FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

A Strong Stock Market---Prices Advancing.

LARGE ENGLISH FAILURES.

Gold 116 3-4 a 116 7-8—Money Easy at Recent Rates and Foreign Exchange Steady.

WALL STREET, TUESDAY, June 15—6 P. M.

The course of the market to-day verifies the comments that have recently been made concerning it in this column. Although more or less of dulness prevailed, owing to the absence of many of the operators, prices were generally strong and rewarded those who were confident enough to hold securities through the late decline. A firmer undertone was also felt, and many brokers were encouraged by orders from outside buyers, who doubtless recognize the present as a good opportunity for investment. A notable advance took place in St. Paul common, which opened at 31, after selling yesterday at 30, and moved up to and closed at 32¾, with a large demand from the West. The preferred stock sold at 55 a 55¼. Union Pacific was likewise one of the firm features, rising from 74¾ to 75¾, the last price to-day. The statement of April business is published elsewhere. Northwest common sold at 37¼ a 38; Pacific Mail was comparatively steady at 33¾ a 33¾. The meeting of the Executive Committee announced for to-day was postponed until to-morrow. Lake Shore was active and sold at 63¾ to 64¾, the last being the closing figure. Western Union moved from 74¾ to 75¾, ending at this price. It is intimated that some

NEW COMBINATIONS

will be made in this stock at an early day, but concerning the immediate effect upon its value little can be learned. New York Central sold at 104 a 103¾. The New York Central and Union Pacific transfer books for the quarterly dividend closed this afternoon, and in the late sales those stocks sold ex dividend, the former 2 per cent and the latter 1¼. Kansas Pacific advanced 1 per cent, from 18 to 19. New Jersey Central made the greatest advance, selling at 107 a 109¾, closing at 109¾.

A telegram from Philadelphia that the Reading road had not yet passed its dividend had something to do with the rise in New Jersey Central, for the same reason that the contrary report yesterday caused a decline in the stock. Should the company be obliged to omit this dividend it would be mainly on account of its large advances to the Reading Coal and Iron Company, whose bonds it guaranteed to the extent of about $11,000,000.

ADVANCE AND DECLINE.

The following are the changes since the close yesterday:—

ADVANCE.—Atlantic and Pacific preferred, ¼; New York Central, ½; C., C. and I. C., ½; Delaware and Lackawanna, ½; Hannibal and St. Joseph, ½; Harlem, ½; Lake Shore, ½; Northwestern common, ½; Ohio and Mississippi, ¼; Panama, 1; Quicksilver, common, ¼; Rock Island, ½; St. Paul, 1¾; Union Pacific, 1¼; Western Union, ¾; St. Paul preferred, 1.

DECLINE.—Erie in London, ¼.

The stationary securities were Atlantic and Pacific Telegraph, Erie, Pacific Mail, Wabash, three sixty-five bonds and gold.

THE SALES TO-DAY

were less than 100,000 shares, which were divided among the most active securities, as follows:—New York Central and Hudson, 572 shares; Erie, 3,800; Lake Shore, 20,700; Northwestern, 7,800; do. preferred, 1,900; Rock Island, 400; Pacific Mail, 11,700; St. Paul, 7,200; do. preferred, 600; Ohios, 2,300; Western Union, 21,800; Wabash, 1,000; Union Pacific, 12,500.

HIGHEST AND LOWEST PRICES.

The following table shows the opening, highest and lowest prices of the day:—

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.
New York Central	104	104¼	103¾
Harlem	135	135	135
Erie	16¾	17	16¾
Lake Shore	63¾	64¾	63¾
Wabash	9	9	9
Northwestern	37¾	38	37¾
Northwestern preferred	49	50¼	48¾
Rock Island	102¾	102¾	102¾
Pittsburg	89¾	89¾	89
Milwaukee and St. Paul	31	32¾	30¾
Mil. and St. Paul pref	55	55¼	55
Ohio and Mississippi	23¾	24	23¾
New Jersey Central	107¾	109¾	107
Del., Lack. and Western	117¾	117¾	117¾
Union Pacific	74¾	75¾	74¾
C., C. and I. C.	4¾	4¾	4¾
Western Union	74¾	74¾	74¾
Atlantic and Pacific Tel.	23¾	23¾	23¾
Pacific Mail	33¾	33¾	33¾
Panama	126	128	126

CLOSING PRICES AT 3 P. M.

