DECLINES WERE GENERAL.

THE CLOSING WAS NOT STRONG.

LITTLE INFLUENCE EXERTED BY THE FAVORABLE BANK STATEMENT—FOREIGN EXCHANGE—MONEY ON CALL.

SALES AT THE STOCK EXCHANGE SEPTEMBER 23.

SALES OF BONDS AND BANK STOCKS.

$2000 La Cos'n N 5s	92	$4000 N C & St L 1st	102
2000 Ala & S C Cons 7s	105	20 N Y Elev 1st	110
2000 A & P Gd 4s	91	10000 N Y L E & W	
6000 do	90	Nat 24 Con	70
Bro L E 7s	110½	100 do	69½
2000 Can South 2d	98	5000 do	69½
1000 C Fla & Iron	100	10000 do	69
1000 C & O R&A Div 1st con 4s	79	10000 do	68½
		20000 do	68½
2000 C B & Q 7s	117½	5000 do	68½
2000 C & E I Gen 5s	92	2000 N Y D W Ref 4s	87½
1000 do	89½	1000 do	87½
2 C & I C Con 1st 6s	85	5000 N Pac Con 5s	45½
12000 C & N Pac 1st	44	5000 do	45½
10000 do	43½	7000 do	45½
24000 C H & P 7s Con	94	11000 do	45½
1000 do	93½	5000 do 3d Con	72
2000 do 6s Con	103	1000 O e Imp Ctf 5s	45
4000 do 5s	90	10000 P & R 1st p fac	39½
30 C St L & P 1st	107	10000 do 2d p fac	23
500 C St P M & O Con	117½	10000 do	22½
2000 C C C & St L Gen 4s	93	4000 do G M 4s	18½
St L Div 4s	88½	8000 do	67½
2000 Jeff & Rip G 4s	74	5000 R & D 5s Rec	73
2000 Eliz L & P S 5s	92½	5000 Rich & W P Ter Col Tr 5s Rec	23½
1000 Ill Cent L N O & T G 4s	87	2000 do	23½
Con 1st 5s	98	5000 St L K & N R Ex & R 7s	101
2000 L N & C Con 6s	93½	5000 St L Sou bw 1st	53
1000 Man Con 4s	93	1000 do	53
1000 Mich C Con 7s	120½	8000 do	53
4000 M & St P 1st H & D Div 5s	109	5000 S L S & E 1st	70½
5000 M K & T 1st 4s	73½	1000 T & N O Con 5s	100½
9000 M K & T 2d	38½	5000 W S S G d 5s	95½
9 00 do	38½		

THE GENERAL LIST.

RAILWAY STOCKS.

