ACTIVE AND BUOYANT.

STOCKS GO UPWARD AGAIN

THE MARKET WEAK AT FIRST—A CHANGE CAME QUICKLY—MONEY ON CALL AT THREE PER CENT.

SALES AT THE STOCK EXCHANGE, SEPTEMBER 8.

SALES OF BONDS AND BANK STOCKS.

$2000	Am C Oil 8s	100	
8500	At T & S Fe 4s	75¾	
15000	do	75½	
30000	At T & S Fe 2d 2½-is Class A	42	
10000	At & P Gd 4s	59	
12000	do	59⅛	
10000	At & Pac Inc	7	
5000	Beech Creek 1st	96	
7500	B C R & N 1st	101	
500	do	101½	
10000	Cent O R or 1st	99	
2000	CNJ GM 5s c	118¾	
7000	do	108½	
1000	Cent P 6s 1895	103	
1000	Cent P 6s 1896	103¾	
2000	Cent P 6s 1898	105½	
2000	C & O Gen 4½s	71	
7000	C & O R&A Div 1st Con 4-1	77	
2000	do	77½	
10000	do	78	
2000	do	78¾	
6000	do	79	
1000	Ch & O Con 5s	109	
1000	Ch B & Qy 7s	116¾	
5000	do	117	
1000	do	116⅞	
10000	CB&Q Consol 5s	110½	
7000	C & E I Gen 5s	97	
1000	Chic & Erie 1st	92½	
10000	Ch & N P 1st	44¾	
600	do	45	
3000	do	47	
1000	do	48	
1000	CGLVC Co 1st	83	
17000	CRI&P 5s Con	93	
5000	do	93¼	
14000	do	93¾	
8000	do	93⅞	
2000	do	93⅝	
55000	do	93½	
5000	CRI&P Deb 5s	88	
4000	C St P&M 1st	120	
5000	C D & I 1st 5s	91½	
7000	C & MV 5s	75½	
500	Col Midland 1st	90	
2000	do	90	
11000	Col Midland 4s	41	
12000	do	42	
3000	do	42¼	
8000	do	42½	
3000	do	43	
2000	C H V & T 5s	84⅝	
2500	do	84½	
5000	do	84¾	
3000	do	84⅞	
5000	Con Gas Co of Chic 1st 5s	73	
2500	do	72½	
5000	do	73	
20000	Den & R G 4s	74⅝	
5000	do	74½	
6000	do	74⅝	
5000	do	74	
3000	do	74¾	
30	Del & H R 1st 9s	116	
10000	D SS & At 5s c	91½	
5000	Ed Elec Ill Co of N Y 1st 5s	102	
10000	do	102½	
3000	do	102¾	
2000	do	103	
2000	Ft W & DC 1st	79¾	
5000	do	81	
10000	do	81	
1000	do	81	
2000	G H & S An 1st	102	
10000	do	100	
5000	G Elec Deb 5s	77	
1000	Int & Gt N 1st Coupons off	107	
24000	K Pac 1st Con 6s	95	
5000	L G L C St L 1st	77¾	
2000	do	77½	
1000	do	78	
2000	L E & W 2d 5s	95	
5000	LS&MS 1st Rev	115½	
1000	L & N N&D 1st	110	
