THE STATE OF TRADE.

EUROPEAN MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 11—10:40 a. m.—Cotton opened quiet and steady: Middling Uplands, 9¼d.; Middling Orleans, 10d.

LONDON, Oct. 11—11:30 a. m.—Consols opened at 92¼ for money, and 92 9-16@92¾ for the account. American securities quiet and steady: United States Five-Twenty bonds, 1862s, 92½; 1865s, old, 92½; 1867s, 91¾; Ten-Forties, 89½.

LONDON, Oct. 11—1:30 p. m.—Consols for money, 92½; for the account, 92¾.

LONDON, Oct. 11—4:30 p. m.—Consols closed at 92½ for money, and 92¾ for the account. United States Five-Twenty bonds, 1862s, 92½; 1865s, old, 92½; 1867s, 91¾; Ten-Forties, 89½.

PARIS, Oct. 11.—Rentes, 5e francs 57 centimes.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 11—4:30 p. m.—Cotton closed quiet and steady: Middling Uplands, 9¾; Middling Orleans, 10d.; sales of the day, 12,000 bales, 3,000 for speculation and export.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 11.—Quercitron Bark steady; No. 1 at $35. Cloverseed sells at 10c. Timothy at $3. Flaxseed, $1 90. Flour less active. Extras, $6@$6 25; Spring Wheat Extra Family, $7 25@$8; Pennsylvania do., $7@$7 50; Ohio and Indiana do., $7@$7 50; Fancy, $7 75@$8 50. Wheat firmer; small business. State and Western Red, $1 62@$1 65; Amber, $1 68. Rye scarce and firm; Western 90c. Corn advancing; State and Western Yellow at 80@80c.; Mixed Western, 80@83c. Oats firmer; White Western and State, 51@52c.; Mixed, 49@50c. Mess Pork, $14 50. Lard, Western, 9½@9¾c. Provisions dull. Beef steady. Refined, 24@25c. Petroleum steady; Crude, 10@10½c.; Refined, 24@25c. Whisky firm; Western at $1 02.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 11.—Cotton firmer; Low Middling, 19@19½c. Flour firm and in improved demand; Western Family, $7 50@$8 50. Wheat firmer; Amber, $1 70@$1 80; Red, good to prime, $1 55@$1 65; common to fair, $1 40@$1 50; Ohio and Indiana, $1 54@$1 56; Pennsylvania, $1 50@$1 61. Corn—White Southern, $1 50; Pennsylvania, $1 50@$1 61. Oats steady at 50@52c. Yellow do., 74@75c; Mixed Western, 73@75c. Rye, with advancing tendency. Mess Pork firm at $14 50. Bacon firm, with advancing tendency; Shoulders, 8c.; Rib Sides, 8½c.; Clear Rib Sides, 9c.; Sugar-cured Hams, 14@16c. Lard firm at 10@10½c. Western Butter weak at 19@22c. Whisky, $1.

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 11.—Bagging in good demand, steady and unchanged. Flour—Holders very firm, and not inclined to sell; Family Extra, $6 50@$6 75. Grain firmer and in fair demand. Wheat—Red and White, $1 40@$1 55. Corn, 50@55c. for bulk or sacked, from stores. Provisions dull. Mess Pork, $14 50. Bacon—Shoulders, 8c.; Clear Ribs, 9½c.; Clear Sides, 9½c. Lard, 10@11½c. Whisky, $1.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 11.—Bagging in good demand, steady and unchanged. Flour very active, with an advancing tendency. Corn, 50@55c. for ordinary to prime. Pork, $14 50 on round lots. Bacon advanced. Shoulders, 7½c.; Clear Rib, 9½c.; Clear Sides, 9½c. Lard, 10@11½c. Whisky dull at 91c.; demand and supply light.

ALBANY, Oct. 11.—Wheat unchanged. Rye firm, with sales at 97c. for Western, and $1 for State. Corn active at 73c., afloat; 79c. from store, and 80c. delivered at East Albany, for Western Mixed. Barley—Market feverish and prices kept private. Oats unchanged.

CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—Flour steady; sales, 1,600 bbls. at $7 75 for No. 1 Spring; $6 50 for Amber Winter; $5 50 for White Winter, and $4 50 for Double Extra. Wheat firm but quiet; sales, 3,500 bush. No. 1 Milwaukee Club at $1 03. Corn scarce; sales, 1,400 bush. No. 2 Illinois at 31c. Barley dull; sales, 3,100 bush.; choice Bay Quinte on private terms. Corn-Meal—$1 50 for Bolted; $1 45 for Unsifted, $1 cost. Milled unchanged. Shorts, $13 50; chipstuffs, $12@$13; Middlings, $22@$24. Provisions—Mess Pork, $14 50@$14 75. Hams, 10@10½c. Lard—Prime, 10@10½c.; Keg, 12@12½c. No. Sugar cured Shoulders in market. Whisky easier at 90c@91c. Coffee unchanged. Exchange—Sterling, 120½. New-York Sight, ½ discount. Gold, 114.

COTTON MARKETS.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 11.—Cotton firm; Middlings, 18½c.; receipts, 1,570 bales.

BOSTON, Oct. 11.—Cotton dull; Middlings, 20½c.; net receipts, 71 bales; gross, 640 bales; sales, 30 bales; stock, 4,500 bales.

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 11.—Cotton quiet; Middlings, 19c.

GALVESTON, Oct. 11.—Cotton dull; Good Ordinary, 16½c.; net receipts, 629 bales; sales, 100 bales; stock, 21,428 bales.

NEW-ORLEANS, Oct. 11.—Cotton dull and lower; Middlings, 19½c.; net receipts, 356 bales; gross, 1,193 bales; sales, 2,000 bales; stock, 148,428 bales.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 11.—Cotton nominal; Middlings, 19c.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 11.—Cotton firm; Middlings, 20c.

AUGUSTA, Oct. 11.—Cotton quiet but steady; Middlings, 17½c.; receipts, 250 bales.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 10.—Cotton dull; Middlings, 18½c.; receipts, 2,489 bales.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 11.—Cotton firm; Middlings, 19½c.; net receipts, 120 bales; gross, 280 bales; exports—coastwise, 150 bales; sales, 420 bales; stock, 7,200 bales.

MOBILE, Oct. 11.—Cotton dull and lower; Middlings, 18½@18¾c.; net receipts, 1,105 bales; exports—coastwise, 509 bales; sales, 200 bales; stock, 13,825 bales.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 11.—Cotton depressed, prices declining; Middlings, 19c.

WILMINGTON, Oct. 11.—Cotton quiet; Middlings, 18½c.; net receipts, 88 bales; sales, 22 bales; stock, 3,336 bales.

CHARLESTON, Oct. 11.—Cotton quiet; Low Middlings, 18½c.; net receipts, 1,541 bales; exports—coastwise, 1,200 bales; sales, 100 bales; stock, 10,869 bales.

NORFOLK, Oct. 11.—Cotton steady; Low Middlings, 18½c.; net receipts, 1,016 bales; exports—coastwise, 418 bales; sales, 200 bales; stock, 4,032 bales.

SAVANNAH, Oct. 11.—Cotton in fair demand; offerings large; Middlings, 19@19½c.; net receipts, 2,625 bales; exports—coastwise, 2,665 bales; sales, 700 bales; stock, 15,138 bales.

BUFFALO LIVE STOCK MARKET—OCT. 11.

Cattle—Receipts, 1,224 head, making 5,321, or 343 cars, against 468 cars at the same time last week; market dull and nominally unchanged; holders firm and sales light; sales, 122 Kentucky steers, ranging from 1,070 to 1,468 lb. at $4 45@$6; 156 Ohio, ranging from 1,092 to 1,479, at $4 75@$6; 18 Missouri, averaging 1,032 lb. at $4; 189 Indiana, ranging from 1,122 to 1,392, at $4@$5 35; 30 Michigan, averaging 1,346 lb. at $4 75. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4,436 head; market dull and unchanged; sales, 291 head Michigan sheep averaging 71 lb. at $4; 544 Indiana, ranging from 75 to 100 lb. at $4@$5; 1,056 Canada lambs, ranging from 60 to 90 lb. at $5 40@$5 624. Hogs—Receipts, 718 head; market dull and unchanged; sales, 718 head at $4 50@$4 75 for medium to good.

