LIGHT LOSSES IN STOCKS.

LITTLE LIFE IN TRADING.

GOLD EXPORTS AND FOREIGN SELLING—BONDS AND MONEY.

SALES AT THE STOCK EXCHANGE JANUARY 17.

DEALINGS IN BONDS AND BANK STOCKS.

10000	U S 4s Coup 1925	116½	2000	do 5s Coup	113¾	50	Irving Bank	140	20	Nassau Bank	156	8000
N Car Con 4s	102	4000	S Car 6s Non-Fund	1	1000	Va Fund Debt 2-3s of 1991	59⅞	5000	Am Cott Oil 8s	110⅛	3000	A T & S F 4s Rcts
73¼	12000	do	73	2000	do	72¾	5000	A T & S F 2d Rcts 1st Pd	22⅞	22000	do	22⅞
25000	do	22¼	5000	do	22¼	3000	P & O 5s 1885-1925	96	3000	Rway & 7th Av 1st Cons 5s	112¼	2000
Eklyn El 1st	100	2000	Balt W & W 5s	89	1000	B C R & N 1st Col Tr 5s	99	2000	C R I F & N 6s	106⅞	2000	C & O Con 5s
107¼	8000	do Gen 4½s	75	5000	C B & Q Con 7s	116	1000	Chic & E Ill 1st	108¼	20000	do	107¼
5000	do Reg	101	6000	C C C & St L St L Div 4s	92⅞	2000	C & Canton 1st	79	4000	Col & 9th Av 1st	112¼	10000
Del & Hud C	87	1000	L E & Pa G Div 5s	111¼	10000	do Rcts	65	11000	G H & S A Mex & Pac 1st 5s	92	2000	Illinois Cen West Line 1st 4s
103	2000	Ind Ill & La 4s	85	2000	Kan & Mich 4s	79	4000	K P & Den Div Asst Rcts Ex Mat Coup	97⅞	2000	do	98
2000	K Pac 1st Coup Rcts	73	1000	do 6s 1895	104	2000	L Gas L Co cf St L 1st 5s	94½	1000	L E & W 1st 5s	113	1000
do	101	10000	L V of N J 1st	102¼	8000	do	102½	2000	L & N Ave & P F 1st	111¾	1000	do
112	4000	Long I G M 4s	97	2000	L & N Unified Gold 4s	93¾	2000	do	76¼	12000	do	81¾F
76¼	10000	do	76¼	12000	do	81¾F	2000	do	76¼	1000	do	76½
2000	do N O&M 1st	118	2000	do P & At 1st	101	1000	L N A & C G M	67	2000	Manhat Con 6s	98	5000
Mich Cent Mtg 4s Reg	102	4000	M & St P G M 4s A	93¼	1000	do	93	1000	M & St P G M 4s	111	10000	M & St P G M Ia & M Div
121	4000	M & St P G M So M Div 6s	120¾	113¼								

THE GENERAL LIST.

RAILWAY STOCKS.