Pacific Mail	33¾ a 33¾	Mil & St Paul pf	54¾ a 55
West Un Tel	75¾ a 75¾	C., C. C. and Ind.	21 a 23
Atl & Pac tel	23¾ a 24	C., C. & I. C.	4¾ a 4¾
Quicksilver	16 a 17	Del., Lack & W	117¾ a 118¾
Quicksilver pf	21 a 23	Erie	16¾ a 17
Dist Col 3-65's	73¾ a 73¾	Han & St Jo	22 a 22¾
Adams Ex	100 a 101	Han & St Jo pf	27 a 29
American Ex	60¾ a 61	Lake Shore	64¾ a 64¾
U S express	44¾ a 46¼	Mich Central	66 a 66¾
Wells-Fargo Ex	83¾ a 84	N Y C & H R	103¾ a 104¾
Chic & Alton	101 a 102	N J Central	108¾ a 109¼
Clev & Pitts	89 a 89¾	Ohio & Miss	23¾ a 24
Chic & N W	37¾ a 37¾	Panama	128 a 132
Chic & N W pf	48¾ a 50¼	Pacific Mail	33¾ a 33¾
Chicago & R I	102¾ a 103	Un Pacific	74¾ a 75
Mil & St Paul	32¼ a 32¾	Harlem	135¼ a 135¾

THE MONEY MARKET.

Money was easy at 2 and 2½ per cent on call loans. Mercantile paper is unchanged. Sterling exchange is steady and firm; prime asking rates, 4.88 and 4.91; selling rates, 4.87 a 4.87½ and 4.90 a 4.90½. Continental exchange is stronger to-day than before, on account of drooping tendency of foreign exchange on the Continent and stiffening of Continental money markets. Reichmarks, 94½ a 94¾ and 95½ a 95¾. Cables, 96. Prime Paris, 5.15 and 5.11½.

THE GOLD MARKET.

Gold opened and closed at 116¾, with sales in the interim at 116¾. The carrying rate was 1 per cent. Loans were also made flat and at 2½ per cent for borrowing. The specie engagements for to-morrow are about $1,750,000:—Brown Brothers, $500,000; Belmont, $250,000; Duncan, $300,000; Von Hoffman, $500,000; ——, $200,000. The total of the week is estimated at between four and five millions.

OPERATIONS OF THE GOLD EXCHANGE BANK.

Gold balances	$1,212,243
Currency balances	1,421,300
Gross clearances	32,226,000

CLEARING HOUSE STATEMENT.

Currency exchanges	$74,558,264
Currency balances	4,578,450
Gold exchanges	4,865,650
Gold balances	1,013,434

PRODUCE EXPORTS.

The exports of produce from this port for the week ending to-day amount to $5,672,819, against $6,880,587 for the corresponding week last year, and $6,571,934 in 1873. The total exports since January 1 this year are $110,836,324, against $131,351,356 in 1874, and $128,912,005 in 1873.

THE FOREIGN MARKET.

The London advices report money at the Stock Exchange on government securities at 3¾ per cent and the rate of discount for three months' bills in the open market at 3¾ per cent. The Bank of England gained £25,000 bullion on balance to-day. To-day is ticket day and to-morrow fortnightly settling day at the Stock Exchange. United States bonds are firm, but consols are heavy and lower on fresh rumors of financial troubles. Consols closed at a slight recovery from the extreme decline. For money, 92 15-16 a 93; for account, 93. United States bonds are in fair demand; 67's, 109¾ a 109 9-16; ten-forties, 104¾ a 104¾; new funded loan, 103¼. Money easy at 3 per cent. Erie shares, 14¾ a 14¾; do. preferred, 33. Rentes in Paris, 64.77½. There is a continued active demand for the new United States loan on English and Continental account. The sales of the Seligman-Rothschild syndicate last week are estimated at $5,000,000. Alexander Collie & Co., of Manchester, England, suspended to-day. Their liabilities are estimated at £3,000,000 sterling. The house was established in 1809, and was rated as No. 1. Shand & Co., East India merchants, are also reported as failed, with liabilities at £250,000 sterling. A very large failure of a Manchester cotton house is said to be imminent.

THE UNITED STATES TREASURY.