Financial

THE NEW-YORK CENTRAL AND HUDSON RIVER R. R. CO.—TREASURER'S OFFICE, ALBANY, Sept. 1, 1871.—The Directors of this Company have declared a DIVIDEND of FOUR (4) PER CENT on the CAPITAL STOCK thereof, payable on MONDAY, the sixteenth day of October next, at the office of Messrs. Duncan, Sherman & Co., in the City of New-York.

They have also declared a DIVIDEND of FOUR (4) PER CENT on the "CONSOLIDATION CERTIFICATES" issued by the Company, payable on the same date, at the office of the Union Trust Company, in the City of New-York.

The Transfer Books will be closed at the close of business on SATURDAY, the seventh day of September instant, and will be reopened on the morning of WEDNESDAY, the eighteenth day of October next.

E. D. WORCESTER, Treasurer.

THE CHICAGO AND ALTON RAILROAD CO.—SECRETARY'S OFFICE, CHICAGO, ILL., Aug. 7, 1871.—NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.—The Stockholders of the Chicago and Alton Railroad Company are hereby notified that a CASH DIVIDEND of FIVE PER CENT, free of Government tax, has been declared on the Preferred and Common Stock of this Company, out of the earnings of the last six months, payable at the office of the Company's Agents, Messrs. M. K. Jesup & Company, No. 59 Liberty-st., New-York City, on the 4th day of September next, to holders who are registered as such at the close of business hours on the 18th inst. at which time the transfer books will be closed, and reopened for transfers on the 5th day of September next. W. M. LARRABEE, Secretary.

OUR TWENTY-SECOND-ST. OFFICE,

AT CHICAGO,

IS UNINJURED BY THE FIRE.

We are prepared to transact business as usual.

JACOB R. SHIPHERD & Co., BANKERS,

24 PINE-ST., New-York. 164 TWENTY-SECOND-ST., Chicago.

STOCKHOLDERS in the Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroad Company, who desire a change of management at election for a Board of Directors, on November 6, are invited to give their proxies to the undersigned, or, at least, to confer with them before deciding upon their votes at the coming election.

VAN SCHAICK & Co., No. 13 Broad-st.

TRANSMONTANE CO. of WEST VIRGINIA.—Stockholders will please attend a SPECIAL MEETING of the Company, on TUESDAY next, at 12 o'clock, noon, at 13 Chambers-st.

J. C. SANDERS, President.

TEN PER CENT investments on Illinois farm security made by JOHN ROCKWELL, 40 Tribune Building, Chicago.

FIRST-CLASS

CITY & COUNTY BONDS,

PAYING FROM

10 TO 12 PER CENT,

FREE OF ALL TAXES.

INTEREST COUPONS PROMPTLY PAID SEMI-ANNUALLY IN NEW-YORK.

CHOICE SECURITIES, of undoubted character, below par.

CASH VALUATION OF PROPERTY... $15,719,817

WHOLE INDEBTEDNESS (Limited) ONLY 892,000

GOVERNMENT AND OTHER SECURITIES

RECEIVED IN EXCHANGE AT THE BEST RATES, AND BONDS PURCHASED BY OUT-OF-TOWN RESIDENTS SENT BY EXPRESS FREE OF CHARGE.

TRUSTEES, EXECUTORS OF ESTATES, CAPITALISTS, AND OTHERS SEEKING RELIABLE INVESTMENTS ARE PURCHASING THESE LOANS.

Also, an extensive variety of other choice securities for safe and profitable investment at low rates. For sale by

ALBERT H. NICOLAY,

BANKER, STOCK AUCTIONEER,

DEALER AND BROKER IN MUNICIPAL BONDS,

43 PINE-ST., NEW-YORK.

N. B.—First-class investment securities paying large rates of interest a specialty with this house for many years.

A NOBLE RESPONSE.

THE MANAGERS IN THIS CITY OF THE

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INS. CO.

OF LONDON AND EDINBURGH,

have received from J. W. CAYER, esq., Chairman of the London Board, by cable the following instructions:

"Subscribe $5,000 for the Chicago sufferers. Settle all losses promptly. Draw at three days sight."

The assets of this Company in the United States, amounting to over $1,300,000, will not be touched in the payment of losses at Chicago.