	Actual sales Open.	High.	Low.	Final.	Closing Bid.	Ask.	Shares sold.
At T & S F	20½	20	20	20	17½	20	3,325
At & Pac	2½	2½	2½	2½	2½	4½	100
Balt & Ohio					68½	70½	
Bell R & P					25½		
do pf						70	
Can South	47½	47½	47½	47½	47½	48	193
Can Pac					75	79	
Cent of N J	107½	107½	107½	107½	107	108½	15
Cent Pac					29		
Ches & Ohio					16¾	17	
Chic & Alt					134	137	
Chic B & Q	84½	84½	83½	83	82	83½	8,018
Chic & E Ill	55½	55½	55½	55½	55½	56½	100
do pref					91½	93½	
Ch M & St P	61½	63½	60½	62½	62	64	9,810
do pref	116	116½	116	116½	116	118½	20
Chic & N W	99½	99½	99½	99½	99½	99½	1,401
Ch R I & P	65½	65½	64½	64½	64½	65	5,580
C C C & I	35	35	35	35	33½	34½	50
do pref					105½	107	
C Cin Chi & St L	34	34	33½	33½	33½	35½	1,275
C H V & T	19	19	18½	18½	18½	18½	400
do pref						69	
Del & H C	120½	120½	119½	119½	119	120	300
Del L & W	142½	143	142½	143	142½	143½	209
Den & R G	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	100
do pref	29½	29½	28½	28½	28½	29	600
E T V & G					¾	¾	
do 1st pref					6	15	
do 2d pref					2	5	
Ev & T H					33½	36½	
Gt North pf					110	115	
G R W & S P					6½	7½	
do pref					14	15	
Ill Cent	93½	93½	92½	92½	91	91	200
Iowa Cent	8½	8½	8½	8½	7½	8	10
do pref					20	22	
Lake E & W					13½	14	
do pref					68½	70	
L S & M S	120	120	120	120	120½	121½	10
Long Island	94	94	94	94	93	98	1,0
Lou & Nash	54½	54½	54½	54	54	55½	425
L N A & C	14½	14½	14½	14½	14	14	110
do rcts	15	15	15	15	15	16	100
L S I L & T						6	
Man Elev	128½	128½	128½	128½	128	129½	110
Mich Cent	91½	91½	91½	91½	90½	92	50
Minn & St L rcts	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	11½	100
do pref rcts					28½	32	
Mo K & T					11½	12	
do pref					18	18½	
Mo Pac	26	26	26	25	25½	26	500
Mob & Ohio					13	14	
N C & St L					60	65	
N Y C & H R					102	103½	
N Y & New					12½	12¾	
do 1st pref					51	59	
do 2d pref					24½	28½	
N Y L E & W	14½	14½	13	13½	13½	13¾	5,574
do pref	30	30	29½	29½	27	29	400
N Y & N E	29½	29½	29½	29½	29½	30½	1,754
N Y N H & H					190	195	
N Y & N pf	11	11	10½	10½	9½	11	85
N Y O & W	14½	14½	14½	14½	14½	14½	500
NYS&W new	13½	13½	13½	13½	13½	14	200
do pref new					44	44	
North Pac	7½	7½	7½	7½	7½	7½	110
do pref	23½	23½	23½	23½	23½	23½	857
Ohio & Miss					14		
do pref					55	50	
Ore R & N					42	48	
do pref					8½	15½	
Ind B & W					8	9	
Leb D & Eve					16½	18½	2,055
Phil & Read	19½	19½	18½	18½	18½	19	
P C C & St L					145	155	
do pref					48½	51	
Rich & W P T	1½	1½	1½	1½	1½	2	100
do 2d pref	3½	3½	2½	3½	2½	3½	100
Rome W & O					17	19	
St L & S F					4	5	
do pref					8½	9½	
St L S W					25	27	
do pref					95	100	
St P & Dul					101	107	
do pref					170	180	200
St P M & M					17½	18½	
South Pac	18	18	18	18	6½	7½	100
Tex & Pac	6½	6½	6½	6½	6½	7½	100
T A A N M	9½	9½	9½	9½	9	9½	100
Tol & O C					25	30	
do pref					65	75	
Union Pac	22	22	21½	21½	21½	22	400
U P D & G					6	7	
Wabash	7½	7½	7½	7½	7	8	3
do pref	15	15½	15	15	14½	15	700
Wh & L E	13½	13½	13½	13½	13	13½	100
do pref					48½	45½	
Wis Cent					6	7	

