ADVANCE IN STOCKS.

A RELAPSE FOLLOWS.

SALES INCREASE AFTER THE HOLIDAY DULNESS—THE CLOSE NOT CONFIDENT.

SALES AT THE STOCK EXCHANGE, OCTOBER 13.

SALES OF BONDS AND BANK STOCKS.

1000	So Car 6s Non-Fundable	4¾	
25000	do	4¾	
20000	N Car Con 4s	99	
1000	Ala&Sus Con 6s	117½	
1000	do Registered	118	
1000	Ala&Sus Con 7s	120	
14000	Am Cot O Co 8s	112	
5000	A & Pac Gld 4s	69	
33500	A T & S F 4s	83⅝	
19000	do	83¾	
7000	A T&S F Inc 5s	59	
25000	do Ir Receipts	58⅝	
11000	do	58⅝	
31000	do	58⅝	
5000	B H T & W 5s	100⅝	
5000	do	101	
17000	B C R & N 1st Col Tr 5s	96	
2000	Can South 2d	101½	
6000	C of NJ G M 5s	111½	
1000	do Registered	110	
1000	Ches&Ohio Gen 4½s	79½	
1000	Ches & O Con 5s	101½	
1000	do	105	
5000	C & O R&A Div 1st Con 2-4	79⅞	
2000	do 2d Con 4s	78	
11000	C B&Q Conv 5s	106	
5000	do	105	
1000	C B&Q Deb 5s	103	
2000	Chic B & Q Iowa Div 5s	105½	
1000	C B & Q 1st	123	
5000	Ch & E Inc	43¾	
2000	do	44	
3000	C&E Ill Gen 5s	102½	
10000	C & E L&C Co 1st	90	
6000	do	90½	
4000	do	91	
4000	C & I Coal 1st	102½	
4000	C & N Pac 1st	75¾	
26000	do	76	
10000	C R&P Deb 5s	95¾	
5000	do	95¾	
2000	C R I & Pac 5s Coupon	101⅞	
12000	do	100	
1000	C St L & P 1st	108	
1000	Cin & S 1st 5s by C C C & I	112½	
8000	C H V & T 5s	92	
5000	Con Gas Co of Chicago 1st 5s	88	
22000	Det M & M L G	48	
23000	do	44	
8000	do	41⅞	
1000	E T V & Ga Con Gold 5s	95	
5000	do	96	
5000	Ed E Ill Co of N Y 1st 5s	106	
7000	G Elec Co Deb 5s	106	
5000	do	106	
2000	G P W&St P Inc Eng Tr Rec	37	
10000	do	36	
1000	do	36	
4000	H&T Con 1st 5s	106	
6000	K Pac 6s 1895	106	
3000	Kings Co El 1st	100	
3000	Lac G L Co of St L 1st	84	
1000	Leh V & W B Con Assented	113	
5000	L L G M 4s	96	
3000	L N A & C Con	102	
2000	L & N & M 6s	118	
20000	L&N U Gold 4s	80⅞	
5000	do	80⅞	
1000	L S&M S 1st Reg	118	
2000	Mil & St P Con	127½	
2000	M & St P 7 8-10	123½	
6000	M & St P 1st Ch & Pic W 5s	109½	
3000	do Lne Div	122½	
12000	M & St P 1st Ch & N&M Div	128½	
1000	M & St L 1st Pac Extension	110	