	Actual sales Open	High	Low.	Fin.	Closing Bid.	Ask.	Shares sold.
Atch Top & S F	14½	14½	14	14⅛	14	14¼	3,165
Atl & Pacific	—	—	—	—	⅝	1¾	—
Am Arbor	—	—	—	—	9	10½	—
do pref	24¼	24¼	24¼	24¼	24½	28	24
Balt & Ohio	41½	41½	40¾	40¾	39¾	40	500
B & O S W pfd	—	—	—	—	4	7	—
Buff R & Pitts	—	—	—	—	10	15	—
do pref	—	—	—	—	—	60	—
Can Southern	48	48¼	48	48¼	48	48½	140
Can Pacific	—	—	—	—	52½	54½	—
Cent of N J	98⅞	99½	98⅞	98⅞	98⅞	98⅞	955
Cent Pacific	—	—	—	—	14⅝	15½	—
Ches & Ohio	15⅛	15⅛	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞	1,850
Chic & Alton	—	—	—	—	153	160	—
Chic Bur & Qy	75	75	74½	74½	74½	74¾	5,250
Chic & E Ill	—	—	—	—	42¼	50	—
do pref	—	—	—	—	95	100	—
Ch Mil & St P	68⅝	68⅝	68	68	68	68⅝	11,115
do pref	125⅞	125⅞	125⅞	125⅞	125	126½	229
Chic & Northw	98¼	98⅝	98	98	97⅞	98	1,117
do pref	145	145	145	145	144½	146	100
Chic R I & Pac	66½	66½	65¼	65½	65¼	65½	4,057
Ch St P M & O	—	—	—	—	36	38¼	—
do pref	—	—	—	—	121	125	—
C C C & St L	35	35	34⅞	34⅞	34½	35	435
do pref	90	90	90	90	85	95	20
Col H V & Tol	—	—	—	—	17	17½	—
do pref	—	—	—	—	55	60	—
Cor L & Wh pf	—	—	—	—	47	55	—
Del & Hud C	125⅞	125⅞	125⅞	125⅞	125½	126	190
Del Lack & W	162½	162½	162½	162½	161½	163	200
Den & Rio G	—	—	—	—	12½	13	—
do pref	43½	43½	43½	43½	43⅜	43⅝	220
Evans & T H	—	—	—	—	25	30	—
do pref	—	—	—	—	75½	85	—
Flint & Pere M	—	—	—	—	110	116	—
do North pref	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Illinois Central	96	96	96	96	95	96	100
Iowa Central	8	8	8	8	8	8½	200
do pref	—	—	—	—	28	29	—
Jol Ill & Iowa	—	—	—	—	22	27½	—
L E & West	—	—	—	—	18½	20	—
do pref	71½	71½	71	71	70½	71½	233
L S & M S	143	143	142	142	142	143	210
Long Island	—	—	—	—	82	85	—
Louis & Nash	44½	44⅝	43⅞	43⅞	43⅞	43⅞	3,510
L N A & Chic	9¼	9½	9¼	9¼	9⅛	9¼	550
do pref	19	19	19	19	18	20	100
L St L & Texas	—	—	—	—	3	8	—
Man Elevated	100	101	99½	99½	99¼	99½	6,325
Man Central	96	96	96	96	94	96	10
Mex Nat & Tex	11	11	11	11	10⅝	11¼	100
do pref	25⅛	25⅛	24½	24½	24½	24½	400
Mo Pacific	25¼	25¼	24⅞	24⅞	24½	24¾	804
Mobile & Ohio	—	—	—	—	21	24	—
Minn & St L	—	—	—	—	18	29	—
do pref	—	—	—	—	74	77	—
do 2d pref	43	43	43	43	42	43½	280
N C & St L	—	—	—	—	65	85	—
N Y C & H R	97⅞	97⅞	97½	97½	97	97¼	1,077
N Y Ch & St L	—	—	—	—	13	14	—
do 1st pref	71⅞	71⅞	71⅞	71⅞	70	78	100
do 2d pref	26	26	26	26	24	27	200
N Y L E & W	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞	14½	14¾	1,210
New Haven	46	46	46	46	45	47	100
N Y N H & H	—	—	—	—	180	183	—
N Y Out & W	13⅝	13⅝	13½	13½	13½	13½	710
N Y Sus & W	9½	9½	9½	9½	9	9½	150
do pref	25½	25½	25	25	24½	25	500
do 2d pref	—	—	—	—	7	8	—
Norf & West	—	—	—	—	1¾	2	—
North Pacific	—	—	—	—	2	3¼	—
do pref	12¼	12¼	12¼	12¼	12	12½	104
Ohio Southern	—	—	—	—	5	15	—
Ore Ry & Nav	—	—	—	—	15	25	—
Ore S L & U N	—	—	—	—	5	8	—
Peo Dec & Evn	—	—	—	—	2½	5	—
Phil & Reading	8⅝	8½	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	2,300
P C C & St L	15	15	15	15	14	15½	100
do pref	—	—	—	—	51½	53	—
Rio G West pf	—	—	—	—	39	42½	—
St L So West	5	5	5	5	4½	5½	200
do pref	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½	11	100
St Paul & Dul	—	—	—	—	22	28	—
do pref	—	—	—	—	—	115	—
St Paul M & M	—	—	—	—	110	114	—
South Pacific	20⅞	21	20⅞	20⅞	20½	21	440
South Railway	9	9	8⅞	8⅞	8½	8⅞	1,505
do pref	27½	27½	26⅞	26⅞	26⅞	27¼	4,272
Texas & Pacific	—	—	—	—	7½	7⅞	—
Tol & Ohio Cent	—	—	—	—	30	57	—
do pref	—	—	—	—	65	71	—
Union Pacific	4⅛	4⅛	3½	3½	3½	4½	110
Un Pac D & G	—	—	—	—	3	3½	—
Wabash	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	6⅞	40
do pref	16½	16½	16½	16½	15⅞	16	687
Wheel & L E	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	4,400
do pref	37⅞	37⅞	37⅞	37⅞	36⅞	38	100