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

Adams Exp	138	138	138	138	135	142	100
Alb & Sus					155		
Am Cot Oil	33½	33½	33½	33½	33½	73½	300
do pref	67½	67½	67	67	66	67	485
Am Dist Tel						45	
Amer Exp					107	112	
Am T & Cab	82	82	82	82	79	82	5
H & S III pf					110	120	
Brunswick					4½	7	
B C R & N					40		
Chic Gas	58½	58½	56½	57	56	57	6,855
Clev & Pitts					140	150	
Col Coal Dev					9	10	
Col F & I	25	25	25	25	24½	25	100
do pref					85		
Col & H C & I					8½	9½	
Com Cable					120	150	
Con C (Md)					24	30	
Consol Gas	127½	127½	127½	127½	127½	129	100
D M & Ft D					6½	8	
do pref					22	40	
Ds & C Fdz	23½	23½	22½	22½	22½	22½	4,023
Ed E L (NY)					90	94	
Gen Elec	46	46½	45½	45½	45½	45½	2,470
Home Min					10½	14	
Hous & T C					2	3	
Kan & Mich					9	11½	
Keo & D M						5½	
Lac G (Stl.)					14	15	
do pref					58	62	
Man Beach					4	4½	
Md Coal pf					50	60	
Minn Iron					60	60	
Nat C 2d pd	23½	23½	23½	23½	23	25	185
do pref	56	56	56	56	50	60	100
Nat Lin Oil					18	20	
N Cent Coal					8	10	
Norf South					47		
North Amer	5½	5½	5½	5½	5½	5½	200
Nat Starch					8	10	
do 2d pref					30		
Ont Sil Min					7½	8½	
Ore Imp					9	12	
Pac Mail					14½	15	
Penn Coal					250		
Pitt & W pf					28	30	
P N W & C					146		
Pull Pal Car	171	171	171	171	171	172	210
Quick Min					1½	2½	
Rens & Sar					158	163	
R Wat & Gl					106½	108	
S P N W & C					18	20	
St L A & T H					110		
do pref					25	27	200
Tenn C & I	15	15½	15	15½	15½	16	
Tex Pac L'd					8½	10	
U S Exp					50	60	
U S Rubber					20	25	
do pref					70	80	
Wells, Fargo					130	140	
West U Tel	82	82	81½	81½	81½	81½	1,092

UNLISTED STOCKS.

Am Sug Ref	86½	87½	86½	86½	86½	86½	12,500
do pref	86	86	86	86	85½	87	212
Am Tob com	77	77	77	77	77	77½	200
D S S & At	8	8	8	8	7½	8	100
do pref					17	20	
Lead	25½	26½	25½	26½	26	26½	3,125
Nat Lead	68	70	68	70	64½	70½	228
do pref							81,485

Total shares for the day

SILVER.

$3 bul certfs					73½	75	

SALES AT THE CONSOLIDATED STOCK AND PETROLEUM EXCHANGE.

STOCKS.

Names.	Open-ing.	High-est.	Low-est.	Clos-ing.	Shares sold.
Amer Sugar Ref	86½	87½	86½	86½	5,520
Atch Top & S F	20	20½	20	20	1,370
Chicago Gas	58½	58½	56½	56½	1,470
Con Southern	48½	48½	48½	48½	10
C C C & St L	33½	34	33½	34	200
Col H V & Tol	18½	18½	18½	18½	300
Cole R I & Pac	65½	65½	64½	64½	3,540
Chic Gas & Oil	83½	84½	83½	83½	8,230
Chic Mil & St P	81	81½	80½	80½	9,660
Chic & Northw	99½	99½	99½	99½	270
Del & Hudson	120½	120½	120½	120½	100
Del Lack & W	142½	142½	142½	142½	300
Den & Rio G pref	29½	29½	29½	29½	100
Dist & Cattle Feed	8	8	8	8	1,010
General Electric	46½	46½	45½	45½	670
Ill Central	92½	92½	92½	92½	200
L N A & C T R	15	15	15	15	50
Nat Cordage	24	24	23	23	650
Nat Lead	25½	26½	25½	26½	100
Nat Lead pref	69½	69½	69½	69½	2,305
N Y L E & W	13	13	13	13½	100
N Y L E & W pref	28½	28½	28½	28½	100
N Y & N E	29½	29½	29½	29½	80
Nor Pacific	8	8	8	8	500
Pull & Read	19½	19½	18½	18½	50
Union Pacific	22	22	22	22	810
Wabash pref	15	15	15	15	380
West Union	81½	81½	81½	81½	33,300
Total shares sold					

BONDS.