3000	L&N Col Tr 5s	95	
10000	Mex Nat 1st	70	
10000	Mich Cent 7s	118½	
3000	Mich Cent 5s 1931 Reg	108	
15000	M & N 1st	1910	
	Main Line	107	
1000	M & N 1st	1913	
	Consol	105¾	
5000	Mil & St P 1st Ch & Mo R 5s	99	
5000	M & St P 1st 5s	104	
10000	M & St P 8s	118¾	
1000	Mil & St P 1st Ch & P W 5s	108½	
6000	M K & T 1st 4s	77	
18000	Mo K & T 2d 3s	50	
1000	N Y Cent 1st Con 8208	122	
35000	N Y C 1st Reg	120	
1000	N Y R R 1st	105	
10000	N Y & N 1st 5s	101	
10000	N Y C & L 4s 820F	91	
1000	NYO&W Co 5s	104	
5000	NYO&W Ref 4s	79⅝	
5000	N Y S & W 1st Refund 5s	103	
2000	do	103¾	
5000	N Pac 1st Rec	105	
4000	N Pac 1st Con	106⅝	
5000	N Pac Con 5s	25¾	
2000	do	26	
2000	do	27¼	
1000	do	28	
3000	Peo & East Inc	15	
1000	Peo & P U 2d	60	
5000	P & R 1st pf inc	32¾	
2000	do	32½	
5000	P & R 2d pf inc	21½	
5000	do	21¼	
2000	do	21¾	
1000	P & R 3d pf inc	17½	
10000	PCC & St L 4½s Series A	100½	
5000	Pitts & Wa 1st	78½	
9000	R & G D 5s Reis	67	
4000	do	68	
1000	Rich & D Deb	81	
4000	do	80	
4000	Rich & D 6s	105	
2000	St L & I Mt 5s	72	
7000	do	73	
10000	St Jo & G I 1st	75	
5000	do	76½	
2000	do	75	
2000	St L J & C 1st	103	
5000	St L SW 1st	58½	
5000	do	59	
2000	do	59¼	
5000	do	59¾	
5000	do	60	
20000	St L SW 2d Inc	18	
2000	St L Kan N R E & R 7s	100½	
5000	do	100¾	
5000	do	100½	
10000	S An & A P 4s	54	
6000	Sav & Wa 1st	38	
1000	St P & N P 6s	123	
1000	S L S & E 1st	57	
7000	T & N O Con 5s	91	
9000	Tex & P 1st 5s	68	
1600	do	69	
15000	Tex & P 2d Inc	18	
4000	Third Av 1st 5s	110	
2000	T St L & Kan City 1st	83	
5000	Union El 1st	104½	
8000	do	105	
2000	do	104¾	
5000	do	105½	
11000	U P D & G 1st	47½	
10000	do	47	
5000	Us Leath Co 6s	103	
2000	do	104	
2000	Wab RR 1st 5s	100¼	
8000	do	100½	
2000	do	100¾	
9000	Wab R R 2d	70	
1000	do	70½	
4000	do	71	
500	do Regis	73	97½
6000	W V Co Tr 5s	100	
1000	West Sh Gtd 4s	98½	