2000	M & St P GM 4s Series A	91½	
10000	M L S & W Inc	101	
11000	Mo K & T 1st	79⅞	
5000	do	80	
5000	do	79⅞	
1000	Mob&O G M 4s	62	
5000	Mo Pac 1st Con	113	
5000	Mo K & T 2d	47⅝	
2000	do	47½	
15000	do	47¾	
1000	Mut Un Tel 6s	111	
2000	N Sch M Co 1st	106	
5000	N Y Elev 1st	114½	
21000	N Y L E & W New 2d Con	107	
75000	N Y & N 2d 4s	62	
5000	N Y Out & W Refunding 4s	83⅛	
8000	do	83¼	
1000	N Y S & W G M	91	
5000	N Pac 1st Reg	117	
5000	do	116⅛	
13000	N Pac Con 5s	73¾	
8000	do	73½	
4000	do	73⅝	
1000	N Pac 1st Coup	116½	
1000	do	116½	
11000	N Pac 2d Coup	112	
5000	Nor & West Md & Wash Div	90½	
5000	N W Extn 4s	97¾	
10000	Ohio So G M 4s	62	
1000	do	63	
20000	Om&St L 1st Ex Funded Coup	50¾	
3000	Or S L&U N Col Trust 5s	73½	
2000	Ore Short L 6s	104½	
2000	Peo & East 1st	79¾	
3000	do	79¾	
15000	Peo G & Coke of Chic 2d Gld	103	
18000	P & R 1st pf inc	77	
1000	do	77¾	
14000	do	77¾	
11000	do	77½	
1000	P & R 2d pf inc	70	
45000	do	70⅛	
18000	do	70⅛	
1000	do	70⅛	
1000	do	70⅛	
5000	P & R 3d pf inc	62⅛	
1000	do	62⅛	
7000	do	62⅛	
1000	do	62½	
7000	do	62⅝	
38000	do	63	
3000	do	62¾	
10000	P & R Def Inc	18	
11000	P & R G M 4s	87¾	
2000	Pitt & W 1st	88⅞	
2000	do	84	
5000	P Ft W & C 1st	139¾	
5000	Rich & W Pt Col Trust 5s	51¼	
5000	Rich & W Pt Ter Trust 6s	88	79¾
7000	do	79	
7000	do	83	79¾
5000	Rio G W 1st	78½	
3000	R W & Og Con	113	
2000	Sav & W 1st	71	
1000	San A & A P 1st 6s 1886-1926 Tr Receipts	69	
500	Security Corp 6s	99	
5000	St L SW 1st	69	
2000	do	69¼	
3000	do	69½	
6000	do	68½	
3000	St L SW 2d Inc	30¾	
2000	Tenn C I & R 6s Birm Div 1st	93⅞	
5000	do	94	
3000	do Tenn Div 6s	91	
1000	St L&K C 1st	85	
11000	Un Pac 8% Gold 6s Col Tr Notes	94⅞	
8000	do	95¼	
3000	do	95⅝	
2000	do	95	
20000	Un Pac S F	102½	
4000	U Pac D&G 1st	77	
5000	Un Pac 1st '99	106¾	
2000	Un Pac 1st '08	110	
10000	Un Pac 1st '99	111½	
9000	U Pac Lin & Col 1st	110F	75
20000	Wab Deb Ser B	39½	
10000	do	39⅝	
2000	Wab R R 1st	105¾	
13000	Wab R R 2d	79¾	
5000	W N Y & P 2d	34	
16000	W Shore Gtd 4s	103	