Al & Pac 4s	52	58	58	53	82,000
Chic & E Ill 5s	95½	95½	95½	95½	3,000
Chic & Nor Pac 1st	44	44	43½	43½	17,000
Canada Southern 2d	98	98	98	98	2,000
Erie 2d	69½	69½	69½	69½	26,000
L N A & C cu	94½	94½	94½	94½	2,000
Nor Pac cu	35½	35½	35½	35½	7,000
Oat & West 4s	81	81	81	81	5,000
P & R 1st pf inc	33½	33½	33½	33½	10,000
Rock Island 5s c	94	94	93½	93½	15,000
Rock Island deb 5s	90	90	90	90	5,000
Eliz & W P 5s	23½	23½	23½	23½	1,000
St L Sout'w 1st	53	53	53	53	3,000
Total					$127,000

MINING STOCKS.

Best & Belcher	23	30	20	20	20	30	100
Phoenix of Ari	50	50	50	50	50	50	500
Total sales							

CLOSING PRICES OF BOSTON STOCKS.

Boston, September 23, 1893.

	Yesterday.	To-day.		Yesterday.	To-day.
Atch & Top	20½	20	Atlantic	22½	22½
Bost & Albany	232½	232	Bost & Maine	223½	222½
Bost & Maine	154	150	Cal & Hecla	250	250
Chic B & Qy	84	83½	Franklin	11	11½
Eastern R R 6s	114	114	Kearsarge	6	6½
Fitchburg R R	79		Osceola	27½	27½
Fitchburg RR pf	80		Quincy	110	110
Flint & P M	13	13	Tamarack	140	140
Flint & P M pf	45	45	Anaconda L Co	15	15
K C S & C B 7s	114	114	Boston L Co	3½	3½
Lit N & M S	82	82	San Diego L Co	3	3
Mass Central	14	14½	West End L Co	43½	43½
Mex Cent com	7½	8	Bell Telephone	190	190
N Y & N E	29½	29½	Lanson St Ry	18½	18½
N Y & N E 7s	112	112	Water Power	14	14
Old Colony	174	174	Centennial Min	2½	2½
Rutland com	2	2	N E Telephone	53	53
Rutland pf	72	72	Boston & Bost	8½	8½
Wis Cent com	6½	6½	Gen Electric	46	46½
Al Mis Co (new)	37	37			

CLOSING PRICES OF PHILADELPHIA STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Lehigh Valley	33½	33	P & R stock	8½	8½
L C & N Co	50	50	P & R G M 4s	67½	68
Nor Pacific	7½	7½	P & R 1st pf 5s	33½	34
Nor Pa Hld pf	23½	23½	P & R 2d pf 5s	22½	23½
Penn R R	50½	51	P & R 3d pf 5s	17½	17½
Phil & Erie	25	27	Met Traction	91½	

George H. Ireatles & Co., No. 37 William-st., quote local securities as follows:

STREET RAILROAD STOCKS, ETC.

(New-York.)

Broadway and Seventh Avenue R. R.		180
Broadway and Seventh Avenue 1st mortgage 5s	100	
Broadway and Seventh Avenue 2d mortgage 5s	100	
Broadway surface 1st mortgage 5s	100	
Broadway surface 2d mortgage 5s	90	
Bleecker Street and Fulton Ferry		30
Bleecker Street and Fulton Ferry 1st mort. 7s		108
Central Cross Town	140	
Central Cross Town 1st mortgage	115	
Central Park, North and East River	170	
Central Park, North and East River 1st mort.	112	
Christopher and Tenth Street		135
Christopher and Tenth Street 1st 5s, 6s and 7s	105	
Dry Dock, East Broadway and Battery	125	135
Dry Dock, East Broadway and Battery 1st 5s	105	
Eighth Avenue	250	270
Eighth Avenue scrip 6s	104	
Forty-second and Grand Street Ferry	300	
Forty-second Street, Manhattanville and St. Nicholas Avenue R. R.		67
Forty-second Street, Manhattanville and St. Nicholas Avenue 1st mortgage 6s	103	
Forty-second Street, Manhattanville and St. Nicholas Avenue 2d mortgage 6s		95
Ninth Avenue		130
Houston, West Street and Pavonia Ferry	200	
Houston, West St. & Pavonia Ferry 1st mge 7s	110	
Second Avenue	105	110
Second Avenue 1st mortgage 5s		102
Second Avenue debenture 5s	98	
Third Avenue Railroad	140	145
Sixth Avenue Stock		275
Third Avenue 1st mortgage 5s	105	
Twenty-third Street	300	300
Twenty-third Street debenture 5s	100	

(Brooklyn.)