Treasury balances in Washington at the close of business to-day were as follows:—Currency, $4,200,000; coin, $80,800,000; less coin certificates, $19,580,000. Bank notes received to-day, $650,000. Customs receipts, $500,000; revenue receipts, $160,000. The Assistant Treasurer to-day paid out $217,000 for five-twenties redeemed and $70,000 for interest. The total bonds redeemed on the sixteenth call to date is $12,961,050.

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

These were strong and generally higher than yesterday.

MEMORANDA.

The following are the Philadelphia stock quotations at three o'clock this day, reported by Randolph, Bickley & Co.:—

	Bid.	Asked.
City sixes, old	104	—
City sixes, new	107¾	107¾
Camden and Amboy	131	131½
Pennsylvania	50¾	50¾
Philadelphia and Reading	53¾	53¾
Lehigh Valley	63¾	63¾
Catawissa Railroad pref	—	42
Philadelphia and Erie	21	21¼
Northern Central	31	31¼
Lehigh Navigation	50	50¼

Mr. Sidney Dillon, President of the Union Pacific Railroad, left to-day for Omaha to make a complete inspection of the road and devise means to prevent any recurrence of the damage by spring freshets. He will be accompanied by the General Superintendent and Chief Engineer of the road. He will also inspect the Kansas Pacific, Colorado Central and Utah roads, in all of which the Union Pacific is now largely interested.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE SALES

TUESDAY, June 15, 1875.

BEFORE CALL—10 A. M.

900 shs West Un Tel	74¾	100 shs Chi & N W RR	37¾
100 do	74¾	100 do	37¾
200 do b3	75	300 do	37¾
300 do	75	100 do	37¾
1000 do	75¼	100 do	37¾
100 do b3	75¾	300 do	37¾
1000 do	75	600 do	38
600 do	75¾	600 do	38¼
200 Ohio & Miss RR a3	23¾	100 do a3	37¾
100 do	23¾	200 do	37¾
500 L S & M S RR	63¾	200 Chi & NW RR pf	49
100 do	63¾	200 do	48¾
200 do a3	63¾	300 do	49
700 do	63¾	100 do	50
500 do	63¾	100 N J Central RR c	107¾
300 do	63¾	200 do	107¾
100 do b3	63¾	200 do	107
200 do c	63¾	100 do	107¾
400 do b3	64	100 do	107¾
500 do	64	300 do	107¾
5 do	64¾	300 Mil & St P RR	31
200 do	64¾	100 do	31¾
400 do a3	64¾	100 do	31¾
1000 Pac Mail SS	33¾	200 do	31¾
200 do a3	33¾	200 do	31¾
1000 do	33¾	100 do	31¾
300 do a3	33¾	400 do	31¾
500 do c	33¾	100 do a3	31¾
200 do	34¾	300 do	31¾
100 Erie RR pref	23	300 do a3	31¾
1000 Un Pac RR	74¾	100 do	31¾
100 do	74¾	100 do	31¾
500 do	74¾	40 do	32¼
300 do	74¾	500 Mil & St Paul pref	55
600 do	74¾	100 do	55¾
500 do	74¾	3.0 Erie RR c	16¾
400 do	75	7.0 do	16¾
100 do a3	74¾	100 do b3	16¾
100 do	74¾	2.0 do	16¾
100 Chic & R I RR	102¾	500 do a3	16¾

10:15 AND 11:30 A. M.

$1000 US 6's, c, '81 b c	125¾	$7000 U S 5-20, c, '67, b c	115
300 do small	125	10000 US 5-20, c, '65, n	124
1000 do c	125	5500 do c, b	123¾
12000 U S 5-20, c, '67	116¼	1,000 U S 5's, 10-40, r	117¾
10000 U S 5-20, c, '66	119	3000 U S 5's, c, '65	124
10000 U S 5's, r, '64	118¾	85.0 US 5's, 10-40, c, b c	119¼
2000 do r	118¾	2,000 U S 5's, r, '65	117¾
20,000 US 5's-20, r, '65, b c	120¾		

FIRST BOARD—10:30 A. M.

