
l inois Central leased lines100 anawha & Michigan100 cokuk & Des Moines100	‡ 8i <sub>2</sub>		8 lg Feb. 3 Jan.	9 ½ Jan. 3 Jan.	Preferred100 Lehigh & Wilkesbarre Coal ¶	1 84 9			87 Jan 20 Jan
Preferred100 ouisy, Evansy, & St. L. Cons.100	13		15 <sup>1</sup> 4 Jan.	15½ Jan.	Maryland Coal, pref100 Michigan-Peninsular Car Co100			50 Jan.	50 Jan
ouisv. St. Louis & Texas100	105	115			Preferred			40 Jan.	52 Jan 40 Jan 1834 Jan
Preferred	† 97		97 Feb.	103 Jan.	National Linseed Oil Co100 National Starch Mfg. Co100	5	8 9	5 Jan. 6 Jan.	6 Jan
Iexican Central			160 Jan.	164 Jan.	New Central Coal 100 Ontario Silver Mining 100	8	12	310 Jan.	320 Jan
Preferred 100		1000000	100	1171. Ton	Pennsylvania Coal 50 Postal Telegraph—Cable ¶ 100 Quicksilver Mining 100		219		2 <sup>1</sup> 4 Jar
Y. Lack. & Western	60			117 <sup>1</sup> 4 Jan. 2 Jan.	Preferred100 Texas Pacific Land Trust100			1234 Jan.	13 4 Jan 734 Jan
eoria & Eastern	157	3	1000		U. S. Cordage, guaranteed100 U. S. Express100	184	1914	17 Jan.	23 Jan 45 Jan
itts. & Western pf       50         ensselaer & Saratoga       100         io Grande Western pref       100	181	122	29 Feb. 180 Jan.	1180 Jan.	U. S. Rubber preferred100 Wells, Fargo Express100	1 9212		92 Feb. 105 Jan.	9419 Jan

<sup>\*</sup> No price Friday; latest price this week.

t Actual sales.

### NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES.—STATE BONDS FEBRUARY 1.

SECURITIES.	Bid.	Ask.	SECURITIES.	Bid.	Ask.	SECURITIES.	Bid.	Ask.
Alabama—Class A, 4 to 51906	104		Missouri—Fund1894-1895 North Carolina—6s, oldJ&J			Tennessee-6s, old1892-1898 6s, new bonds1892-8-1900		
Class B, 5s	94		Funding act		2	do new series		
Arkansas—6s, fund, Hol. 1899-1900 do. Non-Holford 7s Arkansas Central BR	170	10	Special tax, Class I	98	128	Redemption 4s1907	90 100	
Louisiana—78, cons	110		6s		106	Virginia funded debt, 2-3s1991	59	594

New York C January 26, 189	ity Bank 5. We omi	Statement t two cipher	for the rs (00) in	e week	ending es.
BANKS.	Canital Sun	nl's Loans.	Specie.	Legals.	Deposits

(00s omitted.)	Capital	Surpl's	Loans.	Specie.	Legals.	Deposits
	ф		\$	\$	\$	\$
Don't of Now York	2 000 0	2,044,3	13,010,0	2,170,0	2,500,0	13,950,0
Bank of New York	2 050 0	1,976,4	12,999,0 10,294,0	1,267,0 2,091,0 1,402,0 3,564,2	4,955,0	16,250,0
Manhattan Co	2,000.0	981,3	10,294,0	2,091,0	2,095,5	12,986,8
Mannatian Co. Merchants' Mechanics' America. Phenix City Tradesmen's.	2,000,0 2,000,0 3,000,0	2.150.9	9,926,0	1,402,0	1,659,0	24,426,2 5,079,0 24,172,0 2,305,6 30,522,1
A morios	3,000,0	2,22×,3 419,2	20,316,9	3,564,2	4,405,9	24,426,2
Phonix	1,000,0	419,2	4,467,0 17,704,1 1,923,5	504,0	1,512,0	5,079,0
City	1,000,0	2,999,7	17,704,1	8,664,2	1,548,0	24,172,0
Tradesmen's	750,0	2,999,7 173,9 7,311,5 147,6	1,923,5	372,4	631,0	2,300,0
		7,311,5	27,054,0 3,753,7 6,420,1	2,809,2	8,044,2 814,7	1 612 0
Merchants' Exch'ge	600,0	147,6	0, 100, 1	2,803,2 817,0 512,2 171,9 270,0	2,440,8	4,642,9 7,041,3
Gallatin National		1,000,0	0,420,1	171 9	476,9	1 758 8
Butchers'&Drovers'	300,0	271,4 413,3	1,507,4 2,460,0	270.0	340,0	1,758,3 2,450,0
Mechanics' & Trad's	400,0	1774 1	1,111,2	138,6	218,6	1.115.6
Greenwich	200,0 600,0 300,0 1,200,0	519,9 117,8 486,7 2,302,0	3,061,9	368,0	598,0	1,115,6 2,876,7
Leather Manufac'rs	200,0	1178	3,061,9 1,593,7 3,047,0 22,887,0 21,062,2	253,8	321,0	1,950,9
Seventh National State of New York American Exchange	1 200,0	486.7	3 047.0	3.4.2	700 9	2,405,1
State of New York.	5,000,0	2 302.0	22.887.0	1 955 0	5,074,0 4,482,1 816,5 1,522,7 517,2 2,376,6 1,288,6	19,696,0
American Exchange	5,000,0	3,563,2	21,062,2	1,655,9	4,482,1	18,202,9 6,305,9 9,087,6 3,818,2
Commerce	1,000,0	1,628,9		1,113.1	816,5	6,305,9
Broadway. Mercantile Pacific Republic Chatham	1,000,0		8,062,3 2,946,2	1,66 ,6 591,2	1,522,7	9,087,6
Pacific	1,500,0	481,6	2,946,2	591,2	517,2	3,818,2
Renublic	1,500,0	973,0	11 535 1	1,233,6 901,6	2,376,6	12,040,4
Chatham	450,0	977,8	5,483,2	901,6		6,214,9
People's	200,0	481,6 973,0 977,8 262,0 604,9 1,911,2	5,483,2 2,235,2 5,626,5	251,4	643,0	3,373,6 5,946,0
North America	700,0	604,9	5,626,5	760,3 4,159,6 493,3	970,5 3,639,2 666,8	21,002,3
Hanover	1,000,0	1,911,2	16,234,9	4,109,0	5,055,4	3,162,0
People's North America Hanover Irving Citizen's Nassau Market & Fulton	500,0	340,0	2,750,0 3,243,4	533,8	395,3	3,840,6
Citizen's	600,0 500.0	402,8	2,145,6	474,3	950,3	3,372,5
Nassau	500,0 750,0	272,7 825,6		531,3	1,098,9	5.220.9
Market & Fulton	1 000,0	34,0	2 735 0	518.0	600,0	3,353.0
Market & Fulton. Shoe & Leather. Corn Exchange. Continental. Oriental	1,000,0	1 998 9	2,735,0 8,792,3 5,211,8	1,682,9 1,064,0	2.286,0	11,203,0 6,619,1
Corn Exchange	1,000,0	1,228,2 218,7	5 211.8	1.064,0	2,286,0 857,6	6,619,1
Continental	300,0	423,5	1,953,0	221,0	324,1	1 884 0
Oriental Importers'&Traders Park East River Fourth National Central National Second National Ninth National First National Third National	1,500,0 2,000,0 250,0	5.541.1	21,668,0	3,629,0	324,1 4,974,0	24,532,0 32,864,9 1,025,6
Ports & Hadels	2,000,0	0 105 8	26,605,0	5.546,2	5,306,6	32,864,9
Toot River	250,0	142,3 2,021,1 481,0 567,2	1,099,2	106,5	240,5	1,025,6
Fourth National	3,200,0	2,021,1	19,675,6	3,618,6	2,138,6	20,664,7
Central National	2,000,0	481,0	9,383,0 5,097,0	2,110,0 947,0	2,915,0 1,443,0	12,714,0 6,775,0
Second National	300,0	567,2	5,097,0	947,0	1,445,0	
Ninth National	750,0	397.6	4,161,5	749,4	465,6 6,177,9 1,400,2	26,567,0 10,779,7 1,450,3 2,992,0
First National	500,0	7,288,0	26,239,1 8,593,9	1,298,3	1,400.2	10,779.7
Third National	1,000,0	210,0	8,090,9	2,013,4 127,5	382,3	1,450.3
N.Y. Nat. Exchange	1,000,0 300,0 250,0	119,7 556,4 529,3 280,8	1,326,3 $2,571,0$	452,0	574 0	2,992.0
Be wery	200,0	500,4	3,033,5	788,2	574,0 157,6	3,566,5
New York County	750.0	280.8	2,677.9	275.5	025 0	2 107 2
German American.	500.0	1 182 4	3,033,5 2,677,9 14,798,9 6,744,6	275,5 3,257,6 869,1	2,105,6 1,168,7 748,5 507,6	18,453,6
Chase National	100.0	1,182,4 1,040,5	6.744.6	869,1	1,168,7	7,665,9
Firm Avenue	200.0	640,0	2.899.0	5,616	748,5	3,614,5 3,571,2 6,048,9
German Exchange.	200.0	601,5	2,839,9	465,9	507,6	3,571,2
Finited States	500,0	601,5 508,5	4,859,2	882,9	919.4	0.048.3
Tincoln	300,0	515,2	5,673,3	1,089,9	712,4	6,486,3
Carfield	200,0	549,4	3,880,5	859,6	707,8	5,127,3
Fifth National	200,0	306,1	1,677,8	204,9	473,5 1,594,8	1,953,3
N. Y. Nat. Exchange Bc Wery. New York County. German American. Chase National. Fifth Avenue. Germania United States. Lincoln. Garfield. Fifth National Bank of the Metrop West Side.	300,0	306,1 757,2	3,880,5 1,677,8 4,746,8 2,344,0	795,2 236,0	1,094,8	6,553,8 2,641,0
West Side	200,0	297,8	2,344,0	230,0	535,0 959,0	5,497,0
Seaboard	500,0 200,0 2,100,0 2,200,0	235,2	4,575,0	609,0 290,0	225,0	1,670,0
Seaboard Sixth National	200,0	340,5	1,800,0 9,606,5		1,823,2	10,549,9
Western National.	2,100,0	345,5 244,9 872,6	4 161 0	1 168 0	773.0	4,925,0
First Nat. Br'klyn.	300,0	012,0	2,627,0	429 7	652,3	2,952,5
Western National. First Nat. Br'klyn. Southern National.	500,0	934,1	4,161,0 2,627,0 9,028,5	1.350.2	1.286.0	9,961.9
N tt. Unien Bank	1,200,0	334,3 106,5	1,360,4	1,350,2 23,5	1,286,0 511,7	9,961,9 1,405,4
Liberty Nat. Bank.		A CONTRACTOR OF THE PARTY OF TH		-		
Total	61.622.7	72,028,2	490,158,6	181,175,6	104,583,0	559,512,6

### New York City, Boston and Philadelphia Banks:

BANKS.	Capital & Surplus.	Loans.	Specie.	Legals.	Deposits.+	Circ'l'n	Clearings.
N. York.*	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Dec. 29	133,650,9	492,647,0	73,760,6	98,831,1	549,291,4	112947	423,842,8
Jan. 5	133,650,9	493,390,0	75,867,0	98,207,0	552,847,8	114051	563,487,2
" 12	133,650,9	489,682,6	75,512,7	1051302	555,402,8	114265	532,017,5
" 19	133,650.9	490.332.9	77.955.3	1080855	562,302,9	114121	513,861,0
" 26	133,650,9	490,158,6	81,175,6	1045830	559,512,6	113209	495,021,0
Boston.*							
Jan. 12	69,351,8	173,177,0	12,314,0		167,535,0		89,464,5
" 19	69,351,8	173,626,0	12,422,0	7,456,0	167,132,0	6,929,0	88,241,1
" 26	69,351.8	193,406,0	12,421,0	7,510,0	163,447,0	6,923,0	83,471,4
Phila.*	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,						
Jan. 12	35.810.3	110,117,0	32,2	80,0	112,551,0		62,845,3
" 19		109,827,0	32,8	22,0	112,681,0	5,341,0	66,499,7
" 26		109,234,0	32.4		111,380,0	5,333,0	64,060,9

<sup>\*</sup> We omit two ciphers in all these figures. + Including for Boston and Philadelphia the item "due to other banks."

### Miscellaneous and Unlisted Bonds:

Miscellaneous Bonds.	1	Miscellaneous Bonds.		
Boston Un. Gas tr. certs., 54-		MichPenin. Car 1st 5s		
	b.	Mutual Union Teleg6s g	*111	b
Col. C. & I. Devel. gu. 58 * 93	12 1	Nat. Linseed Oil deb. 6s, g		
	122.	N. Y. & N. J. Telep. gen. 5s	103	b.
	a.		1074	ab.
Cons.Gas CoChic.—1stgu.5s 81		People's Gas & C. 1 1st g. 6s.		
Consol. Coal conv. 6s 102	h	Co., Chicago 12d g. 6s.	*104	b.
Det. Gas con. 1st 5s		1st con 4. g. 6s	90	a.
Edison Elec. Ill. Co. —1st 5s . *107	73.0			
	-4u.	South Yuba Water Co.con.6s.		
Do of Bklyn., 1st 5s	3 a.		* 98	
	2.0		1111	oh
			110	ZD.
Henderson Bridge-1st g. 6s. 11:		Western Union Teleg.	110	D.
Illinois Steel deb. 58 80	) b.	Wheel. L. E. & Pitts. Coal 1st 5s		
Non-conv. deb. 98 80	) b.	Unlisted Bonds.	1	
Manhat. Beach H. & L. g. 4s. * 46			5	b.
Metropol. Tel. & Tel. 1st 5s	~ ~ .	Mem. & Charleston-Con. 7 g.		
Metropol. 161. & 161. 180 08	***	I TOTAL COMMENCE COME. S.		_

Note.-"b" indicates price bia; "a" price asked. \* Latest price this week Bank Stock List-Latest prices this week. (\*Not listed.)

BANKS.	Bid.	Ask.	BANKS.	Bid.	Ask.	BANKS.	Bid.	A8
America Am. Exch	200 154	210 156	Gallatin Garfield	300	195	N.Y.Nat.Ex Ninth.	100 122	125

ı	DANDO.	DIG.	TOR.	BILLIEN	20200			-	-
-		200 154 232	210 156 250 165	Gallatin	112	125	N.Y.Nat.Ex Ninth. 19th Ward. N. America. Oriental	122	125 150 240
-	Chase	118 450 330 4000	125 365 4800	Greenwich Hanover Hud. River Im. & Trad's'	160 300 150 500	325 540	Pacific Park People's Phenix	173 275 114	300 290 125
	Citizens' Columbia Commerce	130 180	145 185	Leather Mfs' Lincoln Manhattan Market& Ful	565 180	155 210 190	Prod. Ex.* Republic Seaboard Second	148 169 300	165 171
	Continental Corn Exch. Deposit East River. 1 th Ward.		295 165	Mechanics' M'chs' & Trs' Mercantile Merchants'	180 140 150 130	190 165 185 135	Shoe& Le'th Southern Stateof N.Y. Third	150 103 105	68 165 108
	Fifth Ave Fifth* First N., S. I.	2500 114 170	125	Nassau New York	$100 \\ 150 \\ 227$	465 165 237	Tradesm'n's 23d Ward* Union* Un'd States Western	180	210
	Fourth	180	187	N.Y. Co'nty.	1530		West Side		

### BOSTON, PHILADELPHIA AND BALTIMORE STOCK EXCHANGES.

	USIUM,	THIL	ADEL	I HIA A	ID DA	TILL	UKE	2100	CK EXCH	ANGE		
Active Stocks.		1		Prices - p	ot Per	Cent	am P	rices.		Sales of the	Range of sa	les in 1895.
¶ Indicates unlisted.	Jan. 26.		onday, n. 28.	Jan. 29.	Wedne Jan.		Thurs Jan.		Friday, Feb. 1.	Week, Shares.	Lowest.	Highest.
W.N. & Pa.tr.ree	*60**60**60**60**60**65**65**65**65**65*	***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  **  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  **  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  **  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  **  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  **  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  **  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  **  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  ***  *  **	770 1914 1914 1914 1914 1914 1914 1914 191	*60¾ *60¾ *71 14¾ 14½ 210 210 199 199 167 11 11 11 *50 70½ 70½ *10 *2 84¼ 84⅓ *50½ 51 32¾ 33 *126 90½ 92½ *58 62 64 64 4²2½ 28 *15½ 16 *15½ 16 *15½ 26 *15½ 36 *15½	*14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 1	75 71 14 34 14 19 209 168 14 50 71 51 78 50 71 51 78 50 71 66 19 66 25 16 49 19 66 25 16 49 19 17 18 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19	**************************************	14% 2084 200 16814	419 414 **50 1-00 **6219 63 70 70 **1478 1514 *208 20819 **15 1514 *208 20819 **168 168 **11 12 **50 52 **7134 7214 *5618 5678 **12 1219 **25 50 **142 1219 **25 50 **15 151 **21 1219 **25 50 **33 83 **33 34 *51 51 *51 51 *50 40 **30 38 **33 34 *51 51 *51 51 *50 40 **30 38 **33 34 *51 51 *50 40 **30 38 **33 34 *51 51 *50 40 **30 38 *	2233 366 319 185 12,925 13,400 777 212 1,232 2 14,589 5,080 251 250 5,080 2,225 5,080 2,225 1,092 1,092 1,092 2,225 5,080 2,080 2,08	50 Jan. 23   61	60
Lehi'h Coal&Nav. (Phila.) 5( N. E. Telephone (Boston) 100 North American (Phil.) 100 West End Land(Boston) § 3d instalment paid.	4678 467 *68 681 3 3 *2118 21	78 47 68 48 *21 <sub>1</sub>	47 <sup>1</sup> 8 68	48 48 68 68 3 3 21 <sub>18</sub> 21 <sub>1</sub> no sale wa	47 68	47 68 21 <sub>16</sub>	48 *671 <sub>4</sub>	48 68	*47½ 48 67¾ 68	99 105 580 895	22% Jan. 9 46% Jan. 25 67 Jan. 2 3 Jan. 25 2 Jan. 30	23½ Jan. 2 49½ Jan. 5 69 Jan. 18 3½ Jan. 17 2⅓ Jan. 10
Inactive Stocks.	Bið.	Ask.		Inactive			Bid.	Ask.		Bond	ls.	Bid. Ask.
Delaware & Bound Br. (Phila.) Flint & Pere Marq. (Boston) Preferred. (Phila.) Kan. Cy Ft.S. & Mem. (Boston) Preferred. (Phila.) Kan. Cy Ft.S. & Mem. (Boston) Preferred. (Phila.) Mine Hill & S. Haven (Phila.) Mine Hill & S. Haven (Phila.) Northern N. H. (Boston) North Pennsylvania. (Phila.) North Pennsylvania. (Phila.) Oregon Short Line. (Boston) Pennsylvania & N. W. (Phila.) Preferred. (Boston) West Jersey & Atlan. (Boston) Preferred. (Boston) Allantion Mining and Weldon (Boston) Atlantic Mining. (Boston) Bay State Gas § (Boston) Belectric Traction. (Phila.)	100	139 250 139 250 139 250 155 50 159 419 72 1014 33 6184 8618 3618 36184 37 111 1019 419 90 7514	Burl. & Non-e-Plain Chic. B 2d m Debet Chic. B Iowa Chic. & Consol. Current Det. La Eastern Free, El Unsta K.C. C. & K.C. F. K.C. Me K.C. St. L. Rock Louis, J. 2m., E. Mar. H Mexica 1st co 2d cool 1. Y. & 1st m 2d mc Ogden. Inc. 6 Ru tlan 2d, 5s Alleghe Catawis Clearfie Connect Children Children Children Connect Children Children Children Connect Children Connect Children Connect Children Connect Children Connect Children Children Children Connect Children C	United Ga- Mo. River E xxempt 68 48 url. & Nor. 1 ort. 68 url. & Ga- url. & Quino; Division 48. w. Mich. gen of Vermon t River, 1st, ns. & Nor'n 1 n 1st mort 6 k. & M. V. 1 k. & M. V. 1 k. & M. V. 1 k. & M. Con. k. & Spring, 1st S. & M. con. k. & F. S., 1st Ev. & St. L., 1st Ev. & St. L., 1st Cot. 68 nrt. 68 ort.	xe npt 6 1918 1918 1918 1918 1919 1919 58, 192 58, 192 58, 192 58, 192 68, 193	s, J&J , J&J , J&J , J&B, J&D , J&B, J&D , J&B, J&D , J&B, J&B, J&B, J&B, J&B, J&B, J&B, J&B	\$1156 \$106 \$984 \$987 \$987 \$629 \$121 \$629 \$121 \$127 \$689 \$121 \$127 \$127 \$127 \$127 \$127 \$127 \$127	10749 100 100149 100 10019449 100 9449 100 9449 100 85 65 123 128 128 128 126 12319 105 95 105 105 105 105 105 105 105 105 105 10	lat pref. i 2d pref. i 2d pref. i 3d pref. i 2d, 7s Consol. m Consol. m Improved Con. M., 5 Terminal Phil. Wilm, Pitts. C. & Schuyl. R. E Steuben. & I Union Terr Warren & I Bonds. Atlanta & C Baltimore Balt. C. Pas Baltimore Exten. & No. Balt. CapeF. & Ya Series B., Cent. Onio, Ceut. Pass. Charl. Col. & Georgia Pa North. Con 6s Series A, 4'98 Piedm. & C Pitts. &	Income,   Income,   Income,   S   Income,   S   Income,   S   Income,   S   Income   Income   S   Income   In	4 g., 1958, J&J 5 g., 1958, Feb. J 5 g., 1958, Feb. J g., 1958, Feb. J g., 1958, Feb. J 1913, J&D 1911, J&D 1911, J&D 5 g., 1897, A&O 1911, J&D 5 g., 1897, A&O 1911, J&D 5 g., 1897, J&D 5 g., 1897, J&D 1011, J&D 105, J&	20 <sup>1</sup> 4   21   10 <sup>3</sup> 8   11 <sup>1</sup> 4   7 <sup>3</sup> 8   11 <sup>3</sup> 1   10 <sup>3</sup> 1
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### NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES (Continued)-ACTIVE BONDS FEB. 1 AND FOR YEAR 1895.