THE GENERAL LIST.

Stocks.	Actual Sales. Open.	High.	Low.	Final.	Closing. Bid.	Ask.	Shares sold.
Alb & Sus	....	....	....	....	158	....	
A T & S F	39¾	39½	39	39¼	39¼	39½	22,990
At & Pac	4½	4½	4½	4½	4¼	4¾	100
Am Cot Oil	47	47	46½	46¾	46	46½	2,210
do pref	84½	84½	83	83	82½	83	1,100
Am Sug Ref	110¾	110½	109⅞	109¾	109⅞	109⅞	4,155
do pref	102⅞	102⅞	101½	101¾	101¾	102½	600
Amer Tob	121	122	121	122	121⅞	122	2,900
do pref	111½	111½	111½	111½	111½	112	136
Adams Exp	....	....	....	....	148	152	....
Amer Exp	....	....	....	....	110	111	....
Amer Cable	87	87	87	87	85	87½	15
Balt & Ohio	93½	94⅛	93½	94⅛	93⅞	94⅝	3,185
do Trust	91	91	91	91	92	94	100
B & N Y A L	....	....	....	....	100	....	....
B R & Pitts	....	....	....	....	36½	38	....
do pref	....	....	....	....	80½	88	....
B C R & N	....	....	....	....	97	....	....
B&O SW pf	5½	6⅜	5½	6	5¾	6¼	2,350
Brunswick	8	8	8	8	7¾	9	100
Can South	57⅞	57⅞	57⅞	57⅞	57⅞	58⅛	100
Can Pac	86¼	86¾	86¼	86⅝	86¼	87¼	250
Cent of N J	132	132½	132	132½	131	132¾	650
Cent Pac	29½	29½	29½	29½	29	30	200
Ches & Ohio	23⅝	23⅝	23¼	23¼	23¼	23¾	575
do 1st pref	....	....	....	....	60	62	....
do 2d pref	....	....	....	....	40	42	....
Chic & Alt	....	....	....	....	142	147	....
C P & Minn	7	7	7	7	6½	8	100
Ch B & Qy	100⅞	100⅞	100⅞	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛	11,185
C & E I	....	....	....	....	99½	101	....
do pref	....	....	....	....	97½	98½	....
C M & St P	79⅞	79½	79	79⅛	79⅛	79½	8,700
do pref	123	123½	123	123½	123½	123½	825
Chic & NW	115½	115⅝	115¼	115½	115⅝	115½	1,425
do pref	....	....	....	....	142	143	....
C R I & P	82⅞	83	81⅞	82¾	82¾	82¾	12,645
C Sil P M & O	52⅝	53	52⅝	52¾	52½	53¼	600
do pref	....	....	....	....	118½	120	....
C C C & StL	64⅝	64⅝	64⅝	64⅝	64⅝	64½	2,300
Clev & Pitts	....	....	....	....	156	....	....
C H V & T	29	29	28¾	29	29	29¼	700
do pref	....	....	....	....	71	76	....
Com & C	....	....	....	....	....	¾	1¼
Col C & I	43¾	43¾	43	43	43	43⅝	3,250
Colorado Fuel	99	99	99	99	99	100½	100
do pref	....	....	....	....	109	110	....
Con C of Md	....	....	....	....	27	40	....
Com Cable	....	....	....	....	104	100	....
Chic Gas	89⅛	89⅛	88⅝	88¾	88⅝	88⅝	24,743
Cit Gas	113⅞	114	113⅞	114	112⅞	114	200
Col H V&T	118⅛	118⅛	118⅛	118⅛	117¾	118¼	150
C J R & SY	103	104¼	103	104¼	....	....	900
Del L & W	154½	154½	153¾	154½	154¾	154½	2,700
Del & H C	135⅛	139⅛	135⅛	139⅛	135½	139½	200