$1000 Missouri 6's, '76	103	200 shs N Y C & H RR c	104
10000 Tenn 6's, old	49¾	22 do	103¾
2000 Texas 10's, '76	19¾	100 Harlem RR	135
4000 Dist Col 3-65's	73¾	100 Ill Cen RR	101¾
1000 Alb & Sus 1st	111¾	100 Mil & St P RR b c	31¾
1000 Alb & Sus 2d	104¾	300 do	31¾
1000 Ches & O 1st, con	39	100 do	31¾
1000 Chi, B & Q 8's	117	100 do a3	31¾
5000 N J Cen con	106¾	100 do	31¾
1000 do	106¾	100 do b3	31¾
1000 C, R I & P 8's	110	300 do	31¾
6000 M & St P 1st L G D	91	300 do	31¾
5000 C & N W c 6's	75	300 do a3	31¾
3000 Mor & Es 7's, '71	106¾	700 do	31¾
1000 Mich South 2d	101	100 do	31¾
2000 Mich Cen 7's	133	300 Chi & R I RR c	102¾
2000 Cen Pac g b c	105	100 L S & M S RR b c	63¾
9000 do c & c	105¼	400 do a3	63¾
1000 C P 1st, Cal & Or b	90	100 do	63¾
12000 U P RR b. 1st m	104	100 do	63¾
4000 Un Pac 7's, 1 g	97¾	400 do c	63¾
20.0 Un Pac s f	92¾	700 do	64¾
1000 North Mo 1st	91	400 do a3	64
500 Clev & Pit con s f	104¾	18.0 do	64¾
6000 Tol & W 1st	80	100 do a3	63¾
1000 Erie 3d m	19¾	100 do	63¾
1000 Gt West 1st m '68	78¾	200 do b3	64
10 shs Del & H Can b c	120	200 do a3	64
100 Canton Co b c	63¾	115 N J Cen RR b c	108¾
100 At & Pac tel b c	23¾	120 do	108
100 do	23¾	5 do	108¾
20 do	24	100 Atl & Pac tel b c	23¾
20 Adams Express	100¾	20 do	15
600 West Un Tel b c b3	75¾	100 do	15¾
900 do	75¾	400 Chi & NW RR b c a3	37¾
400 do	75¾	300 do b3	37¾
500 do	75¾	100 do	37¾
100 do b3	75¾	100 do a3	37¾
600 do a3	75¾	100 do	37¾
500 do b3	75¾	100 do	37¾
700 do	75¾	100 do	37¾
800 Pac Mail SS b c	33¾	200 do a3	37¾
400 do a3	33¾	300 do b3	37¾
100 do	33¾	300 Chi & NW RR st b c	50¾
100 do	33¾	200 do	49¾
300 West Un c b c	75¾	400 do	50
100 do a3	75¾	800 do	50¼
100 do b3	75¾	100 do c	37¾
200 do	75¾	50 do a3	37¾
100 do b3	75¾	100 do	37¾
80 do	75	100 do b3	37¾
100 do	75¼	100 do	37¾
100 do	75¾	800 do	37¾
100 do b3	75¾	200 Del, L & W RR	117¾
19 Adams Express	100	200 N J Cen RR b c	109
50 Amer Ex b c	61	100 do b3	109¾
50 N Y C & H R RR b c	104¾	135 do	109¾
100 do	104¾	100 Mil & St P RR b c	31¾
500 L S & M S RR b c a3	63¾	100 do	32
900 do	63¾	600 do	32¾
1300 do a3	64¾	100 Ken Pac RR b c	19¾
100 do c	64¾	200 do	19
300 do b3	64¾		

BEFORE CALL—12:30 P. M.

$5000 Dist Col 3-65's	73¾	1270 shs Pac Mail SS	33¾
500 do a3	73¾	200 L S & M S RR	64
1000 do b3	73¾	400 do	64¾
5.00 N J Cen 1st con	106¾	100 do	64¾
1000 M & St P, 1st con	74¾	100 do a3	64
1,000 Un Pac s f	92¾	500 do	64¾
100 shs N Y C & H R RR c	104¾	600 do b3	64¾
100 Erie RR c	16¾	100 do	64¾
100 do	16¾	700 Union Pac RR	74¾
100 do	17	100 do c	74¾
100 West Un Tel a5	75¾	400 Chi & N W RR	37¾
300 do a3	75¾	100 do	37¾
500 do	75¾	200 Mil & St P RR b3	31¾
2.0 do	75¾	100 do	31¾
100 do b3	75¾	100 do	31¾
100 do	75¾	200 do	31¾
100 do c	75¾	100 do	31¾
100 do b3	75¾	1.0 do	31¾
200 Atl & Pac Tel	23	700 Tol & Wab RR	9
100 Adams Ex	100¾	100 Del, L & W RR	118
300 Pac Mail SS	33¾	100 Ohio & Miss RR	23¾
300 do	33¾	100 do	23¾