WM. CONNER, CHAS. K. WHITE, THOS. S. ELLAGERS, Associate Managers.

ARE YOU INSURED?

THE BUTCHERS FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

OFFICE, 180 CHATHAM-SQUARE

(Junction of Mott and Worth-sts.);

BRANCH OFFICES, 56 WALL-ST., 507 SIXTH-AVE.

CAPITAL	$200,000
SURPLUS	175,000
NET ASSETS	375,000

This Company has no Agencies!

Business confined to this City and immediate vicinity.

No losses by the Great Fire in Chicago.

Continues to insure at reasonable rates.

☞ Dwellings and Household Furniture a specialty.

JOS. W. DUGLISS, Secretary. R. B. FELLOWS, President.

COMMERCIAL

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

No. 157 Broadway, New-York.

CAPITAL	$200,000 00
NET SURPLUS	100,451 48
TOTAL ASSETS (OVER LIABILITIES)	$300,451 48

STATEMENT OCTOBER, 1871.

This Company has only $5,000 at risk in Chicago.

M. V. B. FOWLER, President.

DAVID QUACKENBUSH, Secretary.

CLINTON FIRE INSURANCE Co.,

No. 156 Broadway, N. Y.

CASH CAPITAL	$250 000
SURPLUS, Oct. 1, 1871	156 162
NET CASH ASSETS	$406 162

This Company lost nothing by the "Chicago" fire and continues to insure on first-class risks at reasonable rates.

THIS COMPANY HAS NO AGENTS.

JAS. B. AMES, President.

JOHN BARRY, Secretary.

CARD.

COLUMBIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

161 BROADWAY.

In reply to the numerous inquiries as to our losses by the disastrous fire at Chicago, we have no agent there, and but one risk of THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS. ALFRED DOUGLAS, President.

JOHN B. ARTHUR, Secretary.

EDWARD R. SATTERLEE, Assistant Secretary.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE CO. OF LONDON.

CAPITAL	$8,000,000. Gold.
INVESTMENTS IN THE U. S.	800,000

CHIEF OFFICE IN THE U. S., NOS. 40 AND 42 PINE-ST., New-York.

This Company insures against fire only, on all descriptions of property, at current rates.

HAVING WITHDRAWN FROM THE STATE OF ILLINOIS NEARLY TWO YEARS SINCE, THE COMPANY HAS ESCAPED FROM LOSSES, EXCEPT FOR A LIGHT AMOUNT, BY THE RECENT CALAMITOUS CONFLAGRATION AT CHICAGO.

EDGAR W. CROWELL, Resident Manager.

INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY,

113 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, OCT. 10, 1871.

IN VIEW of the general alarm created by the insurance losses consequent upon the recent fire in Chicago, it may be proper to state on behalf of this Company that if all our risks in the burnt district should prove total losses, they will not absorb much more than our net reserve, leaving our Capital and Assets $600,000.

Our policy of assuming very moderate risks in amount, and demanding adequate rates for the hazard incurred, having been so signally justified by the great Chicago fire, will be strictly adhered to in the future as in the past.

GEO. W. SAVAGE, President.

W. J. HUGHES, Secretary.

KNICKERBOCKER FIRE INSURANCE Co.

of NEW-YORK. (Established 1787.)

OFFICE, 64 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, OCT. 10, 1871.

This Company is not interested in the Chicago fire in any way, its business being confined to this City and its immediate vicinity.

Capital...$300,000. Surplus...$112,942. Total...$412,942.

J. L. TOWNSEND, Secretary. GEORGE HODGSDON, President.

OFFICE of the GLOBE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of the CITY of NEW-YORK.

No. 176 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, OCT. 10, 1871.

EDITOR OF THE N. Y. TRIBUNE: You will oblige us by stating that this Company does not insure in Chicago, and consequently sustains no loss by the calamitous fire in that city.

ALFRED A. REEVES, Secretary.

LONG ISLAND

INSURANCE COMPANY,

120 BROADWAY.

This Company has never written a dollar in Chicago, and therefore escapes loss by the recent fire.

Seventy-five per cent of the profits of the business is returned annually to customers insuring under participating policies.