Atlantic Avenue 1st mortgage 7s	100	
Atlantic Avenue consol 5s		100
Brooklyn City Railroad	158	160
Brooklyn City 1st mortgage 5s (new)	103	
Brooklyn Traction Company	18	21
Broadway Railroad	270	
Broadway 1st mortgage 5 per cent	100	
Brooklyn City and Newtown	150	
Brooklyn City and Newtown 1st mortgage 5s		104
Coney Island and Brooklyn		180
Coney Island and Brooklyn 1st mortgage 5s		100
Coney Island and Brooklyn debenture 6s		100
Long Island Traction Co	22	22½

TRUST COMPANIES, ETC.

Atlantic Trust	240	260
Brooklyn Trust	400	475
Central Trust		1,000
Commercial Trust		151
Farmers' Loan and Trust	235	
Franklin Trust		240
Hamilton Trust		270
Holland Trust		240
Kings County	240	250
Knickerbocker		300
Long Island Loan and Trust Company		350
Metropolitan		350
Manhattan		125
Nassau		115
Mercantile	275	
N. Y. Guar. and Indemnity Trust	300	
N. Y. Life Insurance and Trust		675
N. Y. Security and Trust	215	225
People's Trust		238
Real Estate Trust	150	
State Trust		200
United States		800
Union Trust		175
Washington Trust	175	185
United States Mortgage Co	150	
Brooklyn and New-York Ferry		180
Brooklyn and New-York Ferry 1st mort. 6 p. c.	112	

GAS STOCKS, ETC.

(New-York.)

Equitable Gas	170	177
Equitable 1st mortgage 6s	102	
Equitable 1st mortgage 5s	100	
Mutual	128	138
Standard preferred	60	70
Standard common		35
Central	100	
Central scrip		100
Metropolitan bonds, 6s	105	

(Brooklyn.)

Brooklyn Gas	100	103
Williamsburg Gas	130	
Williamsburg Gas 1st mortgage 6s	100	102
Nassau	140	
Nassau debentures 5s	95	100
Fulton Municipal (new)	123	
Fulton Municipal 1st mortgage 6s	100	
People's		80
People's 1st mortgage 5s	95	100
People's 2d mortgage 6s	90	98
Metropolitan		115
Metropolitan 1st 5s		105
Union Ferry	90	95
Union Ferry 1st 5s	90	95
Standard Oil Trust (ex div)	145	147

FOREIGN COMMERCE OF NEW-YORK.

IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE AT NEW-YORK.

	1891.	1892.	1893.
Dry goods	$1,947,808	$2,540,588	$1,840,059
General merchandise	7,926,293	5,866,250	5,316,300
Total for the week	$9,567,181	$8,088,147	$7,156,419
Since January 1	382,739,095	419,028,575	381,319,839

IMPORTS OF SPECIE AT NEW-YORK.

For the week	$5,510,084	$137,009	$1,332,131
Since January 1	11,049,076	$331,195	55,681,940

EXPORTS OF SPECIE AT NEW-YORK.

For the week	$400,609	$353,710	$795,525
Since January 1	87,572,382	71,910,493	93,433,149

THE BANK STATEMENT.

Saturday, Sept. 23—p. m.