2 P. M.

$15000 U S 6's, r, '81	120¾	$4000 U S 5-20, c, '65, n	124
10.0 U S 6's, c, '81	120	10.00 U S 10-40, c	119¾
25000 US 5-20, r, '65, b c	121¾		

SECOND BOARD—1 P. M.

$1000 Tenn 6's, n s	50	150 0 shs L & M S RR	64¾
3000 C P 1st, C & O	94¾	100 Un Pac RR b c	75
9000 Un Pac 1st	104¾	100 do	75¼
1000 Un Pac sk fd b	92¾	300 do	75¾
10.0 Mich south 1st b c	105¾	200 do	75¾
6.0 Un Pac s w c g b c	79¾	100 do	75
2000 Erie 2d m c b c	97¾	100 Clev & P RR st	89¾
100 shs At & P tel b c	23¾	10 do	89¾
100 Pac Mail SS b c a3	33¾	100 Chi & NW pf b c	49¾
300 do	33¾	100 do b3	49¾
800 do	33¾	100 Chi & N W RR b c	37¾
100 do a3	33¾	10 do	37¾
30 West Un c b c	75¾	100 do b3	37¾
100 do a3	75¾	800 do	37¾
100 do b3	75¾	100 do c	37¾
200 do	75¾	100 do a3	37¾
100 do b3	75¾	100 do	37¾
100 do	75¼	100 do	37¾
100 do	75¾	800 do	37¾
100 do b3	75¾	200 Del, L & W RR	117¾
100 Adams Ex	100	200 N J Cen RR b c	109
50 Amer Ex b c	61	100 do b3	109¾
50 N Y C & H R RR b c	104¾	135 do	109¾
100 do	104¾	100 Mil & St P RR b c	31¾
500 L S & M S RR b c a3	64¾	100 do	32
900 do	64¾	600 do	32¾
1300 do a3	64¾	100 Ken Pac RR b c	19¾
100 do c	64¾	200 do	19
300 do b3	64¾		

2:30 TO 3 P. M.

$81000 Dist of Col 3-65's	73¾	100 shs L S & M S RR b3	64¾
14000 Cen Pac g bds	106¾	500 do a5	64¾
5000 Un Pac sink f	95	100 do	64¾
10000 Un Pac 1st	99	200 Chi & N W RR	37¾
10000 Harlem 1st, r	110	100 do	37¾
10 shs Im & Trad's Bk	305	300 do	37¾
100 At & Pac Tel	23¾	1.0 Un Pac RR x d	75¾
25 do	24	600 do x d	74
200 do	23¾	900 do x d	73¾
1400 Pacific Mail SS	33¾	1200 do	73
100 do	33¾	1200 do	72¾
900 West Un Tel b3	75¾	100 do	75¾
300 do	75¾	500 do	76¾
200 do a3	75¾	300 Mil & St P RR a10	32
100 do	75¾	100 do x d	32¾
800 do b3	75¾	100 do a3	32
600 do a3	75¾	100 do	32¾
500 do	75¾	100 do	32¾
700 do	75¾	100 do	32¾
100 do	75¾	300 Tol & Wab RR	9
100 do x d	105¾	1.0 Del, L & W RR	118
300 Erie RR a3	16¾	200 Ohio & Miss RR	23¾
600 do	16¾	100 Pacific Mail SS	33¾
170 Harlem RR	135	100 do	33¾
100 L S & M S RR a3	64¾		
100 do	64¾		

COMMERCIAL REPORT.