RAILEOAD AND MISCEL. BONDS.	Intert	Price	Range (sale	in 1895.	RAILROAD AND MISCEL. BONDS.		Price	Range (sale	
	101000	Feb. 1.	Lowest.	Highest.	De data al	Period	Feb. 1.	Lowest.	Highest.
Amer. Cotton Oil, deb., 8g.1900	Q-F	107 b. 6434	111 Jan. 63 Jan.	113 Jan. 67 Jan.	Pac. of Mo.—2d ext. 5s1938 St.L. & Ir. Mt.1st ext., 5s. 1897	F&A	*103 b.	103 Jan.	106½ Jan. 103¾ Jan.
At.Top.&S.F.—100-yr.,4g.1989 2d 3-4s, g., Cl. "A"1989	A & O	1838	164 Jan.	2018 Jan.	2d, 7 g	Mr & N	103 h	104 Ton	104 Jan.
Col Midiand—Colls., 4 8.1340	I OL A	17½b. 45½	1834 Jan. 4418 Jan.	21% Jan. 49 Jan.			77 0.	76 Jan.	99 Jan. 79½ Jan.
Atl. & Pac.—Guar., 4 g1937 W. D. income, 6s1910	J & J	4 a.	3 Jan.	3 Jan.	Module of Onio-New, 6 g., 1927	AT. 1)	110 0.	11612 Jan.	11734 Jan.
Union Elevated —6 g 1929	M & N	87 b. 86 b.	8734 Jan. 85 Jan.	89½ Jan. 87 Jan.	General mortgage, 4s1938 Nash. Ch. & St. L.—1st, 7s.1913	J & J	132	62 <sup>1</sup> 2 Jan. 132 Feb.	664 Jan. 132 Feb.
Conada Southern —181 DS 1908	ol ol ol	111	109 Jan.	111 Jan.	Nat'l Starch Mfg —1st. 6s 1920	A&O	100 92 h	100 Feb. 90½ Jan.	101 Jan. 9218 Jan.
2d, 5s		* 49 a.	105½ Jan. 50 Jan.	107 Jan. 50 Jan.	N.Y. Central—Deb. ext. 48.1905	M& N	103 b.	10258 Jan.	10234 Jan.
Central of N. J.—Cons., 78.1898	M&N	*113½a.	119¹ <sub>8</sub> Jan.	121 Jan.	1st, coupon, 7s	J&J M&S	121½b.	120½ Jan. 107¼ Jan.	1244 Jan. 1094 Jan.
		112	111 Jan.	11278 Jan.	N. Y. & Harlem, 7s, reg.1900 R. W. & Ogd., consol., 5s.1922	M&N	"11634b.	1174 Jan.	117 <sup>1</sup> 2 Jan.
Leh. &W.B.,con.,7s, as'd.1900	Q-M 2 M & N	105 b.	105 Jan. 92 Jan.	108 Jan. 92 Jan.	West Shore, guar., 4s2361 N. Y. Chic. & St. L.—4g1937	J & J	117 1043 <sub>4</sub>	117 Jan. 1044 Jan.	119 Jan. 105 Jan.
Am Dock & Imp 58 1921	J & J		112 Jan.	114 3 Jan.	N V Elavated 7g 1906	TET	1071ah	102½ Jan. 107½ Jan.	104 <sup>1</sup> 4 Jan. 108 Jan.
Central Pacific.—Gold, 6s.1898 Ches. & Ohio.—Ser. A, 6 g.1908	AAO	*119 b.	1027 <sub>8</sub> Jan. 1191 <sub>8</sub> Jan.	103½ Jan. 119¼ Jan.	N. Y. Lack. & W.—1st, 6s. 1921 Construction, 5s	J & J	132½b.	132 Jan.	1331 <sub>2</sub> Jan.
Mortgage, 6 g191	A&O	118 <sup>1</sup> 2a.	118½ Jan.	11934 Jan. 10712 Jan.	N.Y.L.E.&W.—1st,con.,7g.1920	M & S	*13218b.	131 Jan.	131 Jan.
General 4 <sup>1</sup> 28, g199	M & 8	7212	71 Jan.	754 Jan.	2d consol., 6 g1969 Long Dock, consol., 6s,g.1935	J & D	† 63 a.	†63 Jan.	65 Jan.
R. & A. Div., 1st con., 4g.1989	J & J	93 <sup>1</sup> 4a. 86 <sup>1</sup> 4a.	934 Jan.	94 Jan.	N. Y. N. H. & H.—Con. deb. etfs N. Y. Ont. & W.—Ref. 4s, g. 1992	A & O	130 <sup>1</sup> 2a. 138 b.	130 Jan. 137 Jan.	131 Jan. 141 Jan.
Ches, & Ohio.—Ser. A, 6 g.190; Mortgage, 6 g	M & S	9812	98½ Jan.	995 <sub>8</sub> Jan.	N. Y. Ont. & W.—Ref. 4s, g. 1992 Consol., 1st. 5s, g. 1939	M & S	90 109leh	88 Jan.	90 Jan. 111 <sup>1</sup> 2 Jan.
Debenture, 5s	3 M & N	100½a.	100 Jan.	121 Jan. 101 Jan.	Consol., 1st, 5s, g1939 N.Y.Sus.&W.—1stref.,5sg.1937	J & J	107 a.	107½ Jan.	108 Jan.
		102½ * 95loh.	102½ Jan. 96 Jan.	104 Jan. 9634 Jan.	Norf.&W.—100-year, 5s, g. 1910	A & O	* 90 a.	119 Jan.	119 Jan.
Denvertible 38	7 M & N	86 b.	874 Jan.	8934 Jan.	No. Pacific—1st, coup., 6g.1921	J & J	1134	11212 Jan.	11458 Jan.
Chia & E III lat a f 6s 100	TI & D	116 2	120 g Jan. 116 Jan.	120½ Jan. 116½ Jan.	Midland of N. J., 6s, g. 1910 Norf. & W.—100-year, 5s, g.1990 No. Pacific—1st, coup., 6 g.1921 General, 2d, coup., 6 g. 1933 General, 3d, coup., 6 g. 1937	J&D	85½b.	84 Jan. 34 Jan.	8934 Jan. 58 Jan.
Consol., 6 g	4 A & O	*124 b.	124 Jan.	12512 Jan.	Consol. mortgage, 5 g1989 Col. trust gold notes, 6s.1898	9 O' D	24.4	24 Jan.	2738 Jan. 7719 Jan.
Chicago & Erie.—1st., 5 g.198	2 M & N	97½ 83½b.	97 Jan. 33 Jan.	9834 Jan. 86 Jan.	Chic. & N. Pac., 1st, 5 g. 1940	A & O	† 3910	†37 Jan.	†41 Jan.
Income, 5s	2 Oct.	22 b. 92 b.		23 Jan. 94 Jan.	Seat. L. S. & E., 1st, gu. 6.1931 No. Pacific & Mont.—6 g 1938	M & S	† 40 b.	†42 Jan. 30½ Jan.	145 Jan. 3412 Jan.
Chic. Mil. & St. P.—Con. 78.190	5 J & J	125 b.	126 Jan.	126 Jan.	No. Pacific Ter. Co6 g1938 Ohio & MissCon. s. f., 7s.1898	J & J	99 a.	96 Jan.	10018 Jan.
1st, Southwest Div., 6s190 1st, So. Minn. Div, 6s191	0 00 0	114 b.	115 Jan. 116 Jan.	116¾ Jan. 117½ Jan.	Consol 78 1898	AT .	1*107 b	107 Jan. 107 Jan.	1074 Jan. 1074 Jan.
1st. Ch. & Pac. W. Div., 5s. 192	1 J & J	11012a.	1104 Jan.	11134 Jan.	Ohio Southern—1st, 6 g1921 General mortgage, 4 g1921	J & D	* 90 b.	92 Jan.	96 Jan. 43 Jan.
Chic. & Mo. Riv. Div., 5s. 192 Wisc. & Minn., Div., 5 g. 192	1 1 0 1	10912	104½ Jan. 107¼ Jan.	105½ Jan. 109½ Feb.	General mortgage, 4 g1921 Omaha & St. Louis—4 g1937	J&J	† 40 a	†35 Jan.	†35 Jan.
Terminal, 5 g191 Gen. M., 4 g., series A198	4 J & J	109 85 b.	1085 <sub>8</sub> Jan. 871 <sub>2</sub> Jan.	109 ½ Jan. 88 ½ Jan.	Oregon Impr. Co.—1st, 6 g.1910 Consol., 5 g	1 A & O	5110	40 Ton	99 Jan. 54 Jan.
M11. & Nor.—1st, con., 68.191	3 J & D	118 a.	116 Jan.	118 Jan.	Ore. R. & Nav. Co.—1st, 6 g. 1909	J & J	*106 b	10634 Jan.	108 Jan.
Chic. & N. W.—Consol., 7s.191 Coupon, gold, 7s190	5 Q-F	142 a.	14234 Jan. 12114 Jan.	1433 Jan. 12212 Jan.	Ore. R.& Nav. Co.—1st, 6 g. 1905 Consol., 5 g. 1925 Penn. Co.—4½ g., coupon. 1921 Peo. Dec. & Evansv.—6 g. 1920	J&J	1103 <sub>4</sub> a	109½ Jan.	75% Jan. 110½ Jan.
Sinking fund, 68	9 A OLU	120	120 Jan.	120 Jan. 1103 Jan.	Peo. Dec. & Evansy6 g. 1920 Evansy. Division, 6 g 1920	J&J	90 b.	94 Jan. 95½ Jan.	95 Jan. 97½ Jan.
Sinking fund, 5s192 Sinking fund, deben., 5s.193	3 M & N	110 <sup>1</sup> 2 108 <sup>1</sup> 2	109½ Jan. 106½ Jan.	110 Jan.	2d mortgage, 5 g1926	M & N	25 b	26 Jan.	28 Jan.
25-veer dehenture 58 190	9 W A N	107 D.	106 la Jan. 100 Jan.	108 Jan. 100 Jan.	Phila. & Read.—Gen., 4 g. 1958 1st pref. income, 5 g1958	3	22 a	68 Jan. 19 <sup>1</sup> 4 Jan.	744 Jan. 24 Jan.
Extension, 4s	7 J & J	12612b.	126 Jan.	127 Jan.	2d pref. income, 5 g1958 3d pref. income, 5 g1958 Pittsburg & Western—4 g.191	3	1019	10 Jan.	1534 Jan.
Extension and col., 5s193	4 J & J 1 M & S	100 <sup>7</sup> 8	100½ Jan. 91 Jan.	103 Jan. 913 Jan.	Pittsburg & Western-4g.191	J & J	* 812a	8034 Jan	11 Jan. 84½ Jan.
Extension and col., 5s193 30-year debenture, 5s193 Chic, St. P. M. & O.—6s193 Cleveland & Canton.—5s191 C. C. & I.—Consol., 7 g.191 Copport 193	0 J & D	12314	123 Jan.	1263 Jan.	Rio Gr. Western—1st, 4 g. 193 St. Jo. & Gr. Island—6 g. 192	J & J M & N	64 <sup>1</sup> 4	63 Jan.	68½ Jan. †59½ Jan.
C. C. C. & I.—Consol., 7 g.191	4 J & D	80 b.	199 Tan	85 Jan. 122 Jan.	St. L. & San Fr.—6 g., Cl. B. 190	Mark	114 2a	. 1144 Jan.	11412 Jan.
General consol., 6 g193 C.C.C.&St.L.—Peo.&E.,4s.194	4 J & J	*12214b.	1224 Jan.	1224 Jan. 77 Jan.	6 g., Class C	J&	116 a 10234b	. 114 Jan. . 102 Jan.	
Income, 4s	0 April.	18 a.			Cons. guar. 4s, g1996 St. L. So. West.—1st, 4s, g.1986	) A & (	524	5112 Jan.	54 Jan.
Col. Coal & Iron.—6 g190 Col.H.Val.&Tol.—Con.,5 g.193	1 M & S	* 93½b.		95 Jan. 895 <sub>8</sub> Jan.	2d, 4s, g., income	J & .	63 <sup>1</sup> 4 17 <sup>1</sup> 2	62 Jan. 16 <sup>1</sup> 8 Jan.	64 Jan. 194 Jan.
General, 6 g	4 J & D	88 114 b	88 Jan.	89 Jan.	St.P.M.&M.—Dak.Ex., 6g.191	M&N	119½b	. 11838 Jan.	119½ Jan. 120 Jan.
			79 Jan.	115 Jan. 81% Jan.	1st consol., 6 g	. J & .	J 102 a	. 1004 Jan.	10212 Jan.
Dul. So. Sh. & Atl.—5 g 193  Ft. W. & Denv. City.—6 g 192  Gal.H. & SanAn.—M. & P.D. 1st, 5  Gen. Electric, deb. 5s, g 192	7 J & J	96 70 b	96 Feb. 70 <sup>1</sup> 2 Jan.	99½ Jan. 74¼ Jan.	San Ant. & A.P.—1st,4g.,gu.,'4	3 J & .	5234	52 Jan. 52 Jan.	87 Jan. 56 Jan.
Gal.H.&SanAnM.&P.D.1st,5	g M & N	91	91 Jan.	9134 Jan.	Sav. Fla. & West.—1st,6 g.193	1 A & (		. 112 Jan.	117 Jan
Gen. Electric, deb. 58, g 192 Hous. & T. Cent., gen. 48, g. 192	1 A & O	90 62 <sup>1</sup> 4a	87 Jan. 61 <sup>1</sup> 2 Jan.	93½ Jan. 62¾ Jan.	So. Pacific, Cal.—6 g 1905-1 1st consol., gold, 5 g 193 So. Pacific, N. M.—6 g 191 Southern—1st cons. g., 5s. 199 E. Tenn. reorg. lien 4-5s. 193 E. Tenn. V. & G. on 5 g. 195	2 A &	110 b	. 10912 Jan.	110 Jan
Illinois Central.—4 g	2 A & O			9834 Jan.	1st consol., gold, 5 g193 So. Pacific, N. M.—6 g191	A &	J 90 b	90 Jan. 99½ Jan.	9034 Jan
4s, g. 195 Int. & Great Nor.—1st, 6 g.191 2d 4-5s. 190	9 M & N	* 97 b	. 11712 Jan.	119 Jan.	Southern—1st cons. g., 5s.199	4 J &	J 8614	8412 Jan.	8912 Jan
2d 4-5s	9 M & S	68 <sup>1</sup> 2b 87 a		71½ Jan. 86 Jan.			81 <sup>1</sup> 28 N 104 <sup>1</sup> 4	80½ Jan. 103¼ Jan.	83½ Jan 104½ Jan
Iowa Central.—1st, 5 g193 Kings Co. Elev.—1st, 5 g192	5 J & J	68	68 Jan.	71 Jan.	Georgia Pac. 1st 5-6s, g.192 Knoxv. & Ohio 1st 6s, g.192	2 J & .	J 107 b	1034 Jan. 110 Jan.	111 Jan
Laclede Gas.—181., 5 g191	7 J & J	*113 b	9034 Feb. 11212 Jan.		Rich. & Danv. con. 6s, g. 191	5 J & .	J 118 h	. 118 Jan.	119 Jan
L.Shore.—Con. ep., 1st, 7s. 190 Consol. coup., 2d, 7s 190	0 J & J	11678b	. 1163 Jan.		West No Car Istean 6s of 91	1 T &r	J 110 k	. 111 Jan. 77 Jan.	
			. 1174 Jan.	11734 Jan.	Tenn. C. I. & By.—Ten. D., 1st, 6  Birmingham Div., 6 g 191  Texas & Pacific—1st, 5 g 200  2d, income, 5 g 200  Tol. Ann Ar. & N. M.—6 g. 192	7 J &	J 84 8		
General mortgage, 4 g. 193 Louis, & Nash Cons., 7s.189 N.O. & Mobile, 1st, 6 g. 193 " 2d, 6 g. 193 " 2d, 6 g. 193	8 J & D	96 b	. 96 Jan. 1093 Jan.	97 Jan. 1104 Jan.	2d, income, 5 g200	0 March	1 2334	83½ Jan. 21½ Jan.	87 Jan 254 Jan
N.O. & Mobile, 1st, 6 g 193	0 J & J	100 20	. 117 Jan.	120 Jan.	Tol. Ann Ar. & N. M.—6 g. 192	4 M & 1	N *†81 h	78½ Jan.	182 Jan
			. 104 Jan. . 116 Jan.	104 Jan. 117 Jan.	Toledo & Ohio Cent.—5 g.193 Tol. St. L. & Kan. C.—6 g191	6 J & ]	D *160 &	1. 108½ Jan. 1. †59 Jan.	
Unified, 4 g194	0 J & J	7434	7434 Jan.	77 Jan.	Union Pacific—6 g189 Ext. sinking fund, 8189	9 J &	J 104	103 lg Jan.	
Unified, 4 g	7 J & J	81 a 85 a	. 83 Jan.	83 Jan.	Collateral trust, 442191	8 M &	N	. †41 Jan.	†41 Jan
Louis. N. A. & Ch.—18t., 68.191	P 20 P O	101 0	. 106 Jan.	110 Jan.	Gold 6s, col. trust notes. 189 Kan. PacDen. Div., 6 g. 189	4 F &	A 5512	85½ Feb. 105 Jan.	
Consol., 6 g	7 F & A	55 a			1st consol., 6 g191	9 M &	N 7018	70 Jan.	78 Jan
Manhattan consol. 4s199 Metro. Elevated.—1st, 6 g.190	00 A & O	974a	. 96 Jan. . 118 Jan.		Oregon Short Line-6 g192 Or.S.L.&Ut'hNCon.5g.191	9 A &	0 43 1	88 Jan. 41 <sup>1</sup> 2 Jan.	
2d. 6s189	9 M & N	107 b	. 1074 Jan.	10812 Jan.	U.P.Den.&Gulf,con., 5g.193	9 J & ]	D 371 <sub>2</sub>	35 Jan.	3978 Jan
Mich. Cent.—1st. cons., 78, 190	12 M & N	119 b	. 119 Jan. . 108 <sup>1</sup> 4 Jan.	10838 Jan.	U. S. Cord.—1st col., 6 g. 192 Virginia Mid.—Gen.M., 5s.193	6 M &	N 96128		
Congol 58	I M& N	1130 b	. 128 4 Jan.	130½ Jan.	Wohash_1st 5 g 193	9 M &	N 1051a	10434 Ton	105le Jan
Consol., 5s	00 17	#1101							
Consol., 5s	19 F OT A	82 <sup>7</sup> 8	81 Jan.	oos Jan.	Debent. M., series B193	9 J &	J * 22	a. 21 Jan	21 Jan
Consol., 5s	29 F & A 12 A & C 10 J & D	82 <sup>7</sup> 8 80	81 Jan. 7978 Jan.	82 Jan.	2d mortgage, 5 g. 193 Debent. M., series B. 193 West. N. & Pa.—1st, 5 g. 193 2d mortgage trust rects 192	9 J & 7 J & 7 A &	J * 22 5 J 10258	a. 21 Jan b. 1024 Jan c. 235 Jan	21 Jan 10312 Jan 2414 Jan
Consol., 5s	29 F & A 20 J & D 00 F & A 20 M & N	82 <sup>7</sup> 8 80 45 * 91 b	81 Jan. 79 <sup>7</sup> 8 Jan. 44 Feb. 95 Jan.	82 Jan. 4838 Jan.	Debent. M., series B193 West. N. Y. & Pa.—1st, 5 g. 193 2d mortgage trust rects. 192 West. Un. Tel.—Col. tr., 5s. 193 Wisc. Cent. Co.—1st, 5 g. 193	8 J &	J 107	106 Jan	108 ½ Jar

Note.—"b" indicates price bid; "a" price asked; the range is made up from actual sales only. \* Latest price this week. † Trust receipts.

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SECURITIES.	Bia.	Ask.	SECURITIES.	Bid.	Ask.	SECURITIES.	Bia.	Ask.
Railroad Bonds.	application of the		B. & O.— Jons. mort., gold,5s.1988	*****		B.R.&P.—Roch. P., 1st, 6s.1921 Roch. & Pitts.—Cons.1st, 6s.1922	*126	1184
(Stock Exchange Prices.)			B. & O. S. W., 1st, g., 41281990	*106		Burl Ced. Rap. & No.—1st, 5s.1906	106	10634
Alabama Mid.—1st, g., guar1928 A. T. & S. F.—2d, 4s, Class B.1989	******		Monon. River, 1st g., g. 5s1919 Cent'l Ohio Reor.—1st, 4 2s. 1930	*104%		Consol. & collat. trust, 5s1934 Minn & St. L.—1st, 7s, gu1927	*	136
Col. Mid. 1st, g., 6s	*62		Ak.& Ch. Junc.—1st,g,5s,gu.1930 Bost. H. Tun. & W.—Deb. 5s.1913			Iowa C. & West.—1st, 7s1909		
Atlantic & Dany.—1st g., 6s1917 Atl. & Pac.—2d W. D., gu. 6s, 1907			Brooklyn Elevated-2d, 5s1915		62	1st, 581921	85	
Balt. & Ohio—1st, 6s, Park B.1919	*118		Brunswick & W'n—1st, g. 4s, 1938 Buff, Ro h. & Pitts.—Gen., 5s.1937	974	99	C.Ohio—Col. & Cin.M.1st,4 <sup>1</sup> 28.1939 Cent. RR. & Fank.—Col. g.58.1937	*90	

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SECURITIES.	Bid.	Ask.	SECURITIES.	Bid.	ASK.	SECURITIES.	Bid.	Ask.
ent. of N. J.—Conv. deb., 6s.1908	115 100	117	Fla. Cen & Pen.—1st g. 5s1918	*105		Norfolk & South'n-1st, 5s,g.1941	102	
entral Pacific—Gold bds, 6s, 1895 Gold bonds, 6s1896	100		1st con. g., 5s	*9719	58			118
Gold bonds, 6s	100 <sup>1</sup> 2 102		Gal. Har. & San Ant.—1st, 6s. 1910 2d mort., 7s	* 924		New River 1st, 6s. 1931 Imp. & Ext., 6s. 1934 Adjustment M., 7s. 1924 Equipment 5s. 1908	*****	
Mort. gold 581939			Ga. Car. & NOr.—181. gn. 58. g. 1929			Equipment, 5s		
Land grant, 5s, g	*	95	Ga. So. & Fla.—1st, g. 6s1927 Grand Rap. & Ind.—Gen. 5s1924		25	Equipment, 5s. 1908 Clinch Val. 1st 5s. 1957 Roanoke So — 1st gu 5s g 1922		75
No. Railway (Cal.)—1st, 6s.1907	102		G. B. W. & St. P.—1st, con. 5s.1911 2d inc. 4s1906	40	55	Roanoke&So.—1st, gu. 5s, g.1922 Scioto Val. & N. E.—1st, 4s, 1990		7219
50-year 5s	91 1051 <sub>9</sub>		Housatonic—Cons. gold 5s1937	12412		Ohio & Miss—2d consol. 7s1911 Spring.Div.—1st7s1905	*	118
Uraig Valley—1st. g., 5s1940	100-3		N. Haven & Derby, Cons. 5s 1918 Hous. & T. C.—Waco & N. 7s 1903	114 106		General 5s. 1932 Ohio River RR.—1st, 5s. 1936 Gen. g.,5s 1937		
Warm Spr. Val., 1st, g. 5s. 1941 hes. O. & So. West.—1st 6s, g. 1911			1st g., 5s (int. gtd) 1937 Cons. g. 6s (int. gtd) 1912	100	10219	Gen, g.,5s	*****	
20, 68			Depent, 68, prin. & int. otd. 1897	85	90	Oregon & Califor.—1st, 5s, g.1927 Oreg. Ry&Nav.—Col. tr. g5s.1919	****	78
Oh. VGen.con.1st,gu.g,5s.1938 bicago & Alton—S. F., 6s1903	*1154	117	Debent. 4s, prin. & int. gtd.1897 Illinois Central—1st, g., 4s1951	109	83	Penn-P.C.C.&St.L.Cn.g.4128A1940 Do do Series B	*****	107 106
Louis. & Mo. River—1st, 7s.1900 2d, 7s1900	*110			95 *97		P.C.&S.L1st,c.,7s1900 Pitts. Ft. W. & C.—1st, 7s1912	****	
5t. L. Jacks. & Chic2d, 7s.1898	10719		Gold 4s. 1953 Cairo Bridge—4s. 1953 Springf. Div.—Coup., 6s. 1898 Middle Div.—Reg., 5s. 1921 C. St. L. & N. O.—Ten. 1., 7s. 1897 1st. consol. 7s.	1001		20. 78	13812	
Miss.R. Bridge—1st, s. f., 6s.1912 ic. Burl. & Nor.—1st, 5s1926	10519		Middle Div.—Reg., 5s1921	1034		30. 78	114	133
Debenture 68	95 *107		C. St. L. & N. O.—Ten.l., 7s.1897 1st, consol., 7s1897	108 <sup>1</sup> 9 105 <sup>1</sup> 9	110	Clev. & P.—Cons., s. fd., 7s.1900	*1174	
I wa Div.—Sink. fund, 5s1919	107	10134	2d, 6s. 1907 Gold, 5s, coupon 1951 Memp, Div., 1st g. 4s. 1951			Ch.St.L.&P.—1st,con.5s,g. 1932 Clev. & P.—Cons., s. fd., 7s. 1900 Gen. 4¹ss, g., "A" 1942 St. L.V. & T. H.—1st, 6s., 7s. 1897	10519	
Sinking fund, 4s	*89		Memp, Div., 1st g. 4s1951	117		2d, 7s	107	
Plain, 4s	*96 *1144	100 115	Ind. D. & Spr.—1st 7s. ex cp 1906	*11212		Gd.R.&I.Ext.—1st,4\(^1\)2s,G.g.1941 Peo.&EInd.B.&W1st,pf.7s.1900	*104%	
30, 73-108, P. D1898	$\frac{1141_{2}}{120}$	117	Ind.D.&W.—1st 5s. g., tr. rec., 1947			Ohio Ind. &W.—1st, pr. 7s. 1900 Peoria & Pek. Union—1st, 6s. 1921		
1st, 7s, \$ g., R. D1902 1st, I. & M., 7s1897	110	113	2d, 5s, gold, trust receipts. 1948 Ind. Ills. & Iowa.—1st, g, 4s. 1939	80		Peoria & Pek. Union—1st, 6s.1921 2d mortg., 44s	1101 <sub>2</sub>	
1st, I. & D., 7s	114	$\frac{120}{124}$	Int. & G. N'n.—3d. 4s. g1921	*50	26 65	2d mortg, 4-9s		
1st, I. & D. Extension, 781908	125		Kings CoF.El.,1st,5,g,,gu.A.1929 Lake Erie & West.—2d g., 5s.1941 L.S. & M.Sou.—B.&E.—New 7s.'98		10319	Pitts. Mc. K. & Y.—1st 6s1932		
1st, H. & D., 7s	*107 <sup>1</sup> 2 120		Det. M. & T.—1st, 7s1906	123	11119	Pitts. Painsv. & F.—1st, 5s1916 Pitts. Shen. & L. E.—1st,g.,5s.1940	*****	
Lst, H. & D., 5s	*	11912	Det. M. & T.—1st, 7s	1134		18t consol, 5s 1943		
Mineral Point Div. 581910	×106	1061	Mahon'g Coal RR.—1st, 5s. 1934 Lehigh V., N. Y.—1st gu., 5, 412s, 1940 Lehigh V. Term.—1st gu., 5s, g. 1941 Lehigh V'y Coal—1st 5s, gu., g. 1933 Litche Core West 1888	*11549		Pitts. & West.—M. 5s, g.1891-1941 Pitts. Y'gst'n&A.—1st, 5s, con.1927		78
C. & L. Sup. Div., 5s1921 Fargo & South., 6s, Assu1924	*106		Lenigh V., N. Y.—1st gu.g. 4 28.1940 Lehigh V. Term.—1st gu. 58.g. 1941			2d income 6s 1916		
Inc. conv. sink. fund, 5s1916 Dakota & Gt. South., 5s1916	105		Lehigh V'y Coal—1st 5s,gu.g. 1933 Litchf. Car. & West.—1st 6s. g. 1916		107	Rio Grande So.—1st, g., 5s1940 St. Jos. & Gr. Is.—2d inc1925	*****	
Mil. & Nor. main line-6s1910	114	116	Little Rock & M.—1st, 5s, g. 1937			Kan. C. & Omaha—1st, 5s 1927	******	
hic.&Norw.—30-year deb.5s.1921 Escanaba & L. S. 1st, 6s1901	100-2	10719	Little Rock & M.—1st, 5s, g. 1937 Long Island—1st, 7s. 1898 Ferry, 1st, g., 4 <sup>1</sup> 2s. 1922 Gold 4s. 1932	*1104		St. Louis A. & T. H.— Bellev. & So. Ill.—1st, 8s1896	106	000000000000000000000000000000000000000
Des M. & Minn.—1st, 7s1907 Iowa Midland—1st, 8s1900	*12012		Gold 4s			Bellev. & Car.—1st, 6s1923		
Peninsula—1st, conv., 7s1898	*100		2d mortg., inc	3712	43	Chi.St.L.&Pad.—1st,gd.g.5s1917 St. Louis So.—1st, gd. g. 4s.1931	******	
Win. & St. P.—2d, 7s1907	*109 *128		N.Y.&Man.Beach.—1st, 7s, 1897 N.Y.B.&M.B.—1st con. 5s,g.1935	*		do 2d income,5s.1931 Car. & Shawt.—1st g. 4s1932	85	*****
Onto, & Milwattkee—181, 78.1898 win, & St. P.—2d, 78	*107		Brookl'n&Montauk-1st,6s.1911			St. L. & S. F.—2d 6s, g., cl. A. 1906	******	
Northern Ill.—1st, 5s 1910	*106		1st, 5s	*10712	28	General 5s	* 89	8978 52
1st, 2 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub> s1905	5719	5812	Louis. & Nash.—Cecil. Br. 7s. 1907 E. H. & Nash.—1st 6s, g1919	1134		Kan. City & S.—1st, 6s, g1916 Ft. S & V R Rg —1st, 6s, 1910	85	
1st, 2½s		102	Pensacola Division, 6s1920	107		Kan. City & S.—Ist, 6s, g1916 Ft. S. & V. B. Bg.—Ist, 6s1910 Kansas Midland—Ist, 4s, g.1937		
hic. & St.L. (Atch.)—1st, 681915			St. Louis Division, 1st, 6s1921 2d, 3s1980	*120 *60		2d mortgage 5s1931	111149	
hic. St. P. & Minn.—1st, 6s1918 St. Paul & S. C.—1st, 6s1919	*1284	130	Nashv. & Decatur—1st, 7s 1900 S. f., 6s.—S. & N. Ala 1910	110 101		St. Paul Minn & M.—1st, 7s1909	*1101 <sub>2</sub> *118	
hic. & W. Ind.—1st, s. f., 6s. 1919	*118		10-40, gold, 681924	100	103	2d mort., 6s	*	120
in Ham. & D.—Con. s. f., 7s.1905	118		50 year 5s, g.,	*95	104	Mont. Cen.—1st, guar., 6s1937 1st guar. g. 5s1937	*112	114
2d, gold, 4½s		101%	Lou. N. A.D. & Ch. — Gen. m. g. 58. 1940	*100 66	664	East. Minn., 1st div. 1st 5s.1908 Wilmar&SiouxF.—1st, g,5s.193s	*10349	
lev. Ak. & Col.—Eq. & 2d 6s.1930 O.C. & St. L., Cairo div.—4s, 1939			Manhattan Ry.—Cons. 4s1990		974	San Fran. & N. P.—1st, g., 58.1919		
St.Lou.Div.—1stcol.ts't4s,g.1990	*90	9012	Memphis & Charl.—6s, gold1924 1st con. Tenn lien, 7s1915	112	114	So. Car. & Georgia.—1st, g. 5s.1919 Southern Railway—	96	98
Spring.&Col.Div.—1st,g. 4s. 1940 White W. Val.Div.—1st,g. 4s. 1940	*	90	Mexican Cent. Consol.—4s, g.1911 1st, cons. income 3s, g1939			Alabama Central—1st 6s1918 Atl. & Char.—1st, pref., 7s1897	100	110
Cin.Wab.&M.Div.—1st,g.4s.1991 Oin. I. St. L. & C.—1st,g.,4s.1936	*90 94	96	Mex. International—1st, 4s,g.1942	70		Income, 6s1900	100	
Oonsol, 6s			2d, income, 6s, "A"			Colum. & Green.—1st, 5-6s.1916 E. 'ean. V. & Ga.—1st, 7s1900	105	113%
1 Col. Cin. & Ind.—1st, 7s,s.f.1899	108 1121 <sub>9</sub>	11312	2d, income, 6s, "B"1917 Michigan Central—6s1909	117		Di visional 5s	108 *95	111
Consol. sink. fund, 7s1914 Gen. con. gold, 6s. reg1934	******		Coupon, 5s1931	114		Deben. 5s, stamped 1927	90	******
Gen. con. gold, 6s, reg 1934 Cin.&Spr.—1st, C.C.C.&I.7s. 1901	*	115	Mortgage 4s1940 Bat.C.&Strgis.—1st,3s,g.gu.1989	100	******	Vir'a Mid.—Serial ser.A, 6s. 1906 Series B, 6s1911	******	
leve. & Mah. V.—Gold, 5s1938 olumbia & Green.—1st, 6s1916	*****		Mil. L. S.&W.—Conv. deb., 5s. 1907 Mich. Div., 1st, 6s1924	10412		Series C, 6s	*****	
ol. Lack. & W.—Mort. 781907	1334 *130	133	Ashland Division—1st, 6s1925	129	137	Series E, 5s1926		
Morris & Essex-1st, 7s1914		1424	Minn.& St. L.—1st, g. 7s1927 Iowa Extension, 1st, 7s1909	119	125	Series E, 5s		8119
Bonds, 7s1900 7s of 18711901	119	117	Southwest Ext.—1st, 7s1910 Pacific Ext.—1st, 6s1921	*117 11919	121	Ter.RR.As'n of St.L1st,4428.1939 Texas & New Orleans—1st,78.1905		
1st, con., guar., 7s1915 Warren -2d, 7s1900	116	142	Minn. & Pac.—1st mortg., 5s 1936			Sabine Division, 1st, 6s1912	*105	
D.&H.Can-Pa. Div., coup., 7s. 1917	*1444	******	Minn.St.P.&S.S.M—1st c.g.4s.1938 Missouri Kansas & Texas—	******		Consol. 5s, g	* 88	112
1st, cons., guar., 6s 1906	129	$\frac{1303}{122}$	Mo.K.&T.of Tex.1st,gu.5s.g.1942 Kansas City & P., 1st, 4s,g1990	*	74 <sup>1</sup> 4 76	Third Avenue (N.Y).—1st 5s, 1937 Tol. A. A. & Cad.—6s1917		118 <sup>1</sup> 9 68 <sup>1</sup> 9
Rens. & Sar.—1st, coup., 7s.1921 Denver City Cable—1st, 6s1908	142		Dal. & Waco—1st, 5s, gu1940	******	77	Toledo A. A. & G'd Trg. 6s.1921		******
env. Tramway—Cons. 6s, g. 1910	******		Missouri Pacific — Trust 5s1917 1st coll., 5s, g1920		70	Tol. A. A. & Mt. Pl.—6s1919 Tol. A. A. & N. M.—5s, g1940	******	
Metropol. Ry.—1st,gu. g.6s.1911 env. & R. G.—Imp., g., 5s1928			St L.&I. MArk.Br.,1st,7s.1895 Mobile & Ohio—1st ext., 6s1927		10218	T.&O.C.—Kan.&M., Mort. 4s.1990 Tol.P.&W.—1st 4s,inc.f'd.cou.July	*	81
Det.M. & M.—L. g. 3 s, ser.A.1911 Daluth & Iron Range—1st 5s.1937	15	21	St. L. & Cairo-4s, guar1931	80	*****	Ulster & Del1st, con., 6., 58.1928	65	
rie—1st, extended, 7s1897	******	93 109	Morgan's La. & T.—1st, 6s1920 1st, 7s1918	12512	1264	Union Pacific—1st, 6s1896 1st, 6s1897	1034	
3d, extended, 5s	107		Nash. Chat. & St. L.—2d, 6s1901 N. O. &. No. E.—Pr. l., g., 6s1915			1st, 6s	104	105
8d, extended, 4½s		114	N. Y. Central.—Deb. g. 4s1905	100		Collateral Trust, 5s1907	*90 70	
oth, extended, 4s		101 <sup>1</sup> 9 131		*104	103	Kånsas Pacific—1st 6s, g1895 1st, 6s, g1896	104 104	
1st, con., g., f'd, 7s 1920 Reorg., 1st lien, 6s 1908 B. N. Y. & E.—1st, 7s 1916	106	108	Osw. & Rome—2d, 5s, g., gu.1915 Utica & Bl. Riv.—4s, g., gu.1922	*107		1st, 6s, g		
M. Y. L. E. & W.—Col. tr.,68.1922		110	N. Y. & Put.—1st, g., 4s. gu.1993	*104		Atch. Col. & Pac.—1st, 6s 1905 Atch. J. Co. & W.—1st, 6s 1905		38
Funded coup., 5s	97		N. Y. N. H. & H.—1st, reg. 4s.1903 N. Y. & Northern—1st, g. 5s. 1927	*108	120	U. P. Lin. & Col.—1st, g., 5s. 1918 Oreg.S.L.& U.N., col. trst., 5s. 1919	24	
Jefferson—1st, gu. g. 5s1909 Coal & RR.—6s1922			N. Y. Susq. & West.—2d, 4 s. 1937	*82		Utah & North.—1st, 7s1908		
Dock & Impt., 1st 6s, cur'cy.1913			Gen. mort., 5s, g	*9234		Gold, 5s 1926 Utah Southern—Gen., 7s1909		
areka Springs—1st, g., 6s1933		106	North'n Pacific—Divid'd scrip ext. James River Val.—1st, 6s1936	*****		Exten., 1st, 7s	*****	
vans. & T.H.—18t,consbs. 1921	1000		Spokane & Pal.—1st, 6s1936		78	Wabash-Debenture, Ser. A 1939	** ***	****
vans. & T.H.—1st,cons.,6s. 1921 1st, general, g., 5s			St. Paul & N. P.—Gen., 6s 1923	115		Det. & Chic. Ext. 1st, 5s, g 1940		97
1st, general, g., 5s						No. Missouri-1st, 78 1905	1013	
1st, general, g., 5s			Helena&RedM'n—1st,g., 6s. 1937 Duluth&Manitoba—1st,g. 6s. 1936	7712		No. Missouri—1st, 7s1895 St L.K.C.&N.—R.E.&RR.7s.1895	10134	
1st, general, g., 5s			Helena&RedM'n-1st,g., 6s.1937			No. Missouri—1st, 7s1895 St L.K.C.&N.—R.E.&RR.7s.1895	104 <sup>1</sup> 2 *105	

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### RAILROAD EARNINGS.