THE GENERAL LIST.

RAILWAY STOCKS.

	Actual sales Open.	High.	Low.	Final.	Closing Bid.	Ask.	Shares sold.
At T & S F	19¾	21¼	19¾	21¼	21¼	21¾	8,910
At & Pac	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾	2½	2¾	5,0
Balt & Ohio	68	69	68	69	68¾	69	275
But R & P	24¾	22	24¾	23	25	30	3,0
do pref					24		
Can South	46¾	47⅞	46¾	47¾	47½	47¾	1,520
Can Pac					74	76	
Cent of N J	104	105	104	105	105	106	813
Cent Pac	21	21	21	21	21½	22	150
Ches & Ohio	17	17½	17	17½	17¾	17¾	610
Chic & Alt					130	138	
Chic B & Q	83½	85⅞	83¾	85½	85¼	85½	9,410
Chic & E Ill	55¼	55½	55¼	55½	56½	56½	300
do pref	91	91	91	91½	93	93	20
Ch M & St P	58⅝	61⅞	58⅝	61⅞	61¾	61¾	38,800
do pref	114	115	114	115	114½	116	400
Chic & N W	98¾	100	98⅝	100	99¾	100	1,170
do pref	134	134	134	134	133	136	100
Cin R I & Pac	64	65¾	63	65¾	65⅝	65⅞	14,170
C St P M&O	34	35½	33⅞	35½	33¾	36½	2,270
do pref					101	105	
C C C&St L	36½	37½	36½	37½	37	38	465
C H V & T	18¾	19¾	18⅝	19¾	19⅛	20	300
do pref					61		
Del & H C	118	118⅞	117½	118¾	118⅝	119	940
Del L & W	138½	139¾	138½	139¾	139¾	140	400
Den & R G					10½	11	
do pref	29⅞	30	29⅝	30	30	31	800
E T V & G	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	¼	¾	200
do 1st pref					5	15	
do 2d pref					½	3	
Ev & T H	80	80	80	80	76	84	300
Flint & P M					14½	15	
Gt North pf	109	110	109	110	110	114	300
G B W&St P					7	8	
Ill Cent	94½	94½	94½	94½	92	95	20
Ill C L					83		
Iowa Cent					7½	7⅞	
do pref	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾	22¼	22	25
Lake E & W					17	17¼	
do pref					67½	74	
L S & M S	122	123¼	122	123¼	123	123½	1,470
Long Island	95	95	95	95	93½	96½	100
L E & St L					5	16	
Lou & Nash	55	57¼	55	56⅞	56⅞	57	4,100
L N A & C					15	15½	
do rcts	15⅝	15⅞	14¾	15	15	15½	900
Man Elev	120¾	125	120¾	125	124⅞	125¼	2,247
Mich Cent	89¾	89¾	89¾	89¾	90	91	100
M&S L rcts	11½	11½	11½	11½	11½	12½	300
do pref rcts	30	30	30	30	30	30½	100
Mo K & T	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞	11¾	12¼	10
do pref	19¾	20¾	19¾	20¾	21	23	725
Mo Pac	25⅞	26⅝	25⅞	26½	26⅝	26⅞	2,760
Mob & Ohio	13¾	14	13¾	14	13½	14	200
N C & St L					60	70	
NY C & HR	101½	102½	101½	102½	101¾	102½	302
NY C & StL	13½	13½	13½	13½	14¼	15	100
do 1st pref	57	57	57	57	56	59½	110
do 2d pref	25	25	25	25	24¾	25½	100
NY L E & W	14½	15¾	14½	15¾	15½	15⅞	2,250
do pref	30½	30½	30½	30½	30¼	31½	110
N Y & N E	23⅝	25¼	23⅝	25¼	24⅞	25	9,251
NY N H&H	195	195	195	195	195	200	150
NY & N pf					7	9	
N Y O & W	14⅞	15	14⅞	15	14⅞	15	200
N Y S & W	14	14	14	14	14⅝	14¾	234
do pref new	45	45	45	45	45	45⅝	245
Norf & West					7	8	
do pref					23⅞	24½	
North Pac	7½	8¼	7½	8	8	8¼	6,518
do pref	23½	24¼	23½	24¼	24½	25	375
Ohio & Miss					14	18	
Ohio South					27	41	
Ore R & N					40	42	
O S L&U N					9½	11	
Peo & East	5	5	5	5	4½	8	100
Peo D & Evn	8½	8½	8½	8½	8¾	8¾	350
Pull & Read	18¾	19⅞	18¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	2,950
P C C&St L					15	16½	
do pref	51	51	51	51	50	53	110
R&WP 1st pf	¾	¾	¾	¾	¾	1	200
do 2d pref	2¼	2¾	2¼	2½	2½	2¾	500
do pref rcts					13	14	
St L S W					5	6	
do pref	9¼	9¼	9¼	9¼	8¾	14½	10
St P & Dul	27	27	27	27	24½	27	200
do pref					95	100	
St P M & M	104	104	104	104	105	110	145
South Pac	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾	20½	21½	500
Tex & Pac	7	7	7	7	6⅞	7½	120
T A & N M	8	8	8	8	7¾	8¾	400
Tol & O C					27	32	
do pref					67	75	
Union Pac	22⅞	23¾	22¾	23¾	23⅝	23¾	3,755
U P D & G	8½	8½	8½	8½	8¾	8½	150
Wabash	8	8	8	8	7½	8	25
do pref	16⅝	16⅞	16¾	16⅞	16⅞	17	1,800
Wh & L E	12⅝	13¾	12⅝	13¾	12½	13½	90
do pref					42	44	