COTTON ON THE SPOT ONE-EIGHTH CENT DECLINE BUT QUIET—FUTURES STEADY AT SEVEN-THIRTY-SECONDS CENT DECLINE—FLOUR DULL AND UNCHANGED—WHEAT LESS ACTIVE BUT STRONG—CORN ACTIVE—OATS DULL—RYE QUIET—BARLEY NOMINAL—BARLEY MALT NEGLECTED AND NOMINAL—PORK IRREGULAR BUT ACTIVE—LARD IRREGULAR—PETROLEUM STEADY—NAVAL STORES QUIET AND FIRM—GROCERIES QUIET AND STEADY—HIDES FAIRLY ACTIVE—LEATHER STEADY—OILS DULL—WHISKEY STEADY—FREIGHTS DULL AND LOWER—HEMP AND JUTE QUIET—GUNNIES QUIET.

MONDAY, June 15—6 P. M.

The active movement in wheat continued and prices again materially advanced. The supply has dwindled to a pretty small figure, while the receipts are moderate and do not meet the requirements of shippers, some of whom are purchasing in advance of arrival at full prices. Flour was quiet and does not respond to the improvement in wheat. Corn ruled stronger, with moderate receipts and an active demand. Oats dull, irregular and generally lower. Whiskey steady, pork and lard were irregular but active, and considerable business was done for future delivery. Freights were decidedly lower. Cotton on the spot declined ⅛c. and futures were steady at a decline of 3-16c. a 7-32c. Petroleum was steady. Naval stores were quiet and firm. Hides were fairly active. Leather was steady. Oils were dull. Hemp and jute were quiet. Gunnies were also quiet. Groceries were quiet and steady.

ASHES.—The receipts for the past three days were 172 packages. The market was quiet at 6c. a 6¼c. for pots and 8c. for pearls.

BEESWAX steady. We quote Western and Southern at 33c. a 35c. per lb. We note sales of 700 lbs. Tennessee at 35c. per lb.

BEANS AND PEAS.—The demand for medium was good at steady prices. Marrows were firm and fairly active for export. We quote:—Medium, new, choice, $1 90; do., fair to good, $1 50 a $1 75; marrows, new, choice, $2 40 a $2 45; do., fair to good, $2 a $2 25; peas, new, $1 90 a $2; red kidney, prime, new, $3; green peas, new, $2 40 a $2 50; white kidney, choice, $2 a $2 10; do., fair to good, $1 50 a $1 75.

BUTTER.—Western tub was in fair demand, choice was freely offered and the tone was weak. Old was generally dull. Western firkin is arriving freely. State butter was in fair supply and was held steady. We quote:—New butter—State creamery, pails and tubs, 26c. a 30c.; State firkins, choice, grass yellow, 27c. a 28c.; do. do., good to prime, 26c. a 27c.; do. pails choice, 27c. a 28c.; do. do., good to prime, 24c. a 26c.; do. do., common to good, 20c. a 23c.; do. half firkins, tubs, choice, 26c. a 28c.; do. do., do., good to prime, 24c. a 25c.; do. do., do., common, 20c. a 23c.; do., Welsh tubs, choice, 25c. a 26c.; do. do., do., good to prime, 24c. a 25c.; do. do., do., common, 20c. a 22c.; Western creamery, choice, 26c. a 27c.; do. do., fair to good, 24c. a 25c.; Western Reserve and Michigan tubs, choice, 23c. a 24c.; do., do., do., fair to good, 20c. a 22c.; do., do., do., poor to fair, 16c. a 18c.; Western tubs, choice, 22c. a 23c.; do., do., good to prime, 19c. a 21c.; do. do., poor to fair, 16c. a 18c.; do. firkins, choice, grass yellow, 23c. a 24c.; do. do., good to prime, 20c. a 22c.; do. do., common to fair, 16c. a 18c. Old butter—State firkins, fair to good, 14c. a 15c.; do. half firkins, tubs, common to fair, 14c. a 15c.; do. Welsh tubs, common to good, 14c. a 15c.; Western firkins, good to prime, 12c. a 13c.; do. do. fair to good, 11c. a 12c.; do. do., common, 10c. a 11c.; do., tubs, good to prime, 12c. a 13c.; do. do., fair to good, 11c. a 12c.; do. do. common, 10c. a 11c.

BROOM CORN.—The market was strong, but there was little activity. Manufacturers have been running on very light stock and show a little more disposition to buy. Sales of 11 bales medium hurled at 11c. per lb. We quote:—Brush, short, green choice, 13½c. a 14½c.; hard green, 12c. a 13c.; green medium, 10c. a 12c.; red and red tipped, 8c. a 10c.