By the operations of the New-York Sub-Treasury in the week ended last night, which included payments of $17,999 for purchased bonds and deposits of $50,000 for payment at other points, the associated banks gained $2,303,170. The weekly bank statement, published to-day, showed an average gain in cash of $8,676,600. Money has been coming in from every direction, and the result was not widely different from the known movement. The money has been received not only from the country, but also from savings banks and trust companies, and from capitalists who have recently been hoarding currency as well as gold. The decrease in loans fell short of $750,000, showing that liquidation in consequence of the easier rates for money has not been forced. The increase in deposits was smaller by over $1,250,000 than the other changes demanded, and this was in addition to a discrepancy of nearly $1,000,000 in the same direction last week. The result of all the changes was a further gain of $7,008,250 in the surplus reserve, and the banks now hold in excess of legal requirements $17,609,050 against $5,051,075 in the corresponding week a year ago, and $4,608,125 at the same time in the preceding year.

The following are the comparative statements of September 16 and September 23:

	Sept. 16.	Sept. 23.	Differences.
Loans	$592,580,500	$592,115,000	Dec. $465,500
Specie	73,456,900	78,662,400	Inc. 5,205,500
Legal-tenders	31,463,200	31,631,300	Inc. 168,100
Deposits	527,572,000	529,047,000	Inc. 1,475,000
Circulation	12,726,600	13,010,400	Inc. 283,800

The following shows the relation between the total reserves and the total deposits at the respective dates:

Specie	$73,456,900	$78,662,400 Inc. $5,205,500
Legal-tenders	31,463,200	31,631,300 Inc. 168,100
Total reserve	$104,920,100	$110,293,700 Inc. $5,373,600
Reserve required against deposits	94,318,400	95,288,750 Inc. 1,638,350
Surplus	$10,601,700	$17,009,950 Inc. $6,008,250

The Clearing House statement was as follows: For to-day—Exchanges, $63,726,829; balances, $3,321,982. For last week—Exchanges, $411,866,657; balances, $25,221,320.

WHAT WAS DONE IN STOCKS.

The stock market was moderately active, and naturally the movement of prices was downward. There seemed to be a considerable outpouring of apparently long stock, but the suggestion that the orders emanated from the Consolidated Exchange must have been false, because no connection between the two boards is permitted. It must be considered impossible that members of the Stock Exchange in good standing should accept orders from persons with whom they are prohibited from holding any sort of telegraphic or telephonic communication. Whatever the source of the orders there was little doubt that the selling was not for the short account. American Sugar Refining was the most active stock, but although it was at times strong, it closed unchanged at its first and lowest point. Chicago Gas was less fortunate, and suffered a loss of over 1 1-2 per cent, while the principal Granger stocks were depressed nearly 1 per cent and, in spite of a rally, Erie closed with a loss of 1 per cent. The closing was weak, although the publication of the bank statement proved a rapid accumulation of money at this point. The statement was all that could have been expected or desired, but it was absolutely without influence on the course of prices. A further rise in the rates of foreign exchange was esteemed evidently a more important factor in speculation.

THE DAY IN THE BOND MARKET.

Government bonds remained neglected at the Stock Exchange. The market was steady at unchanged quotations as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
U. S. 4s, 1891			U.S. cur. 6s, 1895	102	
continued at 2			U.S. cur. 6s, 1896	104	
per cent reg.	98		U.S. cur. 6s, 1897	106	
U.S. 4s, 1907 reg.	110	111	U.S. cur. 6s, 1898	109	
U.S. 4s, 1907 cou.	111	112	U.S. cur. 6s, 1899	111	
Dis. Col. 3-65s, 1894	111½	112			

The business in State issues was limited to a small sale of Louisiana consol 4s, new, at 92. There were no sales of city bank stocks.

The general bond market was quiet and in the main steady, but several speculative issues were relatively active and lower. Erie second consols declined further 2 1-4 per cent, to 68 1-4, and closed at their lowest price. Chicago and Northern Pacific firsts opened higher at 44, but the next and last sale was at 43 1-8, against 43 last night, but Northern Pacific consol 5s yielded slowly and steadily 3-4 per cent to 35. Philadelphia and Reading issues were not specially active, but they suffered fractional losses. First incomes were 1-2 per cent lower at 33 1-2, and seconds 5-8 off at 22 3-8, while general mortgage 4s lost the same fraction at 67 5-8. St. Louis and Southwestern firsts fell 2 1-4 per cent to 57 1-2. Reference is made to our full report of bond sales.