B. W. DE LAMATER, President

W. W. HENSHAW, Secretary.

OFFICE OF

REPUBLIC

FIRE INSURANCE CO.,

153 BROADWAY.

NEW-YORK, OCT. 10, 1871.

NOTICE.—The standing of this Company, after paying all losses sustained by the recent conflagration at Chicago, is as follows:

CAPITAL	$300,000
SURPLUS OVER	140,000
TOTAL ASSETS OVER	400,000

ROBERT S. HONE, President.

DUNCAN F. CURRY, Secretary.

EDWARD ROWELL, Assistant Secretary.

No. 8 Pine-st., Oct. 10, 1871.

THE KINGS COUNTY

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

give notice to their customers and the public generally, that their losses in Chicago will consume but a small part of their surplus, and that 120 is offered for their stock, which is much less than its book value.

HENRY POPE, Secretary.

TRADESMEN'S

FIRE INSURANCE COMP'Y,

No. 168 Broadway,

WOULD INFORM ITS CUSTOMERS AND THE PUBLIC THAT the whole amount of its liability in Chicago is only $25,000.

Capital	$150,000
Surplus over	212,000

This, after deducting all unpaid losses, including the whole amount at risk in Chicago.

T. Y. BROWN, Secretary.

October 10, 1871.

WESTCHESTER

FIRE INSURANCE COMP'Y,

Office No. 1 Cortlandt-st., N. Y.,

OFFER INSURANCE WITH UNDOUBTED SECURITY, AS THEY have not lost a dollar by the "Chicago Fire."

Capital & Surplus over $450,000

GEO. J. PENFIELD, President.

GEO. R. CRAWFORD, Secretary.

HENRY GRIFFEN, Asst. Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE

PEOPLE'S FIRE INSURANCE CO.,

393 CANAL-ST.,

NEW-YORK, Oct. 10, 1871.

The STOCKHOLDERS and POLICY-HOLDERS of this Company are hereby informed that this Company has not lost a DOLLAR by the CHICAGO FIRE, our business being confined to New-York City and vicinity.

MATTHIAS CLARK, President.

PACIFIC FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

OF NEW-YORK.

No. 470 BROADWAY, BRANCH OFFICE, No. 167 BROADWAY.

Cash Capital	$200,000 00
Surplus, Oct. 10, 1871	212,105 57
Assets, Oct. 10, 1871	$412,105 57
Total Amount of Policies in Chicago	12,500 00

A. F. HATFIELD, President.

F. H. JEREMIAH, Secretary.

HAMILTON FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

No. 11 WALL-ST.,

NEW-YORK, Oct. 10, 1871.

Capital..150,000 Surplus..125,000

NOT HAVING LOST A DOLLAR IN THE CHICAGO FIRE, OFFER RELIABLE INSURANCE AT FAIR RATES.

LOSSES PROMPTLY PAID.

JAMES GILMORE, Secretary.

The Guardian Mutual Life

Insurance Company,

No. 251 BROADWAY,

is prepared to make LOANS to its POLICY HOLDERS upon Bond and Mortgage on satisfactory Real Estate in the City of New-York, WITHOUT THE INTERVENTION OF BROKERS OR AGENTS.

NIAGARA

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

CASH CAPITAL...$1,000,000.

NEW-YORK, October 10, 1871.

THE LOSSES OF THIS COMPANY BY THE RECENT FIRES IN CHICAGO CANNOT EXCEED A QUARTER OF A MILLION OF DOLLARS, which will be promptly paid as the various claims shall be adjusted.

This Company will have remaining MORE THAN A MILLION OF DOLLARS OF GOOD ASSETS, as a guaranty to its policy holders, and will continue to make INSURANCE ON BUILDINGS AND PERSONAL PROPERTY AS HERETOFORE.

H. A. ROWE, President.

P. NOTMAN, Vice-President and Secretary.

NOTICE.—Office SATTERLEE, BOSTWICK & MARTIN, 171 Broadway, N. Y.—The following Boston Insurance Companies, represented by the above agents, were not represented in Chicago, and are not sufferers by the fire in that city:

Prescott Fire and Marine Insurance Co., capital and assets	$452,669
Howard Fire Insurance Co., capital and assets	356,642
Shoe and Leather Dealers' F. & M. Ins. Co., capital and assets	549,806

New-York Agents, SATTERLEE, BOSTWICK & MARTIN, 171 Broadway.