The following table shows the gross earnings of United States railroads (and also a few Mexican and Canadian roads) for the latest period reported. The statement includes every road from which regular weekly or monthly returns can be obtained. The first two columns of figures give the gross earnings for the latest week or month, and the last two columns the earnings for the calendar year from January 1 to and including such latest week or month.

Doise	Latest Ed	rnings Re	ported.	Jan. 1 to L	atest Date.
ROADS.	Week or Mo	1894-5.	1893-4.	1894-5.	1893 4.
A dinon do ole	November.	\$ 10,000	\$ 110	\$ 155 404	\$ 150,004
Adirondack Ala. Midland	November.	12,902 $52,433$	11,449 55,979 171,747 12,260 501,362 111,827 56,414 21,325 690,928 52,925	155,494 511.886	159,684 460,408
Allegheny Val	December.	186,133	171,747	511,886 2,176,708	460,408 2.436,816
Ark. Midland	November.	16,707 490,110	12,260		76 915
Atch. T. & S. Fe. St. L. & San F.	3d wk Jan. 3d wk Jan.	109 233	501,362	307 751	1,439,457 314,324 158,533 68,221
Atlantic & Pac	3d wk Jan.	49,791	56.414	152,259	158.533
Col. Midland	3d wk Jan.	22,271	21,325	75,518	68,221
Agg. total Atlanta & W. P.	3d wk Jan.	109,233 49,791 22,271 671,405 48,161	690,928	1,469,441 307,751 152,259 75,518 2,004,969 443,107	1,050,050
Atlan. & Danv	November. 2d wk Jan.	8,096	52,925 7,973	18.494	409,034 16,571
Austin & N'west B.&O.EastLines	November.	22,498 1,429,242 438,194	31,019	18,494 230,740	241.602
Western Lines		1,429,242	1,420,011	10,907,019	18,751,482
Total	December. December.	1,867,436	434,675 1,863,046	4,767,149	6,488,678 25,240,160
Bal.&O.Sou'w.d	3d wk Jan.		112,160	21,754,468 343,255 31,272	343.185
Bath & Ham'nds		4.121	5,124	31,272	32,934
Bir. & Atlantic Brooklyn Elev	December. 4th wk Jan	1,514 60,964	1,688	21,124 189,749	28,205 130,823
Brunsw'k&West		48,413	32,714 34,831		
Buff.Roch.&Pitt		57,077	49,001	154,269	148,161
Bur. C.Rap. & N. Camden & Atl	November.	323,094 43,622	375,016	3,748,831	4,224,755
Canadian Pacific		274,000	45,547 313,000	855,115 838,000	812,297 1,005,000
Car. Midland	December.	3,811	4,993	57,181	60.860
Cent. of Georgia	November.	541,898	580,973	11 000 500	10 000 000
Central of N.J Central Pacific	November. November.		1,174,568 1,146,443	11,208,532 12,106,051	13,392,673
Char.Cin.&Chic.	December.	16.400	15,768 51,994 12,280 9,052	168,342	13,340,486 156,039
Charlest'n & Sav.		47,587 8,360 9,372	51,994	168,342 564,357 154,266	575,835 153,095 83,842 496,161
Char.Sum.& No. Cheraw.& Darl	December. November.	8,360	12,280	154,266	153,095
Ches. & Ohio	3d wk Jan	181,641	173,939	80,959 511,140	496.181
Ches.O.& So.W	November.	219.431	206,172	1,975,872 1,828,309 31,514,878	2,130,947 2,361,156
Chie. Bur. & No.	December.	135,491 2,460,356	165,382	1,828,309	2,361,156
Chic. Bur. & Q. Chic. & East. Ill.	3d wk Jan.	85.954	76.596	249,142	38,356,483 219,834
Chicago & Erie. Chic. Gt. West'n.	November	85,954 216,915	302,362	2.115.479	3.116.321
Chic Mil & St Dt	3d wk Jan.	08,026	173,939 206,173 165,382 2,896,231 76,596 302,362 58,613 498,674	167,169 1,274,286 29,059,547	168,452
Chic. Mil. & St. Pt Chic. & N'thw'n	3d wk Jan. December.	443,406 2,046,846	498,674 2,592,260 15,311	29.059.547	1,445,347 33,620,114
Chic Peo & St. L.	3d wk Jan.	20,087	15,311	55,325	45,933
Chie. R'k I. & P.	December.	1,201,751	1,400,958	16.333,855	19,541,526
Chic. & W. Mich.	December. 3d wk Jan	534,088	740,113 23,993	7,297,619 71,791	8,328,928 68,808
Cin. Ga. & Ports.	December.	25,157 5,434	5,468	68,987	68,956
Cin. & Kent. Sou.		1 1142	615	9,555	11,062
Cin. Jack. & Mac. Cin. N.O. & T. P.	3d wk Jan. December.	13,004 298,000	9,300 <b>310,000</b>	33,780 3,448,000	29,272
Ala. Gt. South.	December.	172.000	166,000	1,495,000	1,778,959
N. Orl. & N. E.		127,000	166,000 146,220	1,171,152	1,439,723
Vicks. Sh. & P.	December. December.	68,000 71,000	71,000	561,453	597,523
Erlanger Syst.	December.	736,000	64,896 758,116	7.251,000	8.316.520
Cin. Ports. & V.	December.	19,498	20,710	578,097 7,251,000 253,632	29,272 3,942,937 1,778,959 1,439,723 560,638 8,316,520 266,284 14,310 47,252
Col. & Maysv. Clev. Akron & Co.	December.	944 14,867	942	10,969	14,310
Clev. Can. & So	3d wk Jan.	11.857	15,751 9,092	42,669	47,252
Cl.Cin.Ch.& St.L	3d wk Jan.	11,857 251,298 140,608 19,316	9,092 215,255 121,623	697,293 1,586,066	637,684
Peo. & East'n.	December.	140,€08	121,623	1,586,066	1,710,049
Cl. Lor. & Wheel Col. H. V. & Tol. Col. Sand'y & H.	3d wk Jan. December.	202.085	17,643 214,363 8,956	54,026 2,689,738	3,270,362
Col. Sand'y & H.	3d wk Jan.	202,085 19,217 1,100	8,956	46,605	32,096
Colusa & Lake .	December.	1,100	1,500	21,567	25,455
Crystal Cumb'l'd Valley.	November.	1,007 68,632	1,500 1,213 68,204 2,713 115,900	9,882 732,919	13,949
Current River	4thwk Nov	3,656	2.713	119,290	811,978 106,594
Deny. & Rio Gr.	3d wk Jan.	110,100	115,900	353,700	346,600
Det.Lans'g& No.		18,887 28,884	10,245	52,522	46,322
Duluths.S.&Atl. Elgin.Jol.&East		83,089	26,143 107,931	80,970 1,034,409	70,505 988,539
Eureka Springs.	November.	5,468	5,913	63 801	988,539 71,230 16,175
Evans. & Ind'plis		4,839	5,346 1,315	14,011	16,175
Erona & Dich	3d wk Jan	0.000			
Evans. & Rich.	3d wk Jan 2d wk Jan. 3d wk Jan	2,068	19.464	57.358	57,000
Evansv. & T. H.	2d wk Jan. 3d wk Jan.	2,068 18,796 614,192	1,315 19,464 <b>6</b> 11,581	57,358 6,400,819	57,929 6,755,397
Evansv. & T. H.	2d wk Jan. 3d wk Jan.	2,068 18,796 614,192 43,456	1,315 19,464 611,581 39,248	14,011 3,150 57,358 6,400,819 120,396	119,900
Evansv. & T. H. Fitchburg Flint & P. Marq. Fld.Cnt.& Penin	2d wk Jan. 3d wk Jan. November. 3d wk Jan. 1st wk Jan	2,068 18,796 614,192 43,456 53,440	19,464 611,581 39,248 59,710	53,440	59,710
Evansv. & T. H. Fitchburg Flint & P. Marq. Fld. Cnt. & Penin Ft. W. & Rio Gr. Gads. & Att. U.	2d wk Jan. 3d wk Jan. November. 3d wk Jan. 1st wk Jan December.	2,068 18,796 614,192 43,456	19,464 611,581 39,248 59,710 33,480 691	53,440	59,710 378,432 9.392
Evans. & Rich. Evansv. & T. H. Fitchburg Flint & P. Marq. Fld.Cnt.& Penin Ft.W. & Rio Gr. Gads. & Att. U. Georgia RR Ga. Car'la & No	2d wk Jan. 3d wk Jan. November. 3d wk Jan. 1st wk Jan December.	2,068 18,796 614,192 43,456 53,440 52,845	19,464 611,581 39,248 59,710 33,480	3,150 57,358 6,400,819 120,396 53,440 396,542 6,772 70,113 711,445	2,038 57,929 6,755,397 119,900 59,710 378,432 9,392 71,300 553,311

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St. P. M. & M.   December   1,152,090   1,062,752   12,346,877   13,64   15,061   13,061	1,764 7,107 7,523 6,394 11,474 11,677 0,970 7,426 33,041 33,122 0,730 11,476 11,922 44,143 5,346 10,340 6,087 2,859 9,945 6,087 2,859 9,977 7,192 8,649
St. P. M. & M.   December   1,152,090   1,062,752   12,346,877   13,64   15,061   13,061	1,764 7,107 7,523 6,394 11,474 11,677 0,970 7,426 33,041 33,122 0,730 11,476 11,922 44,143 5,346 10,340 6,087 2,859 9,945 6,087 2,859 9,977 7,192 8,649
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Tannings of United at Canadian roads	64,143 5,346 89,384 66,987 2,859 9,945 66,525 3,839 9,977 77,192 88,640 99,941
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K.C. Mem. & Bir. 3d wk Jan.   23,317   26,052   65,192   65,192   65,192   66,052   65,192   67,005	0,340 66,087 2,859 9,945 6,525 3,839 9,977 77,192 68,640 65,849
K.C. Pitts. & G. 3d wk Jan.   8,661   4,491   24,111   1,000   24,111   1,000   24,111   1,000   24,111   1,000   24,111   1,000   24,111   1,000   24,111   1,000   24,111   1,000   24,111   1,000   24,111   1,000   24,111   1,000   24,111   1,000   24,111   1,000   24,111   1,000   24,111   1,000   24,111   1,000   24,111   24,111   1,000   24,111   24,111   1,000   24,111   24,111   1,000   24,111   24,111   1,000   24,111   24,111   1,000   24,111   24,111   1,000   24,111   24,111   1,000   24,111   24,111   1,000   24,111   24,111   1,000   24,111   24,111   1,000   24,111   24,111   1,000   24,111   24,111   1,000   24,111   24,111   1,000   24,111   24,111   1,000   24,111   24,111   1,000   24,111   24,1	9,945 6,525 3,839 9,977 7,192 8,640 55,849
Kan. C. N. W   December.   18,218   44,310   276,846   34,000   34,400	6,525 3,839 9,977 7,192 8,640 55,849
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Jan. 1 to Latest Date.     Los. Ang. Term. December.     14,950     14,537     182,189     14       Louis, Ev. & St. L. 3d wk Jan.     23,729     26,927     66,083     14       Louis, Ev. & St. L. 3d wk Jan.     23,729     26,927     66,083     14	
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1.469.441   1.439.457   Mexican Inter'l November.   178,728   165,829   1.876.135   1.83	9,175
152,259 158,533   Mex. Northern.   November.   51,874     584,403	3,821
2 004.969 1.980.535   Moximan So   20 WK Jan.   0,070   9,445   17,500	0,866
	5.265
18,494 16,571 Mo. Kan. & Tex. 3d wk Jan. 231,745 165,637 643,733 47,330,740 241,602 6.987,319 18,751,482 Central Br'ch. 3d wk Jan. 9,617 15,256 26,281 4	2,066
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1,754,468 25,240,160 Mobile & Birm. 3d wk Jan. 6,337 5,634 17,541 343,255 343,185 Mobile & Ohio. December. 330,599 344,874 3,260,88c 3,33	7,609
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443,107 4 416,107 418,149 4 16,571 418,149 4 16,571 418,149 4 16,571 418,149 4 16,571 418,149 4 16,571 418,149 4 16,571 418,149 4 16,571 418,149 4 16,571 418,149 4 16,571 418,149 4 16,571 418,149 4 16,571 418,149 4 16,571 418,149 4 16,571 418,149 4 18,149	7,052
154.269 148.161 New Orl. & So'n. December 12,663 18,801 102.465 13	6,513
3,748,831 4,224,755 N. Y. C. & H. R. December, 3,644,996 3,580,187 41,797,498 46,73 855,115 812,297 N. Y. L. E. & W. November, 2,230,438 2,396,372 22,485,328 27,225 6,77 838,000 1,005,000 N. Y. Pa. & Chio November, 550,219 582,094 5,297,225 6,77	0,573
838,000 1,005,000 N. Y. Pa. & Chio. November. 550,219 582,094 5,297,225 6,74 57,181 60.860 N. Y. Ont. & W. 3d wk Jan. 61,813 57,153 173,168 16	7,020 33,072
N. Y. Susq. & W. August 131,552 158,812 1,079,502 1,1208,532 13,392,673 Norf. & South'n November 40,354 36,070 40 4,409 30	55,855
2 106 051 13 340 496   NOTIOIK & WEST 30 WK Jan   209.701   188.830   565.737   5)	82,40 <b>7</b> 81,80 <b>6</b>
564 357 575 835   North'n Pacific 3d wk Jan   237.316 223.918 669.345 68	39.457
154,266 153,095 Oconee & West. December. 1,948 2,551 30,058 80,959 83,842 Ohio River 2d wk Jan. 10,497 11,674 21,329 511,140 496,161 Ohio Southern. 3d wk Jan. 14,309 11,108 44,744	22,079
	5,063
1,975,872 2,130,947 Omaha & St. L. November. 22,657 39,901 341,367 44. 1,514,878 38,356,483 Fennsylvana December. 315,290 343,565 3,474,059 3,58 42,91,42 219,834 Peoria Dec. & Ev. November. 215,479 3,116,321 Petersburg November. 41,520 38,647 477,890 48,167,167,169 169,169,169 1	6,770
249,142 219,834 PeoriaDec.&Ev 3d wk Jan. 19,554 14,487 55,347 477,890 48	13,462
2,115,479 3,116,321 Petersburg November. 41,520 38,047 477,890 48,167,169 168,452 Phila. & Erie November. 383,642 403,738 3,685,343 4,861,274,286 1,445,347 Phila. & Read's. December. 1,551,928 1,752,512 20,144,192 12,676,776,776	1,213
3,059,547 33,620,114 Coara 11.Co December. 1,588,255 2,279,310 21,545,809 25,16	0,832
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33,780 29,272 Total system. 3d wk Jan. 38,031 34,204 100,571 10	2,609
1 495 000   1 778 959   Pt. Royal & Aug. August   16.137   16.106   174.357   18	79,685
561,453 597,523 Rich.Fr'ksb.&P. November. 55,674 51,840 639,545 67	38,022: 75,870
	9,124
253,632 266,284 Rio Gr.West'n. 3d wk Jan. 32,600 31,400 86,300 10,969 14,310 Sag.Tuscola&H. December. 7,578 8,335 118,599 15	88,200 25,518
49 660 47 950 1890 V91 W St. L. November   7 105   7 124   78 936   5	5.762
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21.567 25.455 [88V. Am. & Mon. December. 44.014 42.513 468.335 48	92,499 54,090
732.919 811.973   506f.50f6v.0/60/30 WK (20).   10.079 6.772 21.979	6,875
119,290 106,594 Silverton December. 5,000 5,034 53,521 6 353,700 80. Pacific Co.—	8,393
52,522 46,322 Gal. Har. & S. A. November. 450,434 570,711 3,850,355 5,85 80,970 70,505 Louis'a West. November. 93,806 103,252 895,593 1,01	6,723
1,034,409 988,539 Morgan'sL&T November 723,349 747,988 5,324,697 5,00	3,311
14 011 16 175 Tex & N. Orl November 155.991 154 464 1 417 689 1 69	6.935
3,150 2,038 Atlantic sys.b. November. 1,491,936 1,432,106 11,952,692 11,98 57,358 57,929 Pacific system November. 2,787,926 2,797,034 28,842,267 32,37 Total of all. November. 4,279,562 4,229,140 40,794,949 44,36	7,888
6,400,819 6,755,397 Total of all. November: 4,279,862 4,229,140 40,794,949 44,36 120,396 119,900 See Pac. of Cal November: 805,215 830,579 8,353,575 9,93	0,940
53,440 59,710 So.Pac.of Ariz November. 203,525 181,763 1,914,285 1,87 396,542 378,432 So.Pac.of N.M. November 83,290 80,459 848,163 85	5,445
396,542 378,432 Se.Pac.of N.M. November 83,290 80,45# 848,163 87,720 9,392 Southern Ry 3d wk Jan. 357,201 341,013 1,021,876 1,027,876 1,037,1300 Summit Branch December 83,738 99,680 977,698 1,247,1304 1,030	23,039 67,209 2,550 9,759
70,113 71,300 Summit Branch December. 83,738 99,680 977,698 1,24 711,445 553,311 Lyken Valley December. 70,386 101,976 874,610 1,11 879,882 822,916 Torriboth Co's December. 154,124 201,656 1,852,308 2,37	2,550
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ROADS.	Latest E	arnings R	eportea.	Jan. 1 to Latest Date.		
ROADS.	Week or Mo	1894-5.	1893-4.	1894-5.	1893-4.	
		8	*	8	*	
Staten Isl. R. T.	October	76,801	73,665	920,557	893,698	
StonyCl.&CMt	November.	1,862	1,766	42,993	46,027	
Texas & Pacific.	3d wk Jan.	150,791	141,587	432,825	398,249	
Tex.S. Val&N W	December.	4,337	5,670	47,095	57,602	
Tol.A.A.&No.M.	3d wk Jan.	21,585	20,366	59,813	56,947	
Tol.& Ohio Cent.	3d wk Jan.	32,536		92,940	74,913	
Tol. P. & West	3d wk Jan.	20,520	17,342	59,109	52,350	
Tol. St. L.& K.C.	3d wk Jan.	27,316	18,208	75,142	63,935	
Uister & Del	November.	29,305	33,164	384,000	405,111	
Union Pacific—						
Un. Pac. RR	November.	1,327,952	1,544,902	13,637,741	16,077,460	
Or.S.L. & U. N	November.	469,038	455,410	4,659,505	5,476,587	
St.Jos. &Gd.Is.	November.	56,522	79,415	728,321	900,968	
Kan.C.&Om.	November.	5,576	10,452	90,363	146,584	
Tot. 3t. J. &G. I.	3d wk Jan.	15,000	20,800	40,970	56,958	
Cent.Bra	d wk Jan.	9,617	15,256	26,281	43,357	
Ach.Col.&P.		01 == 1	01 005			
Ach.J.C.&W	November.	24,554	31,327	333,963	457,146	
Montana Un	November.	32,834	59,943	336,057	721,910	
Man. Al. & Bur.	November.	2,889	4,293	38,519	39, 448	
Gr'd total.*c	November.	2,055,850	2,366,351	21,540,954	25,785,211	
U. Pac. D. & G.	December.	248,830	194, 57	2,848,042	3,510,963	
Ft. W'th &D.C.	2d wk Jan.	22,493	18,76	45,333	42,22	
Wabash	3d wk Jan.	216,547	201,648	616,190	5 0.782	
Waco & Northw.	November.	41,545	34,587	253,540	213,524	
West Jersey	November.	108,575	115,187	1,474,077	1,607,183	
W.V.Cen.& Pitts	November.	85,6 0	98,230	918,354	1,084,798	
West Va. & Pitts.		36,141	36,862	313,484	343,096	
Western of Ala	November.	52,842	54,232	485,429	447,180	
West. Maryland.	December.	87,802	78,416	1,248,132	1,194,203	
West, N.Y. & Pa.		50,800	50,800	145,200	148,50	
Wheel. & L. Erie		18,840	18.146	57,978	57,285	
Wrightsv. & Ten.		6,108		78,523	76,948	

wightsv.&Ten.|December.| 6,108| 6,481' 78,523| 76,948

† Includes Milwaukee & Northern for all periods.

\* Figures given do not include Oregon Ry. & Nav., Un. Pac. Denver & Gulf, Denver Leadville & Gunnison and Leavenworth Topeka & Southwestern.

a These figures include results on leased lines.

b Includes earnings from ferries, etc., act given separately. † Mexican currency. c Includes only half of lines in which Union Pacific has a half interest. d Includes Ohio & Mississippi in both years. f In June, July and August Mil. Lake Shore & West. included for 1894, but not for 1893; for previous months and ror September, October, November and December this road is included in both years.

g These figures include results on Current River and Kansas City Clinton & Springfield.

Latest Gross Earnings by Weeks.—The latest weekly earn ings in the foregoing are separately summed up as fol

For the third week of January our final statement covers 76 roads, and shows 2 34 per cent gain in the aggregate.

3d week of January.	1895.	1894	Increase.	Deer ease.
	\$	8	0	0
Previously rep'd (30 r'ds)	3,341,411	3,285,109	246,563	\$ 900
	490,110			190,26
Atch. Top. & Santa Fe	100,000	501,362	*******	11,25
St. Louis & San Fran	109,233	111,827	*****	2,594
Atlantic & Pacific	49,791	56,414	*******	6,623
Colorado Midland	22,271	21,325	946	
Chicago & East. Illinois	85,954	76,596	9,358	
Chicago & Gr. Trunk	43,204	56,661		13,457
Ohicago Great Western	58,526	58,613		8
Chic. Peoria & St. Louis.	20,087	15,311	4,776	
Chicago & West Michigan	25,157	23,993	1,164	
Cleve. Akron & Columbus	14,867	15,751	1,101	884
	11,857	0,701	0.705	
Cleve. Canton & South'n.	11,807	9.092	2,765	
Cleve, Cin. Chic. & St. L	251,298	215,255	36,043	
Col. Sand'sky & Hocking.	19,217	8,956	10,261	
Det. Gr. Hav. & Milw	16,535	15,902	633	******
Detroit Lans'g & North'n	18,887	16,443	2,644	
Duluth So. Shore & Atl .	28,884	26,143	2,741	
Evansy. & Indianapolis.	4,839	5,346		50
Evansv. & Terre Haute	18,796	19,464	*******	668
Flint & Pere Marquette.	43,456		4 900	00
		39,248	4,208	
Grand Rapids & Indiana.	32,482	31,382	1,10	
Cincinnati R. & Ft. W	7,190	7,049	141	******
Traverse City	710	1,544	*******	83
Musk. Gr. Rap. & Ind .	2,150	1,963	187	******
Indiana Decatur & West.	9,145	5,808	3,337	
Kanawha & Michigan	6,673	5,104	1,269	
Kan. City Ft. S. & Mem	74,848	81,230		6,38
Kan, C. Mem. & Birm	23,347	26,052		2,70
Kan. City Pittsb. & Gulf.	8,661		4 1770	
		4,491	4,170	
Kan. City Suburban Belt.	3,406	3,224	182	******
Keokuk & Western	7,063	6,659	401	
Louisville & Nashville	370,125	383,130		13,00
Louis. N. Albany & Chic.	50,288	43,737	6,551	
Louisville St. L. & Texas.	6,714	5,999	715	1000000
Memphis & Charleston	19,518	25,481	120	5,96
Mexican Railway	66,188	60,345	5,843	
Mobile & Birmingham	6,337	5,634	703	******
N. Y. Ontario & Western				
	61,813	57,153	4,660	
Norfolk & Western	209,701	188,830	20,871	
Northern Pacific	237,316	223,918	13,398	
Rio Grande Southern	5,042	7,768	*******	2,72
St. Joseph & Gd. Island.	15,000	20,800		5,80
t. Louis Alton & T. H.	27,750	27,640	110	
Sherman Shreve. & So	10,679	6,772	3,907	
Southern Railway	357,201	341,013	16,188	
Coledo Peoria & West'n.	20,520			
		17.342	3,178	
Western N. Y. & Penn	50,800	50,800		*******
	6,365,047	6,219,779	409,016	263,74
Net increase (2.34 p. c)			145,268	

The following will furnish a comparison of the weekly results for a series of weeks past.

WEEKLY GROSS EARNINGS. ---- Changes.--Period and number of 1894. 1893.
roads included. \$ \$ \$
Dec.—1st week (78 r'ds). 7,439,957 7,260,753
" 2d week (74 r'ds). 7,043,464 7,069,189
" 3d week (79 r'ds). 7,220,731 7,149,219
" 4th week (81 r'ds). 8,335,840 9,209,902
1895. 1894.
Jan.—1st week (75 r'ds). 5,733,322 5,826,559
" 2d week (73 r'ds). 5,873,650 5,989,159
" 3d week (76 r'ds). 6,365,047 6,219,779 ## P. cl.

179,204 Inc. 2.47

20,725 Dec. 0.29

71,512 Inc. 1.00

374,062 Dec. 4.06 93,237 Dec. 115,509 Dec. 145,268 Inc.

For corresponding weeks  $last\ year$  losses were as follows, the roads, however, not being quite the same as those include d in the present year's comparisons:

		1	LOSS LAST	YEAR 11	1		
	Janu	ary.	Febr	uary.	March.		
	Dollars.	P. Ct.	Dollars.	P. Ct.	Dollars.	P. Ot.	
1st week		14.28	670,595	10.44	840.277	12.02	
2d week		10.42	981,272	14.62	828,090	11.55	
3d week	528,705	8.31	1,006,274	14.47	984,913	13.28	
4th week	1,4 43,331	15.87	958,561	13.57	1,433,462	14.00	

8.11			Tittings.	TAGE TAGE	nungs
0	Roads.	1894.	1893.	1894.	1893
8	Buff. Roch. & Pitts b. Dec.	253,511	255,097	82,785	72,030
3	Jan. 1 to Dec. 31		3,393,157	799,148	1,036,715
2 2	July 1 to Dec. 31 Canadian Pacific.aDec.		-1,736,936 1,633,884	562,308	532,550
4	Jan. 1 to Dec. 311	1,552,168	20,962,316	583,443 6,423,309	580,897 7,741,416
8	Chesap. & Ohio a. Dec.	800.247	718,339	252,677	217,452
6	Jan. 1 to Dec. 31 July 1 to Dec. 31	9,127,666 5,002,175	9,865,471 4,918,620	3,012,855 1,700,973	3,092,592 1,705,099
0	Chic. Bur. & North, b. Dec.	135.491	165,332	43,858	62,652
)	Jan. 1 to Dec. 31	1,823,309	2,361,156	548,436	848,070
8	Chic.Burl.& Quin.b. Dec. Jan. 1 to Dec. 313	2,460,356 31,514,878	2,896,231 38,356,483	1,068,941 12,400,571	1,181,945 13,854,294
	Chie. M. & St. P.a Dec.	2,203,524	2,534,175	901,248	859,441
	Jan. 1 to Dec. 312 July 1 to Dec. 311	8,473,366 14,795,091	33,860,022 17,649,656	9,975,026 5,334,063	11,428,381 6,572,655
	Cin. Jack. & Mack. b. Dec.	56,259	52,334	9,090	7,356
	Jan. 1 to Dec. 31 July 1 to Dec. 31	637,009 345,215	666,983 326,329	112,209 67,574	101,767 44,147
3	Clev.Cin.C.& St.L.a Dec.	1,194,574	1,110,076	329,024	279,038
,	Jan. 1 to Dec. 311 July 1 to Dec. 31	7.030.819	13,789,668 7,116,730	3,286,660 1,776,625	3,360,980 1,773,511
,	Peoria & East'n.aDec.	140,608	121,623	37,361	13,966
7	Jan. 1 to Dec 31 July 1 to Dec. 31	1,586,066 872,737	1,710,049 896,479	263,443 221,659	199,544 135,407
	Den. & R. Grande. b Dec.	591,961		247,253	237,006
	Jan. 1 to Dec. 31 July 1 to Dec. 31		7,731,911 3,423,475	2,745,115 1,603,147	3,139,743 1,361,523
	Ga. South'n & Fla. b Dec.	87,831	87,976	37,649	30,042
	Jan. 1 to Dec. 31 July 1 to Dec. 31	879,882 457,050	822,916 403,222	223,515 133,915	152,113 91,286
3	Grand Rap. & Ind Dec. Jan. 1 to Dec. 31	198,064 2,467,144	185,622 2,807,287	54,067 596,038	17,331 507,374
- )	Louisv. & Nashv.b. Dec. Jan. 1 to Dec. 311		1,674,850	730,388	694,981
1	July 1 to Dec. 311	10,186,879	20,474,632 9,755,924	7,342,614 4,106,639	7,384,248 3,874,577
,	Norfolk & West.aDec. Jan. 1 to Dec. 311	871,671 0,340,452	794,911 10,032,617	191,054 2,646,547	187,826 2,833,157
2	Phila. & ReadingDec.		1,752,512	604,861	780,227
3	Coal & Iron Co Dec.	1,588,255	2,279,310	df.187,428	117,45
	Total both Co'sDec.		4,031,822	417,433	897,679
÷	Rio Grande West.b. Dec. Jan. 1 to Dec. 31	159,684 2,103,650	158,227 2,253,973	49,983 660,540	51,743 826,158
7	July 1 to Dec. 31	1,145,292	1,142,959	395,432	459,195
	St. L. A. & T. H. bNov. Jan. 1 to Nov. 30	120,840 1,225,211	119,098 1,423,432	54,228 537,208	46,735
F	July 1 to Nov. 30	608,131	642,472	295,150	568,415 270,825
	Wabash.bDec.		987,602	248,030	110,481
	Jan. 1 to Dec. 311 July 1 to Dec. 31	6,286,826	13,750,161 7,206,100	2,735,746 1,677,453	3,048,947 1,664,924
	West.N.Y.& Penn.b. Dec.	233,046	232,765	49,297	57,249
7	Jan. 1 to Dec. 31 July 1 to Dec. 31		3,494,008 1,695,509	961,954 632,516	992,133 468,107
3	Whitebr'st Fuel CoDec.	-,,,,,,,,,	_,000,000	6,914	18,020
:	Jan. 1 to Dec. 31		*******	70.548	165,232
.	July 1 to Dec. 31	******	3 - 3 - 141 - 1	32,439	82,787

a Net earnings here given are after deducting taxes.
b Net earnings here given are before deducting taxes.

Interest Charges and Surplus.—The following roads, in addition to their gross and net earnings given in the foregoing, also report charges for interest, &c., with the surplus or deficit above or below those charges.