Rates for money on call were nominal, as usual on Saturday, but a few small loans were made at 2 per cent.

The Sub-Treasury was debtor at the Clearing House $726,308.

THE WEEKLY TREASURY STATEMENT.

The receipts from customs reported from Washington to-day were $467,823; from internal revenue, $458,146, and from miscellaneous sources $209,754. The Treasury received $4,22,216 National bank notes for redemption, and the receipts on this account for the week ended to-day amounted to $2,119,922. To secure National bank note circulation it holds $208,644,100 in these bonds:

Currency 6s	$16,294,000
Four per cents	170,023,250
Four and a half per cents extended at 2 per cent	22,276,850

Bonds deposited for circulation during the week, $1,517,000; bonds held to secure circulation withdrawn, $290,000; National bank circulation outstanding—currency notes, $207,721,194; gold notes, $98,467; against which the Treasury holds $26,687,464 legal-tender money for the redemption of surrendered circulation.

In London British consols were unchanged at 98 1-16 mer money and 98 1-8 for the account. The Bank of England gained £186,000 bullion on balance. In the open market money was slightly easier at 1 7-8 per cent for discounts and firm at 1 1-2 per cent for bankers' balances. Bar silver was unchanged and steady at 33 7-8d an ounce. American railway shares were dull and irregular, but Erie stock and securities were weak and materially lower. The closing was generally at the bottom prices. At Paris French 3 per cents again were a few centimes lower at 99.12 1-2.

Coffin & Stanton offer to investors a selection of corporation and municipal bonds which they say will net at current prices 5 to 8 per cent.

The following table gives the current quotations of city bank stocks, together with their par value and the latest sales:

Banks.	Par.	Sales.	Bid.	Asked.
America	100	296	304	305
American Exchange	100	114	145	148
Butchers' and Drovers'	25	182	180	
Broadway	25	192	190	200
Central National	100	125	115	135
Chase National	100	225	430	
Chatham	25	400	350	
Chemical	100	4,475½	3,800	4,000
Citizens'	25	127		140
City	100	425	400	
Columbia	100	250½		
Commerce	100	180	160	178
Continental	100	130	130	140
Corn Exchange	100	256	240	280
Drovers'	100	116		
East River	25	150½	140	
Eleventh Ward	25	280		
Fifth Avenue	100	825	2,000	
First National	100	540	2,500	
First Nat. of Staten Island	100	113	112	118
Fourth Street	100	185		
Fourth National	100	181	185	200
Gallatin National	50	375	280	
Garfield National	100	400		
German-American	75	121½	115	
Germania	100	250	200	
Greenwich	25	180	150	
Hanover	100	328	300	335
Hudson River	100	150		
Importers and Traders'	100	515	510	600
Irving	50	170	170	180
Leather Manufacturers'	100	225	220	240
Liberty National	100	422		
Market and Fulton	100	295	285	310
Mechanics'	25	190	190	
Mechanics' and Traders'	25	171		
Mercantile	100	290	250	285
Merchants'	50	148½	143	152
Metropolitan	100	5	4	7
Metropolitan	100	465	420	500
Mount Morris	100	310		
Nassau	50	170	160	170
New-York	100	231	220	235
New-York County	100	665	655	
New-York Nat. Exchange	100	137	110	140
Ninth National	100	120½	110	124
Nineteenth Ward	100	145	140	
North America	75	158	155	
Oriental	25	215	200	
Pacific	50	305½		
Park	100	310	295	305
People's	25	315½		
Phenix	20	140	105	
Phenix	10	175	170	
Seventh National	100	173	160	
Second National	100	850	300	
Seventh National	100	125	115	
Shoe and Leather	100	115	100	120
Southern	100	110		160
State of New-York	100	110½	110	115
St. Nicholas	100	190		
Third	100	112		160
Tradesmen's	40	160	160	