Den & R G	17½	17½	17¼	17¼	17¼	17¾	900
do pref	52⅞	53	52½	53	52⅝	53	4,550
Des & Cat F	68⅛	68⅛	62½	68⅛	68¼	68¾	36,200
do 1st	104⅝	105	104⅝	105	104½	107	200
do 2d pf	105¾	105¾	104¾	105¾	105½	107	310
D S S & At	....	....	....	....	12½	13½	....
do pref	30	30	29½	29½	29½	31	200
E T V & G	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾	5½	100
do 1st pref	....	....	....	....	32	35	....
do 2d pref	....	....	....	....	10½	11½	....
Ev & T H	....	....	....	....	147	149	....
El Ele Ill	105½	105¾	105½	105¾	104	106	30
E & P Mar	....	....	....	....	17½	20	....
Gt Nor pf	....	....	....	....	139	140	....
G B W&StP	12¾	12¾	12½	12½	12¼	12½	1,200
Gen Elec	118½	118½	118	118⅝	118¼	118½	3,525
Hous & T C	7	8½	7	8½	7½	8¼	400
Home Stk	....	....	....	....	14	....	....
Hom S Exc	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.55	3.00	170
Ill Central	99	99½	99	99½	99¼	99¾	405
Ia Central	....	....	....	....	11¼	12	....
do pref	....	....	....	....	38	39¼	....
Kan & Mich	13	13	13	13	13	14	100
L E & West	24½	25¾	24½	25¼	25¼	25⅞	3,702
do pref	79¼	79¼	78½	79⅛	79	79½	2,457
L S & M S	132¾	133¾	132¾	133	133	133¼	600
Long Island	....	....	....	....	103	104	....
L E & St L	....	....	....	....	20	24	....
do pref	....	....	....	....	55	60	....
L & Nash	69¾	70	69⅝	69¾	69⅝	69¾	9,850
L N A & C	25⅝	26	25⅝	25¾	25⅝	25⅞	2,600
L St L & T	....	....	....	....	20	22	....
L&M River	11	11	11	11	....	....	100
L Gas St L	24	24	24	24	23½	24½	100
do pref	65	65	64½	64½	63	65	200
Lead	47	47⅝	46½	46⅞	46½	47⅝	6,510
do pref	94½	95⅞	94½	96⅞	95¾	96¼	1,811
Man Elev	133¾	133¾	133¾	133¾	133¾	134	310
M B & Co	....	....	....	....	....	108	....
Mex Cent	....	....	....	....	14½	15⅛	....
Mich Cent	....	....	....	....	107	109	....
Minn & StL	17¼	17¼	17¼	17¼	17½	18½	25
do pref	40⅞	40⅞	40⅞	40⅞	40½	42¼	100
Mo P & Tex	14¼	14¼	14⅛	14¼	14¼	15	710
do pref	26¾	26¾	26¾	26¾	26	26½	200
Mo Pacific	62¼	62⅝	62⅛	62¾	62⅛	62⅝	3,100
Mob & Ohio	....	....	....	....	35½	37½	....
Mor & Essex	151	151	151	151	....	....	114
Nan Beach	....	....	....	....	5	7	....
Nat Cor	....	....	....	....	23	19	....
N C & St L	87	87	87	87	86	88	200
N Y C & HR	110¾	110½	110	110	110	110¼	670
N Y C & StL	....	....	....	....	16½	17	....
do 1st pf	....	....	....	....	72	80	....
do 2d pf	....	....	....	....	31½	39	....
N Y L E&W	26¼	26⅝	26¼	26⅝	26⅝	26¾	11,150
do pref	62	62½	62	62	62	63½	1,000