WOONE OF DETOM MITORE C.	naigos.			
	-Inter't, ren	tals. &c	-Bal. of Ne	t Earns.
Roads.	1894.	1893.	1894.	1893.
Chie.Burl. & QuincyDec.	800,000	822,881	263,943	359,064
Jan. 1 to Dec. 31	9,600,000	9,874,571	2,800,571	3,979,723
Clev. Cin. Ch. & St. L. Dec.	243,578	236,388	85,446	42,650
July 1 to Dec. 31	1,422,191	1,363,661	354,434	409,850
Peoria & EasternDec.	36,802	36,802	559	def.22,836
July 1 to Dec. 31	220,810	220,810	849	def.85,403
Denver & Rio Gr'deDec.	194,643	202,160	52,605	34,846
July 1 to Dec. 31	1,206,990	1,214,660	396,157	146,863
St. Louis Alt. & T.H. Nov.	*36,009	*36,726	18,219	10,009
Jan. 1 to Nov. 30	*379,492	*436,833	157,716	131,582
July 1 to Nov. 30	*182,320	*196,890	112,830	73,935
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NORTHERN PACIFIC— Gross earnings	81,856,703	July 1 to Nov. 30, '94. \$9,019,836 5,217,349	Aug. 16, '97, to Nov. 30,'94. \$23,462,828 15,278,488
Net earnings	\$783,020	\$3,802,487	\$8,184,340
Miscellaneous income	95,728	266,741	760,328
Charges preced. 2d mort.*.	\$878,748	\$4,069,228	\$8,944,663
	556,914	†3,021,108	8,170,305
Other charges	\$321,804	\$1,048,120	\$774,363
	434,017	1,950,644	6,931,774
Defici	t.\$112,213	def.\$902,524	def.\$6,157,411

Note.—These figures include results on Branch lines.

\* Including provision for branch roads.

† Includes provision for interest on branch roads since August 16, 1893.]

### ANNUAL REPORTS.

### Delaware & Hadson Canal.

(Report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1894.)

years have been compiled for the Chronicle. The results show 7·1 per cent earned on the stock in 1894, against 10·71 per cent in 1893, 10·11 per cent in 1892 and 7·35 per cent in 1891.

	INCOME	ACCOUNT.		
Receipts— From coal. From railroads. From miscellaneous	1894. \$ 7,864,152 9,448,993 755,074	10,212,412	1892. \$ 9,629,333 10,356,443 452,765	1891. \$ 8,335,010 10,062,324 711,869
	18,068,219 12,529,547		20,438,541 13,977,757	
Net	5,538,672 3,319,959	6,622,187 3,407,637	6,460,784 3,425,320	5,597,427 3,393,377
For dividendsV. 59, p. 1102.	2,218,713	3,214,550	3,035,464	2,204,050

#### Western Maryland Railroad.

(Report for the year ending Sept. 30, 1894.)

The report of President J. M. Hood says that as compared with 1893 there was a decrease in earnings of \$13,173 and a decrease in expenses of \$11,450, making a decrease in net earnings of \$1,723. It is believed that this practically full maintenance of net earnings will be regarded as satisfactory. When it is considered that in addition to the effects of the general business stagnation, heavy reductions of revenue were suffered from special causes, as follows: the suspension of coal shipments during the mining strike; the complete failure of the peach crop; the failure to receive compensation for fast mail service, etc.,

The equipment was not only fully maintained, but at the close of the year was in an improved condition as compared

close of the year was in an improved condition as compared with the previous year.

The amount of trackage paid to other roads in this city shows a decrease of \$9,007. This is partially due to the preference given by many passengers to the various rapid transit lines now operating between the vicinity of Fulton Station and other portions of the city, over the tunnel route, especially in hot weather, the season of heaviest travel.

It is quite apparent, however, that a considerable portion of the passenger travel to and from near-by points, diverted by the electric railroad to Pikesville, has been recovered. Of course some diversion will result from the extension of the electric road to Glyndon. This extenson, however, with its grades of 300 feet per mile, having to deal with long hauls in a sparsely-settled district, is not likely to effect such a diversion from the steam line as will encourage further extension of the electric system in this company's territory.

the electric system in this company's territory.

The special loans for new equipment and other betterments contracted during the past few years, and amounting to \$347,-859, have been reduced to \$75,160, which balance is well distributed. All the above payments have been made out of earnings, and the assets of the company have been increased to this extent.

The justification of the company's extension policy is shown in the fact that independently of the large contributions by branch lines to main line business, the branch roads increased their net earnings over \$60,000, or to about the amount of the main line decrease.

main line decrease.

The Potomac Valley Railroad had gross earnings for the late year of \$117,975, net \$71,129, an increase in net earnings over the previous year of \$32,909.

Earnings and expenses of the Western Maryland lines were

	Earnings—	1893-94.	1892-93,	1891-92	. 1890-91. \$
	Passengers Freight and express Mail and miscellaneous	358,747 733,004 111.423	375,941 739,561 100,844	403,713 629,312 50,296	378,890 435,805
	man and miscondicous	111,120	100,011	50,250	00,000
	Operating expenses	1,203,174 784,785	1,216,346 815,533	1,083,321 691,028	904,378 571,169
	Net earnings Betterments, &c	418,389 90,105	400,813 101,078	392,293 86,236	333,209 81,770
	Balance	328,284	290,735	306,057	251,439
	WESTERN MARYLAND RE	. SYSTEM-	-OPERATING	INCOME A	CCOUNT.
	Earnings— Passengers. Freight. Milk. Mail, express and miscella			33,319	1892-3, \$400,517 793,993 33,972 93,835
•	Total gross earnings			1,203,174	\$1,322,320
	Transportation			449,202	495,389
	Maintenance of way, &c			148,059	128,964
	Maintenance of equipment			107,927	121,830
	Miscellaneous and taxes		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	107,251	114,243
	Total			\$812,439	\$860,430
	Balance				461,890
	Ratio of operating expen				er cent in
	1892-3 and 65.2 per cent in	1893-4.	on ourming	,0, 02 20 1	or cont in

NET INC	OME ACCOUNT.
Net earnings	1893-4. 1892-3. \$390,735 \$461,890
Interest on funded debt	집 경기가 하는 것이 되었다.
Rental of leased lines	
B. & P. and N. C. trackage	
Betterments, &c. Terminal charges Ground rents. Discount and interest. Dividend on preferred stock. Credit balance to profit and loss	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Total	\$390,735 \$461,890
	EET, SEPTEMBER 30, 1894.
Cost of road, &c\$4,308,42 Equipment	80   Preferred stock \$324,000 88   Common stock 684,750
Hillen station 200,00	
W. M. terminal 137.29	
Securities owned., 1,028,40 Sinking funds 254,2	
Balance curr't acc'ts 254,2 88,09	
Material on hand 48,78	
Cash on hand	
Profit and loss 457.9	
	Rentals *26,132
Total\$7,587,08	55 Total\$7,587, 55

Note.—Interest assumed by Baltimore City not included in above exhibit.—V. 57, p. 1121. \* Not due.

#### Buffalo Street Railway.

(Report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1894.)

A statement of the operations of the Buffalo Railway Company for 1894, compared with 1893, is as follows:

Gross receiptsOperating expenses		1894. 81,536,284 856,631
Net from operation	\$573,710	\$679,653
Increase in gross receipts over 1893		
Net increase, 1894		\$105.943

The interest charge on \$5,000,000 bonds of the Buffalo Railway Company and \$2,200,000 bonds of the Crosstown Railway Company (as issued) at 5 per cent, together with interest on floating deot,

Amounts to. Taxes. Percentage paid City of Buffalo. Leaving a surplus.	51,738
Net earnings	\$679,653

### GENERAL INVESTMENT NEWS.

To facilitate reference to information appearing in this column, particularly during the two months following the publication of the Investors' Supplement (each Supplement containing an index up to date of issue), it is proposed to append to all items here given the volume and page of the Chronicle where the last previous item pertaining to the company was published. It will then be an easy matter having found one statement regarding a company to refer to others of earlier date.

Furthermore, as ready reference is especially desirable as committees and the payment of overdue coupons, all announcements concerning these appearing after the publication of the latest issue of the INVESTORS' SUPPLEMENT will be indexed together in this column under heading "Reorganization Plans, etc." regards reorganization plans, the names of reorganization

Brooklyn Wharf & Warehouse.—This new company has made a mortgage of \$17,500,000 to the United States Mortgage Company as trustee, covering all the properties involved in the consolidation. It is claimed by the officers that the business which the company will control will make Brooklyn the greatest grain centre in the country. Robinson's stores are said to be the only ones not in the trust. Jeremiah P. Robinson says his stores control 10 per cent of the present business. The members of the trust say that they represent only 2 per cent.—V. 60, p. 176.

Broffele Rechester & Pittshurg.—The following earnings

Buffalo Rochester & Pittsburg.—The following earnings are reported for the quarter and for the six months ending December 31:

3 mos. to Dec. 31. 1894	Gross earnings. \$791,545 807,297	Net earnings. \$260,625 226,545	Other income. \$11,354 10,891	Fixed charges. \$217,990 209,304	Balance, surplus. \$53,989 28,132
6 mos. 1894 1893	1,718,721	\$543,669 514,335	\$18,639 18,215	\$437,140 424,908	\$125,168 107,642

Called Bonds.—The following have been called for pay-lent. The numbers and other details will be found in the advertisement in another column.

CHICAGO & NORTH WESTERN RAILWAY.—Thirty-nine 5 per cent sinking fund coupon bonds of 1879, \$1,000 each; 1 registered for \$1,000, 6 for \$5,000 and 26 for \$10,000; also 27 6 per cent coup. for \$1,000 each, 2 reg. for \$1,000 each, 3 for \$5,000 and 25 for \$10,000.—V. 59, p. 968.

Chattanooga Southern.—Receiver and Special Master J. W. Burke offered the Chattanooga Southern for sale at auction in Gadsden, Ala., on Thursday. An upset price of \$500,-

000 had been fixed, and the Reorganization Committee bid only \$350,000; consequently the sale was postponed until February 14.—V. 60, p. 130.

Delaware River & Lancaster.—Application has been made for the appointment of a receiver for this company, interest on its bonds being in default.

Distilling & Cattle-Feeding.—On Monday, the 28th inst., holders of seventeen hundred shares of the stock of this company made application in Chicago for the appointment of receivers. The company, through its President, appeared and consented, and on Tuesday Mr. J. B. Greenhut and Mr. E. Lawrence were appointed temporary receivers. Representatives of the stockholders' committee on Wednesday secured a stay, ordering that no action should be taken to carry out a transfer of the property to the receivers until a further hearing, which takes place to-day.—V. 60, p. 82.

Duluth & Winnipeg.—In the case of the Philadelphia Guarantee Trust & Safe Deposit Company against the Duluth & Winnipeg Railroad and the Baltimore Safe Deposit & Trust Company, Judge Nelson at Duluth on Tuesday ordered the sale af the road unless it pays within five days the principal and interest on \$2,000,000 bonds on which it has defaulted,

together with the costs that have accrued.

For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1894, the road had gross earnings of \$163,599 and net earnings of \$40,644.—V. 59, p.

Jacksonville Tampa & Key West Railway.—A committee consisting of F. Q. Brown, Jacob Edwards and W. W. Blackmar, representing the collateral trust bonds, requests holders of series A and B to deposit their bonds with the American Loan & Trust Company, Boston, Mass., for the purpose of enabling the Bondholders' Committee to perfect the title to the collateral deposited as security for said bonds, or to exchange said bonds or said collateral for other bonds, under such plan of reorganization as shall be approved in writing by such plan of reorganization as shall be approved in writing by said committee and owners of a majority of the said bonds.— V. 60, p. 177.

Missouri Kansas & Texas.—A special meeting of the stock-holders will be held at Parsons, Kansas, on February 14th, 1895, to confirm the purchase of the Southwestern Mineral Railway and to authorize the issuing of bonds at \$20,000 per mile of completed railway for the payment of the said prop-erty; the bonds to be known as the Missouri Kansas & Texas Peilway first mentgage extension five per cent fifty were gold Railway first mortgage extension five per cent fifty year gold bonds.—V. 60, p. 177,

New York Central & Hudson River.—For the quarter and the six months ending Dec. 31, 1894, the results of operations were as follows:

3 mos. to Gross Net First Batance, Pr.ct. Dec. 31. earnings. earnings. charges. Dividend. surplus. op. ex. 1894...\$11,318,228 \$3,939,270 \$2,627,462 \$1,192,854 \$118,954 65 20 1893 ... 11,827,911 3,778,581 2,583,770 1,117,554 76,957 68 05 7.65 - 6.75 - 6.

The balance sheet Dec. 31, 1894, was as follows:

۰	Assets-		Liabilities—	
	Road and equipment.\$1	57,678,869	Capital stock	\$95,428,300
	Special equip. acct	4,806,464	Funded debt	67,977,333
	New shops, &c., at De-		Real estate mortg'es.	157,000
	pew	552,465	Securities from lessor	
	St'ck &bonds.oth.cos.	9,802,311	companies	2,814,150
	Advances, construc'n		Past-due bonds	4,790
	other lines, &c	5,736,213	Int. and rent'ls acer'd	3,834,567
	Due by agents & oth.	5,011,861	Unclaimed interest	15,419
	Supplies on hand	2,468,205	Unclaimed dividends	34,997
	Cash on hand	1,299,023	Divid. payable Jan.	
	N.Y.& Har. construc.	1,331,177	15, 1895	1,192,853
	W. Shore RR. const'n	237,268	Wages and supplies.	3,315,850
	Park Av. imp. & new		Other roads, &c	2,562,670
	bridge ov. Har Riv.	776,020	R. W. & O. construc	260,426
	R. W. & O. equipm't.	354,466	Car. & Ad. construc	62,984
	Taxes, &c., prepaid	490,889	Excess of assets	12,883,894
	Total\$1	90,545,238	Total	8190,545,238

-V. 59, p. 1141.

Northern Pacific RR.—President Brayton Ives and the Board of Directors of the Northern Pacific RR. Co, have prepared a circular to the holders of the second, third and consolidated mortgage bonds urging them to delay depositing their securities with the Adams reorganization committee. Copies will be mailed on application.

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—At Milwaukee, Jan. 30, Judge Jenkins authorized the receivers to enter into an agreement with the St. Paul Union Depot Company and issue bonds covering the depot and terminals to improve the terminal properties. The Depot Company was organized in 1879 with a capital stock of \$500,000. The company owed \$145,583 on June 30 of last year in addition to \$2,500,000 bonds.—V. 59, p. 1141.

Philadelphia & Reading.—At the Reading Reorganization Committee meeting at Central Trust Company on Friday the unsatisfactory condition of the anthracite coal business was considered, together with various suggestions as to proposed action by the committee, and it was resolved that the whole subject be referred to the chairman, Mr. F. P. Olcott, with power to voice the views of the committee and to act in reference. its name, so far as they were empowered to act, in reference to sustaining the position of the Philadelphia & Reading system, and in bringing about a settlement of the various questions.

tions at issue.

—A press dispatch from Philadelphia on Thursday contained the following:

John G. Johnson, counsel for the Pennsylvania Company for Insurance on Lives and Granting Annuities, which is trustee of the Read-

ing Railroad general and preference mortgages, has completed the task of drawing up the legal papers necessary for the institution of foreclosure proceedings against the Reading Road, and will file the bill in the United States Circuit Courts some time next week. This was the last day for depositing securities with the Reorganization Committee. The committee have as yet taken no steps toward the formation of a new reorga nization plan and it is likely they will not do so for some time to come. \* \* A member of the committee stated today that the foreclosure proceedings will be pushed as rapidly as possible.

—The statement of earnings for December, the first month of the fiscal year, compared with December, 1893, is as below.

	December	
RAILROAD COMPANY-	1894.	1893. \$
Gross receipts Operating expenses	1,551,928 947,067	1,752,512 972,285
Operating profit	604,861 72,942	780,227 59,788
Total	677,803	840,015
Equipment payments. Terminal trackage Improvements. Proportion year's charges	92,810 50,000 41,471 705,000	126,661 50,000 27,186 704,470
Total.	889,281	908,317
Balance, debit	211,478	68,302
Gross receipts Operating expenses. Colliery improvements Permanent improvements	1,588,255 $1,738,205$ $34,698$ $2,781$	2,279,310 1,983,856 174,499 3,502
Gross expenses	1,775,684 0ss 187,429 106,000	2,161,857 prof.117,453 103,320
Balance	lef.293,429	sur.9,133
P. & R. AND C. & I. CO.— Balance of Railroad Co	def.211,478 lef.293,429	def.68,302 sur.9,133
Balance both companiesd -(V. 60, p. 177.)	lef.504,907	59,169

Queen City Electric Street RR.—At Indianapolis, Jan. 31, in the Federal Court, Judge Baker entered a decree of foreclosure and ordered the sale of this road at Marion, Ind., on March 6.

Philadelphia Reading & New England.—The Philadelphia Press has the following

Closely following the appointment by Ex-President John S. Wilson of a committee of the bondholders of this company, the old committee has shown some signs of life. It has issued a circular asking that it be made the representative of the bondholders.

The old committee was organized nearly two years a zo, since which time they have taken no public action for the enforcement of the bondholders' claims against the Beading Railroad Company. Their policy has been to maintain the existing relations with the Beading Company, presumably in the hope that at some future day the corporation will resume the payment of the guaranteed interest on the Pough-keepsie Bridge bonds, which for two years has been in default. The policy of the Wilson committee is directly opposed to tuis. Their energies are devoted to securing separation from the Reading, being advised that under independent management the bridge system can be operated to better financial advantage, and also that such a separation would not invalidate the claim of the Philapelphia Reading & New England bondholders against the Reading Company.—V. 60, p. 178.

Rapid Transit in New York City.—The Rapid Transit

Rapid Transit in New York City.—The Rapid Transit Commissioners on Tuesday received a report from the committee of experts appointed under a resolution of the board adopted December 26, 1894. The report confirms the estimates made in the plans of Mr. Parsons, chief engineer to the board; suggests modifications; recommends electricity as the power to be used to acquire a speed of twenty-five miles an hour, with stations a half mile apart; proposes an arrangement for transfer tickets with the Metropolitan Traction Company, and recommends a four-track system, mostly elevated, between Ninety-second and One Hundred and Eighty-fifth streets. It recommends the Elm Street route instead of the Broadway route for the east side. the Broadway route for the east side.

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(1) That the provisional line approved by the Rapid Transit Commission may be regarded as impracticable, because its total cost will exceed the limit of \$50,000,000.

(2) That the route and plan of construction may be so modified, however, as to bring the cost within the limits of the act and still provide for a rapid transit route independent of any existing system, both upon the west side and upon the east side, coming together at Union Square and running thence by a trunk line through Elm Street to the City Hall Park, and thence by Broadway to the South Ferry upon the line heretofore approved by the commission.

(3) That the cost of construction can be largely reduced if an arrangement can be made with the New York Central Railway Company for the construction of the east side line above Fourteenth Street. But if no such arrangement can be made, it will be perfectly practicable to construct the line as an independent route.

(4) That the present condition and growth of business in this city require that all possible routes which may be made to afford rapid transit movement should be utilized, and with that view the Manhattan system, the New York Central Railroad system and the New York & New Haven Railroad system should all, as far as possible, be required to enlarge the means of transportation for passengers, as well as for freight.

(5) Wherever practicable, the use of viaducts adapted for high-speed trains, instead of sub-ways, is recommended.

(6) It is recommended to use a form of construction for sub-ways and viaducts that will allow of the construction at first of two tracks only, where desirable, because trains composed of cars equipped with electric motors can be run at a speed of twenty-five miles per hour, with stations half a mile apart, and with this kind of motor trains containing more than five cars can be run at the maximum speed, thus making the traffic capacity of two tracks, with electric tractio

Two-track sub-way from South Ferry to City Hall Park, under Broadway, with loops at Battery and City Hall parks.

Four-track sub-way from City Hall Park, under Elm Street and Lafayette Place to Fourteenth Street.

Two-track sub-way in rock tuonel under Broadway from Fourteenth Street to Twenty-fifth Street, for express trains, to be built without breaking surface of Broadway.

Four track sub-way under Fourth Avenue, from Fourteenth Street to Twenty-third Street and two-track sub-way under Twenty-third Street to Broadway for the local trains, joining the express sub-way at Twenty-fifth Street.

Four-track sub-way under Broadway, from Twenty-fifth Street to Ninety-second Street, to be constructed on different levelsatil east as far as Thirty-fourth Street.

Four-track structure, mainly viaduct (with sub-way under Morning-side Plate-u), along the Boulevard and Eleventh Avenue, from Ninety-second Street to One Hundred and Eighty-fifth Street.

Four-track sub-way under Fourth Avenue, from Twenty-third Street to the Grand Central Station.

Two-track sub-way under Fourth Avenue from Grand Central Station to Ninety-seventh Street.

Two-track viaduct along Fourth Avenue from Ninety-seventh Street, thence crossing the Harlem River to Mott Haven.

Route.	Via.	Tracks.	Sub-	Viaduct.	Cost.
South Ferry to City Hall.B	roadway	. 2	1.		\$2,250,000
City Hall to 14th Street. E		4	1.85		6,200,000
14th St. to 25th St		. 2*	.59		863,500
14th St. to 23d 3t4: 23d St. to 25th St2			•44		1,200,320
25th St. to 185th St	Mad. Sq.		.24		465,300
7,100,000,000,000,000,000	Boulev'd		5.29	2.65	15,235,160
East side—					\$26,214,580
23d St. to 44th St	th Ave.	4	1.03		3.382.698
44th St. to Mott Haven4t		2	2.67	2.32	7,873,718
	va = 101				\$37,470,996
42d Street branch	12d St.	2	.50		768,750
10 per cent for terminals a	nd side t	racks	13.9		\$38,239,746 3,823,975
Total.					\$42,063,721

\*For express trains.

The length and cost of viaduct and subways are as follows: 

Reorganization Plans, etc.—The following is an index to Reorganization Plans, etc.—The following is an index to all defaults, reorganization plans, the names of all reorganization committees and all statements respecting the payment of overdue conpons that have been published in the CHRONICLE since the January edition of the INVESTORS' SUPPLEMENT was issued, all earlier facts of this nature being set forth in that publication. It does not, however, include matter in to-day's CHRONICLE.

The following abbreviations are used: Plan for reorganization or readjustment plan; coup. for coupon payments; def. for default; Com. for committee.

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V. lume 60. Page.
Ches. & O. S. W. 1st M., coup. 176
Chic. & South Side R.T., Com. 175
Phil. Read. & N. E., Com. 178

San Joaquin Railway.—A dispatch from San Francisco says that the subscription books for the San Joaquin Railway were opened Jan. 29 with \$1.950,000 to start with. The principal subscribers were Claus Spreckles, \$500,000, and John D. and Adolph B. Spreckles \$100,000 each. The prospectus states that the company is to be organized for the purpose of operating a continuous and permanent line between San Francisco and Bakersfield over a route to be determined hereafter. The capital stock is to be \$6,000,000 in 60,000 shares.

The People's Traction Company.—This company was incorporated at Albany on Wednesday with a capital of \$1,500,000. The company proposes to build and operate a street surface railroad, to be twenty and a-half miles in length, in the upper part of New York City, and especially in the annexed district.

Western New York & Pennsylvania.—For the quarter and the six months ending ending Dec. 31 earnings were as follows:

3 mos. lo Gross Dec. 31. earnings. 1894\$835,240 1893806,673	Net earnings. \$253,894 247,712	Other income. \$16,836 5,672	Belance. def.\$34,724 def. 64,740
6 mos. 18941,789,547 1893 1,695,508 -V 60 p. 178	632,516 468,106	17,052 5,944	sur. 33,821 def.160,744

Union Pacific.—On Monday Mr. Brice, from the Senate Committee on Pacific railroads, submitted an elaborate report discussing "what action ought the United States to take in the premises in order to subserve the interests of all parties concerned and save or secure the Pacific Railway debt."

— A committee of consolidated bondholders composed of Silast B. Dutcher, Henry N. Whitney, Otto T. Bannard and Theodore W. Myers have submitted to the House of Representatives certain amendments to the Pacific Railroad bills now before the House regarding the Union Pacific, Denver Pacific and Kansas Pacific railways. The committee state that "the essential difference from the plans that

have been submitted to Congress consists in furnishing to the Government mortgage bonds bearing such a high rate of interest (five per cent) and with such a superior and general security as will render them marketable."

— The interest due Feb. 1, 1895, on the Union Pacific Railway Company 6 per cent collateral trust notes was paid when due at the office of J. P. Morgan & Co., New York, or at the office of Jacob C. Rogers, Esq., 43 State St., Boston.—V. 60, p. 178.

Union Pacific—Oregon Short Line & Utah Northern.—
The receivers give notice that the coupons due July 1, 1894, on Utah & Northern consolidated mortgage 5s will be paid on and after January 31, 1895, by James G. Harris, Treasurer for the Receivers, 92 Ames Building, Boston, Mass., 2nd by the Union Trust Company, 80 Broadway, New York City.

— The coupons due January 1 and July 1, 1894, on the Utah Northern first mortgage sevens are advertised for payment February 1.

February 1.

— The hearing on the petition for a separate receivership for the Oreg. Short Line having been postponed to Mar. 5, the time for the deposit of bonds with the Consol. Mort. and Collat. Trust 5 per cent Bondholders' Committee is extended to February 20th, after which date a penalty will be imposed. This committee, of which Mr S. Endicott Peabody is Chairman, now represents more than three fifths of expeditated markets are represents more than three-fifths of consolidated mortgage bonds afloat. Depositories—the American Loan & Trust Company in Boston and the New York Guaranty & Indemnity Company in New York.—V. 60, p. 177.

Company in New York.—V. 60, p. 177.

West Virgina Central & Pittsburg.—Ex-Senator Henry G. Davis, President of this company, speaking of the surveys recently made from Elkins, W. Va., to the South, said last week: An easy and direct route has been located from Elkins, in a generally southerly direction to Huntersville, about 100 miles. Huntersville is the terminal point contemplated in the surveys made northward from the main line of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad to Huntersville, a distance of 60 miles. As to the date when work on this extension will likely begin, it is too soon to speak. It is safe to say no work will be done in this direction till the Baltimore & Cumberland Road is completed from Cumberland to Hagerstown, Md. It will take a year at least to build this road after the work has begun. That road will be an eastern outlet for the West Virginia Central & Pittsburg, and will join the Pennsylvania, Western Maryland and Baltimore & Onio at Hagerstown. Speaking of the bonds of the Baltimore & Cumberland, Mr. Davis said: "They have been endorsed by the West Virginia Central & Pittsburg. There have been a number of private applications for the bonds, but as yet none of them have been placed." Besides the guarantee of the West Virginia Central & Pittsburg, the Piedmont & Cumberland agrees to retain five per cent of all business transferred to it by the new road, or transferred by it to the new road, as a guarantee fund. The amount of bonds authorized is \$3,600,000, but it is not intended to issue more than \$3,000,000 until the road is completed. The West Virginia Central & Pittsburg interests agree to take \$1,000,000 of these bonds, and \$500,000 more have been subscribed.—V. 60, p. 132.

Trust Companies in New York City and Brooklyn.—The statements of condition December 31, 1894 of all the trust companies in New York and Brooklyn, as filed with the Banking Department at Albany are given below; the statements of D. cember 31, 1893 and 1892 are added for comparison.

ATLANTIC	TRUST CON	IPANY.	
	Resources.		
Bonds and mortgages	566,604 5,205,645 326 890,738	Dec. 31, '93. \$367,000 445,200 4,873,060 186 825,735 59,778	Dec. 31, '92, \$360,000 502,400 5,631,265 205 443,628 59,621
Total	\$6,982,962	\$6,570,959	\$6,997,119
	Liabilities.		
Capital stock. Surplus fund. Undivided profits Deposits in trust. General dep'ts, pay, on dem'd. Other liabilities.	500,000 105,580 30,242 5,827,639	\$500,000 500,000 158,278 201,046 5,190,134 21,501	\$500,000 500,000 289,580 201,913 5,484,825 20,801
TotalSup	\$6,982,962 optementary.	\$6,570,959	\$6,997,119
Profits during year. Interest credited depositors. Expenses of the institution. Divs. declared on capital stock. Deposits drawing interest. Rate of interest on same	4,640,323	\$118,042 53,692 30,711 60,000 5,041,232 2 to 4 p. c.	*\$161,486 *72,315 *32,114 *30,000 5,203,421 2 to 4 p. c.
BROOKLYN TRUST	COMPANY	(BROOKLYN	.)
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	Resources.		
	Dec. 31, '94.	Dec. 31, '93.	Dec. 31, '92.
Bonds and mortgages	\$848,000	\$502,500	\$291,500
Stock invest's (market value)	2,995,752	3,090,450	3,020,328
Loaned on collaterals		5,872,106	8,726,877
Loaned on personal securities.	821,398	711,497	81-,380
Real estate (estimated value)	175,000	175,000	175,000
Cash on hand.	84,617	82,479	79,113
ash on deposit		1,580,380	476,794
Other assets		81,345	78,629

Total.....\$12,921,456 \$12,095,757 \$13,696,621

<sup>\*</sup> For the six months only ending December 31, 1894.

BROOKLYN TRUST COMPANY-(Concluded).

FRANKLIN TRUST COMPANY (B'KLYN)-(Concluded).