CANDLES.—The market was quiet, with a fair jobbing demand at fair prices. We quote:—Sperm, 28c.; sperm, patent, Macy's, 35c. a 36c.; stearic, 8. G. Mitchell & Co.'s brand, 9½c. a 10c.; adamantine, 12. Mold wax, 14½c. a 14½c. and 16½c.; paraffine 4's, 6's and 12's, 20c. a 21c.

CHEESE.—The market was firm at 12½c. a 12¾c. for extra fine. Little Falls cheese will sell at 13¾c. The demand for sturdy good Ohio was good. The receipts were very poor, therefore shall be sold very low. We quote:—Ohio cheese, fancy, factory, 11½c. a 12¼c.; do., fine, 10½c. a 11¼c.; do., good to fine, 9c. a 10c.; do., fair to good, 7c. a 9c.; do., common to fair, 5c. a 7c.; State dairies, fancy, full cream, 9c. a 11c.; do., fair to good, part skim, 4c. a 7c.; skims, 2c. a 4c.; Ohio factory, cheddar shape, fancy, 10½c. a 11c.; do., do., fine, 9c. a 10c.; do., do., good to fine, 8c. a 9c.; do., flat shaped, fancy, 10c. a 11c.; do., do., fine, 8c. a 10c.; do., do., good to fine, 7c. a 8c.; do., fair to good, 5c. a 7c.; do., common to fair, 3c. a 5c.

COFFEE.—The market for Rio and Santos was strong. Mild grades were firm. The sales were 2,900 bags Rio, ex Christina, and, at Baltimore, 2,935 do., ex Templer, on private terms. Messrs. William Scott & Sons report stock Rio as follows:—Galveston, 4,000 bags; Savannah, 4,000; Baltimore, 6,891; New York, 29,177. Total, 44,068. We quote:—Ordinary cargoes, 16c. a 16½c.; fair do., 17c. a 17½c.; good do., 17¾c. a 18c.; prime do., 18½c. a 18¾c.; extreme range for lots, 16¼c. a 19½c.; gold, 60 or 90 days. Java, government bags, 24c. a 25c.; do. grass mats, 26c. a 26c.; Singapore do., 21c. a 23c.; Ceylon, 22c. a 21½c., Maracaibo, 19½c. a 22c.; Laguayra, 17c. a 21c.; Jamaica, 17½c. a 18½c.; St. Domingo, 16½c. a 17c.; Porto Rico, 17c. a 19c.; Costa Rica, 17c. a 20c.; Mexican, 19c. a 20c.; Angostura, 18c. a 21½c.; Savannida, 18c. a 21½c.; Curacoa, 17c. a 19½c.

COOPERAGE STOCK.—The demand was fair and the market quiet, and prices were unchanged. We quote:—Molasses stocks, 32-inch, with heads, $2 60; do. do., 30-inch, $1 90 a $2 25; box shooks, 73c. a 80c.; rum do., $4 80; pipe do., $6 50 a $7; empty hogsheads, $2 50 a $2 75; hoops, 14 feet, ordinary to prime, 35c. a 37c.; hoops, 12 feet, do., 30c. a 32c.

COTTON.—The market for both Manila and hemp was quiet, with a moderate demand at steady prices. We quote:—Manila darge and small sizes, per lb., 7c. a 16c.; do., cordage, best rope yarns, 10½c. a 17½c.; tarred Manila, 14½c.; Sisal rope, 12c. a 13c.; New Zealand, 12c. a 13c.; Russia hemp, tarred, 14c.; American dew, 14c.; Russia bolt rope, 15c.