OFFICE OF THE NEW-YORK EQUITABLE INSURANCE CO., 58 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, Oct. 11, 1871.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to our Stockholders and Policy holders that this Company has suffered no Loss by the disastrous fire in Chicago, Ill.

RICHARD J. THORNE, Prest.

JOHN MILLER, Secy.

OFFICE of the JEFFERSON INSURANCE COMPANY, TRINITY BUILDING, No. 111 Broadway, New-York, Oct. 10, 1871.

TO THE PUBLIC: This Company having no out-of-town Agents, and doing business only at this Office, is not materially affected by the Great Fire in Chicago, the entire amount at risk there being only $17,500.

Having an unimpaired Capital of 200,000 dollars, and a surplus of over 200,000 dollars, it offers in the future, as it has for the past 47 years, a full guarantee to its policy-holders.

WILLIAM B. FLOWERS, Sec. SAMUEL E. BELCHER, Pres't.

STANDARD

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

OFFICE No. 117 BROADWAY.

Cash Capital	$200,000 00
Surplus Oct 1, 1871	185,547 74
Net Assets	$385,547 74

This Company has no Agency in Chicago, and sustains no loss there.

WILLIAM M. ST. JOHN, Secretary.

STUYVESANT FIRE INSURANCE CO.,

122 BOWERY and 200 BROADWAY.

NEW-YORK, Oct. 11, 1871.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to our Stockholders and Policy-holders that this Company

HAS SUFFERED NO LOSS

BY THE DISASTROUS FIRE IN CHICAGO.

S. P. FATTERSON, President.

GEORGE B. RHOADS, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE GUARDIAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 167 Broadway, New-York, Oct. 10, 1871.

THIS COMPANY desires to inform its friends and patrons that, having no agent in Chicago, it is not materially affected by the recent fire, the whole amount at risk in that city being $35,000, of which about $10,000 is probably lost.

The Company has assets as follows:

Cash capital	$200,000
Surplus	77,500
	$277,500

WALTER K. PAYE, Sec'y. WM. C. THOMPSON, Pres't.

NEW-YORK, Oct. 11, 1871.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors held this day, it was

Resolved, That immediately on receipt of satisfactory proofs of losses by the Chicago Fire, the officers of this Company are requested to pay the same without deducting the usual rebate of interest.

THE HARTFORD

FIRE INSURANCE CO.

INCORPORATED...1810.

CAPITAL	$1,000,000.
SURPLUS, OCT. 1	1,700,000.
NET ASSETS, OCT. 1	2,700,000.

HARTFORD, Oct. 11, 1871.

To BIGELOW & COTT, Agents, 150 Broadway:

We shall save our Capital and a portion of our large Surplus.

GEO. L. CHASE, President.

WILLIAMSBURGH CITY FIRE INSURANCE CO., Office 165 Broadway, NEW-YORK, Oct. 9, 1871.

CARD TO THE PUBLIC.

The Williamsburgh City Fire Insurance Company takes this early opportunity to inform its policy-holders and the public that the great fire now raging in Chicago does not affect its financial standing, as the whole amount at risk, if all is totally destroyed, which is not probable, is but $85,000.

With a Cash Capital of $250,000 and a Cash Surplus of over $250,000, policy-holders are afforded a perfect guarantee against any contingency.

EDMUND DRIGGS, President.

M. W. MASEROLE, Assistant Secretary.

HANOVER

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

No. 120 Broadway.

Cash Capital	$100,000
Surplus, Oct. 1	350,000
Gross Cash Assets, Oct. 1, '71	$750,000

B. S. WALCOTT, President.

I. REMSEN LANE, Secretary.

THE LOSSES OF THIS COMPANY AT CHICAGO WILL NOT EXCEED $225,000, LEAVING A SURPLUS, AS ABOVE, OF $125,000.

CHICAGO FIRE.

Fire Insurance.

METROPOLITAN INSURANCE CO.,

No. 108 Broadway, N. Y.

$300,000 CASH CAPITAL.