BROOKLYN TRUST COMPANY—(Concluded).	FRANKLIN TRUST COMPANY (B'KLYN)-(Concluded).
Liabilities.  Dec. 31, '94. Dec. 31, '93. Dec. 31, '92.  Capital stock paid in	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Total\$12,921,456 \$12,095,757 \$13,693,621	Total
Supplementary.         Profits during year.       \$681,611       \$754,529       *\$495,935         Interest credited depositors.       298,663       282,624       *180,923         Expenses of institution.       82,180       77,777       *38,005         Divs. declared on capital stock       200,000       200,000       *100,000         Deposits drawing interest.       9,593,785       9,487,785       11,132,544         Rate of interest on same.       1 to 3 p.c.       1 to 4 p. c.       1 to 4 p. c.	Supplementary.           Profits during year         \$290,362         \$360,423         *\$264,958           Interest credited depositors         111,589         126,618         *75,192           Expenses of the institution         50,230         55,311         *38,605           Divs. on capital stock         80,000         \$0,000         *40,000           Deposits drawing interest         6,051,008         4,983,435         5,360,437           Rate of interest on same         1 to 4 p. c.         1½ to 4 p. c.         1½ to 4 p.c.           HAMILTON TRUST COMPANY (BROOKLYN).
Resources.	Resources.
$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Dec. 31, '94. Dec. 31, '93. Dec. 31, '92.
Total	Liabilities. Capital stock\$500,000 \$500,000 \$500,000
$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Total\$30,634,001 \$29,599,846 \$27,178,645 Supplementary.	Total \$4,127,274 \$3,445,485 \$3,381,029  Supplementary.
$\begin{array}{llllllllllllllllllllllllllllllllllll$	Profits during year
CONTINENTAL TRUST COMPANY.  Resources.	$\dagger$ HOLLAND TRUST COMPANY.  Resources.
$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Dec. 31, '94.         Dec. 31, '93.         Dec. 31, '92.           Bonds and mortgages.         \$         \$30,000           Stock inves'ts (market value).         70°,553         940,999         1,071,918           Loaned on collaterals.         280,246         491,731         888,436           Loaned on personal securities.         11,915         .64,320         79,353           Real estate (estimated value).         92,766         205,695         205,695           Cash on hand.         980         16,169         13,424
Total	Other assets
Liabilities. Capital stock	Total\$1,195,135 \$1,892,948 \$2,674,212  Liabilities.
$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Capital stock paid in       \$500,000       \$500,000       \$500,000         Surplus fund       229,202       482,040       500,000         Undivided profits       42,541         Deposits in trust       17,388         General deposits pay. on dem       196,360       699,780       1,102,038         Other liabilities       252,185       211,126       529,633
Total\$3,969,237 \$2,935,203 \$2,565,585 Supplementary.	Total\$1,195,135 \$1,892,948 \$2,674,212  Supplementary.
Profits during year	Profits during the year       \$17,650       \$31,966       \$25,981         Interest credited depositors       5,990       11,700       16,863         Expenses of institution       26,482       11,724       17,509         Dividends declared       None       25,000       25,000         Deposits drawing interest       153,462       556,247       796,337         Rate of interest       12s to 4 p. c.       2 to 4 p. c.       2 to 4 p. c.
FARMERS' LOAN & TRUST COMPANY.  Resources.	KINGS COUNTY TRUST COMPANY (BROOKLYN).  Resources.
$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Dec. 31, '94.         Dec. 31, '93.         Dec. 31, '92.           Bonds and mortgages         \$366,565         \$714,625         \$646,470           Stock invest s (market value)         873,924         845,199         782,89           Loaned on collaterals         2,641,390         1,982,638         2,93,650           Loaned on personal securities         72,838         524,144         45,322           Real estate         10,147         10,137         12,956           Cash on hand         30,009         69,153         12,956           'ash on deposit         340,187         401,013         512,618           Other assets         194,832         156,594         52,040
Total\$32,861,433 \$34,040,060 \$35,025,598	Total
	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Total\$32,861,433 \$34,040,060 \$35,025,598 Supplementary.	Total. \$5,685,892 \$4,703,503 \$4,650,645  Supplementary.
Profits during year	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Resources.  Dec. 31, '94. Dec. 31, '93. Dec. 31, '92.	KNICKERBOCKER TRUST COMPANY. $Resources.$
Bonds and mortgages         \$622,600         \$568,000         \$8664,500           \$602,600         \$508,000         \$8664,500         \$664,500           \$602,600         \$508,000         \$8664,500         \$664,500           \$602,600         \$2,472,428         2,127,222         2,090,670           \$602,600         \$2,038,924         2,140,940         3,106,876           \$602,600         \$60,824         \$1,40,940         3,106,876           \$602,600         \$60,824         \$1,40,940         \$1,54,439           \$60,836         \$60,836         \$1,66,600         \$636,334           \$60,836         \$60,837         \$60,837	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Total\$7,977,398 \$6,832,397 \$7,246,276	* For the six months only ending December 31, 1892.
* For the six months only ending December 31, 1892.	† This company is in liquidation.

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KNICKERBOCKER TRUST COMP.  Liabilities.			METROPOLITAN TRUST COMPANY—(Concluded). Supplementary.
$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	1,788,930 3,824,542 69,845	1,983,498 3,712,810 53,538	Dec. 31, '94. Dec. 31, '93. Dec. 31, '92.
Supplementary.  Profits during year \$313,571 Interest credited depositors 111,338 Expenses of the institution 95,217 Dividends on capital stock 45,000 Deposits drawing interest 6,606,695 Rate of interest on same 1 to 3 p. c. 1 LONG ISLAND LOAN & TRUST COME	\$234,996 132,729 88,438 45,000 4,674,823 12 to 4 p. c. 1	*\$140,177 *53,671 *39,611 *22,500 4,687,601 12 to 4 p. c.	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Resources   Resources   Resources   Sec. 31, '94.	\$386,300 1,315,220 1,653,437 146,200 110,000 75,276 243,150	9ee. 31, '92. \$164,800 1,186,280 2,325,850 11,000 40,146 203,378	Total. \$3,38,968 \$2,740,237 \$3,252,866 Liabilities.  Capital stock \$500,000 \$500,000 \$500,000 Surplus fund. 170,269 184,836 Undivided profits 197,954 Deposits in trust 17,469 16,666
Other assets	\$3,963,959 S	34,808 \$4,376,262	Total
Capital stock.       \$500,000         Surplus fund.       325,557         Deposits in trust       133,072         Gen'l deposits, pay. on dem'd.       2,930,880         Other liabilities       39,084	\$500,000 297,041 402,495 2,706,279 58,144	\$500,000 282,285 120,327 3,433,262 40,388	Supplementary.         Profits during year       \$137,343       \$163,114       \$*74,323         Interest credited depositors       53,682       60,041       *33,856         Expenses of institution       21,835       23,163       *9,645         Dividends on capital stock       30,000       30,000       *15,000         Deposits drawing interest       2,672,219       2,057,285       2,555,332         Rate of interest on same       1½ to 3½p.c.       1½ to 4 p.c.       1½ to 4 p.c.
	\$3,963,959 \$194,885	\$4,376,262 *\$97.926	NEW YORK GUARANTY & INDEMNITY COMPANY.  Resources.
Profits during year	84,801 23,129 40,000 3,102,660 1 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub> to 3 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub> p.c.	*\$97,926 *37,883 *9,981 *20,000 3,548,269 1 to 4 p.e.	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Dec. 31, '94.   \$44,000   \$1,000   \$1,000   \$1,000   \$1,000   \$1,493,018   \$1,493,018   \$1,493,018   \$1,505,505   \$1,493,015   \$1,493	Dec. 31, '93. I \$44,000 2,277,452 1,237,857 150,000 1,514,995 156,546	Dec. 31, '92, \$56,000 2,705,677 1,517,339 100,236 503,645 69,014	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Total\$7,539,517 Liabilities.		\$4,951,911	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Capital stock.       \$1,000,000         Surplus fund.       200,000         Undivided profits.       26,492         General deposits payable on demand and deposits in trust       6,298,104	\$1,000,000 200,000 10,232 4,135,727	$\begin{array}{c} \$1,000,000 \\ 200,000 \\ 86,163 \\ 3,628,766 \end{array}$	Total
Other liabilities.         14,921           Total.         \$7,539,517           Supplementary.	34,891	36,982 \$4,951,911	Interest credited depositors 187,285 246,531 *78,828 Expenses of the institution 122,636 109,104 *43,248 Dividends declared 160,000 140,000 *120,000 Deposits drawing interest 9,457,920 9,336,187 9,493,268 Rate of interest on same 1 to 4 p. c. 1½ to 4 p. c. 1½ to 4 p. c. 1½ to 4 y. c.
Profits during year. \$251,852 Interest credited depositors. 92,107 Expenses of institution. 72,076 Dividends on capital stock. 50,000 Deposits drawing interest. 3,283,363 Rate of interest on same. 1 to 4 p. c.  MERCANTILE TRUST CO Resources.	MPANY.	*\$123,200 *41,605 *35,424 *25,000 3,363,277 1 <sub>2</sub> to 4 p. e.	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Bonds and mortgages	$\$356,660 \\ 3,819,129 \\ 15,715,468 \\ 675,286 \\ 49,901$	Dec. 31, '92. \$390,848 2,350,597 20,274,735 1,363,495 49,241 65,365	Cash on deposit     423,078     35,250     423,859       Other assets     598,307     572,675     385,350       Total     \$28,677,672     \$27,509,137     \$26,688,215
Other assets	923,164	3,251,799 830,130 228,576,210	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Capital stock         \$2,000,000           Surplus fund         2,000,000           Undivided profits         117,616           Deposits in trust         729,793           General dep'ts, pay, on dem'd         28,090,513           Other liabilities         29,000,513	\$2,000,000 1,750,000 190,776 814,470	\$2,000,000 1,500,000 258,176 813,519 24,002,684 1,831	Total \$28,677,672 \$27,509,137 \$26,688,215  Supplementary.  Profits dur'ng year. \$1,029,649 *\$1,265,001 *\$536,074  Interest credited depositors, 526,153 701,256 *265,746  Expenses of institution. 96,325 98,848 *53,702  Divs. on capital stock. 300,000 300,000 *150,000  Deposits drawing int'st. 23,618,887 22,663,114 21,907,421
Supplementary.		328,576,210	Rate of interest on same 1 to 5 p. c. 1 to 5 p. c. 1 to 5 p. c.  NEW YORK SECURITY & TRUST COMPANY,  Resources.
Profits during year \$917.656 Interest credited depositors 403,308 Expenses of institution 137,506 Dividends on capital stock 200,000 Deposits drawing interest 21,733,272 Rate of interest on same 1 to 3 p. c.  METROPOLITAN TRUST (  Resources.	1 to 4 p. c. COMPANY.	*\$530,607 *240,087 *59,604 *100,000 21,040,316 1 to 4 p. c.	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Sonds and mortgages	\$200,000 1,979,225 4,541,985 550,000 6,844 641,803 71,177	Dec. 31, '92, \$200,000 1,654,887 6,715,701 480,000 24,577 667,266 100,516	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Total. \$8,832,826  L'abilities. Capital svock paid in \$1,000,000 Surplus fund 1,014,372	\$1,000,000 1,020,519	\$9,842,947 \$1,000,000 867,589	Total\$11,171,621 \$11,099,965 \$8,027, 76  Supplementary. Profits during year\$379,967 \$360,542 *\$174,473 Interest credited depositors 140,059 128,662 *63,018
General deposits, pay. on dem. Other liabilities       6,760,333 57,621         Total       \$8,832,826	5,907,680 62,835 \$7,991,034	7,906,408 68,949 \$9,842,947	Expenses of the institution. 73,923 58,280 *23,572 Dvidends declared. 100,000 Deposits drawing interest. 7,351,824 8,197,981 5,447,829 Rate of interest on same. 1 to 4 p. c. 1½ to 4 p. c. 1½ to 4 p. c.
* For the six months only ending December	r 31, 1892.		*For the six months only ending December 31, 1892.

PEOPLE'S TRUST COMPANY	(BROOKLYN.)	,	UNION TRUST (	COMPANY-	-(Concluded).	
Loaned on personal securities. 3,933,760 2,367,149 430,369	3,713,038 $5,5$ $243,858$ $3$	31, '92. 084,840 048,662 571,103 316,229		4,726,040	Dec. 31,'93. \$1,000,000 4,610,267 29,681,653 355,415	Dec. 31,,92, \$1,000,000 4,274,771 30,657,210 441,896
Real estate (estimated value)       60,000         Cash on hand       124,239         Cash on deposit.       961,617         Other assets.       84,078	1,463,525 6	34,952 685,264 80,028	Total\$3			\$36,373,877
Other assets.         84,078           Total.         \$8,852,587           Liabilities.		821,078	Profits during year \$ Interest credited depositors Expenses of the institution	535,617 172,611	\$1,457,216 659,-14 167,725	*703,696 *302,797 *85,553
Capital stock paid in. \$1,000,000 Surplus fund \$900,000 Undivided profits. 90,030 Deposits in trust. 141,514 General deposits, pay, on dem. 6,625,707 Other liabilities. 95,336	$\begin{array}{cccc} 850,000 & 7 \\ 72,143 & 1 \\ 648,105 & 2 \\ 6,116,392 & 7,6 \end{array}$	00,000 700,000 139,224	Dividends on capital stock Deposits drawing interest 2 Rate of interest on same 1 UNITED STATES MORTGAGE	240,000 29,214,723 1 to 4 p. c.	240,000 27,977,004 1 to 5	*100,000 28,086,916 1 to 5
Total\$8,852,587		321,078	Bonds and mortgages \$ Stock investments	Dec. 31, '94. \$2,388,871 2,735,468	Dec. 31, '93. \$1,438,369 762,636	Dec. 31, '92. \$210,950 262,500
Profits during year \$387,761 Interest credited depositors. 135,202 Expenses of institution. 44,550 Dividends on capital stock. 80,000 Deposits drawing interest. 6,506,626 Rate of interest on same. 1 to 3 p. c.	181,451 $49,152$ $80,000$ $6,377,024$ $7.7$	185,792 477,108 19,658 40,000	Loaned on collaterals. Loaned on personal securities. Real estate (estimated value). Cash on hand. Cash on deposit. Other assets	3,046,063 39,000 62,554 2,584 1,150,998 84,329	2,675,758 46,293 69,250 953 1,371,363 65,086	86,387 45,840 1,534
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO Resources.			Total	\$9,509,867 abilities.	\$6,429,708	\$607,212
Bonds and mortgages         \$29,000           Stock invest's (market value)         1,005,198           Loaned on collaterals         1,710,590           Loaned on personal securities         30,789           Cash on hand         3648	\$929,267 1,495,430 10,943 1,629	812,500 835,447 768,240	Capital stock paid in \$ Stripplus fund Undivided profits. Deposits in trust. General deposits. Other liabilities	700,000 53,101 375,206 4.335,586	\$2,000,000 600,000 35,337 201,498 3,028,214 564,659	\$200,000 202,242 204,970
Cash on deposit.       293,898         Other assets.       15,500	11,466	292,816 21,524	Total \$	89,509,867 lementary.	\$6,429,708	\$607,212
Total         \$3,088,623           Luabitities.           Capital stock paid in         \$500,000           Surplus fund         250,000           Undivided profits         49,444           Deposits in trust         2,289,179           Other liabilities	\$500,000 \$5 250,000 2 43,454 2,004,629 2,0	500,000 250,000 55,098 024,438	Profits during year. Interest credited depositors. Expenses of institution. Dividends on capital stock. Deposits drawing interest. Rate of interest on same	88,754 78,534 120,000 4,269,478	\$280,394 25,561 83,359 60,000 3,121,040 2 to 4 p. c.	
Total\$3,088,623		35,231	UNITED STATES TRANSFER Res	AND EXC	HANGE ASS	OCIATION.
Supplementary.   \$119,307   Interest credited depositors.   48,191   Expenses of institution.   36,765   Dividends on capital stock.   30,000   Deposits drawing interest.   2,248,426   Rate of interest on same.   1 to 3 p.c.	31,244 $27,500$ $2,004,629$ $2,0$	13,892	Stock invest's (market value). Loaned on collaterals.  Cash on deposit.  Other assets.	ec. 31, '94, \$286,664 24,090 1,299 5,109 \$317,162	Dec. 31, '93, \$297,620 26,590 3,330 8,876 \$336,417	Dec. 31, '92. \$339,060 71,390 2,257 20,125 \$432,832
STATE TRUST COMP Resources.	ANY.		Canital stock	abilities.	\$200,000	200,000
Bonds and mortgages		67,487 81,897	Surplus fund		29,350 105,000 2,067	126,566 105,000 1,267
Loaned on personal securities.       149,257         Real estate.       97,826         Cash on hand.       7,713         Cash on deposit       2,274,078	97,339 9,368	7,107	Amount of profits during year.	lementary. \$4,211	\$336,417 \$13,462	\$432,832 \$5,548
Other assets 94,855  Total \$8,420,757	49,585	54,812	Expenses of institution UNITED STATES		OMPANY.	5,930
Liabilities.           Capital stock paid in         \$1,000,000           Surplus fund         500,000           Undivided profits         375,175           Deposits in trust         6,529,352           Other liabilities         16,230	\$1,000,000 \$1,00 500,000 5 335,084 3 6,208,967 6,5	00,000 00,000 14,692 073,164 15,189	Bonds and mortgages \$\ \mathrew{S}\$ Stock invest'ts (market value) 1 Loaned on collaterals 1 Loaned on personal securities Real estate (estimated value)	8.052.927	10,106,965 23,524,088 7,768,505 1,000,000	Dec. 31, '92 \$2,304,000 8,948,500 27,959,132 6,517.279 1,000,000
Total \$8,420,757 Supplementary.		03,045	Cash on hand Cash on deposit. Other assets.	2,284,111 383,751	2,000,000 3,561,679 499,431	1,344,609 533,834
Profits during year	156.838 * 63,405 * 60,000 *: 5,767,886 6,3 2 to 3½ p. c. 1½ to	4 D. C.	Total \$4  Lia Capital stock paid in \$ Surplus fund. Undivided profits. Deposits in trust 3 Other liabilities.	abilities. 92,000,000 9,109,032 338,047	\$51,314,168 \$2,000,000 8,706,406 304,571 39,144,612	\$48,607,354 \$2,000,000 8,166,319 354,455 36,922,467
### Resources.  Dec. 31, '94.  Bonds and mortgages \$2,194,845	Dec. 31, '93. Dec. 3 \$1.853.212 \$2.2	31, '92. 272,509 65,000	Total\$4		1,158,576 51,314,168	$\frac{1,164,113}{48,607,354}$
Stock invest'ts (market value)       551,500         Loaned on collaterals       107,644         Cash on hand       15,685         Cash on deposit       221,484         Plant       450,000         Other assets       89,991         Total       \$3,631,149	3,058 697,170 450,000 81,076	7,276 98,714 50,000	Amount of profits during year. \$\frac{1}{2}\$ Interest credited depositors\ \texpenses of institution\ \texpenses of institution in the institution in the institution of interest on same\ \text{3}\ \text{Rate of interest on same\ \text{1}\ \text{WASHINGTON}\ \text{WASHINGTON}	82,083,074 807,696 181,196 640,000 85,086,379 1 to 4 p. c.	\$2,408,753 1,014,530 126,126 640,000 38,728,970 1 to 4 p. c.	*\$1,016,712 *502,431 *59,982 *320,000 36,296,348 1 to 4 p. c.
Liabilities. Capital stock paid in. \$2,000,000 Surplus fund. 1,000,000 Undivided profits. 32,069 General deposits, pay. on dem. 403,755 Other liabilities. 195,325	861,632 70	00,000 01,084 71,882	Res	sources.	Dec. 31, '93. \$48,600 624,100	Dec. 31, '92 \$23,000 523,627
Total	212,848 2 \$3,737,901 \$3,8	30,867	Bonds and mortgages. Stock invest'ts (market value). Loaned on collaterals. Loaned on personal securities. Cash on hand. Cash on deposit. Other assets	1,373 955,982	2,638,631 56,030 277,829 459,977	3,256,500 63,418 262,314 321,070
Profits during year \$753,562 Interest credited depositors 10,421 Expenses of the institution 449,244 Dividends on capital stock 120,000 Deposits drawing interest 399,052 Rate of interest on same 1 to 5 p. c.	20,248 * 418,648 *2 120,000 ** 651,821 8 1 to 4 p. c. 1 to	10,271	Total\$	34,313,180 abilities.	\$1,544 \$4,136,710 \$500,600 400,000 32,333	\$4,481,813 \$500,000 \$50,000 53,756
UNION TRUST COMP.  Resources. Dec. 31, '94.	Dec. 31, '93. Dec. 3	01, 94.			3,196,915	†3,571,042 7,015
Bonds and mortgages       \$1,840,700         Stock invest'ts (market value)       9,180,594         Loaned on collaterals       16,685,338         Loaned on personal securities       325,000         Real estate (estimated value)       1,900,000         Cash on hand       5,217,949         Cash on deposit       1,422,288         Other assets       268,317	\$200,800 \$1: 2,092,340 1,4: 17,462,014 26,70 1,900,000 1,90 4,024,421 3,00; 9,786,901 2,8: 180,859 24	30,000 58,700 68,934 00,000 23,616 50,842 41,785	Total	\$149,69 ) 63,757 30,781	\$4,136,710 \$209,219 90,988 30,323 30,000 3,122,257 14 to 4 p. c.	\$4,481,813 *\$82,986 *40,460 *13,128 *15,000 3,504,397 1 <sup>1</sup> 2 to 4 p. c.
* For the six months only ending December		73,877	* For the six months only ending the Deposits in trust.	g December	31, 1894.	

### The Commercial Times.

#### COMMERCIAL EPITOME.

FRIDAY NIGHT, Feb. 1, 1895

A slight increase in the movement of merchandise towards consumption is reported by jobbing operators. The gain in business is confined principally to food products and staple lines of moderate cost textile fabrics, but as yet the sale of goods from second hands has not proven sufficiently large to goods from second hands has not proven sufficiently large to compel a renewal of assortments from bulk-parcel stocks. Values for nearly all leading descriptions of merchandise have remained very low, and were in some instances further slightly reduced, under efforts to realize by holders of large accumulations of supplies. Speculation in leading commodities has been of moderate and apathetic character. Of grain the offerings were liberal at declining rates, the modification in cost serving to attract a somewhat better demand for corn from home consumers, and for wheat from exporters, but in general the business was unsatisfactory. Heavy snow-falls were reported from Northern, Middle and Western latitudes, and in many localities railway traffic was seriously impeded. Intense cold following the storms is looked upon as a favorable feature calculated to preserve the snow covering upon ble feature calculated to preserve the snow covering upon

winter grain.

Lard on the spot has continued to meet with a fairly good demand, but prices have further declined, closing at 6.65c. for prime Western, 6½c. for prime City and 7.25c. for refined for the Continent. The speculation in lard for future delivery at this market has been dull and prices have continued to decline under selling by Western packers, prompted by the unsettled currency.

### DAILY CLOSING PRICES OF LARD FUTURES.

 
 Sat.
 Mon.
 Tues.
 Wed.
 Thurs.

 January
 6.85
 6.82
 6.70
 6.70
 6.70
 6.90
 6.90
 6.85

 May
 7.05
 7.05
 6.90
 6.90
 6.85
 

liquidate.
The following were final asking prices:

### COTTON.

FRIDAY NIGHT, February 1, 1895.

THE MOVEMENT OF THE CROP, as indicated by our telegrams from the South to-night, is given below. For the week ending this evening the total receipts have reached 199,835 bales, against 211,913 bales last week and 207,803 bales the previous week; making the total receipts since the 1st of Sept., 1894, 6,218,365 bales, against 4,913,792 bales for the same period of 1893-4, showing an increase since Sep.1, 1894, of 1,304,573 bales.

Receipts at-	Sat.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Total.
Galveston	4,232	8,215	5,720	8,197	5,051	5,579	36,994
Velasco, &c					437	168	605
New Orleans	6,293	20,331	13,110	8,661	18,554	3,914	70,863
Mobile	1,967	2,429	3,253	186	465	2,139	10,439
Florida					567		567
Savannah	3,496	3,150	3,631	1,517	4,283	2,266	18,343
Brunsw'k, &c.					3,746	763	4,509
Charleston	2,568	2,664	1,638	1,565	2,590	807	11,232
Pt. Royal, &c.	******				126	11,686	
Wilmington	1,053	791	719	504	276	459	3,802
Wash'ton, &c.					9	2	11
Norfolk	1,249	2,048	2,348	657	1,432	1,774	9,508
West Point	923	1,562	1,165	1,203	618	1,330	
N'port N., &c.		,		-,	324	1,493	1,817
New York	751	1,340	1,077	1,059	856	736	5,819
Boston	191	120	225	410	288	265	1,499
Baltimore					3,987		3,987
Philadelph'a &c	183		5	227	673	139	1,227
Tot'ls this week	22,908	42,050	32,891	24.186	44,282	33,520	199.835

The following shows the week's total receipts, the total since Sept. 1, 1894, and the stock to-night, compared with last year.

Receipts to	189	94-95.	189	3-94.	Stock.		
Feb. 1.	This Week.	Since Sep. 1, 1894.	This Week.	Since Sep. 1, 1893.	1895.	1894.	
Galveston	36,994	1,438.867	16,153	908,581	162,731	135,685	
Velasco, &c.	603	47,283	1,069	31,126		600	
New Orleans	70,863	1,981,894	49,713	1,517,817	385,176	352,048	
Mobile	10,439	200,433	2,316	172,032	40,431	41,096	
Florida	567	17,762	571	30,951			
Savannah	18,343	773,404	13,080	825,223	98,852	93,016	
Br'wick,&c	4,509	128,532	1,007	56,503	5,231	1,624	
Charleston	11,232	357,482	3,986	309,422	56,773	64,081	
P.Royal, a 3	11,812	113,418	58	48,397			
Wilmington	3,802	216,175	1,601	178,646	14,917	18,949	
Wasn'n, &c	11	872	3	480			
Norfolk	9,508	375,697	9,306	399,551	46,013	67,639	
West Point	6,801	236,167	5,597	197,972	12,208	5,791	
N'p't N., &c	1,817	32,931	2,197	45,394	2,469	12,763	
New York	5,819	98,439	2,307	51,145	155,660	251,087	
Boston	1,499	44,177	4,321	66,310	35,000	The state of the s	
Baltimore	3,987	77,646	1,846	40,983	18,082	22,798	
Philadel.,&c.	1,227	77,186	1,617	82,254	10,915	9,717	
Totals	199,935	6.218.365	116.748	4.913.792	1.044.458	1.101.944	

In order that comparison may be made with other years, we give below the totals at leading ports for six seasons

Receipts at-	1895.	1894.	1893.	1892.	1891.	1890.
Galves'n,&c.	37,599	17,222	15,710	26,661	16,611	17,803
New Orleans	70,863	49,713	38,934	70,049	50,980	48,712
Mobile	10,439	2,316	5,035	6,754	7,788	6,468
8avannah	18,343	13,080	9,512	14,015	22,280	16,218
Char'ton,&c.	23,044	4,014	2,929	7,861	12, 35	3,151
Wilm'ton,&c	3,813	1,604	981	2,774	3,071	1,648
Norfolk	9,508	9,306	3,935	10,628	16,420	14,216
W. Point,&c.	8,618	7,791	1,791	9,162	11,491	12,308
All others	17,603	11,669	7,926	18,641	19,239	19,726
Tot. this wk.	199,835	116,748	86,833	166,518	160,848	140,253
Since Sept. 1	6218,365	4913,793	4067,771	5594,088	5422,507	5102,678

The exports for the week ending this evening reach a total of 197,712 bales, of which 119,953 were to Great Britain, 27,363 to France and 50,397 to the rest of the Continent. Below are the exports for the week and since September 1, 1894.

Exports	W	eek Endi Export		1.	From Sept. 1, 1894, to Feb. 1, 1895. Exporte: 10 -				
from-	Great Brit'n.	France	Conti- nent.	Total Week.	Great Britain	France	Conti- nent.	Total.	
Galveston	45,895	15,352	5,663	66,910	664,496	185,694	264,614	1,111,834	
Velasco, &c			402	402		*****	38,816	38,876	
New Orleans	22,161		22,577	44,738	580,250	361,768	430,377	1,372,395	
Mobile & Pen.	6,086			6,088	64,175		13,143	77,313	
Savannah					63,132	24,317	319,531	406,980	
Brunswick	2,982			2,962	68,711		15,942	84,653	
Charleston*	6,363	11,686	5,428	23,475	202,380	13,786	155,800	371,966	
Wilmington.					55,011	4,160	129,104	184,308	
Norfolk	5,028		4,645	9,673	119,371		23,833	143,204	
West Point					70,871		30,257	101,128	
N'p't News, &c	1,962			1,962	25,917			25,917	
New York	13,012	325	6,419	19,758	261,194	22,893	140,840	424,927	
Boston	11,549	*****		11,549	130,765		1,554	132,319	
Baltimore	4,934		4,835	9,769	60,687	1,430	75,249	137,386	
Philadelp'a			430	430	25,168		8,299	33,467	
Total	119,952	27,363	50,397	197,712	3,392,161	614,048	1,647,449	4,653,658	
Total, 1898-91.	74,001	11,229	48,601	133,834	2,027,400	475,521	1,075,013	3,577,934	

\* including Port Roya),

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 similar figures for New York, which are prepared for our special use by Messrs.

Lambert & Barrows, Produce Exchange Building.

	ON SE						
Feb. 1 at—	Great Britain.	France.	Other Foreign	Coast- wise.	Total.	Leaving Stock.	
Mew Orleans Galveston Savannah Charleston Mobile Norfolk New York Other port	25,149 34,318 None. 1,300 4,000 8,000 7,200 10,000	13,197 2,217 None. None. None. 300 None.	33,596 18,235 18,000 8,000 4,000 3,000 6,850 5,000	2,221 4,158 1,000 250 None. 3,281 None. None.	74,163 58,928 19,000 9,550 8,000 14,281 14,350 15,000	311,013 103,803 79,852 47,223 32,431 31,732 141,310 83,822	
Total 1895	89,967	15,714	96,681	10,910	213,272	831,186	
Total 1894 Total 1893	119,071 64,469	32,160 25,046	65,648 63,957	16,189 7,184	233,068 160,656	868,876 899,653	

Speculation in cotton for future delivery at this market has again been conducted upon narrow lines, with operators generally manifesting an unwillingness to assume aggressive attitudes. Current influences remained much the same as during preceding week, the bearish element being impressed by the liberality of crop movement and indifferent demand from consumers and exporters, while operators of bullish sentiment held to opinion that low prices and prospective reduced acreage for the next crop must soon attract a general investing trade. On Saturday steadiness was shown in consequence of a local covering demand for February, and a net gain of 3 points was secured. During Monday trade had a slow, dragging tone, under which value settled off 5@6 points, unpromising foreign advices and a free run of receipts contributing to depression. On Tuesday a local house concluded to cover its short engagements, and that served as a stimulus for 6 points, but no further demand following on Wednesday except small covering orders, and conditions abroad proving disappointing, the tone weakened and prices settled away slightly. Yesterday arbitrage buying here against sales in Liverpool served to advance rates 5@6 points, but at the close net gain had fallen off to 3 points. To-day the feeling was weak again under tame accounts from abroad, and a heavy movement of crop for week, prices declining 6 points. Cotton on spot dull at 5%c. for middling upland.

The total sales for forward delivery for the week are 465,100 bales. For immediate delivery the total sales foot up this week 2,205 bales, including — for export, 305 for consumption — for speculation and 1,900 on contract. The following ar the official quotations for each day of the past week—January 26 to February 1.

Rates on and off middling, as established Nov. 22, 1893. unpromising foreign advices and a free run of receipts con-

Rates on and off middling, as established Nov. 22, 1898, by the Revision Committee, at which grades other than middling may be delivered on contract:

Strict Low Middling. Low Middling.	78 12 516 316 716	on. on. off. off.	Good Ordinarye. Good Middling Tinged Strict Middling Stained Middling Stained Strict Low Mid. Stained Low Middling Stained	7 <sub>32</sub> 7 <sub>18</sub> 29 <sub>32</sub>	off.
Strict Good Ordinary	13,	a off.			