N Y N H & H	45½	47	45⅝	44¾	44¾	44¾	63,315
N Y & N E	....	....	....	....	248	258	....
N Y & Nor	19¼	19½	19¼	19½	19	20	410
N Y O & W	19½	19½	19	19	19	19¼	1,400
N Y S & W	18⅝	18¾	18½	18¾	18¾	18⅞	1,050
do pref	....	....	....	....	60	67	....
Nor & West	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	10½	11¼	500
do pref	....	....	....	....	40¾	....	....
North Am	13	13¼	12⅞	13¼	13	13½	700
Nor Pacific	19	19	19	19	19	19¼	100
do pref	51½	52¼	51⅝	51⅞	51¾	51⅞	10,158
Nat Cord	134¼	134¼	134¼	134¼	134¼	134¾	120
do pref	119¼	119¼	119	119	119	120	500
Nat L Oil	31	31½	31	31½	31¼	31½	300
N Cent Coal	....	....	....	....	10	12½	....
Ohio & Miss	24	24	23¾	23¾	23¾	24	200
Ohio South	27½	28½	27½	28½	28½	30	300
Ore Impt	....	....	....	....	2½	2¾	....
Or R & Nav	....	....	....	....	74	74	....
O S L & UN	....	....	....	....	23	23½	....
Oregon Imp	30	30	30	30	30	40½	185
Peo & East	....	....	....	....	9	13	....
P D & Evn	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾	300
Phila & Rdg	59	59	58¾	58¾	58¾	58⅞	26,150
P C C & StL	22¼	22½	22¼	22½	22¼	23	305
do pref	....	....	....	....	62½	61	....
P Ft W & C	....	....	....	....	143	155	....
Pullman Sx	32	32¾	32	32½	32½	33¼	4,250
Pull Pal C	197½	199	197½	199	198½	199½	510
Tenn Coal	....	....	....	....	280	330	....
Quicksilver	....	....	....	....	3	4	....
do pref	....	....	....	....	18	21	....
Rich & WPt	9	9¼	8¾	9	9	9¼	575
do pref	....	....	....	....	....	41	....
Rome W	....	....	....	....	112	119½	....
St L A & TH	....	....	....	....	33	35	....
do pref	....	....	....	....	170	160	....
St P & Dul	46	46	46	46	45½	46½	100
do pref	....	....	....	....	106	108	....
St P M & M	....	....	....	....	114	115	....
So Pacific	37¼	37¾	37¼	37¾	37¼	37¾	500
St L S W	....	....	....	....	8	8½	....
do pref	16⅛	16⅛	16	16	15⅞	16⅝	300
Tex & Pac	....	....	....	....	11⅛	11¼	....
T A A & NM	28¼	28¼	28¼	28¼	28	29	100
Tol & O C	....	....	....	....	75	80	....
do pref	75	75	75	75	75	80	200
Tenn C & I	38¾	38⅞	38½	38¾	38¾	39	1,000
do pref	....	....	....	....	102	105	....
Union Pac	40⅞	40⅞	40½	40⅞	40½	40¾	10,655
U P D & G	19	19	19	19	18¾	19¼	100
U S Exp	62	62¼	62	62¼	61½	63	210
Wabash	11	11¼	11	11¼	11	11½	500
do pref	25	25	25	25	25	25¼	700
Wab & L E	23¼	23½	23¼	23½	23	23¼	700
do pref	69⅞	69⅞	69⅞	69⅞	68½	69¾	7
Wheeling	....	....	....	....	16⅞	17	....
West U Tel	97	98⅝	97	98	98	98¼	8,323
Wells Fargo	....	....	....	....	144	147	....