This Company confines its business to the Metropolitan District, and has

NOT SUFFERED LOSS BY THE CHICAGO FIRE.

R. M. C. GRAHAM, President.

SAMUEL J. YOUNG, Secretary.

HUMBOLDT FIRE INS. CO.,

No. 120 BROADWAY.

Capital - - $200,000.

This Company have no Agents, and are not affected by the CHICAGO FIRE.

WM. MULLIGAN, President.

WM. H. BRIDGMAN, Secretary.

E. J. BARNEY, Asst. Secretary.

MANUFACTURERS' & BUILDERS'

FIRE

INSURANCE COMPANY

OF

THE CITY OF NEW-YORK.

CASH ASSETS ..... $233,426 93.

PRINCIPAL OFFICE, 207 BROADWAY, COR. FULTON-ST

BRANCH OFFICES, 890 THIRD-AVE. 106 AVENUE C.

We continue to insure first-class risks at current rates in the Cities of New-York and Brooklyn.

This Company does not do an out-of-town business.

EDWARD V. LOEW, President.

J. JAY NEVERILL, Secretary.

AGENCY ÆTNA INSURANCE CO.,

HARTFORD.

CASH CAPITAL, $3,000,000. ASSETS, JULY 1, 1871, $6,047,378 07.

NEW-YORK, Oct. 11, 1871.

The losses of this Company at Chicago

WILL NOT EXCEED

TWO MILLION DOLLARS,

leaving an unimpaired capital of

THREE MILLION DOLLARS,

with a surplus of over

ONE MILLION DOLLARS.

JAMES A. ALEXANDER, Agent,

No. 62 Wall-st.

CHICAGO FIRE.

THE EMPIRE CITY FIRE INS. CO.

ARE NOT AFFECTED BY THE FIRE IN CHICAGO.

WM. A. BURTIS, President.

INSURANCE STOCKS.

IF YOU WANT TO BUY OR SELL, APPLY TO WM. C. GILMAN, 46 PINE-ST.

LAMAR

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

184 BROADWAY.

CASH CAPITAL	$300,000 00
SURPLUS, JULY 1, '71	269,087 74
ASSETS, JULY 1, '71	$569,087 74

The Agents of the Company at Chicago telegraph that the losses by late fire, after a careful examination, will be less than $200,000, thus leaving Capital whole, with a handsome Surplus, and the Company are prepared to pay on demand all losses as soon as adjusted.

W. R. MACDIARMID, Secretary.

CHICAGO FIRE.

TELEGRAPHIC ADVICES

FROM THE

ANDES, ALEMANNIA, and ENTERPRISE

INSURANCE COMPANIES

SHOW THEM TO BE

ALL RIGHT.

Their comparatively SMALL LOSSES (owing to the fact that they had been doing business in Chicago only a few months, and that rates were inadequate for the risks), will be

PROMPTLY ADJUSTED AND PAID,

LEAVING THEIR ENTIRE CAPITAL UNIMPAIRED.

PRINDLE & MANGAM, Agents,

150 BROADWAY.

REAL ESTATE TRUST Co.,

317 BROADWAY.

Purchase Bonds and Mortgages and sell them guaranteed.

Guarantee Bonds and Mortgages for others.

Execute all Trusts in Real and Personal Property.

Receive Money on deposit and allow 4 per cent. interest.

V. K. STEVENSON, President. W. L. ELY, Secretary.

First Mortgage, Convertible,

7 PER CENT GOLD BONDS

OF THE

PEORIA AND ROCK ISLAND RAILWAY

OF ILLINOIS.

First Mortgage Bonds	$1,500,000
Capital Stock	2,000,000

This is a COMPLETED Road 91 miles in length, connecting the important cities of Peoria on the Illinois River and Rock Island, Moline and Davenport on the Mississippi. Davenport, on the opposite bank of the River, is connected by a railway bridge. The last rail of this road was laid July 7, 1871, and the line is now open and being operated with a success exceeding all anticipations. In order to place upon the road the large equipment necessary for the business offered, and to construct depots, car and engine-houses, machine-shops, &c., equal to any of the best old roads in the country, as is now required of this, the Company offer, through the undersigned, $1,500,000 convertible first mortgage gold bonds, which cover the entire property of the Company, and is less than $17,000 per mile. PRESENT PRICE, 90, AND ACCRUED INTEREST IN CURRENCY. Principal and interest payable in coin at New-York or London, free of tax. Coupons payable February and August 1st.