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

Adams Exp	140	140	140	140	138	145	95
Alt & Sus					150		
Am Cot Oil	32¾	35	32¾	34½	33¾	35	825
do pref	67	69	67	69	68	70	435
Am Dist Tel					40		
Amer Exp	107	107	107	107	106	110	92
Am Tob pf	94½	94½	94½	94½	92	95	20
Am U Gas					7½	7⅞	
do pref	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾	22¼	22	25
Am Wat Wks					17	17¼	
do pref					67½	74	
Cent Pacific	25	25	25	25	16	17	
Chic Gas Trust	59	63	56½	62¾	62⅝	62¾	57,710
Clev & Pitts					140	150	
Col Coal Dev					9	10	
Col F & I	24½	26	24¼	25¾	25⅞	26¾	1,140
do pref					90		
Col & H C	9	9	9	9	9¼	9¾	100
Con G (Md)					23	30	
Consol Gas	127	128	127	128	126½	128	325
D M & R D					5	7	
do pref					15		
Dis & C Fed	20¾	22	20¾	21⅞	21½	21⅞	5,885
Ed E I (NY)	95½	95½	95½	95½	94	98	115
Gen Elec	44	47¾	43	46¾	46½	48¾	14,800
Home Mtge					10½	15	
Hous & Tex C					2	5	
Ken & Mich					10	12	
Lac G (Stl)	14½	15	14½	15	14¾	15½	200
do pfd					55	60	
Man Beach	4	4	4	4	3½	6	100
Md Coal pf					50	60	
N Am Trus						60	
Nat Starch	14¼	14¼	14¼	14¼			265
Nat C 2d pd	23½	26½	23½	26	25¾	26	2,575
do pref	61	64	61	64	61	64	100
Nat Lin Oil	18	18	18	18	18	20	100
N Cent Coal					7	10	
Norf South					47		
North Amer	5½	5½	5½	5½	5⅝	5¾	730
Nat Starch					10	12	
do 2d pref					30		
Oil C Min	9	9	9	9	7½	9	25
Ore Imp	10¾	12½	10¾	12½	12	15	300
Pac Mail	14	14	14	14	14	14¼	340
Penn Coal					225	235	
Pitts & W pf					28	30	
P Pt W C					130		
Pull Pal Car	167½	167½	167½	167½	166	168	8
Quick Mtn					1½	2½	
Rens & Sar					155		
R Wat & O					104	105	
St L A&T H					18	30	
Tenn C & I	14¾	15½	13¾	15½	15⅝	15¾	1,000
Tex P Land					5	8	
U S Exp	50	50	50	50	50	55	120
U S Rubber	30¼	30¼	30¼	30¼	30	31	160
do pref					76	78	
Wells-Fg Ex	130	130	130	130	130	140	35
West U Tel	81¼	82½	81¼	82½	83¼	83½	11,871

UNLISTED STOCKS.

Am Sug Ref	87½	91	87½	91	91	91¼	35,027
do pref	86⅞	87½	83⅞	87½	88	89	471
do con	71	76	74	76	76½	77	1,610
D S S & At	7¼	7¼	7¼	7¼	6½	7½	100
do pref					18		

Nat Lead	29¼	30¾	29¼	30⅝	30⅝	30¾	2,080
do pref	70	71	70	71	70½	72½	284
Phoenix rcts	50	54	50	54	48	52	800
Total shares for the day							267,928

SALES AT THE CONSOLIDATED STOCK AND PETROLEUM EXCHANGE.

STOCKS.