Total shares for the day 339,805

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SILVER.

Silver certs	85⅞	85⅞	85⅝	85⅝	85½	85¾	100,000

SALES AT THE CONSOLIDATED STOCK AND PETROLEUM EXCHANGE.

STOCKS.

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.	Shares sold.
Amer Tobacco Co	121	121	121	121	200
Amer Sugar Ref	110⅝	110⅝	109⅝	109⅞	600
Amer Cotton Oil	47	47	46½	46½	1,100
Amer Cotton Oil pf	83¼	83¼	81¼	83¼	100
At Top & S F	39⅛	39½	39	39⅛	6,520
Baltimore & Ohio	94	94	94	94	100
Chicago Gas Co	89⅝	89¾	88¼	88¾	7,200
C C C & St L	64¾	64¾	64½	64½	100
Colorado Coal	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝	200
Chic R I & Pacific	82⅛	82⅞	82	82½	3,400
Chic Bur & Qy	100⅞	101⅝	100⅝	101⅝	8,000
Chic Mil & St P	79¾	79¾	79½	79¾	5,640
Chic & Northw	115¾	115¾	115¼	115⅝	700
Ches & Ohio	23½	23½	23¼	23¼	150
C H V & Tol	28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾	100
Del Lack & W	153¾	153¾	153¾	153¾	20
Dist & C F	63¾	63¾	62½	63	2,950
General Electric	118¾	118½	118¼	118¼	600
Illinois Central	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝	100
Lake Shore	132½	132½	132½	132½	100
L E & Western	24¾	24¾	24⅝	24⅝	100
Louisville & Nash	69¼	69¼	69¼	69¼	3,500
Mich Cent	62⅝	62⅝	62	62¼	520
National Lead	47	47⅛	46½	46½	1,900
National Lead pf	99½	99½	99½	99½	20
N Y L E & W	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝	300
N Y & New-Eng	45½	47	43¾	43¾	60,810
N Y Cent & H	99	99	99	99	200
Nor Pacific pf	51½	52⅛	51¼	51¾	4,400
Northern Pacific	19	19	19	19	50
N Y S & W	19	19	19	19	200
Pacific Mail	32	33½	31	33½	300
Phila & Reading	58¾	58⅞	58¼	58⅝	16,000
Richmond & W Pt	9	9	9	9	50
Tenn C & I	38½	38⅞	38½	38⅝	200
Union Pacific	40¼	40¼	40½	40½	1,370
U P D & G	19	19	19	19	100
Western Union	97¼	98¼	97¼	98¼	700
Wabash	11¼	11¼	11¼	11¼	200
Wabash pf	25¼	25¼	25¼	25¼	10
Wheeling & L E	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝	100
Total shares sold					129,910

BONDS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Bonds sold.
At Top & S Fe 4s	83⅝	83⅝	83⅝	83⅝	$12,000
Chic & E Inc	43¾	43¾	43¾	43¾	600
Ch & N P 5s	76	76	76	76	6,000
General Elec 4 5s	106¼	106¼	106¼	106¼	5,000
Mo Kan & Tex 4s	79¾	79¾	79¾	79¾	5,000
Mo Kan & Tex 2d	47½	47½	47½	47½	3,000
Phil & Read 1st cf inc	27¼	27¼	27¼	27¼	9,000
Phil & Rdg 2d pf inc	70	70	70	70	4,000
Phil & Rdg gen	87¼	87¼	87¼	87¼	5,000
Phil & Rdg 3d pf inc	62⅝	62⅝	62½	62½	25,000
Pittsburg & West 1st	84	84	84	84	3,000
Ohio Southern gen	63	63	63	63	1,000
Ontario & West 4s	83⅛	83⅛	83⅛	83⅛	2,000
Rock Island 1st c	101	101	101	101	2,000
Rock Island 4 5s	95½	95½	95½	95½	2,000
Rio Grande West 4s	78½	78½	78½	78½	5,000
St. Louis Southw 2d	30¾	30¾	30¾	30¾	5,000
Wabash 2d	79¾	79¾	79¾	79¾	2,000
Western N Y & P 2d	34	34	34	34	5,000
Total amount					$111,000

MINING STOCKS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Shares sold.
Brunswick	.09	.09	.09	.09	3,300
Best & Belcher	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.25	400
Bodie	.35	.35	.35	.35	200
Bulwer	.34	.34	.34	.34	200
Con Cal & Va	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	100
Crown Point	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	700
Challenge	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	100
Gould & Curry	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	100
Smal Hopes	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	50
Standard	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	100
Yellow Jacket	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	100
Total sales					4,550

CLOSING PRICES OF PHILADELPHIA STOCKS.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Leigh Valley	58¼	58¾	Phil & R stock	29⅝	29¾
Leh C & N Co	53¾	53¾	P & R 1st pf	....	89¾
Nor Pacific Co	18⅞	19	P & R 1st pf 5s	77	....
Nor Pacific pfd	51¾	52	P & R 2d pf 5s	70½	76½
Pennsylvania R R	55½	55⅝	P & R 3d pf 5s	69⅝	69¾
Phil & Erie	31¾	....	Met Traction	119¾	....

CLOSING PRICES OF BOSTON STOCKS.

Boston, Oct. 13, 1892.