COTTON.—Spot cotton declined ⅛c. per lb. Exporters bid for several lots on the basis of low middling at 15c. a 15 1-16c.; but these bids were refused, 15⅛c. being the price asked. Futures declined 3 16c. a 7-32c., and closed steady at the following quotations:—June, 15 3-32c. a 15 ⅛c.; July, 15⅛c. a 15 7-32c.; August, 15 7-32c. a 15 1-16c. a 15 3-32c.; October, 14 13 16c.; November, 14 11-16c. a 14 23-32c.; December, 14 11-16c. a 14 23-32c.; January, 14 23-32c. a 14 27-32c.; February, 14 31-32c.; March, 15 3-32c.; a 15 3-16c.; April, 15⅛c. a 15 7-16c.; May, 15 9-16c. a 15 21-32c. The Washington Agricultural Bureau report for June not announced until after hours. The report was as follows:—The threatened reduction in the cotton area has not taken place, nor has the reduced area of last year been much enlarged. The reported increase is between one and two per cent. The comparison with last year is as follows:—North Carolina, 102; Georgia, 99; Florida, 94; Alabama, 100; Mississippi, 102; Louisiana, 101; Texas, 108; Arkansas, 101; Tennessee, 92. Reports of condition are more favorable this year than for the past five years, with the single exception of 1872. Although planting was late and the soil was generally too wet it did not hinder rapid growth, the stand is comparatively good and recent weather has been more favorable to rapid growth. The crop is unusually clean. The comparison with a crop of full vitality and normal growth is as follows:—North Carolina, 92; South Carolina, 97; Georgia, 91; Florida, 94; Alabama, 101; Mississippi, 100; Louisiana, 101; Texas, 96; Arkansas, 90; Tennessee, 99. The effect of this report was to weaken the market. Quotations based on standard of classification in force September 1, 1874, and on upland cotton in store running in quality not more than half a grade above or below the grade quoted, are as follows:—Ordinary, 14½c.; strict good ordinary, 15c.; low middling, 15⅝c.; middling, 15⅞c.; good middling, 17c. Quotations based on American standard of classification:—

	Upland's.	Alabama.	N. Orleans.	Texas.
Ordinary	14⅝	14⅞	15	15
Good ordinary	15⅝	15⅞	14⅝	14⅝
Low middling	15	15⅛	15⅝	15⅝
Middling	15⅝	15⅞	15⅞	15⅞
Good middling	16⅝	16	16⅛	16⅛
Middling fair	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞
Fair	17	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛

The sales were:

	To-Day.	Last Fri'y.	Total.
Export	100	450	550
Consumption	500	100	600
Speculation	—	—	—
Totals	600	550	950

—For future delivery (basis low middling) the sales have been as follows:—Yesterday after two P. M.—June, 100 at 15 3-16c.; July, 1,300 at 15 11-32c.; August, 100 at 15⅛c., 2,300 at 15 15-32c.; September, 1,100 at 15 11-32c.; October, 500 at 15 1-32c.; December, 2,600 at 14 29-32c.; January, 700 at 15 1-32c.; February, 300 at 15 7-32c.; April, 500 at 15 3-32c. Total, 9,900 bales. To-day up to two P. M.—July, 800 at 15⅛c., 1,300 at 15 7-32c., 700 at 15 3-16c., 500 at 15 ⅛c., 900 at 15 1-32c., 200 at 15⅛c., 100 at 15 11-32c., 500 at 15 3-16c., 200 at 15 7-32c., 100 at 15 1-32c.; September, 500 at 15 3-16c., 400 at 15 7-32c., 400 at 15 7-16c., 500 at 15 3-16c., 500 at 15 5-32c., 2,600 at 15⅛c., 100 at 15 3-32c.; October, 100 at 15c., 200 at 14 15-16c., 600 at 14 29-32c., 1,000 at 14⅞c.; December, 500 at 14 15 16c.; January, 500 at 14 31-32c., 100 at 15 29-32c., 600 at 14⅞c.; February, 100 at 14⅞c., 600 at 15c.; March, 100 at 15 3-32c., 400 at 15 7-32c.; April, 200 at 15⅛c., 100 at 15 7-16c.; May, 200 at 15 11 16c., 100 at 15⅝c. Total, 19,900 bales. Grand total, 34,700 bales. Exchange—⅛c. paid to exchange 100 September for August. The receipts at the ports were as follows:—Galveston, 51 bales; New Orleans, 16; Mobile, 28; Savannah, 100; Charleston, 36; Wilmington, 45; Norfolk, 40; New York, 103; Boston, 99; Philadelphia, 24. Total, 1,768. This day last week, 1,998. This day last year, 1,543. Total since September 1, 3,416,200 bales. Cotton freights closed as follows:—To Havre, by steam, ⅝c. To Hamburg, by steam, ⅝c., compressed. To Bremen, by steam, ⅝c., compressed. To Liverpool, by steam, 11-32d.; by sail, 9-32