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

	Actual sales Open	High	Low.	Fin.	Closing Bid.	Ask.	Shares sold.
Adams Express	—	—	—	—	146	150	—
Albany & Sus	—	—	—	—	170	180	—
Amer Cotton Oil	—	—	—	—	16¾	17¼	—
do pref	65½	65½	65½	65½	65	65½	100
Amer Expresses	—	—	—	—	111	113	—
Am Tel & Cable	—	—	—	—	90	93½	—
Amer Tobacco	78	79⅞	78	78⅞	78⅞	78⅞	10,400
do pref	—	—	—	—	142	140	—
B & S G 1st pref	—	—	—	—	104	106	—
B & N Y A 1st	—	—	—	—	½	1	—
Brunswick Co	—	—	—	—	7	8	—
C P & Minn	66	66¼	65½	65½	65½	65⅝	3,150
Chicago Gas	—	—	—	—	58	4	—
Clev & Pitts	—	—	—	—	—	250	—
Col Coal & Iron	28	28	26½	26½	26½	27	300
Col Fuel & I	—	—	—	—	—	100	—
do pref	—	—	—	—	1	3	—
Col & H Coal	—	—	—	—	150	—	—
Con Gas	—	—	—	—	146	—	—
Con Coal (Md)	—	—	—	—	29	—	—
Consol Gas	146	146	146	146	145	146	120
Cons M & Pr D	—	—	—	—	6½	7	—
do pref	—	—	—	—	45	53	—
Dist & C Feed	16¼	16¼	16	16	15⅞	16	330
Dom Tel & T Co	—	—	—	—	60	69½	—
Ed El Ill (N Y)	—	—	—	—	90	94	—
Gen Electric	25⅞	25⅞	25⅞	25⅞	25½	25⅞	750
Home Mining	—	—	—	—	25	—	—
Hous & Tex C	—	—	—	—	1½	2½	—
Illinois Steel	—	—	—	—	—	65	—
Ind Coal & Coke	—	—	—	—	7	9	—
Ind & Tex M	—	—	—	—	2	4	—
Keok & Des M	—	—	—	—	17½	—	—
do pref	—	—	—	—	5	10	—
Kings Dem Gas	19⅞	19⅞	19	19	18½	20	282
Lac Gas Gt Lt	—	—	—	—	75	80	—
do pref	—	—	—	—	7	10	—
Man Beach Co	8	8	8	8	7	10	100
Man Beach Co pref	—	—	—	—	45	60	—
Max Central	—	—	—	—	9	11	—
Mex National	—	—	—	—	1	1½	—
Mine Iron	63	63	63	63	61	63	100
Nat Linseed Oil	18	18	18	18	18	18½	300
N Y Lack & W	110½	110½	110½	110½	—	—	100
New Orl Gas	—	—	—	—	4	7	—
N C Coal & Iron	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞	1,525
National Starch	—	—	—	—	4½	5	—
do 1st pref	—	—	—	—	40	60	—
do 2d pref	—	—	—	—	11	24	—
Our Silver Min	—	—	—	—	5	9½	—
Oregon Imp	—	—	—	—	15	17	—
Pacific Mail	26½	26½	26½	26½	26	26	765
Pullman Palace	—	—	—	—	159	—	—
Pipe Line Cert	—	—	—	—	17	18	—
P Pc W & Chic	—	—	—	—	100	—	—
Pull Palace Car	152	152	152	152	151	153	190
Quicksilver	—	—	—	—	1½	2	—

