FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD

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MONEY RATES--OPEN-MARKET RATES IN NEW YORK CITY

| Open-market rates | 1931 | | | 1930 |
|--|--------------------|------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | Sept. 26 | Sept. 19 | Aug. 29 | Sept. 27 |
| Prevailing rate on: Commercial paper (prime, 4 to 6 | | | | |
| months) | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| days) | $1 - 1\frac{1}{4}$ | 7/8 | 7/8 | 1 7/8 |
| days) | 1½ - 2 | 1 1 2 | $1\frac{1}{4} - 1\frac{1}{2}$ | $2\frac{1}{4} - 2\frac{3}{4}$ |
| Average rate on call loans (Stock exchange): | | | | |
| New | 1.50 1.50 | 1.50 1.50 | 1.50 1.50 | 2.00 |
| verage yield on: | | | | |
| U. S. Treasury notes and certificates (3 to 6 months) | .33 | <u>1</u> /.41 | •3 5 | 1.99 |
| U. S. Treasury bonds (3 long-term issues) | 3.46 | 3.41 | 3.34 | 3.36 |

1/ Change of issue on which yield is computed.

RESERVE BANK CREDIT OUTSTANDING AND FACTORS IN CHANGES
(Averages of daily figures. In millions of dollars)

| | Week ending | | | |
|---------------------------|----------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|--|
| | Sept. 26, 1931 | Sept. 19, 1931 | Sept. 27,1930 | |
| Bills discounted | 312 738 | + 29 +100 - 3 - 9 | +128 +112 +138 + 7 | |
| TOTAL RESERVE BANK CREDIT | 4,888 | +117 -125 - 20 | +385 +384 +31 | |
| Money in circulation | 2,317 183 | + 68 + 54 - 39 - 2 | +706 - 68 +158 - 28 | |