On this basis the prices for a few of the grades would be: s

UPLANDS.	Sat.	Mon	Tues	Wed	Th.	Frd.
Good Ordinary Low Middling Middling Good Middling Middling Fair	$\begin{array}{c} 49_{16} \\ 51_{4} \\ 511_{16} \\ 6 \\ 69_{16} \end{array}$	41g 5316 558 51516 612	4 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub> 5 <sup>3</sup> <sub>16</sub> 5 <sup>5</sup> <sub>8</sub> 5 <sup>15</sup> <sub>16</sub> 6 <sup>1</sup> <sub>2</sub>	41 <sub>9</sub> 53 <sub>16</sub> 55 <sub>8</sub> 515 <sub>1</sub> 61 <sub>2</sub>	4 kg 5316 558 51516 6 kg	4 <sup>1</sup> 2 5 <sup>3</sup> 16 5 <sup>5</sup> 8 5 <sup>15</sup> 16 6 <sup>1</sup> 2
GULF.	Sat.	Mon	Tues	Wed	Th.	Fri
Good Ordinary Low Middling Middling Good Middling. Middling Fair	413 <sub>16</sub> 51 <sub>2</sub> 515 <sub>16</sub> 61 <sub>4</sub> 613 <sub>16</sub>	57 <sub>16</sub> 57 <sub>8</sub> 63 <sub>16</sub>	43 <sub>4</sub> 57 <sub>16</sub> 57 <sub>8</sub> 53 <sub>16</sub> 63 <sub>4</sub>	43 <sub>4</sub> 57 <sub>16</sub> 57 <sub>8</sub> 63 <sub>16</sub> 63 <sub>4</sub>	43 <sub>4</sub> 57 <sub>16</sub> 57 <sub>8</sub> 63 <sub>16</sub> 63 <sub>4</sub>	43 <sub>4</sub> 57 <sub>16</sub> 57 <sub>8</sub> 63 <sub>16</sub> 63 <sub>4</sub>
STAINED.	Sat.	Mon	Tues	Wed	Th.	Fri.
Low Middling. Middling Strict Middling Good Middling Tinged.	45 <sub>16</sub> 5 <sup>1</sup> 4 5 <sup>15</sup> 32 5 <sup>11</sup> 16	4 <sup>1</sup> 4 5 <sup>3</sup> 16 5 <sup>13</sup> 32 5 <sup>5</sup> 8	$\begin{array}{r} 4^{1}4 \\ 5^{3}16 \\ 5^{13}32 \\ 5^{5}8 \end{array}$	4 <sup>1</sup> 4 5 <sup>3</sup> 16 51 <sup>3</sup> 32 5 <sup>5</sup> 8	41 <sub>4</sub> 53 <sub>16</sub> 513 <sub>32</sub> 55 <sub>8</sub>	44 5316 51382 558

MARKET AND SALES.

The total sales of cotton on the spot and for future delivery each day during the week are indicated in the following statement. For the convenience of the reader we also add a column which shows at a glance how the market closed on

	SPOT MARKET	SALE	SALES OF SPOT AND CONTRACT.						
	CLOSED.	Ex- port.	Con- sump.	Spec- ul't'n	Con- tract.	Total.	Sales of Futures,		
	Dull and easy Dull at 116 dec		51 40		300	51 340	25,500 96,400		
Tuesday	Dull Dull and easy		46 36			46 36	77,500 86,200		
Thur'd'y	Steady Dull.		81 51		500 1,100	581 1,151	87,500 92,006		
Total.			305		1,900	2,205	465,100		

THE SALES AND PRICES OF FUTURES are shown by the

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Sales since Sep. 1, '94*	Total sales this week	Friday, Feb. 1— Sales, total. Prices paid (range) Closing.	Thursday, Jan. 31— Sales, total Prices paid (range) Closing.	Wednesd'y, Jan 30— Sales, total. Prices paid (range) Closing.	Tuesday, Jan. 29— Sales, total. Prices paid (rr age Closing.	Monday, Jan. 28— Sales, total. Prices paid (range) Closing.	Saturday, Jan. 26— Sales, total. Prices paid (range) Closing.	FUTURES	Market, Sales and Prices of
13,830,100	465,100	Weak. 92,000 5.43 a 5.78 Lower.	Easy. 87,500 5.44.0 5.82 Higher.	Lower. 86,200 5.42% 5.77 Steadier.	Easy. 77,500 5.40 a 5.78 Higher.	Lower. 96,400 5.407 5.79 Steady.	Higher. 25,500 5.43 a 5.78 Steady.	Total Sales.	Market, Range and
5·42 3,175,300	2,100	A VOI	Aver	Aver. 5.43 5.43 a 5.44 5.42 - 5.44	Aver 5.41 300 5.40 5.42 5.45 - 5.47	Aver 5.40 1,000 5.40 0 5.41 5.39 - 5.41	Aver. 5.44 Aver 300 5.449 - 5.45 5.45	January.	
5.43	9,400	Aver. 5.43 5.43 7 5.41 5.42	Aver. 5.47 1,900 5.44 a 5.48 5.46 - 5.47	Aver. 5.45 800 5.420 5.44 5.43 - 5.44	Aver 5.43 1,000 5.400 5.43 5.45 - 5.4	Aver 5:40 1,700 5:40 a 5:41 5:40 - 5:41	3,300 0 5.4 - 5.4	February.	
4,037,700	81,200	Aver. 5.46 13,400 5.410 5.51 5.45 5.46	900 15,500 Aver 5.54 Aver 36,4 5.48 5.46 5.53 5.50 5.53 5.54 5.55 5.58 5.58 5.54 5.55 5.58 5.58		10,8 5.43 3 5.49	AVOI540 AVOI545 AVOI547 1,760 5-40 5-41 5-43 5-45 5-47 5-549 5-40 - 5-41 5-44 - 5-45 5-47 - 5-48	Aver 5.50 4,400 5.49 a 5.51 5.49 5.50	March.	
5.51	19,400		Aver 5.54 2,500 5.50 9 5.56 5.54 - 5.55	Aver. 5.50 16,800 5.46 o 5.49 5.49 o 5.52 5.47 - 5.48 5.51 - 5.52	5.45 Aver 5.49 Aver 3,00 3,200 3 5.50 5.47 6 5.53 5.50 5.53 5.54 5.52	Aver 5.47 6,500 5.47 0 5.49 5.47 - 5.48	Aver 5:53 1,900 5:52 5:53 5:52 5:53	April.	DAILY F
2.690,500	204,300	Aver 5: 40,700 5:520 5: 5:53 - 5:	5.53 m 5.60 5.53 m 5.60	Aver 5.55 39,400 5.53 a 5.56 5.55 — 5.56	A Ver 5.53 37,300 5.50 a 5.57 5.52 - 5.58	Aver 5.51 40,900 5.50 5.53 5.51 - 5.52	5.55 a 5.56 -	Мау.	PRICES AND
5.58	73.800	54 Aver 5.58 A 19,200 59 5.55 5.62 54 5.56 5.57	Aver. 5.57 Aver. 5.61 36,400 5.53 a 5.60 5.57 a 5.64 5.61 5.62 5.61 5.64	Aver 5.59 11,300 5.570 5.60 5.59 - 5.60	Aver . 5.56 10,800 5.53 5.61 5.60 - 5.61	Aver. 5:51 Aver. 5:55 40,900 10,600 5:50 b 5:53 5:54 n 5:56 5:51 - 5:52 5:55 - 5:56	5.56 Aver 5.60 00 1,600 5.57 5.59 5.60 - 5.59 5.60	June.	D SALES OF
5.62		5.60 5.65 5.60 5.65 5.60 5.61	Aver. 5.64 2,200 5.61 0 5.67 5.65 - 5.66	Aver 5.62 5.60 7 5.63 5.62 - 5.64	5.57 % 5.65 5.64 5.65	5.58 2.100 5.58 5.60 5.59 - 5.60	Aver 5.63 7.0 5.62 9 5.63 5.62 - 5.63	July.	F FUTURES
5.66	33.500	5.63 a 5.64	>	5.65 p	a. a. Þ	<b>&gt;</b>	Aver 5.68 3,100 8 5.67 a 5.69 5.67 - 5.68	August.	
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5.75	27.800	6.48	ver     5.70     Aver     5.71     Aver     5.77     Aver       3.50     5.65     5.75     5.75     5.75     5.75       5.69     5.70     5.74     5.75     5.79     5.80     -	100	ver.     5·64     Aver.     5·67     Aver.     5·72     Aver.       4.700     600     4.200       5·62     5·65     5·70     5·70     5·73     -       5·68     5·65     5·72     5·73     5·70     5·78     -	7 Aver 5:73 Aver 5:73 8 5:71 p 5:74 5:79 p	Aver 5.78 Aver 600 5.77 5.78 -	-	
5.79	000	5.75 Aver	7 Aver	5.76 Aver	A VOT :	Aver 5.73 Aver 5.79 Aver 5.71 a 5.71 5.79 a — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — —	Aver:	October. November.	
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\* Includes sales in September, for September, 28,100; September October, for October, 229,600; September-November, for November 413,600; September-December, for December, 1,162,000.

\*\*The We have included in the above table, and shall continue each week to give, the average price of futures each day for each month. It will be found under each day following the abbreviation "Aver." The average for each month for the week is also given at bottom of table.

For exchanges see page 228.

THE VISIBLE SUPPLY OF COTTON to-night, as made up by cable and telegraph is as follows. The Continental stocks, as well as those for Great Britain and the afloat are this week's returns and consequently all the European figures are brought down to Thursday evening. But to make the totals the complete figures for to-night (Feb. 1), we add the item of exports from the United States, including in it the exports of Friday only.

1895.	1894.	1893.	1892
1.589.000	1,600,000	1,645,000	1,660,000
7,000	7,000	5,000	8,000
	1.607.000	1.650.000	1.668,000
20,000	20,000	2.500	2,200
			145,000
		17,000	24,000
200	200	300	300
18,000	12,000	6,000	5,000
498,000	419,000	407,000	280,000
5,000	6,000	7,000	7,000
74,000	54,000		90,000
26,000	9,000		9,000
16,000	16,000	9,000	13,000
984,200	764,200	755,800	575,500
2,580,200	2,371,200	2,405,800	2,243,500
26,000	103,000	88,000	40,000
			476,000
43,000	54,000	50,000	41,000
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The above figures indicate an *increase* in the cotton in sight to-night of 383,725 bales as compared with the same date of 1894, an *increase* of 636,928 bales over the corresponding date of 1893 and a gain of 329,188 bales over 1892.

AT THE INTERIOR TOWNS the movement—that is the receipts for the week, and since September 1, the shipments for the week and the stocks to-night, and the same items for the corresponding period of 1893-94—is set out in detail below.

Total. 31 towns	Houston,	Dallas	Branham,	Memphis,	Newberry,	Columbia,	Cincinnati,	Raleigh.	Charlotte.	St Louis t	ATORBOTTA'	Natchez,	Meridian,	Greenville,	Columbus,	Shreveport,	Louisville,*	Rome.	Macon.	Columbus.	Augusta.	Atlanta	Athens	LIBUTE ROCK,	Helena,	Selma,	Montgomery,	Eufaula,		Tow	
towns	:	LDAAD	81 AUL	TENNESSEE.	"	S. CAROLINA	Оню	11	N.CAROLINA	MISSOTTO	"		::	::	MISSISSIPPI.	LOUISIANA	KENTUCKY.	"	"	"		"	GEORGIA	IDaoan	ARKANSAS		"	ALABAMA		TOWNS.	
106.928	41,502	373	1,100	9,083	200	488	8,597	499	176	17,363	0119	1,100	502	667	1,458	1,128	319	960	708	430	4,270	2,120	2.476	14.8	2 24 0	257	1,153	99	This week.	Rec	Mose
4.709.031	1,535,765	57.022	107 469	498,712	15,184	25,413	271,456	28,849	20,281	713.292	50,849	20,000	33,740	39,142	34,339	102,129	5,441	80,150	66,006	60,581	180,227	151,877	68,778	31,560	00,173	75,024	131,709	18,366	Sept.1,'94	Receipts.	movement to reorand 1, 1000.
124.607	4	377		016,21	2/2	480	8,822		426	19.573	1,933	2,796	1 716	900	1,367	2,763	334	1,018				3,675			2 400			348	This week.	Shipm'ts	n wur y .,
489.801	50,176	763	1916	127,442	4/5		13,779	2,189	250	67,930	12,479	10 331	4,931	4,404	2,757	24,571	1,120	5,387	6,479	12,016	32,865	24,461	11.537	6,938	17,512	9,237	16,068	4,316	1 .	Stock	T0000
57.406	15,704	565	166	0,120	1111	230	4,576	151	294	15,282	1.104	400	500	1000	cec	1,100	142	407	338	764	2,066	598	1.249	107	1 894	162	1,212	57	week.	Rec	TO O O O
3.286.248	936,587	37,724	40.873	98 854			143,408					45.175	33 119	020,020	23,6/3	65,368	3,693	56,781	58,067	58,750	163,100	113,901	56,691	33,351	60 166	02,081	117,278	18,694	Sept.1,'93		morement to real and & 2,
70.613	20,848	-		531			4,131	246	234	14,181	1.320	1,119	1 471	101	200	1,794	50	629	475	561	2,009	1,429	416	201	2,027	1,121	2,1/1	184	week.	Shipm'ts	
406,940	21,097	1.524	4.505	127,778	107 770	::	4,842	2,050	200	58,414	15,546	12,074	2022	0,000	3,102	15,136	786	7,034	6,625	11,280	34,264	7,028	10,633	6,001	10,830	10,713	10,216	4,907	1 7	Stock	*00x

\* Louisville figures "net" in both years t Last year's figures revised.

The above totals show that the interior stocks have decreased during the week 17,679 bales and are now \$2,861 bales more than at same period last year. The receipts at all the towns have been 49,522 bales more than same week last year and since Sept. 1 are 1,422,783 bales more than for same time in 189: -94

QUOTATIONS FOR MIDDLING COTTON AT OTHER MARKETS.—Below we give closing quotations of middling cotton at Southern and other principal cotton markets for each day of the week.

Week ending	CLOSIN	CLOSING QUOTATIONS FOR MIDDLING COTTON ON-											
Feb. 1.	Satur.	Mon.	Tues.	Wednes.	Thurs.	Fri.							
Galveston New Orleans Mobile Savannah Charleston Wilmington. Norfolk Boston Baltimore Philadelphia Augusta Memphis St. Louis Houston Cincinnati Louisville	518 5118 5116 5116 51316 51316 514 51511 51518 514 516 516 518 518 518	51-6 55-1-1-6 55-1-1-6 55-1-1-6 55-1-1-1-6 55-1-1-1-6 55-1-1-1-6 55-1-1-1-6 55-1-1-1-6 55-1-1-1-6 55-1-1-1-6 55-1-1-1-6 55-1-1-1-6 55-1-1-1-6 55-1-1-1-6 55-1-1-1-6 55-1-1-1-6 55-1-1-1-6 55-1-1-1-6 55-1-1-1-1-6 55-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-	518 5118 5118 5118 478 518 5518 5518 5518 55116 5116 5116 5514	518 5116 5116 5118 518 518 518 518 5116 5116	518 41518 5118 5118 5128 478 558 558 5118 55116 55116 55116 55116	518 5116 5116 518 478 518 558 5512 578 55116 5116 5116 5116 5118							

The closing quotations to-day (Friday) at other important Southern markets were as follows.

Atlanta Columbus, Ga. Columbus, Miss Eufaula	434	Little Rock   Montgomery   Nashville   Natchez	4 <sup>15</sup> 16 5	Newberry Raleigh Selma Shreveport	4 <sup>5</sup> 8 4 <sup>7</sup> 8 5 <sup>1</sup> 8 4 <sup>5</sup> 8
	- 10		T.C.		

RECEIPTS FROM THE PLANTATIONS.—The following table indicates the actual movement each week from the plantations. The figures do not include overland receipts nor Southern consumption; they are simply a statement of the weekly movement from the plantations of that part of the crop which finally reaches the market through the outports. finally reaches the market through the outports.

Week		Receip	ts at the	Ports.	St'k at	Interior	Towns.	Rec'pts from Plant'ns.			
En	ding-	1892-93	1893-94	1894-95	1892-93	1893-94	1894-95	1892-93	1892-94	1894-95	
Dec.	28	165,943	260,140	309,797	479,454	192,430	609,004	176,445	266,411	349,972	
Jan.	4	126,054	190,702	249,854	473,655	481,977	600,956	120,255	180,249	241,806	
66	11	114,841	134,813	205,746	452,704	451,121	568,651	93,890	103,957	173,441	
66	18	101,737	159,917	207,806	446,672	432,721	530,024	95,705	141,517	169,179	
66	25						507,480		141,778	189,369	
Feb.	1						489,801		103,541	182,156	

The above statement shows: 1.—That the total receipts from the plantations since Sept. 1, 1894, are 6,650,831 bales; in 1893-94 were 5,244,566 bales; in 1892-93 were 4,389,871 bales.

2.—That although the receipts at the outports the past week were 199,835 bales, the actual movement from plantations was only 182,156 bales, the balance being taken from the stocks at the interior towns. Last year the receipts from the plantations for the week were 103,541 bales and for 1893 they were 91,677 bales.

OVERLAND MOVEMENT FOR THE WEEK AND SINCE SEPT. 1 .-We give below a statement showing the overland movement for the week and since September 1. As the returns reach us by telegraph late Friday night it is impossible to enter so largely into detail as in our regular monthly report, but all the principal matters of interest are given. This weekly publication is of course supplementary to the more extended monthly statements. The results for the week ending Feb. 1 monthly statements. The results for the week ending and since Sept. 1 in the last two years are as follows:

	189	4-95.	1893-94			
February 1.	Week.	Since Sept. 1.	Week.	Since Sept.		
Shipped-				400 = 00		
Via St. Louis	19,573			469,569		
Via Cairo	8,077	251,043	5,689	178,391		
Via Hannibal		545		13,290		
Via Evansville	280	2,694	50	6,068		
Via Louisville	4,371	130,636	2,999	70,841		
Via Cincinnati	2,674		2,934	78,996		
Via other routes, &c	1,116			94,878		
Total gross overland	36,091	1,259,984	37,238	912,033		
Overland to N. Y., Boston, &c	12,532	297,448	10,091	190,692		
Overland to N. 1., Boston, &co	670			20,507		
Between interior towns	2,434			66,131		
Total to be deducted	15,636	361,671	11,730	277,330		
Leaving total net overland*				635,703		

\*Including movement by rail to Canada. † Revised.

The foregoing shows that the week's net overland movement this year has been 20,455 bales, against 25,508 bales for the week in 1894, and that for the season to date the aggregate net overland exhibits an increase over a year ago of 262,610 bales.

	188	94-95.	1893-94			
In Sight and Spinners' Takings.	Week.	Since Sept. 1.	Week.	Since Sept. 1		
Receipts at ports to Feb. 1	20,455		25,508	635,703		
Total marketed (nterior stocks in excess	234,290 *17,679	7,506,678 432,466	155,256 *13,207	5,916,495 330,774		
Came into sight during week. Total in sight Feb. 1	216,611	7,939,144	142,049	6,247,269		
North'n spinners tak'gs to Feb.1	44,646	1,527,969	21,561	1,083,883		

\* Decrease during week.

It will be seen by the above that there has come into sight during the week 216,611 bales, against 142,049 bales for the same week of 1894, and that the increase in the count in sight to-night as compared with last year is 1,691,875 bales

WEATHER REPORTS BY TELEGRAPH.-Reports to us by WEATHER REPORTS BY TELEGRAPH.—Reports to us by telegraph from the South this evening indicate that rain has been quite general during the week and that at some points in the Atlantic States and in a few sections elsewhere the rainfall has been rather heavy. Snow is reported by some of our correspondents. Cotton is still being marketed quite

Galveston, Texas.—The week's rainfall has been eighty-nine hundreths of an inch on two days. The thermometer

has averaged 50, ranging from 35 to 69.

Palestine, Texas.—We have had welcome rain on three days during the week, the precipitation reaching one inch and eighty-two hundredths. The thermometer has ranged from 20 to 66, averaging 43.

Huntsville, Texas.—Rain has fallen on two days of the

Huntsville, Texas.—Rain has fallen on two days of the week, the rainfall being eighty-eight hundredths of an inch.

Average thermometer 47, highest 68, lowest 26.

Dallas, Texas.—Some remnants of the cotton crop remain farmers are plowing it under as the price will not justify its gathering. The land is generally in good condition for plowing, and farm work will be rushed when the weather is favorable. The precipitation during the week will be of great value to ferming interests as it will enable allowed. favorable. The precipitation during the week will be of great value to farming interests, as it will enable planters to pre-pare their land for cotton, maize and other spring crops. It pare their land for cotton, maize and other spring crops. It has rained on three days and there has been four inches of snow on one day of the week, the rainfall reaching seventy-seven hundredths of an inch. The thermometer has averaged 44, the highest being 75 and the lowest 14.

San Antonio, Texas.—There has been rain on two days the past week, the precipitation being one inch and ten hundredths. The thermometer has averaged 52, ranging from 30 to 74

Luling, Texas.--We have had rain on three days of the week, the pecipitation reaching ninety hundredths of an inch. The thermometer has ranged from 30 to 78, averaging 54.

Columbia, Texas.—Rain has fallen on three days of the week to the extent of one inch and seventy-five hundredths.

Average thermometer 54, highest 76 lowest 31.

Cuero, Texas.—There has been rain on one day of the week to the extent of eighty hundredths of an inch. The thermometer has averaged 55, the highest being 69 and the lowest 41. lowest 41.

Brenham, Texas.—We have had rain on three days of the week to the extent of one inch and forty-six hundredths. The thermometer has averaged 51, ranging from 26 to 76.

Belton, Texas.—We have had rain on three days and one

and a-quarter inches of snow on one day during the week, the precipitation, including melted snow, reaching one inch and forty-three hundredths. The thermometer has ranged from

21 to 76, averaging 48.

Fort Worth, Texas.—Rain has fallen on three days of the week, to the extent of forty hundredths of an inch. There has also been five inches of snow on one day. Average therefore the solution of the

has also been five inches of show on one day. Average thermometer 42, highest 68, lowest 16.

Weatherford, Texas.—We have had rain on three days of the week, the rainfall reaching forty-four hundredths of an inch; also six inches of snow on one day. The thermometer has averaged 45, the highest being 70 and the lowest 20.

New Orleans, Louisiana.—The week's rainfall has been seventy-five hundredths of an inch, on four days. The thermometer has averaged 48.

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Shreveport, Louisiana.—There has been rain or snow on five days during the week, the precipitation, including melted snow, being one inch and thirty-five hundredths. The ther-

mometer has ranged from 23 to 54, averaging 35.

Columbus, Mississippi.—We have had rain on four days of the week, the rainfall reaching one inch and sixty-five hundredths. Average thermometer 56, highest 72 and lowest 28. During January the rainfall reached six inches and fifty-

seven hundredths.

Leland, Mississippi.—Telegram not received.

Meridian, Mississippi.—The sales of fertilizers have thus far been fifty per cent less than last year. Planters will reduce their cotton acreage. We have had rain on four days of the week. The thermometer has averaged 47, ranging from 35 to an extension of the second 60.

Little Rock, Arkansas,—It has rained and snowed on two days during the past week, the rainfall reaching two inches and twenty-nine hundredths. Snow is now falling. The thermometer has ranged from 12 to 48, averaging 27.

Helena, Arkansas—We have had snow on two days of the week to the depth of four inches, and there has been rain on one day, the precipitation, including melted snow, being seventy-seven hundredths of an inch. Average thermometer 52. During the month of January the rainfall reached nine inches and sixteen hundredths.

During the month of January the rainfall reached nine inches and sixteen hundredths.

Memphis, Tennessee.—It has rained on one day of the week, and we had snow on Monday, the precipitation reaching one inch and thirty-two hundredths of an inch. The thermometer has averaged 29.6, the highest being 51.8 and the lowest 13.3. During the month of January the rainfall reached five inches and ninety-four hundredths on eleven days.

New York: There were the passe prein an three days of

Nashville, Tennessee.—There has been rain on three days of the week to the extent of one inch and fourteen hundredths.

The thermometer has averaged 28, ranging from 15 to 63.

Mobile, Alabama.—We have had rain on five days during the week, the precipitation reaching one inch and forty-three hundredths. The thermometer has ranged from 35 to 72, averaging 47. January rainfall five inches and twenty-four hundredths.

Montgomery, Alabama.-We have had rain on six days the past week, the rainfall being two inches and seventy-two hundredths. Average thermometer 45, highest 50 and lowest

40. January rainfall six inches and sixty-nine hundredths. Selma, Alabama.—Rain has fallen on four days of the past week, the precipitation being two inches and twenty hundredths. The thermometer has averaged 43, the highest being 55 and the legest 20 55 and the lowest 30.

Madison, Florida.—Telegram not received.

Columbus, Georgia.—There has been rain on four days of the week, the rainfall reaching one inch and fourteen hungedths. The thermometer has averaged 42, ranging from 30 dredths.

Savannah, Georgia.—We have had rain on six days of th week, the precipitation being three inches and seventy-tw hundredths. Average thermometer 51, highest 68, lowest 37 Augusta, Georgia.—Rain has fallen on six days of the week, to the extent of three inches and fifty-five hundredths. The thermometer has averaged 45, the highest being 64 and the lowest 33

Charleston, South Carolina.—The week's rainfall has been five inches and thirty-two hundredths on six days. The thermometer has averaged 50, ranging from 39 to 64.

Stateburg, South Carolina.—There has been rain on four days of the week, the rainfall reaching three inches and eighty-six hundredths. The thermometer has ranged from

34 to 64, averaging 46 1.

Wilson, North Carolina.—It has rained on four days of the week, the precipitation being two inches and sixty-two hundredths. Average thermometer 41, highest 60 and lowest 30, January rainfall four inches and seventeen hundredths.

The following statement we have also received by telegraph, showing the height of the rivers at the points named at 8 o'clock January 31, 1895, and February 1, 1894.

	Jan. 31, '95.	Feb. 1, '94.
	Feet.	Feet.
New Orleans Above low-water mark.	8.7	5.7
Memphis Above zero of gauge.	18.9	11.0
Nashville Above zero of gauge.	12.9	8.3
ShreveportBelow zero of gauge.	0.9	6.3
Vicksburg		17.6

INDIA COTTON MOVEMENT FROM ALL PORTS.—The receipts and shipments of cotton at Bombay have been as follows for the week and year, bringing the figures down to January 31.

BOMBAY RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS FOR FOUR YEARS.

	Shipm	entsthi	s week.	Shipm	ents since	Receipts.		
Fear	Great Brit'n.	Conti- nent.	Total.	Great Britain	Conti- nent.	Total.	This Week.	Since Sept. 1.
94-5	1.000	1,000	2.000	2,000	41,000	43,000	46.000	301.000
93-4			21,000		200,000	213,000		502.000
'92-3			25,000		180,000	188,000		422,000
'91-2		11,000	11,000	6,000	82,000	88,000	40,000	303,000

	Shipme	ntsforth	e week.	Shipments since Sept. 1			
	Great Britain.	Continent.	Total.	Great Britain.	Continent.	Total.	
Oalcutta— 1894-95 1893-94				5,000 3,000	7,000	12,000 8,000	
Madras- 1894-95 1893-94				13,000 19,000	10,000 8,000	23,000 27,000	
All others— 1894-95 1893-94	2,000	2,000 2,000	2,000 4,000	12,000 20,000	26,000 27,000	38,000 47,000	
Total all— 1894-94 1893-95	2,000	2.000 2,000	2,000 4,000	30,000 42,000	43,000 40,000	73,000 82,000	

EXPORTS TO EUROPE FROM ALL INDIA.

Shipments	189	4-95.	189	3-94.	1892-93.		
to all Europe from—	This week.	Since Sept. 1.	This week.	Since Sept. 1.	This week.	Since Sept. 1.	
Sombay	2,000 2,000	43,000 73,000	21,000 4,000	213,000 82,000	25,000 2,000	188,000 80,000	
Total	4,000	116,000	25,000	295,000	27,000	268,000	

ALEXANDRIA RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS.—Through arrange ments we have made with Messrs. Davies, Benachi & Co., of Liverpool and Alexandria, we now receive a weekly cable of the movements of cotton at Alexandria, Egypt. The following are the receipts and shipments for the past week and for the corresponding week of the previous two years.

Alexandria, Egypt, January 30.	1894-95.		189	3-94.	1892-93.	
Receipts (cantars*) This week Since Sept. 1.					110,000 4,560,000	
	This week.	Since Sept. 1.	This week.	Since Sept. 1.	This week.	Since Sept. 1.
Exports (bales)— To Liverpool To Continent		188,000 187,000		201,000 143,000	4,000 6,000	249,000 158,000
Total Europe		375,000	14,000	344,000	10,000	407,000

\*A cantar is 98 pounds.

MANCHESTER MARKET.—Our report received by cable tonight from Manchester states that the market is flat for
yarns and easy for sheetings. There is a more general resort
to short time. We give the prices for to-day below and leave
those for previous weeks of this and last year for comparison:

-		1894-95.		1893-94.		
	32s Cop. Twist.	84 lbs. Shirtings.	Oott'n Mid. Uplds	32s Oop.	814 lbs. Shirtings.	Mid Upla
Jan. 4 " 11 " 18	d. d. 5 <sup>3</sup> 16 <b>7</b> 5 <sup>7</sup> 8 5 <sup>1</sup> 8 <b>7</b> 5 <sup>1</sup> 316 5 <sup>1</sup> 8 <b>7</b> 5 <sup>1</sup> 5 <sub>16</sub> 5 <b>7</b> 5 <sup>1</sup> 316 4 <sup>15</sup> 16 <b>7</b> 5 <sup>3</sup> 4	4 0406 1	3118	d. d. 6½ Ø7½ 6916 Ø7⅓ 61116 Ø7¼ 61116 Ø7¼ 6916 Ø7⅙	5 6 <b>07</b> 4 <sup>1</sup> 2 5 7 <b>07</b> 6 5 7 <b>07</b> 6	

SEA ISLAND COTTON MOVEMENT.—We have received this (Friday) evening by telegraph from the various ports the details of the Sea Island cotton movement for the week. The receipts for the week ending to-night (February 1) and since Sept. 1, 1894, the stocks to-night, and the same items for the corresponding periods of 1893-94, are as follows.

	189	4-95.	189	3-94.	Stock.	
Receipts to Feb. 1.	This week.	Since Sept. 1.	This week.	Since Sept. 1.	1895.	1894.
Savannah	1,029 40 119	61,243 5,080 4,512	872 8	50,079 1,885 3,130	931	10,514 873 986
Total	1,188	70,835	880	55,094	12,938	12,373

The exports for the week ending this evening reach a total of 460 bales, of which 435 bales were to Great Britain, 25 to France and — to Reval, and the amount forwarded to Northern mills has been 1,499 bales. Below are the exports for the week and since September 1 in 1894-95 and 1893-94.