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

	Actual sales Open	High	Low.	Fin.	Closing Bid.	Ask.	Shares sold.
do pref	—	—	—	—	15½	—	—
Rens & Saratoga	—	—	—	—	178	182	—
Rome W & Og	—	—	—	—	116	118	—
St Jos & G I	—	—	—	—	¾	1½	—
St L A & T H	—	—	—	—	—	50	—
Tenn Coal & I	27	27⅞	26⅞	26⅞	26½	26⅞	2,000
U S Cordage	5¼	5¼	5¼	5¼	5¼	5½	320
do pref	10	10	10	10	9½	10½	350
do gtd	20	20	19⅞	19⅞	19⅞	20½	200
U S Express	40	40	40	40	38	42	4
U S Rubber	26½	27⅞	26½	27⅞	27	27⅞	400
do pref	87	87	87	87	85	87	115
Wells-Fargo Ex	—	—	—	—	95	100	—
West Union Tel	84¼	84¼	83⅞	83⅞	83⅞	83¾	4,366

UNLISTED STOCKS.

	Actual sales Open	High	Low.	Fin.	Closing Bid.	Ask.	Shares sold.
Amer Sugar Ref	102⅞	103	101½	101½	101½	101⅞	13,753
do pref	96⅞	96⅞	96⅞	96⅞	96	97½	320
Atch pref w i	—	—	—	—	21⅞	22	—
Bay State Gas	—	—	—	—	17	18	—
Dul So S & Atl	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞	400
do pref	—	—	—	—	10½	12	—
L I Traction	19¼	19⅞	18½	18¾	18¼	19	625
Met Traction	104	104	104	104	102½	103½	150
National Lead	25	25	25	25	24¼	25¼	5
do pref	—	—	—	—	84	87	—
U S Leather	10½	10½	10¼	10¼	9½	10¼	275
do pref	63	63¼	61¼	61½	61½	61¾	11,180
West Un Beef	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	7¼	8	100
Total shares for the day							114,018

SILVER.

	Actual sales Open	High	Low.	Fin.	Closing Bid.	Ask.	Shares sold.
Stl Bull Certfs.	—	—	—	—	67¼	67¾	—

SALES AT THE CONSOLIDATED STOCK AND PETROLEUM EXCHANGE.

STOCKS.

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.	Shares sold.
Amer Sugar Ref	102¼	103	101½	101⅝	9,020
Amer Tobacco	77⅞	79¼	77⅞	78⅞	7,980
At Top & S Fe	14⅝	14⅝	14¼	14¼	1,240
Ark City Imp	24	24	24	24	20
Chicago Gas	64	66⅝	65¼	65¼	1,400
Chic R I & Pac	66½	66½	65¼	65¼	2,650
Chic Bur & Qy	75¼	75¼	74⅞	74⅞	2,120
Chic Mil & St P	68⅝	68⅝	68	68	11,470
Dist & C Fdr	16	16¼	16	16	120
Gen Electric	25½	25½	25½	25½	60
Louis & Nash	44⅝	44⅝	43⅝	43⅝	1,720
Manhattan	100	100⅝	99⅞	99⅞	400
Mo Pacific	25	25¼	24⅝	24⅝	320
Phil & Rdg	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	190
Tenn C & I	27	27	26⅞	26⅞	60
Southern Ry	8¼	8¼	8¼	8¼	10
U S Leather pfd	62⅞	63½	61¼	61¼	3,550
Wabash pfd	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝	10
Western Union	84¼	84¼	83⅝	83⅝	1,250
Total sales					43,580

BONDS.

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.	Sales.
At T & S F 2d cfs	22⅝	22⅝	22¼	22¼	$14,000
Mo K & T 4s	84	84	84	84	4,000
P & R 1st pfd inc	27½	27½	27¼	27¼	15,000
P & R 3d pf inc	12	12	12	12	15,000
Rock Isl 5s coup	102	102	101⅝	101⅝	6,000
Rio G West 4s	75	75	74½	74½	10,000
Tex Pacific 1st	85	85	84⅝	84⅝	5,000
Total sales					$69,000

MINING STOCKS.

	Opening.	High-est.	Low-est.	Closing.	Shares sold.
Anaconda	.70	.70	.70	.70	500
Bodie	.40	.40	.40	.40	100
Barcelona	.05	.05	.05	.05	600
Brunswick	.10	.10	.10	.10	1,000
Croesus	.04	.04	.04	.04	2,500
Comstock	.07	.07	.07	.07	500
Golden Fleece	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	500
Isabella	.62	.62	.62	.62	100
Pharmacist	.20	.20	.19	.20	200
Phenix of A	.08	.09	.08	.09	1,400
Potosi	.55	.55	.55	.55	200
Standard	1.70	1.70	1.70	1.70	500
Union	.44	.44	.44	.44	500
Total sales					8,900

WHEAT.