Names.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.	Shares sold.
Amer Sugar Ref	87¾	91¼	87½	91	14,190
Atch Top & S F	19¾	21⅝	19¾	21⅝	4,600
Col H V & Tol	18¾	19¼	18¾	18¾	100
Canada Southern	47½	47½	47½	47½	110
Chicago Gas	58¾	63	62½	62½	14,930
Chic Burl & Qy	83⅝	85¾	83¾	85½	11,140
Chic R I & Pac	64¾	65⅝	63¾	65⅝	14,820
Chic Mil & St P	60	61⅝	58¾	61⅝	29,010
C St P M & O	34	35	34	35	450
Cble & Northw	98⅝	99¼	98⅝	99¼	500
Den & R G pfd	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾	300
Dist & G F	22¾	22½	20	21½	2,937
General Electric	43¾	46¾	43¾	46¾	4,293
Ill Central	91½	91⅝	91¼	91⅝	100
Lake Shore	122½	123¼	122½	123¼	2,0
L N A & C rcts	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾	100
Louis & Nash	54	55¾	54	54¾	140
Manhattan	123	124¼	123	124½	500
Mo Pacific	25⅝	26½	25⅝	26⅝	3,0
Nat Cord 2d pfd	24	26¾	23¾	25½	500
N Y & N E	24¾	26¾	24¾	25¾	20
N Y C & H R	101¾	102½	101¾	102½	4,480
N Y L E & W	15½	15¾	15½	15½	10
Nor Pacific	7¾	8⅛	7¾	7¾	5,0
Nor Pacific pfd	23¾	23¾	23½	23½	20
Phil & Rdg	19¾	19⅝	18¾	19⅝	1,540
Pacific Mail	14	14	14	14	20
Union Pacific	22¾	22½	22¾	22¾	215
Western Union	81¾	83¾	81	83¾	2,500
Wabash pfd	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾	300
Total shares sold					110,010

BONDS.

At T & S F 4s	75¾	75¾	75¾	75¾	5,000
At T & S F 2d A	41	42¾	41	42¾	12,000
Col Mid 4s	41	41	41	41	5,000
Chi & Nor Pac 5s	44¾	44¾	44¾	44¾	5,000
Chi & Erie 1st	92¾	92¾	92¾	92¾	4,000
Ft W & D C 1st	83¾	83¾	83¾	83¾	3,000
Int & G N 5s	72	72	72	72	3,000
Kan City 1st	55¾	55¾	55¾	55¾	3,000
Kansas Pac con	95⅝	95⅝	95⅝	95⅝	2,000
Mo K & T 4s	77	77	77	77	3,000
Nor Pac 5s	35⅞	35⅞	35⅞	35⅞	10,000
Ohio South 4s	45½	45½	45½	45½	5,000
Pitts & West 1st	78½	78½	78½	78½	2,000
P & Rdg 2d pf inc	21½	21½	21	21½	16,000
P & Rdg 1st pf inc	32⅝	32⅝	32⅝	32⅝	10,000
Rock Island 5s	93⅝	93⅝	93⅝	93⅝	8,000
St L Southern 1st	59⅝	59⅝	59⅝	59⅝	5,000
Wabash 1st	100¼	100¼	100¼	100¼	3,000
Wabash 2d	71	71	71	71	4,000
Total amount					$108,000

CLOSING PRICES OF BOSTON STOCKS.

Boston, September 8, 1893.

	Yesterday.	To-day.		Yesterday.	To-day.
Atch & Top	19⅞	21¼	Bost & Mont	20	20¼
Post & Albany	200	200	Cal & Hecla	258	260
Post & N Y Inc	158	170	Franklin	9½	9¾
Chic B & Qy	83⅞	85½	Kearsarge	5½	6
Eastern R R 6s	118½	118	Osceola	27½	27
Fitchburg R R pf	83	82	Quincy	100	100¼
Flint & P M	14	14	Tamarack	195	195
Flint & P M pf	43	45	Anniston L Co	15	15
K C StJ&C B	114	114	Boston L Co	3⅝	3⅝
Lit R & Ft S	78	85	San Diego L Co	10	10
Mass Cent	14	15	West End L Co	13½	13¾
Mex Cent com	8⅛	8	Bell Telephone	189	189½
N Y & N E	23⅞	25½	Lamson St Ser		1½
N Y & N E 7s	112	111	Water Power	1¼	1¼
Old Colony	178	178	Centennial Min	2¼	2½
Rutland com	9	9	N E Telephone	51	51
Wis Cent com	7¾	7¾	Butte & Bost	6¾	6½
Atlantic Mine (new)	40	40	General Electric	41½	47
Atlantic	7¾	8			