This road, opened for the immense local as well as through traffic, now offered, will prove one of the most profitable in the West, traversing as it does a section of country unsurpassed in fertility of soil and agricultural resources, already thickly populated, and in a high state of cultivation. This is self-evident, from the fact that every section of the road passes through cultivated fields, and many flourishing towns and villages, with a large city and a navigable river at each end. Railroads in the West have been heretofore constructed through unsettled and uncultivated regions of the country, consequently have had but little local traffic to depend upon for several years after construction. But the Peoria and Rock Island Railway is a first-class COMPLETED road, with NO PARALLEL or COMPETING LINE, and RUNS THROUGH ONE OF THE RICHEST AGRICULTURAL, MANUFACTURING, AND MOST POPULOUS DISTRICTS IN THE WEST. Thus it is certain that the local business is already more than enough to sustain the road, while the through traffic is unlimited, as its connections are numerous, which can be seen by a glance at the map.

This road is a grand central link, to which many of the principal lines centralize and diverge to all parts of the continent.

We invite the attention of investors to this loan. Being familiar with the wealth and resources of the country along the line of this railway, and A MEMBER OF OUR FIRM HAVING MADE A CAREFUL EXAMINATION OF THE ROAD AND ITS PROPERTY, WE CAN WITH THE UTMOST CONFIDENCE RECOMMEND THE BONDS AS A PRIME SECURITY, reliable and safe in every particular.

All marketable securities received in exchange at full rates, and bonds delivered to all parts of the country, free of express charges.

Maps, circulars, &c., with full particulars relating to the road, furnished on application by the undersigned, Financial Agents of the Company.

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The merit of this security, and the peculiar advantages possessed by the Registered Bonds in the quarterly payment of interest and full PROTECTION against LOSS by FIRE, THEFT, or like exigencies, commend it favorably to all careful and judicious investors, and we cordially recommend it as the most desirable investment in the market.

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Dividend Notices.

OFFICE OF THE CENTRAL RAILROAD COMPANY OF NEW-JERSEY, 119 LIBERTY-ST., NEW-YORK, Oct. 2, 1871.—A QUARTERLY DIVIDEND of TWO AND A HALF (2½) PER CENT and the Government tax has been declared, payable on and after FRIDAY, the 20th inst., at this office.

The transfer books will be closed from FRIDAY, the 6th, to MONDAY, the 23d inst., for the above dividend, and for the allotment of scrip at par, in accordance with the circular sent to each stockholder's address. By order of the Board. SAMUEL KNOX, Treasurer.

AGENCY ÆTNA INSURANCE CO., HARTFORD, No. 62 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, Oct. 2, 1871.—A DIVIDEND of FIVE PER CENT has been declared by the ÆTNA INSURANCE CO. of HARTFORD, payable on demand. New-York stockholders will be paid at this office.

JAS. A. ALEXANDER, Agent.

OFFICE OF THE EAGLE FIRE COMPANY, No. 71 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, Oct. 5, 1871.—A SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND of TEN (10) PER CENT, FREE OF GOVERNMENT TAX, has this day been declared, payable on demand.

A. J. CLINTON, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE CINCINNATI, HAMILTON AND DAYTON RAILROAD CO., CINCINNATI, Oct. 5, 1871.—DIVIDEND NOTICE.—The Directors of this Company have declared a DIVIDEND of 4 PER CENT, payable on the 17th inst., at the Banking House of WINSLOW, LANIER & Co., New-York. The transfer books will be closed from the 7th to the 17th instant, inclusive.

F. H. SHORT, Secretary and Treasurer.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.—The Interest on the Bonds and Stocks of the City and County of New-York due November 1, 1871, will be paid on that day by JOHN J. BRADLEY, esq., Chamberlain of the City, at his Office, in the New Court-House. The Transfer Books will be closed WEDNESDAY, Sept. 20, 1871.

ANDREW H. GREEN, Deputy Comptroller.

Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, New-York, Sept. 18, 1871.

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