	Opening.	High-est.	Low-est.	Closing.	Sales. Bush.
May option	59⅞	60⅛	59⅞	60⅛	503,000

CLOSING PRICES OF CHICAGO STOCKS.

	Yesterday.	To-day.		Chicago, January 17, 1896. Yesterday.	To-day.
Am Strawboard	45	44	Lake St Elev	22½	21¾
C & C C & D Co	62	61	M & C Brew Co	12⅞	12⅞
Br & Malt Co	12⅞	12½	do pref	33½	33
do pref	33¼	35	N Y Biscuit Co	72	71½
Chic City Ry	280	262½	Nor Chic St R R	—	—
Chic P & Pro Co	25½	25	rights on	.281	.280
do pref	44	44	N Chic St R R	23¾	23½
C & S S & R T Co	6¼	5⅞	St's W S C Line	13	13
Chicago Gas Co	66⅞	—	W Chic St R R	106⅞	105⅞
D Match Co., Ill	123½	123	West Stone Co	67⅞	67

CLOSING PRICES OF BOSTON STOCKS.

	Yesterday.	To-day.		Boston, January 17, 1896. Yesterday.	To-day.
Mex Cent 4s	66	67	Water Power	25	—
Atch & Top	14½	14	Lamson St Ser.	18¼	18
Bost & Albany	205	205	do Electric	25½	25
Bost & Lowell	202½	203	do pref	—	52
Bost & Maine	167	166½	U S Rubber	27¼	27
Bost & Prov	264	264	do pref	87	85
Chic Bur & Qy	75¼	74	Dominion Coal	9⅞	9½
Fitch R R pf	90	90	All M Co (new)	.30	.30
Mass Cent	13	13	Atlantic	16	—
Old Colony	177¼	177½	Bost & Mont	71½	69¾
Pullman Car	155	155	Butte & Bost	12	12
Wis Cent com	3½	—	Oil & Hecla	—	202
West End pf	89½	—	Franklin	11½	11½
do common	66½	66	Kearsarge	11	11½
Bell Telephone	197½	198	Osceola	24½	24
N E Telephone	88	87	Quincy	124	123
Erie Telephone	60	60	Tamarack	114	114½
Boston L Co	3⅝	3⅝	Tamarack, jr	14	14

CLOSING PRICES OF PHILADELPHIA STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Ask'd.
Lehigh Valley	35½	36	Union Traction 4s	67¼	67¾
L C & N Co	44½	45	Met Traction	103¼	103¾
Nor Pac com	3	4	C T of N J stk	—	25
do pref	12	12¾	do 5s	79⅞	80
Penn R R	52⅞	52½	U G Imp Co	67⅞	68
P & R stock	19-16	1⅞	Wels G L Co	51	52½
do G M 4s	75	75½	E St B com	24⅞	25
Phil Traction	63⅞	64	do pref	25½	—

CLOSING PRICES OF SAN FRANCISCO STOCKS.

San Francisco, January 17, 1896.

	Yesterday.	To-day.		Yesterday.	To-day.
Alta	.06	.01	Mexican	.60	.57
Belcher	.24	.24	Mono	.06	.06
Best & Belcher	.89	.87	Ophir	1.04	1.30
Bodie Consol	.41	.41	Potosi	.53	.51
Bulwer	.12	.12	Savage	.28	.26
Challar	.60	.56	Sierra Nevada	.45	.43
Con Cal & Va	2.40	2.30	Union Consol	.35	.35
Crown Point	.19	.20	Utah	.06	—
Gould & Curry	.55	.52	Yellow Jacket	.42	.43
Hale & Norcross	1.25	1.15			

ON THE STOCK EXCHANGE.

Friday, January 17—p. m.