	Week 1	Ending .	Feb. 1.	Since	Sept. 1,	North'n Mills.		
Exports from—	Great Brit'n.	Fr'nce	Total.	Great Brit'n.	Fr'nce	Total.	Week.	Since Sept.1
Bavannah Charl't'n, &e Florida, &c. New York Boston Baltimore	435	25	435 25	18,085 2,298 670 2,475 1,024	2,108 53 2,117	670	97 119	25,440 1,261 3,665
Total	435	25	460	24,552	4,278	28,830	1,499	30,366
Total 1893-4	53	78	131	24,812	3,382	28,194	120	16,351

A considerable portion of the Sea Island cotton shipped to foreign ports goes via New York, and some small amounts via Boston and Baltimore. Instead of including this cotton for the week in which it leaves the Southern outports, we follow the week in which it leaves the Southern outports, we follow the same plan as in our regular table of including it when actually exported from New York, &c. The details of the shipments of Sea Island cotton for the week will be found under the head "Shipping News," on a subsequent page.

Quotations Feb. 1 at Savannah, for Floridas, common, 8c.; medium fine, 11c.; choice, 1434c.

Charleston, Carolinas, medium fine, 22c. to 24c.; fine, 28c.; extra fine, 30c. to 35c.

OVERLAND MOVEMENT, &c., TO FEBRUARY 1.—In our editorial columns to-day will be found our regular statement of overland movement, receipts, exports, spinners' takings, &c., brought down to February 1.

EXCHANGES.—The following exchanges have been made during the week:

during the week.	
'07 pd. to exch. 100 Apr. for June.	'16 pd. to exch. 600 Feb. for June.
'08 pd. to exch. 200 June for Aug.	·29 pd. to exch. 900 Mch. for Oct.
'07 pd. to exch. 2,300 Mch. for May.	.07 pd. to exch. 100 May for July.
'11 pd. to exch. 200 Jan. for May.	20 pd. to exch. 500 Mch. for Aug.
'11 pd. to exch. 300 May for Aug.	18 pd. to exch. 100 Feb. s. n. for
·10 pd. to exch, 100 Jan. for May.	for June.
.04 pd. to exch. 900 May for June.	'19 pd. to exch. 100 Mch. for Aug.
·10 pd. to exch. 200 Mch. for June.	·22 pd. to exch. 100 May for Oct.
'20 pd. to exch. 200 May for Oct.	Even 200 Jan. s. n. for Feb.
.03 pd. to exch. 100 May for June.	11 pd. to exch. 200 May for Aug.
·15 pd. to exch. 500 Feb. for June.	11 pd. to exch. 2,100 Feb. for May.
*05 pd. to exch. 200 Feb. for Mch.	·11 pd. to exch. 200 Mch. for June.

JUTE BUTTS, BAGGING, ETC.—The market for jute bagging, as usual at this time of the year, has been quiet the past week, the trading being confined to actual requirements. Prices have, however, undergone no change, the ruling quotations this evening being 41%c. for 1¾ lbs., 41%c. for 2 lbs. and 4%c. for standard grades in a jobbing way. Car-load lots of standard brands are quoted at 41%c. for 1½ lbs., 45%c. for 2 lbs. and 5c. for 2½ lbs., f. o. b. at New York. Jute butts have been in very moderate request at 11%c. on the spot.

SHIPPING NEWS—The exports of cotton from the Unit description.

SHIPPING NEWS.—The exports of cotton from the United States the past week, as per latest mail returns, have reached 265,622 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 Thursday.

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Tot	albales.
NEW YORK—To Liverpool, per steamers Hogarth, 2,387 Maskelyne, 3,179Nomadic, 4,203Ptolemy, 1,065	10.834
To Hull, per steamer Buffalo, 1,878	1,878
To London, per steamer Mobile, 300	300
To Havre, per steamer La Bourgogne, 300 upland and 25	40000
Sea Island	325
To Hamburg, per steamer Persia, 1,117	1,117
To Antwerp, per steamers Belgenland, 717Lepanto, 885	1,602
To Oporto, per steamer Oevenum, 400	400
To Lisbon, per steamer James Turpie, 500	500
To Genoa, per steamer Victoria, 2,200	2,200
To Trieste, per steamer Norfolk, 600	600
NEW ORLEANS-To Liverpool, per steamers Alicia, 6,000	
Man Barbadian, 8,110 Delambre, 1,900 Governor, 5,267	
Montezuma, 13,750Santanderino, 6,984	42,011
To Havre, per steamers British King, 10,193 Carolina,	
8.149	18,342

	Total bales
To Bremen, per steamer Crown, 4,569	4,569
To Hamburg, per steamer Hungaria, 1,535	1,535
GALVESTON-To Liverpool, per steamers Derwent Holme, 5,6	38
Darlington, 6,840Duchess of Roxburghe, 5,268.	
Fulwell, 6,825Glantivy, 7.356Rita, 5,648	Marie Control
Cronto, 5,531 Vivina, 8,028Windsor, 7,768	
Zangihan 2 920	67,140
Zanzibar, 8,238.  To Bremen, per steamer Knutsford, 5,312	5.312
To Bremen, per steamer Khutsion, 1,512	12
To Hamburg, per steamers Annie, 500 City of Wakefle	10,
To Rotterdam, per steamer Annie, 5,312	4,245
To Rotterdam, per steamer Annie, 5,312	5,312
To Genoa, per steamer British Prince, 1,296	1,296
VELASCO-To Hamburg, per steamer White Jacket, 92	92
MORILE—To Livernool, per steamer Verax, 7,257.	7.257
SAVANNAH-To Liverpool, per steamer Glenelg, 4,650 upla	nd
and 2 241 See Teland	B.99
To Havre, per steamer Topaze, 4,750 upland and and 2	55
Sog Teland	5.00
To Bremen, per steamer Aeolus, 8,345.	8,345
BRUNSWICK—To Liverpool, per steamer Dunmore Head, 2.95	6. 2,956
CHARLESTON-To Bremen, per steamers Glenloig, 8,726.	-,000
OHARLESION—10 Dremen, per stramore dromore, 0,120.	17,59
Lammermoor, 8,870	1.499
To Barcelona, per bark Josefa Formosa, 1.499	5.83
PORT ROYAL -To Manchester, per steamer Nyassa, 5,838	
WILMINGTON-To Liverpool, per steamer Turquoise, 6,053	6,053
NORFOLK-To Liverpool, per steamer British Prince, 4,663	4,66
To Bremen, per steamer Atlantic, 5,433	5,433
WEST POINT-To Liverpool, per steamers City of Gloucest	er,
7,505Matadi, 551	8,050
Boston-To Liverpool, per steamers Cambroman, 3,237.	
Georgian, 3.259 Norseman, 2.678	9.174
To Yarmouth, per steamer Boston, 150	15
BALTIMORE-To Liverpool, per steamers Mentmore, 2,866	
Rossmore, 3.638	6,504
PHILADELPHIA—To Liverpool, per steamer Indiana, 492	492
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Below we add the clearances this week of vessels carrying cotton from United States ports, bringing our data down to the latest dates:

GALVESTON—To Liverpool—Jan. 21—Steamer Tripoli, 6,970 ...Jan. 25—Steamer Hannah M. Bell, 8,247...Jan. 26—Steamer Glenfield, 5,934 ...Jan. 28—Steamers P. vulina, 1,26; Strathallan, 6,474....Jan. 30—Steamer Masonic, 6,248....Jan. 31—Steamer St. Jerome,

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Jan. 30—Steamer Masonic, 6,248...Jan. 31—Steamer St. Jerome, 7,686.

To Havre—Jan. 29—Steamer Cape Comprin, 6,674....Jan. 31—Steamer Avona, 8,678.

To Bremen—Jan. 29—Steamer Moonstone, 5,663.

New Orleans—To Liverpool—Jan. 25—Steamer Mira, 5,372...Jan. 26—Steamer Gaditano, 5,500...Jan. 23—Steamer Darien, 4,952...Jan. 30 Steamer Legislator, 6,337.

To Bremen—Feb. 1 Steamer Ione, 9,000.

To Hamburg—Jan. 26—Steamer Nymphasa, 2,037.

To Barcelona and Genoa—Jan. 30—Steamer Miguel Gallart, 8,251...Jan. 31 Steamer Montebello, 3,239.

MOBILE—To Liverpool—Jan. 31—Steamer Rockcliff, 6,036.

Brunswick—To Liverpool—Jan. 31—Steamer Teelin Head, 2,962.

CHARLESTON To Liverpool—Jan. 31—Steamer Teelin Head, 2,962.

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CHARLESTON To Liverpool—Jan. 39—Steamer Axminster, 4,076.

To Genoa—Jan. 3)—Steamer Axminster, 4,076.

To Genoa—Jan. 3)—Steamer Axminster, 4,156....Jan. 30—Steamer Carlton, 3,563.

To Bremen Jan. 28—Steamer Glendower, 4,645.

WEST POINT—To Bremen—Jan. 31—Steamer City of Truro, 6,030.

Newport News—To Liverpool—Jan. 29—Steamer Shenandoah, 1,962.

Boston—To Liverpool—Jan. 23—Steamer Michigan 4,351....Jan. 25—Steamer Columbian, 4,104.

BALTIMORE—To Liverpool—Jan. 23—Steamer Templemore, 4,631.

To London Jan. 26—Steamer Massapequa, 3 70.

To Bremen—Jan. 26—Steamer Stuttgar, 3,435.

To Antwerp—Jan. 26—Steamer Storm King 1,400.

PHILADELPHIA—To Antwerp—Jan. 29—Steamer Illinois, 430.

Below we give all news received to date of disasters to vessels carrying cotton from United States ports, &c.:

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Cotton freights the past week have been as follows:

	Satur.	Mon.	Tues.	Wednes.	Thurs.	Fri.
Liverpool, steam.d	764	332	332	332	332	332
Manchesterd.						
Havre	21@25†	21†	21†	21+	21†	20 @ 21
Do laterd.						
Bremen	25@301	25†	764	764	764	764
Do laterd.						
Hamburg, steamd.	764 70 18	764 2 18	784 70 18	764 70 18	764@18	784 70 10
Do laterd.						
Ams'dam, steam.c.	251	25t	25t	251	251	25t
Revald.	1164	211281164	211281164	211281164	211281164	21128116
Dod.						
B'lona, 10th Feb. d.	316	1184	1164	1161	1164	1184
Genoad.	-	532	534	532	532	532
Do Feb'ary.d.						
Trieste, 10th Feb d.	316	1164	1161	1164	1164	1164
Antwerp, steam.d.		764	784	764	704	764

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

	Jan 11.	Jan. 18.	Jan. 25.	Feb. 1.
sales of the week bales.	69,000	74,000	73,000	
Of which exporters took	1,300	1,600		
Of which speculators took	1,200		2,400	
dales American				
Actual export	3,000			
Forwarded	69,000	72,000	82,000	72,000
Total stock-Estimated	1,309,000	1,427,000	1,471,000	1,589,000
Of which American—Estin.'d		1,277,000	1,328,000	1,440,000
Total import of the week				
Of which American				
Amount afloat				
Of which American	425,000	400,000	400,000	330,000

The tone of the Liverpool market for spots and futures each day of the week ending Feb. 1, and the daily closing prices of spot cotton, have been as follows:

Spot.	Saturday	Monday.	Tuesday.	Wednes.	Thursd'y.	Frida.
Market, }	Quiet.	In buyers'	Quiet.	Moderate demand.	In buyers' favor.	Dull but steady.
Mid.Upl'ds.	3	23132	23182	23132	23132	23132
Sales Spec. & exp.	8,000 500	10,000 500	7,000 500	8,000 500	10,000 500	7,000 500
Futures. Market, (1:45 P. M.)	Quiet at partially 1-64 dec.	Quiet	Quiet.	Quiet at 1-64 ad- vance.	Dull.	Steady as partially 1-64 adv.
Market, }	Quiet and steady.	Quiet.	Quiet and steady.	Barely steady.	Steady.	Barely steady.

The opening, highest, lowest and closing prices of futures at Liverpool for each day are given below. Prices are on the basis of Uplands, Low Middling clause, unless otherwise

The prices are given in pence and 64ths. Thus: 263 means 263-64d, and 301 means 31-64d.

	Sa	t., J	an. S	26.	Mon., Jan. 28.			Tuos., Jan. 29				
-	Open	H(g)	Los	Clos	)per	Hig!	Low	Olos	Oper	Hig.	Low	Olos.
	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	4.	đ.	4.	4.	4.
January	2 59	2 59	259	2 59	258	2 58	257	257	2 57	257	257	2 57
JanFeb	2 59	259	2 59	2 59	2 58	2 58	2 57	257	2 57	2 57	257	2 57
FebMch	2 59	2 00	2 59	2 60	2 58	2 58	2 57	2 57	2 57	2 57	2 57	2 57
MchApril.	2 60	2 60	2 80	2 60	2 59	2 59	2 58	2 58	258	258	2 58	258
April-May	2 62	2 62	2 62	262	260	260	2 60	2 60	260	2 60	2 60	2 60
May-June	2 63	2 63	2 63	2 63	2 62	2 62	261	261	2 61	2 62	2 61	2 62
June-July	3 01	3 01	3 01	3 01	2 63	2 63	2 63	263	2 63	263	263	2 63
July-Aug	3 02	3 02	3 02	3 02	3 01	3 01	3 00	3 00	3 03	3 00	3 00	3 00
AugSept	3 03	3 03	3 03	3 03	3 02	3 02	3 01	3 01	3 01	3 01	3 01	3 01
SeptOct	3 05	3 05	3 05	3 05	3 03	3 03	3 03	3 03	3 03	3 03	3 03	3 03
OctNov	3 06	3 06	3 06	3 08	3 05	3 05	3 04	3 04	3 04	3 04	3 04	3 04
NovDec	3 08	3 08	3 08	3 08	3 06	3 06	3 06	3 06	3 05	3 06	3 05	3 08

	W.	ed., J	fan.	30.	Thurs., Jan. 31.			Fri., Feb. 1.				
	Oper	Hig/	Lou	746	)p61	Hig:	Low	Olos.	Op61	Hig:	Low	Jies.
	d.	ā.	4.	1	1.	d.	d.	d.	a.	d.	d.	4.
January	2 57	257	2 58	2 56	2 56	2 56	2 56	256				
JanFeb	257	257	2 56	256	256	257	2 56	257	2 57	2 57	2 58	2 56
FebMch	257	257	256	2 56	2 56	2 57	2 56	257	257	257	2 56	256
MchApril.	2 59	2 59	258	258	2 57	2 58	2 57	258	258	258	2 57	257
April-May	2 60	2 60	259	2 59	258	2 59	2 58	2 59	2 59	2 59	2 59	2 59
May-June	2 62	2 62	2 60	280	2 60	261	260	261	2 61	2 61	2 60	2 60
June-July.	2 63	2 63	262	2 62	261	263	261	2 63	2 62	263	2 62	262
July-Aug	3 00	3 00	2 63	2 63	2 63	3 00	2 63	3 00	3 00	3 00	2 63	2 63
AugSept	3 02	3 02	3 01	3 01	3 00	3 01	3 00	3 01	3 01	3 01	3 01	3 01
SeptOct	3 03	3 03	3 02	3 02	3 01	3 03	3 01	3 03	3 03	3 03	3 02	3 02
OctNov	3 05	3 65	301	3 04	3 03	3 04	3 03	3 04	3 01	3 04	3 04	3 04
NovDec	3 06	3 06	3 05	3 05	3 04	3 05	3 04	3 05	3 05	3 05	3 05	3 05

#### BREADSTUFFS.

FRIDAY, February 1, 1895.

Business has continued extremely slow in the market for wheat flour, and prices for spring grades have weakened slightly, owing to a further decline in wheat values. Winter grades, however, have held comparatively steady, owing to scarcity. Rye flour has sold slowly but prices have been without change. For buckwheat flour the demand has been quiet and prices have been lowered slightly. Corn meal has been quiet but choice grades have been steadily held. Today the market for wheat flour was quiet and easy.

The trading in the market for wheat futures has been fairly active, but at a further decline in prices, due to continued free liquidation by tired "long" holders, prompted by the unfavorable monetary situation and dull and easier foreign advices. In the spot market shippers have be en fairly good buyers, but at reduced costs. The sales yesterday included No. 2 red winter at 1/8c. under to May prices, f.o.b. from store, and No. 1 hard at 101/4c. over May, f. o. b. afloat. To-day the market was weaker during early 'Change, in response to weaker foreign advices, but later rallied on reports of an active demand from millers at the West. The spot market was quiet but steady. The sales included No. 2 hard winter at 23/4c. over May, f. o, b. afloat.

#### DAILY CLOSING PRICES OF NO. 2 RED WINTER WHEAT.

February delivery c. March delivery c. May delivery c. June delivery c. July delivery c. August delivery c.	58 58 <sup>3</sup> 8 58 <sup>5</sup> 8 58 <sup>7</sup> 8	Mon. 57 <sup>1</sup> 8 58 58 <sup>1</sup> 2 58 <sup>3</sup> 4 59 <sup>1</sup> 8 50 <sup>3</sup> 6	Tues. 5612 5714 5778 5814 5812 583	Wed. 57 57 58 58 38 58 58 78 59 19	Thurs. 5634 574 5818 5838 5858	Fri. 5678 5738 5818 5838 5834
August delivery	5918	5938	5834	5918	5878	59

Indian corn futures have been traded in with a fair amount of freedom, but prices have steadily declined under free selling by the West and in sympathy with weaker foreign advices and the break in wheat. Business in the spot market has been more active at lower prices. The sales yesterday included steamer mixed at  $46\frac{1}{4}@46\frac{2}{4}c$ , in elevator and  $48\frac{3}{4}@49c$ , f, o. b. afloat for delivery early in February. To-day the market was quiet and easier. The spot market was easier, The sales included steamer mixed at 46½c. in elevator and 48¾c., f. o. b. afloat.

DAILY CLOSING PRICES OF NO. 2 MIXED CORN.

February deliveryc.	Sat 49	Mon. 4838	Tues. 474	Wed. 4758	Thurs. 4718	Fri. 4634
March delivery	49 <sup>1</sup> 4 49 <sup>5</sup> 8	48 <sup>5</sup> 8 49 <sup>1</sup> 8	4734 4814	48 <sup>1</sup> 8 48 <sup>1</sup> 2	47 <sup>1</sup> 2 47 <sup>3</sup> 4	47%

Oats for future delivery have been moderately active, but prices have declined under free offerings, prompted by the weakness of wheat and corn. The spot market has been fairly active at steady prices. The sales yesterday included No. 2 mixed at 34@34½c. in elevator and No. 2 white at 36@36½c. in elevator. To-day the market was dull and slightly lower. The spot market was moderately active and steady. The sales included No. 2 mixed at 33½@34c. in elevator and No. 2 white at 36@36½c. in elevator.

DAILY CLOSING PRICES OF NO. 2 MIXED OATS.

February deliveryc.	Sat. 3334	Mon. 34	Tues.	Wed. 3334	Thurs. 3314	Fri 33
March delivery			3334	3358	334	3318
May delivery		3338	3278	33	3278	3234

Rye has been quiet and without change. Barley has been in better demand and steady.

		FLO	OUR.				
Fine \$ bbl. \$	81 85 78	82 10	Patent, winter	\$2	850\$	3	10
Superfine Extra, No. 2	2 150	2 30	Rye flour, superfine	2	500	2	85
Extra, No. 1			Buckwheat flour	1	700	1 8	30
Straights	2600	3 35	Western, &c				35

[Wheat flour in sacks sells at prices below those for parrels.]

Wheat— Spring, per bush. Red winter No. 2. Red winter. White. Oats—Mixed, per bu. White. No. 2 mixed. No. 2 white.	57 52 65 33 35 19 33 19	@ 3412	No. 2 mixed	4634 46 46 50 64	0000 000	6. 49 48 <sup>1</sup> 2 49 49 56

The movement of breadstuffs to market as indicated in the Statement below is prepared by us from the figures of the New York Produce Exchange. We first give the receipts at Western lake and river ports, arranged so as to present the comparative movement for the week ending Jan. 26, 1895, and since August 1, for each of the last three years:

Receipts at-	Flour.	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.	Barley.	Rye.
	Bbls.196lbs	Bush.60 lbs	Bush.56 lbs	Bush.32 lbs	Bush.48 lbs	Bu.56 lbs
Chicago	46,271	215,696	902,667	738,100	234,495	31,502
Milwaukee	23,550	68,250	32,500	95,000	135,670	11,335
Duluth		179,978		15,490	3,245	
Minneapolis.		579,840	14,300			
Toledo	1,704	177,000	155,300	300	800	900
Detroit	1,360	75,565	60,223	21,986	18,118	
Cleveland	8,820	71,284	43,137	69,560		***
St. Louis	17,640	37,403	414,955	104,500	38,250	1,445
Peoria	4,500	13,800	278,200	233,900	45,500	600
Kansas City.		12,650	7,674	1,317		
Tot.wk, '95.	103,845	1,431,466	1,908,956	1,278,153	475,878	48,782
Jame wk,'94.	111,629		2,783,661	1,134,410	584,488	75,009
Jame wk,'93.	235 149	3,541,381	2,753,739	2,369,458	760,305	126,920
Since Aug. 1.						
1894-95,	7,154,345	107,845 016	44,626,333	49,809,425	25,323,143	1,478,694
1893-94	7,156,747	110,193,780	88,226,196	66,460,130	21,033,828	2,250,229
1892-93		172,619,241	66,916,812	63,919,332	21,851,023	5,598,938

The receipts of flour and grain at the seaboard ports for the week ended Jan. 26, 1895, follow:

Receipts at-	Flour,	bush.	bush.	bush.	bush.	bush.
New York	75,739	2,600	66,000	193,200	59,500	850
Boston	58,295	154,546	43,420	78,995	10,150	530
Montreal	4,293	667		18,100	1,627	*******
Philadelphia	52,581	7,925	78,107	174,951	15,200	
Baltimore	57,539	171,713	68,595	118,792		5,947
Richmond	1,200	15,206	6,800	18,172	** * ***	
New Orleans	15,699	88,861	130,842	20,337		
Total week	265,349	412,521	393,764	622,547	86,477	7,327
Week 1894	284.051	436.645	1 493 407	515.977	90,950	4.151

The total receipts at ports named in last table from Jan. 1 to Jan. 26 compare as follows for four years:

Receipts of—Flourbbls.	1895.	1894.	1893.	1892.
	998,733	1,517,880	1,111,454	1,495,707
Wheat bush. Corn Oats Barley aye.	1,033,276	1,936,281	2,657,226	5,919,923
	1,919,409	10,647,348	2,095,552	14,64 2,944
	2,114,115	3,286,682	2,778,087	4,21 2,542
	363,581	755,450	817,206	81 5, 772
	37,187	18,164	45,652	69 5, 538
Total grain	5,517,568	16,643,925	8,393,723	26,286,719

Total grain ..... 5,517,568 The exports from the several seaboard ports for the week ending Jan. 26, 1895, are shown in the annexed statement:

Exports from- New York	Wheat. bush. 659,091	Corn. bush. 72,251	Flour. bbls. 76,637	Oats. bush. 7,899	Rye. bush.	Peas. bush. 2,588
Boston	155,381	200	21,900		*******	*******
Portland		20,683	1,275	******		8,577
Philadelphia	7,791	51,285	22,681		*******	
Baltimore	120,000	115,715	47,010		*******	*******
New Orleans	16,007	184,067	3,941			*******
Norfolk		201,856	419		*******	
Newport News					*******	*******
Montreal		**** ***	******		******	
Total week Same time 1894	958,313 805,271	649,057 2,022,113	173,893 194,075	7,899 36,115		11,165 25,158

The destination of these exports for the week and since Sept. 1, 1894, is as ladow. We add the totals for the corresponding periods of last year for comparison:

	F	lour	W	heat	0	orn.
Exports for	Week	Since Sept.	Week	Since Sept.	Week	Since Sept.
	Jan. 26.	1, 1894.	Jan. 26.	1, 1894.	Jan. 26.	1, 1894.
Sept. 1 to-	bbls.	bbls.	bush.	bush.	bush.	bush.
United Kingdom	121,861	3,852,307	679,129	15,391,657	499,160	4,147,815
Continent	6,414	635,575	279,141	5,503,792	137,10)	1,666,030
S. & C. America	19,096	552,981		6,778	2,975	104,407
West Indies	23,923	487,513		5,146	9,228	197,941
Brit. N. A. Col's.		200,171		2,870		35.456
Other countries	204	15,563		50,718	591	18,715
Total	173,893	5,745,113	958,273	20,960,961	649,057	6,170,364
Total 1894	194,075	5.622.079	805.271	23,489,168	2.022.113	22.107.421

The visible supply of grain, comprising the stocks in granary at the principal points of accumulation at lake and seaboard ports, Jan. 26, 1895, was as follows:

In store at— Wheat, bush.	Corn,	Oats bush.	Rye,	Barley bush.
New York 9,338,000	639,000	1,114,000	2000	126,000
Do afloat 2,017,000	43,000	855,000	59,000	317,000
Albany	15,000	45,000		37,000
Buffalo 4,025,000	280,000	44,000	79,000	814,000
_ Do afloat 319,000	681,000	199,000		108,000
Chicago25,608,000	4,210,000	1,234,000	129,000	31,000
Do afloat 1,401,000	1,141,000	858,000	*******	*******
Milwaukee 781,000	*******	22,000	34,000	110,000
Do afloat	9.000	200,000	4.000	64 000
Duluth	3,000	599,000	4,000	84,000
Toledo	1,259,000	3,000	5,000	
Do afloat 337,000	1,500,000	0,000		
Detroit 1,359,000	81,000	11,000	1,000	7,000
Do afloat 257,000		*******	2,000	
Oswego 36,000	****	*******		105,000
St. Louis 5,124,000	2,402,000	635,000	4,000	30,000
Do afloat	*******			
Oincinnati	32,000	168,000	9,000	146,000
Boston 903,000	163,000	222,000	10,000	**
Toronto 84,000	2,000	17,000	*******	47,000
Montreal 664,000	2,000	217,000	5,000	3,000
Philadelphia 537,000	242,000	243,000	*******	
Peoria	312,000	284,000	8,000	
	214,000	104,000	7,000	
<b>Baltimore</b>	706,000	300,000 155,000	37,000	
Minneapolis17,166,000	9,000	593,000	45,000	76,000
St. Paul	0,000	333,000	40,000	70,000
On Mississippi River				
On Lakes				
On canal and river 47,000		60,000		
& Total Jan. 26, 1895.,84,665,000	12,654,000	7,982,000	436,000	2,071,000
Total Jan. 19, 1895. 85,586,000 Total Jan. 27, 1894. 80,265,000	12,278,000	8,424,000	448,000	2,316,000
Total Jan. 27, 189480,265,000	14,406,000	4,157,000	573,000	2,027,000
Total Jan. 28, 189381,488,000	12,535,000	5,708,000	937,000	2,114,000
Total Jan. 30, 189243,122,254	7,386,546	3,572,319	2,061,126	1,550,551

#### THE DRY GOODS TRADE.

NEW YORK, FRIDAY, P. M., February 1, 1895.

Although reports of business doing by jobbers in all sections of the country except the South and East are excellent, and unusually good results are being recorded for the first month of the year, trade in the primary market has proved disappointing, failing to reflect in any material degree the good distribution at second hands. Buyers are adhering to a conservative policy in replenishing, preferring to buy a little at a time and repeat their orders frequently to making liberal single purchases. This is noticeable even in cotton wash fabrics, in which the best trade relatively is in progress. staple cottons there have been some large buyers putting forward bids, but apparently more with the view of testing the market than from a desire to secure fuller supplies, as they have in nearly all cases been well below ruling limits for desirable lines. There have been no changes in prices in any direction, but in the absence of free demand the tendency is still in favor of buyers. As noted last week the advance in the price of print cloths has been without influence over the market for finished goods, as it was the outcome of operations on the part of a single buyer, and the price has been upheld solely by bids from the same quarter. In the woolen goods department there has been a good demand for many lines of new heavy-weights and a fair business in spring dress goods.

DOMESTIC COTTON GOODS.—The exports of cotton goods from this port for the week ending January 28 were 1,708 packages, valued at \$116,169, their destination being to the points specified in the table below:

NEW YORK TO JAN. 28.		1895.	1894.		
REW TORK TO JAN. 28.	Week.	Since Jan. 1.	Week.	Since Jan. 1	
Great Britain. Other European. China India. Arabia. Africa. West Indies. Mexico. Central America. South America. Other Countries.	119 53 2 2 375 53 427 643 34	314 114 2,737 28 2,444 1,038 1,573 171 741 3,096 330	83 38 38 425 481 8 305 57 75 350 68	415 200 10,936 654 2,182 393 2,035 208 653 3,324 206	
Total China, via Vancouver*	1,708	12,586	1,893	21,206 2,180	
Total	1,708	12,586	1.893	23,386	

\* From New England mill points direct.

The value of the New York exports for the year has been \$627,051 in 1895 against \$1,074,429 in 1894.

Transactions of importance have been occasionally reported

Transactions of importance have been occasionally reported in staple cottons, but as a rule bids for quantities have been too low for acceptance. Brown sheetings are generally dull and irregular, as are brown drills, neither home nor export de-

mand being of any consequence. Bleached cottons show moderate sales of medium and fine grades, latter generally in limited supply and steady, low grades slow and easy. Kidfinished cambries in moderate demand, and buyers being met under current quoted prices. Silesias and fancy printed linings in fair request, without quotable change. Wide sheetings dull throughout. Denims quiet and irregular and only limited sales reported in plaids, ticks, cheviots and other colored cottons. Cotton flannels very slow. Fine grades of white goods generally well sold and steady. Fancy calicoes in fair re-order demand, but best business doing in printed wash goods in special finishes, fine lawns, stripes, &c. Printed ducks quiet, as are regular prints. A steady supplementary demand is reported for woven wash fabrics and regular dress ginghams, without special features. Staple ginghams dull and unchanged. Print cloths have been firm all week, with a limited business in extras at 2 9-16c. and fair sales of odds on that basis.

Stock of Print Gloths— At Providence, 64 squares At Fall River, 64 squares At Fall River, odd sizes	11,000	1894 $Jan. 27.$ $162,000$ $224,000$ $54,000$	Jan. 28. None. None, None.
Total stock (pieces)	171,000	440,000	None

FOREIGN DRY GOODS.—Spring lines of dress goods and silks have been moderately re-ordered. Ribbons and laces in improved request. Linen business generally satisfactory. Men's-wear heavy-weight woolens in irregular demand and occasionally weak in price. Hair cloth, mohair and other linings in better demand than supply.