CLOSING PRICES OF PHILADELPHIA STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Lehigh Valley	32¾	32½	Penn R R	50⅞	51
Lehigh C & N Co	49½	51	P & R 2d pf 5s	21	21½
Northern Pac Co	8¼	8¾	P & R 3d pf 5s	17	17½
Nor Pac pref	24½	25	Met Traction	93	96½

WHAT WAS DONE IN STOCKS.

Friday, September 8—p. m.

The stock market was dull and weak in the early dealings, and active and strong at the close. The most active stocks—Chicago Gas, Sugar Refining, and stocks of that kind. Rallies of 3¾ per cent to offset similar declines of yesterday were somewhat unnatural. There must certainly be eager buyers of Chicago Gas at 56 1-2 when inside interests are inclined to cover outstanding contracts. Was the decline yesterday on the issue of bonds and the advance to-day anything more than sheer manipulation? To have caught the extreme fluctuations in this stock alone was to provide yachts and other conveniences for a long time. It remains to be seen whether a stock like Chicago Gas can dominate the course of prices. There may be conditions that have greater importance, but evidently in the view of professional speculators they count for very little. A manipulation of the industrial stocks may result in a sure profit; a manipulation in stocks which have a wide market might be dangerous, because other holders might offer substantial objections. In other words, successful manipulation can be accomplished only in special stocks, and in them only when inside interests can fully dictate the policy of the company. The declaration of interest on the Reading income bonds was followed within three weeks by a receivership. An issue of bonds by one of its constituent companies caused a decline in Chicago Gas yesterday, but there was a full recovery in it to-day. Sugar Refining closed 1 per cent lower yesterday and 3 1-2 per cent higher to-day. There is no need to multiply examples. The declines and the advances may both have been reasonable.

The delay in the Senate in ratifying the repeal of the present silver law may be an advantage, because it compels a "deliberative" judgment, but suggestions of compromise are not satisfactory, and may be succeeded by another hoarding of money. The upward movement in stocks was not confined to the industrial shares, but was nearly universal, and the last prices throughout the market were practically the highest.

THE DAY IN THE BOND MARKET.

Government bonds remained neglected at the Stock Exchange. Bids for extended 4 1-2s were raised 1 1-2 per cent. Closing quotations were as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
U. S. 4½s, 1891, continued at 2 per cent reg	99½		U.S.cur.6s, 1895	102	....
U.S.4s.1907 reg	113½	111½	U.S.cur.6s, 1896	101	....
U.S.4s.1907 coup	111½	112½	U.S.cur.6s, 1897	106	....
Dis.Col.3-65,1894	111½	112	U.S.cur.6s, 1898	109	....
			U.S.cur.6s, 1899	111	....

There were no transactions in State issues, and no sales of city bank stocks.

The general bond market was dull, without other feature. Reported transactions amounted to something over $1,000,000 at face value. Chicago and Northern Pacific firsts rose 3 per cent to 48, and Northern Pacific consol 5s gained 2 1-4 per cent at 38. There was apparently a good demand for bonds of a high class. For speculative issues there was the usual speculative inquiry. Bonds were for sale, but sales were not easily made. It is possible that last prices were in accordance with the speculation in stocks. The inaction of Congress is a factor in favor of lower prices. Reference is made to our full report of bond sales.

Money on call was extremely easy at about 3 per cent. The highest rate was 3 1-2 per cent, but the great bulk of the business was done at the lower figure.