There was barely enough doing in stocks to keep the tickers going. Outside of a few speculative favorites there were no stocks in which total transactions amounted to more than 1,000 shares, and trading in the majority of the list was well under these figures. The character of the present financial situation is such as to preclude any large operations in the security market, and as the time grows nearer for the opening of bids to the new bonds, interest in the stock market apparently grows less. There is no disposition on the part of investors and large holders of stocks to part with any of their holdings, but no new contracts are made and almost every one seems to be holding off until the financial atmosphere is clearer. The actual position of stocks is strong. In the last six days values have appreciably recovered from the declines following the panic advance, and in this respect it is to be noted that the course of prices since the December panic has been similar to that in all recent stock market panics. The panic rule seems to be first a big slump followed by a substantial rally, then a gradual decline to prices as low, and sometimes lower than the panic level, and subsequently a gradual advance. The market at present resembles the summer market when throughout the vacation period there was almost absolute stagnation, but persistent strength. The only development in the financial situation to-day was the withdrawal for export of $1,000,000 gold. This, however, was not unexpected and the surprise which was expressed over this light engagement was satisfied when it was subsequently learned that two firms which intended to ship to-morrow, had postponed doing so until next week. Foreign exchange was strong and the premium continued on gold and legal-tenders, while the offer of foreign gold at a premium for bond subscribers was modified so as to hold good for periods beyond February 5.

Profit-taking sales depressed prices, and closing quotations were generally at fractional declines. London sold moderately of the international favorites, principally of St. Paul, despite the company's excellent showing for the second week in January, published to-day. The increase was $116,342 over the same week a year ago, and since July 1, St. Paul's increase in gross earnings has been $3,445,688. Most of the railway statements made public to-day were favorable, Texas and Pacific, and the International and Great Northern being exceptions, the first named showing a loss of $9,992, and the last named, one of $12,436. The announcement that a call for a meeting of the anthracite coal producing and carrying companies had been made, had no effect upon the anthracite shares, but investment holders of the stocks of these companies cannot help being pleased to learn that the coal men have decided to get together. To be sure, similar calls have been made, meetings have been held and no especially gratifying results have followed; but the forthcoming meeting promises something definite, inasmuch as it is believed that certain stumbling blocks to the readjustment of the trade have been removed—principally the attitude of the Reading Company. The influence of Mr. Morgan in Reading affairs is now such that a satisfactory settlement of the anthracite question is possible. The meeting will be held next Thursday. The only losses above 1 per cent in to-day's active shares were in Sugar Refining, Baltimore and Ohio, Chicago Gas, Rock Island, Southern Railway preferred and United States Leather preferred. Manhattan was strong in the early trading, advancing 1 per cent above the opening, but the gain was lost at the close, the last price being at a slight net decline. Total sales of stocks were 114,018 shares, against 148,736 yesterday.

Closing prices of the chief active stocks, compared with their last prices yesterday, were as follows:

	Jan. 16.	Jan. 17.		Jan. 16.	Jan. 17.
Atchison	14⅝	14⅛	Mo Pacific	25¼	24⅞
Burlington	73½	74¼	Northwest	98⅝	98
Can Southern	48½	48⅝	*Phil & Reading	8¼	8⅛
Cent of N J	99	98⅞	Rock Island	66⅞	65½
Chicago Gas	65⅝	65⅛	St Paul	69	68
Ches & Ohio	15	14⅞	Sugar Refining	102⅝	101½
Del & Hudson	125½	126	South Ry pf	28⅞	26⅞
Den & R G pf	44	43½	Term Coal Co	27⅞	26⅞
Distillers'	16¼	16	Tobacco	78⅞	78¼
Gen Electric	26	25⅞	U S Leather pf	64	62½
Kan & Tex pf	25¼	24½	Union Pacific	4⅛	4¼
Lake Shore	143⅞	142	West Union	84⅞	83⅞
Louis & Nash	44⅝	43⅞	Wheel & L E	11⅝	11⅝
Manhattan	100	99½	Wabash pf	16⅝	16⅝

*First instalment paid.

BONDS—THE FEDERAL TREASURY.