Importations and Warehouse Withdrawals of Dry Goods
The importations and warehouse withdrawals of dry goods
at this port for the week ending January 31, and since
January 1, 1895, and for the corresponding periods of last
year are as follows:

Totalimports 1	TotalEnt'd for consumpt 1'	Manufactures of— Wool Cotton Silk. Flax. Miscellaneous		Total marketed 19,383 1,775,505	Total withdr'w'ls Ent'dforconsumpt	Flax	Cotton.	Manufactures of-		Total. 1	H	Wool Wool		1
8,307	981 17,326	261 267 136 298 19	MPOR	,383	2,057 17,326	579	498 249	-	WAR	7,326	1,041 793 794 3,572	1,166	Pkgs.	Week Feb.
18.307 1.473,147	262,410 1,210,737	74,347 65,784 68,605 49,886 3,788	IMPORTS ENTERED	1,775,505	564,768 1,210,737	113,857	118,503 138,048	-	IM TENOHE	17,326 1,210,737	209,824 369,073 125,896 218,247	287.697	Value	1, 1894.
95.032	8,718 86,314	1,831 2,793 1,032 2,084 978	FOR	96,250	9,936 86,314	2,497 1,228	2,686 1,338		THDRAWAI	86,314	6,447 5,598 8,203 61,671	4,395	Pkgs.	Since Jan
8.976.930	2,198,988 6,777,942	569,624 642,617 527,839 344,746 114,162	WAREHOUSE DURING SAME PERIOD	9,590,041	2,812,099 6,777,942	455,141 162,371	784,658		WAREHOUSE WITHDRAWALS THROWN UPON THE MARKET	6,777,942	1,420,286 2,322,991 863,566 1,086,640		Value.	Since Jan. 1, 1894.
47.157	2,298 44,859	762 659 243 328 306	RING SA	47,749	2,890 44,859	358 412	1,166 602 352		JPON TH	44,859	2,818 1,620 1,803 34,503	4.115	Pkgs.	Jan. 3
3.875.076	467,607 3,407,469	118,229 141,178 128,932 55,963 23,305	ME PERIOI	4,130,261	722,792 3,407,469	61,863 23,717	341,114 131,128 161,970		E MARKET.	44,859 3,407,469		\$ 1,200.450	Value.	Week Ending Jan. 31, 1895.
129.786	14,992 114,794	5,528 3,277 1,488 1,766 2,933		135,820	21,026 114,794	1,619 2,056	3,192 1,474	1		114,794	12,413 7,817 10,493 67,332	16,739	Pkgs.	Since Jan
17.660.312	3,501,731 14,158,581	1,503,233 769,388 743,218 332,195 153,697		19,865,812	5,707,231 14,158,581	304,076 123,098	3,722,532 789,905 767,620			14,158,581	2,902,970 3,220,008 1,654,095 1,833,097	4.548.411	Value.	Since Jan. 1, 1895.

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Gravesend, N. Y.—After a thorough examination of the financial records of the old town of Gravesend, the total indebtedness on the date of its annexation to Brooklyn, May 3, 1894, is reported to Mayor Schieren to have been \$1,863,260. This does not include \$1,403 33 due to the County Treasurer for interest and bonds redeemed.

New York State.—The Finance Committee of the Senate has reported favorably on a bill providing for the issuance of \$9,000,000 of canal improvement bonds. If the bill passes the Legislature the proposition will be submitted to the voters of the State at the next election.

Bond Proposals and Negotiations.—We have reseived through the week the following notices of bonds recently negotiated and bonds offered and to be offered for sale.

Ashland, Ohio,—(CHRONICLE, vol. 58, page 1002 and vol. 59, pages 37, 83 and 244.)—Proposals will be received until March 5, 1895, by the Village Council for the purchase of \$45,000 of 5 per cent water-works bonds. The securities will be dated September 1, 1894, interest will be payable semi-annually on March 1 and September 1 at the First National Bank of Ashland, and the principal will mature at the rate of \$1,000 semi-annually from September 1, 1896, to September 1, 1918.

Avondale, Ohio.—(CHRONICLE, vol. 58, pages 786 and 1002; vol. 59, pages 616 and 1068, and vol. 60, page 93).—Proposals will be received until February 14, 1895, by H. P. Cooke, Village Treasurer, for the purchase of \$4,000 of 5 per cent street improvement bonds. The securities bear date of December 18, 1894, interest is payable annually, and the bonds become due at the rate of \$400 yearly in from one to ten years, both principal and interest to be payable at the Central Trust & Safe Deposit Company, Cincinnati, Ohio.

\*\*Rennington Vt.\*\* (Chronicle vol. 60 pages 63) Oct. 18

Bennington, Vt.—(CHRONICLE, vol. 60, page 93.)—On January 26, 1895, the village of Bennington sold \$31,000 of 4 per cent sewer bonds to W. J. Hayes & Sons at 10156 and accrued interest. Six bids were received for the loan. Interest will be payable semi-annually in January and July, \$1,000 of the principal maturing in 1900 and \$2,000 yearly thereafter until 1915. The village has no other bonded indebtedness. Its assessed valuation for 1894 was \$1,900,000. Population, according to local figures, is 5,000.

Berea, 0.—At a recent election in Berea the proposition to issue \$25,000 of water-works bonds was voted down.

Blackhawk County, Iowa.—The people of this county will vote in March on the proposition of erecting a new court house at an estimated cost of \$100,000, for which amount bonds will probably be issued.

Boston, Mass.—(Chronicle, vol. 58, page 914; vol. 59, pages 59, 383, 709, 750 and 1115, and vol. 60, page 51.) It is reported that Boston will offer for sale \$67,650 of 4 per cent sewer bonds, the loan to mature in 20 years.

Bristol, Conn.—(Chronicle, vol. 60, p. 142.)—At an election held on January 26, 1895, the people voted in favor of issuing 4 per cent sewer bonds for \$50,000. The securities thus authorized are to be dated July 1, 1895, interest will be payable semi-annually on January 1 and July 1, and the principal will mature at the rate of \$10,000 every fifth year from 1905 to 1925, both inclusive. The sum of \$3,000 will be set aside yearly as a sinking fund for the payment of interest and principal. The securities will not be offered for sale earlier than July.

Brockton, Mass.—(Chronicle, vol. 58, pages 611 and 649; vol. 59, pages 244, 299, 343, 384, 485 and 935, and vol. 60, page 51).—It is reported that the city of Brockton has issued a loan of \$200,000 running nine months at about 2.8 per cent discount.

Brookfield, Mass.—(CHRONICLE, vol. 59, page 750).—This town has been authorized to issue an additional water loan of \$50,000.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—(Chronicle, vol. 58, pages 565, 691, 744, 786, 787, 831, 876, 953, 1045 and 1118, vol. 59, pages 84, 200, 384, 486, 616, 709, 845, 935, 1024 and 1155, and vol. 60, page 93.)—It is reported that \$295,000 of bonds will probably be issued soon for the erection of the first section of the museum of arts and sciences in Institute Park.

Cheltenham, Pa.—An election will probably be held in this township to vote on issuing \$75,000 of road bonds.

Dedham, Mass.—This town has petitioned for authority to issue a loan of \$100,000 for park purposes.

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Duluth, Minn.—(Chronicle, vol. 59, pages 616 and 805, and vol. 60, pages 94 and 187).—It is officially reported to the Chronicle that \$594,000 of 4 per cent water and light bonds have probably been awarded to Messrs. Blair & Co., who bid \$594,178 for the loan. The securities are dated January 1, 1895, and will mature January 1, 1925, both principal and interest to be payable at the American Exchange National Bank, New York City. There was a proposition from Messrs. Mason, Lewis & Co. to take the bonds at par for a commission of \$22,100. Messrs. Z. T. Lawis & Co., E. H. Gay & Co. and R. Kleybolte & Co. made offers to take 4½ per cent bonds.

Elberton, Ga.—The people of Elberton will vote February 11 on issuing \$12,000 of electric-light bonds.

Fall River, Mass.—(Chronicle, vol. 59, pages 49, 663, 709, 751 and 805, and vol. 60, pages 142 and 188.)—It is reported that \$150,000 of bonds have been voted by the Council for a public library building.

Great Falls School District No. 1, Cascade County, Mont.— (CHRONICLE, vol. 60, page 142).—Bids are to be received by the trustees of School District No. 1, Cascade County, Montana, until February 18 for the purchase of \$90,000 of 6 per cent gold bonds, to be dated March 1, 1895, and mature March 1, 1915, with an option of call after March 1, 1905.

In connection with the announcement of the new loan the County Treasurer makes a statement of the financial condition of the school district, from which we take the following:

The district comprises about one-fourth of the entire county, and includes the city of Great Falls with all its sub-

Interest on the new bonds will be payable semi-annually at the office of the County Treasurer in Great Falls, or at the Chase National Bank of New York City. The securities were authorized by popular vote on December 27th, 1894, the count being 1,026 for and 166 against bonds. They will be issued in the denomination of \$500 each.

Hanover, Kan.—The citizens of Hanover will vote on issuing bonds for water-works estimated to cost \$15,000,

Lafayette, Ind.—Proposals will be received until March 11, 1895, for the purchase of \$225,000 of refunding bonds, the loan to bear interest at the rate of  $4\frac{1}{2}$  per cent and to run 25 years with an option of call in 20 years.

Lebanon, Ohio.—(CHRONICLE, vol. 59, page 890, and vol. 60, page 143.)—The citizens of Lebanon have voted in favor of issuing water-works bonds for \$50,000. The proposition was carried by a large majority.

Lincoln County, Wis.—(CHRONICLE, vol. 59, page 1155.)—This county has issued \$175,000 of railroad aid bonds, bearing 5 per cent interest, and running from 10 to 20 years. The securities are now held in escrow, to be delivered upon the completion of the road, which will be accomplished within a year, it is expected.

Lorain, Ohio.—(CHRONICLE, vol. 59, pages 344, 805 and 978).—A call has been made for the payment of water bonds of Lorain numbered from 1 to 100, inclusive. They are dated August 1, 1884, and are optional after ten years. The securities will be redeemed February 1, 1895, on presentation at the Chase National Bank, New York, at which time interest will cease.

Lowellville, Ohio.—The citizens of Lowellville will soon vote on issuing \$8,000 of electric-light bonds, also on issuing bonds for the construction of water-works estimated to cost about \$20,000.

Middlesex County, Mass.—(Chronicle, vol. 59, page 617.)—It is reported that on January 22 a ten months' note for \$100,-000 was awarded to E. H. Rollins & Sons.

Milwaukee, Wis.—(Chronicle, vol. 58, pages 877, 916, 1003, 1046 and 1083, and vol. 59, pages 84, 126 and 664.)—Sewer bonds of Milwaukee to the amount of \$20,000 have been recom-

Montgomery County, Ohio.—(Chronicle, vol. 58, page 955).

Proposals will be received until February 14 for the purchase of \$30,000 of county bridge bonds, the loan to run from two to seven years.

Morris, N. Y.—(CHRONICLE, vol. 59, page 1025.)—Sealed proposals will be received until Feb. 19 by R. Cooley, of Morris, for \$13,000 of 4 per cent water bonds of that village. The securities will be dated May 1, 1895, and will run for twenty years, with an option of call at any time after five years.

Muskegon County, Mich.—(CHRONICLE, vol. 60, page 188.)—County Clerk John B. Barlow reports that the Board of Supervisors have voted down the poposition to issue \$150,000 of road

Nelson, Neb.—(CHRONICLE, vol. 59, page 936.)—It is reported that water works bonds for \$13,000 have recently been

New York City.—(Chronicle, vol. 58, pages 691, 692, 745, 787, 1046, 1120, and vol. 59, pages 39, 84, 617, 710, 805, 847, and vol. 60, page 188.)—No bids were received on January 30th by City Comptroller Ashbel P. Fitch for \$1,261,566 39 of 3 per cent registered bonds and stocks of the city of New York, which were offered on that day, and the sale has been postponed until February 11th. The loan will include \$250,000 of assessment bonds due November 1, 1900; \$778,772 36 of city improvement stock due November 1, 1915; \$190,000 of dock bonds due November 1, 1925, and \$42,794 of school house bonds due November 1, 1914. Interest on all the securities will be payable semi-annually on May 1 and November 1 and the principal will be exempt from taxation by the city and county of New York, but will not be exempt from State taxatior.

—A bill has been introduced at Albany to authorize the issuance of 3 per cent 20-year school bonds for \$5,000,000. The proceeds of the issue are to be used in improving the city schools during the next three years.

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Norwood, Ohio.—(CHRONICLE, vol. 58, pages 877, 916, 955, 1004 and 1083, and vol. 59, pages 39, 84, 164, 202, 300, 487, 573, 617, 664, 710, 847, 979 and 1156)—On January 22, 1895, Village Clerk W. E. Wichgar received six proposals for the purchase of \$6,001 20 of 6 per cent Cortland Avenue improvement bonds. The award was made to Seasongood & Mayer on their bid of 106:18 and accrued interest. The securities will be dated January 3, 1895, and will mature in equal instalments in from one to ten years.

Partland We —(CHRONICLE vol. 60, pages 51, 142 and 187)

Portland, Me.—(Chronicle, vol. 60, pages 51, 142 and 187.)
—It is reported that the city of Portland will issue a temporary loan to pay off maturing bonds. This action has been made necessary by the failure to sell 2,500 shares of Portland & Ogdensburg Railway stock, which were recently offered at \$50 per share. It is proposed to float an issue of refunding bonds later on.

Providence, B. I.—(CHRONICLE vol. 58, pages 651 and 745, and vol. 59, page 939.)—This city has petitioned for authority to issue \$600,000 of road bonds.

Riverside, Ohio.—(CHRONICLE, vol. 58, page 651, and vol. 59, pages 127, 344, 526 and 710.)—Village Clerk George H. Gaffey reports to us that \$15,000 of highway improvement bonds have been awarded to Messrs. Seasongood & Mayer on their bid of \$16,336 75. Ten bids were received for the bonds, but only four of the bidders complied with the conditions of the sale with respect to the certified check to be sent with the bid. The following is a list of the offers made. bid. The following is a list of the offers made.

German Nat. Bank, Cincinnati, Ohio	\$15,995	00 and	interest
Western German Bank, Cincinnati, Ohio	15,720	50	66
Rudolph Kleybolte & Co., Cincinnati, Ohio	15,978	00	66
Seasongood & Mayer, Cincinrati, Ohio	16,336	75	66
S. A. Kean			66
Louis Rosin			66
E. H. Rollins & Sons			66
L. M. Sterne			66
James Longstreet & Co			66
I. B. Thurman & Co			66

\*Bids not accompanied by check.

Rochester, Mich.—(CHRONICLE, vol. 59, page 526.)—Proposals will be received until February 4 by John F. Jackson, Village Clerk, for the purchase of \$15,000 of water-works

Salem, W. Va.—Bonds of this town have recently been voted for water works.

Scottdale, Pa.—(CHRONICLE, vol. 58, page 1122.)—An election will be held February 19 to vote on issuing \$29,907 of street improvement bonds, the loan to bear interest at the rate of 3½ per cent.

Sherman, County, Kan.—The people of Sherman County have petitioned for authority to issue \$30,000 of ditch bonds.

Shirley, Mass.—An election will be held a on issuing a loan of \$25,000 for water-works. -An election will be held at Shirley to vote

Springfield, Mass.—(Chronicle, vol. 58, pages 879, 916, 957, and vol. 59, page 1159.)—City Treasurer E. T. Tifft will receive sealed proposals until February 5 for city notes to the amount of \$350,000. They are to be dated February 5, and will be payable November 11, 1895, without grace. Bidders are asked to name the rate of interest at which they will discount the

notes. Discount is to be figured for 273 days on a basis of 360 days in the year. The Treasurer's advertisement will be found elsewhere in this Department.

• Ulster County, N. V.—(CHRONICLE, vol. 59, page 526, and vol. 60, page 188.)—On February 19 County Treasurer Andrew L. F. Deyo will offer for sale at public auction, at the Court House in the city of Kingston, \$75,000 of 4 per cent bonds. The securities are to be dated March 1. 1895, interest will be payable on March 1 and September 1, and the principal will mature at the rate of \$3,000 yearly from March 1, 1896, to March 1, 1926. The bonds are to be exempt from town, county, municipal or State purposes. county, municipal or State purposes.

Wapakoneta, Ohio.—(Chronicle, vol. 59, pages 752, 891 and 1070.)—It is reported that the people of Wapakoneta have voted 588 to 98 in favor of issuing bonds for water

#### STATE AND CITY DEBT CHANGES.

We subjoin reports as to municipal debts received since the last publication of our STATE AND CITY SUPPLEMENT. Some of these reports are wholly new and others cover items of information additional to those given in the SUPPLEMENT, and of interest to investors.

Buffalo, N. Y.—In his inaugural address Mayor Elgar B. Jewett says regarding the city's finances. I am pleased to state that I find the city, upon my accession to office, in excellent financial condition. Thanks to the conservatism and good judgment of my predecessors, its bonded debt is only about 50 per cent of the limit allowed by the charter, and its rating in financial circles is high. Its bonds readily sell at 31/2 per cent interest and some have been disposed of at even a lower rate.

"During the past year, in spite of an unusual business depression, I think that the progress of the city has not been materially checked. We have gained both in population and resources, and are ready to move on with still more rapid strides when the temporary depression passes away, as it soon will.

"The following statistics show the growth of the city during the past fifteen years, and also illustrate the conservatism with which the city's finances have been managed:

A CONTRACTOR OF THE CONTRACTOR	ner eent.
Population 1880	
" (Jan. 1st) 1895325,000	109.5
Net bonded Debt 1880	
" " (Jan. 1st) 189511,535,502	53.
Valuation 1880	
" (Jan. 1st) 1895	157.8

We give below the detailed report of Buffalo's outstanding loans, total debt, valuation, &c., which was published in our last STATE AND CITY SUPPLEMENT, the statement having been revised to January 1, 1895.

Buffalo is in Erie County, and the city's tax valuation is

about 5-6 that of the ent	ire c	county.		
LOANS-	-Int	terest	Principa	
LOANS- NAME AND PURPOSE.	Rate	Payable.	When Due. O	utstand'g
1. CITY LOANS—VARIOU	s Pu	RPOSES:		
Volunteer relief1880	5	A & O	Apr. 26, 1899	\$25,00C
Chicago Fire1880	312	A & O J & J	Oct. 5, 1897 July 15, '95 to 1905	50,00C 55,00C
Municipal building1890 Deficiency, ref1890	312		Mar. 1895 to 1905	135,000
Swing bridge ref 1887	312	J & J	Jan. 1, 1902	45,500
Swing bridge, ref1887 Market1890	312	A & O	Apr. 1, 1920	80,000
Plank road award1890	3	J & D	June 2, 1910	115,000
Buffalo Charter loan 1891	312	J & J}	July 1, '95 to 1901 } \$142,831 yearly. }	999,818
City and County Hall. 1872	7	F&A	Aug. 1, 1902	100,000
do do .1873	7	M & N	May 1, 1903	100,000
do do .1873	7	M & S	Sept. 1, 1905	150,000
do do .1874	7	J & J	July 1, 1907	200,000
do do .1875	7	M & S	Sept. 1, 1910	125,000 50,000
do do .1891 Monthly local work1894	$\frac{4^{1}2}{3}$	M & S Var.	Nov. 1, 1911 Var. 1895	94,728
2. Bonds for Parks:	0	v al.	var. 1000	01,120
Park1870	7	J & J	July 1, 1915	100,000
do1870	7	J & J	July 1, 1916	100,000
do1870	7	J & J	July 1, 1917	150,000
do1871	7	J & J	Jan. 1, 1918	50,000
do1871	7	J & J J & J	July 1, 1919 July 1, 1921	100,000
do1872 do1873	7	J & J J & J	July 1, 1921 Jan. 1, 1923	95,000
do1873	7	J & D	Dec. 1, 1924	100,000
do1874	7	J & J	Jan. 1, 1924	100,000
do1875	7	J & J	Jan. 1, 1925	100,000
do1875	7	J & J	July 1, 1925	100,000
do1876	6	J & J	Jan. 1, 1924 Feb. 1, 1927	100,000
do1887 do1890	312	F & A J & J	Feb. 1, 1927 Jan. 1, 1925	50,000
do1890 do1886	3	J & J	July 1, 1910	50,000
do1886	3	J & J	July 1, 1926	30,000
do1891	312	J & J	July 1, 1921	200,000
do1894	$3^{1}_{2}$	J & J	July 1, 1924 & '26	100,000
3. RAILROAD LOANS:	_	1 0 0	0.4 1 1005	77,000
Buff.&JamestownRR.1875	7 5	A & O F & A	Oct. 1, 1895 Aug. 25, 1899	75,000
do do RR.1879 do do ref., 1893	312	J & J	Jan. 1, 1913	75,000
do do ref., 1893	312	F & A	Feb. 1, 1913	75,000
do do ref., 1893	312	J & D	June 2, 1913	75,000
Buff, N.Y. & Phil. RR., 1884	4	A & O	Apr. 1, 1901	30,000
Buff. & Jamest'n RR., 1884	4	M & N	Nov. 1, 1902	75,000
do do 1885	4	J & J	Jan. 1, 1904	75,000

LOANS— NAME AND PURPOSE. Buff. N.Y. & Phil. RR., 1885	Rate.	Interest.— Payable. J & J		al.—utstand'g. \$30,000	LOANS— ——Interest.— ——Principal.—— NAME AND PURPOSE. Rate. Payable. When Due. Outstand'g. Water
Buff. & Jamest'n RR., 1888 do do 1886 do do 1894	31 <sub>2</sub> 31 <sub>2</sub> 31 <sub>2</sub>	A & O F & A	Apr. 1, 1902 Feb. 1, 1904 July 1, 1914	75,000 75,000 75,000	do
Buff. N.Y. & Phil. RR., 1886 do do 1889 do do ref., 1890 do do ref., 1890 do do ref., 1891	31 <sub>2</sub> 31 <sub>2</sub> 31 <sub>2</sub> 31 <sub>2</sub>	J & J A & O J & J	Jan. 1, 1906 Oct. 2, 1909 July 1, 1910 Dec. 15, 1910	40,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
do do ref., 1892 Schools	312	J & J	July 1, 1911 July 1, 1912 Aug.1,'95 to 1908 \ \$12,500 yearly.	100,000	do     .1888 3½ J & D June 15, 1908     57,500       do     .1888 3½ J & J June 15, 1914     275,000       do     .1888 3½ J & J Dec. 1, 1908     100,000
do1889		M & N }	Nov.1,'95 to 1909 \\ \$7,500 yearly.	112,500	do
do	31 <sub>2</sub> 31 <sub>2</sub> 31 <sub>2</sub>	A & O A & O F & A	Apr. 1, 1912 Aug. 1, 1898 Feb. 1, 1914	150,000 300,000 300,000	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Bird Avenue1883	4	M & N	May 1, 1913	238,000	do do1891 3½ A & O Nov. 1, 1911 100,000 do do1892 3½ A & O Oct. 1, 1912 100,000
Buffalo Trunk 1888-90	312	F & A }	Aug.1,'95 to 1918 } \$15,000 yearly.	360,000	do do1892 3 <sup>1</sup> 2 J & D Dec. 1, 1912 100,000
Bailey Avenue	31 <sub>2</sub> 31 <sub>2</sub> 31 <sub>2</sub>	J & J	July 1, 1918 Aug. 1, 1919 Aug. 1, 1920 Aug. 1, '95-'1916 } \$10,000 yearly. }	200,000 10,000 5,000	do do1894 312 J & J {July 1, '95 1914 } 200,000 TOTAL DEBT, SINKING FUNDS, ETC.—The subjoined statement
do1886-'87		F & A }	Aug. 1, '95-'1916 } \$10,000 yearly.	220,000	shows Buffalo's total municipal debt, the sinking fund held by the city against the same, and the water debt, on each of the dates mentioned
do1887 Babcock & Seneca St1886 do do Hertel Avenue1887	3 3 3 3	F & A M & N M & N F & A	Aug. 1, 1917 May 1, 1911 May 1, 1912 Aug. 1, 1917	5,000 30,000 30,000 200,000	
5. TAX LOANS:				200,000	Net debt\$11,535,502 \$11,178,734 \$9,827,860
Tax loan	412	J & D F & A	June 28, 1900 Aug. 1, 1896	200,000 91,525	Water debt (incl. above) .\$3,635,882 \$3,635,882 \$3,435,882
do	4 3 31 <sub>2</sub>	F & A F & A F & A	Aug. 1, 1898 Aug. 1, 1895 Aug. 1, 1897	209,176 79,562 130,639	FREEDOM FROM TAXATION.—The Buffalo trunk sewer bonds are exempt from city taxation.
do	312	F & A J & J	Aug. 15, 1899 July 1, 1895	204,568 83,122	INTEREST—WHERE PAYABLE.—Interest on the bonds is payable by City Comptroller in Buffalo and by the Gallatin National Bank in New York, as follows:
ater	777	M & S A & O J & J	Sept. 1, 1903 Apr. 1, 1905 July 1, 1906	200,000 100,000 100,000	INTEREST PAYABLE.  In New York only—   School bonds.   In both N. Y. & Buff.
do1874-75 do1874	777	F & A A & O	Aug., 1908-09 Oct. 1, 1908	200,000 79,380	Chicago fire relief.  Sewer bonds—  Market bonds.  Plank road awards.  City and County Hall.  Park bonds.
do1876 do1878 do1879-80	7 6 5 5	J & J J & J M & S A & O	Jan. 1, 1896 July 1, 1896 Sept. 2, 1898 Apr. 25, 1898-99	50,000 100,000 50,000 200,000	Hertel Avenue. Babcock & Seneca St. Bird Avenue. Bailey Ave. sewer.  Municipal Court b'ld'g. In Buffalo only— Deficiency loan. Monthly local work.  Water loans.
do1880	4	J & J	July 1, 1904	50,000	Buffalo Charter, 1891.   Temporary loan.

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The undersigned will receive sealed proposals until Tuesday, February 5, 1895, at 4:30 o'clock P. M. as follows:
The rate of interest at which bidders will discount the City of Springfield's note or notes on three hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$350,100), the note or notes to be dated February 8, 1895, and to become due and payable November 11, 1895, without grace. Discount to be figured for 273 days on the basis of 360 days in the year.

Said loan is to be made in anticipation of the taxes of the present municipal year, in accordance with an order passed by the City Council January 14, 1895, and approved by the Mayor January 15, 1895, and is to be made subject to the approval of the Committee on Finance. The right is reserved to reject any and all proposals.

All proposals will be opened in the Mayor's office, Taesday, February 5, 1895, at 4:30 o'clock P. M.

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ASSESSED VALUATION.—The city's assessed valuation and tax rate have been as follows, real estate being assessed at "about 65 or 70 per cent of its actual value."

1894\$215,400,430 \$14,725,975 \$230,126,405 \$21.2		A	ssessed Valuation	n.———	Rate of Tax
	Years.	Real.	Personal.	Total.	per \$1,000.
1000		\$215,400,430	\$14,725,975	\$230,126,405 222,572,885	\$21.26 20.91
1892 183,254,870 13,829,910 197,084,780 20·0	1892			197,084,780	20.06
1890. 151,356,325 11,003,125 162,359,450 20.3			11,003,125	162,359,450	21·52 20·34
1889 147,168,115 10,344,455 157,512,570	1889				
1000					

The tax rate in 1895 includes State and county tax, \$4.102 and city tax proper, \$15.33.

POPULATION.—In 1890 population was 255,664; in 1880 it was 155,134; in 1870 it was 117.714. The population for January, 1895, is estimated at 325,000.

Holyoke, Mass .- (CHRONICLE, vol. 58, pages 831, 915 and 953, and vol. 59, pages 126, 129, 486, 526 and 935.) -Henry A. Chase, Mayor. A special report to the CHRONICE from Pierre Bonvouloir, City Treasurer, gives the following data concerning the financial condition of Holyoke on January 1, 1895.

This city is in Hamnden County

LOANS-	-Int	erest.—	Princ	
NAME OR PURPOSE. Re	ite.	Payable.	When Due.	
Bridge bonds, 1891	4g.	M & S	Sept. 1, 1911	
"	4	J & J	July 1, 1914	
City bonds	6	A & O	Oct. 1, 1899	
"		M & S	Sept. 1, 1898	125,000
"	4	J & J	July 1, 1904	190,000
Sewer bonds	4	M&N	May 1, 1913	50,000
"	4	A & O	Oct. 1, 1913	100,000
Water loan	6	J & J	July 1, 1900	250,000
Holyoke & Westf. RR. (ref.)	4	J & J	July 1, 1913	60,000
do do	4	A & O	Oct. 1, 1910	
City notes	Var.	Various	Various	266,000
Sewer notes		A & O	Aug. 17, 1895	20,000

INTEREST on the water bonds and on the city bonds due in 1899 payable at the City Treasury; on all other bonds at the National Hide & Leather Bank, Boston.

TOTAL DEBT, SINKING FUND, ETC.—The subjoined statement shows Holyoke's total municipal debt and the sinking fund held by the city against the same on the first of January, 1895, 1894, 1893 and

	Jan. 1, '95.	Jan. 1, '94.	Jan. 1, '93.	Jan. 1, '91.
	Total debt\$1,688,000 Sinking funds481,983	\$1,491,500 426,219	\$1,282,500 370,593	\$1,068,000 257,472
ì				
1	Net debt on Jan. 1 \$1,206,017	\$1.065.281	\$911.907	\$810.528

Net debton Jan. 1. \$1,206,017 \$1,065,281 Waterdebt, incl. above \$250,000 \$250,000 \$250,000 Of the sinking fund as above given for Jan. 1, 1895, \$266,422 was

for city bonds and \$5,000 for bridge bonds, the balance, \$210,561, being for water debt.

"The water bonds are not really a city debt, as the interest, sinking fund appropriation and running expenses of the water-works are paid from the earnings." The receipts in 1893 were \$93,166 92.

CITY PROPERTY—The city has, besides the sinking fund above described, \$226,500 Holyoke & Westfield RR. stock. This railroad is leased to the New Haven & Northampton and has paid dividends since 1879, the city receiving a dividend of 5 per cent therefrom in 1893 and \$6,795 in 1890.

ASSESSED VALUATION—The city's assessed valuation and tax rate have been as follows, real estate being taken "at about 60 per cent cash value."

Years-	Real	Personal	Total	per \$1,000.	
1894	\$19,856,850	\$6,897,915	\$26,754,765	\$15.00	
1893	19,032,550	6,617,105	25,649,655	15.80	
1892		6,241,765	24,473,285	17.50	
1890	16,914,870	5,158,955	22,073,825	18.00	
1886			16,874,635		
1882			13,374,005	15.40	

The total tax rate for 1894 included city tax, \$13.91; county tax, \$0.70, and State tax, \$0.39.

POPULATION—In 1890 population was 35,528; in 1880 it was 21,-915; in 1870 it was 10,733; in 1893 (according to local figures) it was 40.865.

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