The Clearing House statement was as follows: Exchanges, $79,220,542; balances, $4,210,107. The Sub-Treasury was debtor to the Clearing House $544,452. The business of the Sub-Treasury for the week ended to-night includes receipts of $12,764,799, and payments of $11,441,222, leaving the general balance $59,462,607, against $58,139,030 on September 1, an apparent gain of $1,323,577. But deducting from the payments $1,180,545 and from the receipts the payments for items which affect only its accounts with the general Treasury, its loss as affecting the banks is $1,687,037, and this result includes receipts of $78,210 for payment at other points.

To-day's operations included: Receipts, $3,734,086; payments, $2,067,926, with balances of $50,071,478 coin and $7,391,129 currency.

The United States Treasury at Washington received to-day $108,386 National bank notes for redemption.

The customs receipts were $880,733, the internal revenue receipts $833,165, and the miscellaneous receipts $84,905.

To-day's Washington Treasury statement of cash on hand and deposits in bank compares with the figures of the last previous statement as follows:

	Sept. 7.	Sept. 8.	Differences.
Net gold on hand	$97,534,770	$97,566,242	Inc. $31,473
Net legal tenders on hand	12,717,141	11,156,132	Dec. 1,561,309
Net silver on h'd	4,077,797	5,491,331	Inc. 1,413,534
Actual cash in the Treasury vaults over outstanding certificates	$114,330,017	$114,213,705	Dec. $116,312
Deposits in bank	12,397,651	12,181,241	Dec. 216,410
Net cash bal	$126,727,668	$126,394,946	Dec. $332,722

The foreign exchanges were dull and heavy. There was a fair supply of commercial bills, but they were absorbed with great promptness. Following are revised quotations for actual business: Bankers' bills, $4 82 1-2@$4 82 3-4 and $4 85 3-4@$4 86 for long and short sterling respectively; French francs, 5.21 7-8 and 5.20; reichmarks, 94 3-8 and 95 1-4.

In London British consols were slightly higher at 97 3-8 for money and 97 9-16 for the account. In the open market money was easy at 3 per cent for discounts and 2 1-2 per cent for daily balances. Bar silver advanced the fraction to 34 1-4d an ounce. American railway shares were dull and usually weak. A fractional rally occurred in the final dealings. At Paris French 3 per cents sold at 99.55@99.50, sight exchange on London being a trifle weaker at 25.29 1-2.

RAILROAD EARNINGS.

CLEVELAND, CINCINNATI, CHICAGO AND ST. LOUIS.

	1891.	1892.	1893.
Number of miles	1,441	1,839	1,839
Fourth week in Aug	$460,811	$515,584	$408,788
Jan. 1 to Aug. 31	8,829,246	9,009,013	9,003,374

CHICAGO AND WESTERN MICHIGAN.

Number of miles	404	489	489
Fourth week in Aug	$51,583	$56,777	$42,265
Jan. 1 to Aug. 31	1,130,943	1,245,840	1,210,545

CURRENT RIVER.

Number of miles	82	82	82
Fourth week in Aug	$3,888	$4,505	$2,408
Jan. 1 to Aug. 31	100,471	85,804	81,812

DETROIT, LANSING AND NORTHERN.

Number of miles	322	322	322
Fourth week in Aug	$37,206	$42,538	$33,881
Jan. 1 to Aug. 31	802,533	770,381	771,962

FLINT AND PERE MARQUETTE.

Number of miles	627	630	630
Fourth week in Aug	$72,864	$79,340	$65,102
Jan. 1 to Aug. 31	1,925,757	1,907,185	1,912,051

KANSAS CITY, CLINTON AND SPRINGFIELD.

Number of miles	163	163	163
Fourth week in Aug	$8,510	$8,940	$6,630
Jan. 1 to Aug. 31	130,280	175,428	170,218

KANSAS CITY, FORT SCOTT AND MEMPHIS.

Number of miles	671	671	671
Fourth week in Aug	$115,075	$143,049	$97,708
Jan. 1 to Aug. 31