Sales of Government bonds were confined to $10,000 coupon 4s of 1925 at 116½, and $2,000 coupon 5s at 113¼. Final quotations follow:

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
U. S. 4s, 1891, continued at 2. 96	—	—	U. S. cur. 6s, 1896	100	—
U. S. 4s, 1907, reg	108½	109½	U. S. cur. 6s, 1897	102	—
U. S. 4s, 1907, cou	109	110½	U. S. cur. 6s, 1898	104	—
U. S. 4s, 1925, reg	115	116	U. S. cur. 6s, 1899	107	—
U. S. 4s, 1925, cou	116	116½	Ches. 4s, 1896	100	—
U. S. 5s, 1904, reg	111¼	112½	Ches. 4s, 1897	100	—
U. S. 5s, 1904, cou	112¾	113½	Ches. 4s, 1898	100	—
			Ches. 4s, 1899	100	—

In State issues there were sales of $4,000 South Carolina 6s, non-fundable, at 1, $8,000 North Carolina con. 4s at 102, $1,000 Virginia funded debt 2-3s of 1991, at 59⅞. Fifty shares of the Irving Bank were sold at 140 and twenty shares of the Nassau Bank at 155.

The market for railway bonds was dull, with many light declines recorded. The principal losses were scored by Atchison seconds, 3-4s class A, ¾ to 22¼; Chesapeake and Ohio general 4½s, ½ to 75; Kansas Pacific first consol receipts, 1 to 73; Lexington Avenue and Pavonia Ferry firsts, ¾ to 111⅞; Louisville and Nashville unified 4s, ¾ to 76; Missouri, Kansas and Texas seconds, ½ to 58½; Reading first preferred income, ⅝ to 27¼; Southern Railway first 5s, ⅜ to 91, and Wabash debentures, series B, ⅞ to 22½. Rock Island extension 5s were up 1⅝ to 101⅞.

The United States Treasury received to-day $696,653 National bank notes for redemption. Customs receipts reported to-day from Washington were $624,672, the internal revenue receipts $438,755, and the miscellaneous receipts $18,021. Total Government receipts for the day, $1,081,448; expenditures, $1,206,000; excess of expenditures, $224,551. Receipts for month to date, $16,358,162; expenditures, $23,931,000; excess of expenditures over receipts, $7,542,838. Receipts for fiscal year to date, $183,562,216; expenditures, $206,864,760; excess of expenditures over receipts, $22,908,544.

To-day's Washington Treasury statement, covering actual results of two days ago, compared with the last previous statement, shows the following balances:

	Jan. 16.	Jan. 17.		Changes.
Net gold on hand	$55,804,075	$54,929,238	Dec.	$905,837
Net legal-tenders on hand	104,052,173	102,940,299	Dec.	1,111,874
Net silver on hd.	17,751,592	17,901,960	Inc.	150,068
Actual cash in the Treasury held over outstanding certificates	$177,608,140	$175,770,477	Dec.	$1,927,663
Deposits in bank	15,110,285	15,187,702	Inc.	77,437
Available cash	$192,808,425	$190,958,179	Dec.	$1,850,226
Deduct minor liabilities	14,339,343	12,965,654	Dec.	1,373,689
Actual cash bal.	$178,469,082	$177,992,525	Dec.	$476,537

The Sub-Treasury was a debtor at the Clearing House $1,383,544. Its net loss on balance was $617,485, made up by a loss in currency of $576,414 and a loss in coin of $41,071. To-day's operations included: Receipts, $4,566,496; payments, $5,123,881, resulting in a general balance of $183,846,928, consisting of $94,418,063 coin and $89,528,865 currency. The business for the week ended to-night includes receipts of $25,178,954 and payments of $29,065,666. Deducting from the receipts $1,030,000 and from the payments $5,692,000 for items which affect only its account with the general Treasury, its gain as affecting the banks was $775,288.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

Money on call ruled at 3@4 per cent. Time money was inactive, a few loans on high-grade collateral being made for long periods at 6 per cent. The commercial paper market was a trifle more active. High-grade paper was quoted at 6@7 per cent, the bulk of the business being done at the last-named figure, at which there was a good demand. Paper not so well known was not sought after.

The foreign exchange market was strong on a small volume of business. Closing rates for actual business were as follows:

	Cables.		Long bills.	Short bills.
Sterling	4.89⅝@4.89¾		4.87½@4.87¾	4.89@4.89¼
Francs	—		5.16⅞	5.15⅞
Reichsmarks	—		95¼	95⅝
Guilders	—		40¼	40⅝

The price of domestic exchange was as follows at the places named: New-