Tuesday.	To-day.		Tuesday.	To-day.
Atch & Top	38¾	39¼	Cal & Hecla	290	294
Bost & Albany	205	205	Catalpa	15	16
Bost & Maine	182½	184	Franklin	15	14
Chic Bur & Qy	100¾	101¼	Scarsarge	11	11¼
Eastern R R 8s	127	132	Osceola	35	31¾
Fitchburg pfd	83½	83½	Santa Fe Cop	10	10
N Y L E & W	26⅝	26⅝	Tamarack	161	158
N Y & New-Eng	45½	47	Anniston L Co	22	22
N Y Cent & H	99	99	Boston L Co	5	....
Nor Pacific pf	51½	52⅛	West End L Co	17¼	17
Northern Pacific	19	19	Bell Telephone	204¼	205
N Y S & W	19	19	Lamson St Ser	16	16
Pacific Mail	32	33½	Water Power	2	2
Phila & Reading	58¾	58⅞	Centennial Min	8½	7¾
Richmond & W Pt	9	9	U S Tel & Tel	60	....
Tenn C & I	38½	38⅞	Butte & Bost Cop	9¾	9½
Union Pacific	40¼	40¼			
U P D & G	19	19			
Western Union	97¼	98¼			
Wabash	11¼	11¼			
Wabash pf	25¼	25¼			
Wheeling & L E	26⅝	26⅝			

PRINCIPAL EXPORTS IN SEPTEMBER.

Thursday, Oct. 13—p. m.

The report by the Bureau of Statistics of the exports in September of the principal products of this country, which included breadstuffs, cotton, mineral oils and provisions, with live stock, completes the first quarter of the present fiscal year. The result is not highly encouraging. Compared with the previous month, or with the corresponding month last year, the September exports were disappointing. The lateness of the cotton movement was understood, but the shrinkage in business, according to the report, was general. For instance, the exports of breadstuffs last month were $17,305,085, against $19,036,710 in August, and $31,462,021 in September a year ago. The shipments of provisions were $12,473,638, against $14,985,314 in August, $15,217,511 in July, and $13,181,381 in September last year. The total values of the exports of these principal products in September was only $46,315,746, against $59,451,347 in the same month last year, and $48,170,403 in the preceding year. For the first quarter they were $117,539,285, against $146,323,648 in the same period last year, and $114,531,842 in 1890.

The following tables compare the value of these exports in September and in the three months of the fiscal year for three years:

Month of September—	1890.	1891.	1892.
Breadstuffs	$7,199,348	$31,462,021	$17,305,085
Cotton	21,094,640	10,837,354	6,943,653
Petroleum	5,370,515	3,950,591	3,793,948
Provisions, etc	14,505,960	13,181,381	12,473,638
Total exports	$48,170,403	$59,451,347	$40,315,746
July 1 to Sept 30—			
Breadstuffs	$28,654,227	$76,694,822	$50,609,195
Cotton	27,236,971	14,732,861	13,952,203
Petroleum	15,539,759	12,826,289	10,301,421
Provisions, etc	43,110,885	39,670,156	42,676,463
Total for quarter	$114,531,842	$146,323,648	$117,539,285

WHAT WAS DONE IN STOCKS.

After the holiday the market assumed an appearance of great strength and joyous courage. London was reported to be a large buyer in consequence of the higher prices for Argentine and other South American securities. It is a logical conclusion that if European investors shall be able to save something from illusory ventures, they will turn their attention to the substantial advantages offered everywhere in the United States. In the last two years it has been demonstrated clearly that this country is amply able to take care of itself. The securities which have been returned from Europe have been accepted without hesitation, and in the same spirit gold has been furnished liberally in exchange for them. The Baring failure was not caused by unprofitable investments north of the Isthmus, and although it was undoubtedly a severe hurt to England, it was not a check to the progress of the United States. It is only a question of time when European confidence in our securities will be fully restored. Then the buying will be even more persistent and energetic than