FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

The Stock Market Active and Irregular.

A Decline Followed by a Slight Rally.

GOLD 105 3-4 A 105 7-8 A 105 3-4.

Government Stocks Higher—Railroad Bonds Lower.

MONEY ON CALL EASY AT 1 1-2 A 2 PER CENT.

WALL STREET,
MONDAY, JUNE 4, 6 P. M.

Good and regenerated brokers, who undoubtedly had dismissed all thoughts of stock matters from their minds on Sunday, made their appearance this morning entertaining the same unfavorable impression of the market's future as they had borne away with them on Saturday. These "brands snatched from the burning"—as most stock gamblers are apt to think themselves—shed but little light upon the pathway to higher prices. On the contrary, there was much brightness on the way to lower ones. Naturally the whole body of speculators and scalpers faced in that direction, agreed that everything was going to the dogs—as expressed in the *facilis decensus averni* of the classics—and backed their opinion by a liberal distribution of short stock. This, at the opening, when prices were weak and receded from ¼ to 1½ per cent all around. Upon this followed an improvement, and upon the improvement a decline and subsequently a new improvement and thenceforth a palpitation of prices that defied the diagnosis of the most astute financial physician as to what the result was going to be. Illinois Central, as a parti colored stock, half investment and half speculative, assumed its worst characteristic this morning and veritably fell among the thieves whose livelihood it is to filch eighths and quarters. From 51½ the stock dropped to 48, subsequently rallied to 52¼ and at the close fell back to 51¾, thus adapting itself to the most delicate of tastes and the most attenuated of bank accounts. As for the main list, its principal feature was that of a dull steadiness throughout the session, despite the report that the last train lines intended to meet Mr. Vanderbilt's reduction by similar action on their part, while still adhering, practically, to their views of rapid transit.

THE SALES TO-DAY.

The following shows the sales of active stocks to-day in all cases where 5,000 or more shares were dealt in:—Chicago and Northwestern preferred, 5,600; Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific, 24,800; Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, 34,900; Illinois Central, 12,300; Lake Shore, 36,400; Michigan Central, 6,000; Milwaukee and St. Paul preferred, 12,600; New York Central, 17,700; Western Union Telegraph, 37,400.

HIGHEST AND LOWEST.

The following were the highest and lowest prices of stocks to-day:—

	Highest.	Lowest.
Chicago and Northwestern	20½	20
Chicago and Northwestern pref.	46¾	45
Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific	91⅝	90¼
Chicago, Burlington and Quincy	99¾	99¼
Cleveland and Pittsburg	85	82¾
Chicago and Alton	77½	76
Delaware, Lackawanna and West'n	39½	38¾
Delaware and Hudson Canal	36½	35¾
Illinois Central	52¾	48
Lake Shore	47	46⅛
Michigan Central	39¼	37½
Morris and Essex	68½	66¼
Milwaukee and St. Paul	18¼	18
Milwaukee and St. Paul preferred	48¼	47¾
New York Central	89¼	88
Ohio and Mississippi	4¾	4⅜
Pacific Mail	20⅝	20¼
Pittsburg and Fort Wayne	90½	90
Toledo, Wabash and Western	2	1¾
Western Union Telegraph	61	59¾

ADVANCE AND DECLINE.

The following shows the advance and decline in the closing prices of the principal active stocks to-day as compared with those of Saturday:—

ADVANCE.—Illinois Central, 2; Morris and Essex, 1⅜; Hannibal and St. Joseph preferred, ¼.

DECLINE.—Western Union, ½; Pacific Mail, ¼; Lake Shore, ⅜; Union Pacific, ½; Northwestern, ¾; Northwestern preferred, 1½; Rock Island, 1; St. Paul, ½; St. Paul preferred, ½; Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, ⅛; Delaware and Hudson, ½.

CLOSING PRICES—3 P. M.

The closing prices at three P. M. were:—

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
N Y Central	88¾	88¾	Illinois Central	51½	51¾
Harlem	141	143	Union Pacific	67½	68½
Erie	5⅞	6	Missouri Pac	1⅛	3
Lake Shore	46⅞	46¾	C. C and I C		12
Wabash	1⅞	2	Han and St Jo	11½	12
Northwest	20¼	20⅝	H and St Jo pref.	23½	24½
Northwest pref.	45½	45¾	Ohio and Miss	4⅜	4⅞
Rock Island	90⅜	90⅝	Panama	98	98½
Fort Wayne	90	90¼	Western Union	60¼	60½
Mil and St Paul	18⅛	18¼	At and Pac Tel	19	20
M & S Paul pfd.	47½	47¾	Pacific Mail	20	20¼
Pittsburg	82½	83½	Quicksilver	14½	14¾
Del, L and West	39¼	39½	Quicksilver pref.	21½	22¼
N J Central	6¾	7	Adams express	94½	95
Del and H Canal	36½	36¾	Wells-Fargo	85½	—
Morris and Essex	68	68½	Am Express	45¾	46½
Mich Central	38¾	38¾	United States	39½	40½

THE MONEY MARKET.

The money market was again very easy to-day, money on call lending easily at 2 per cent and falling at the close to 1½ per cent. The following are the rates of exchange on New York at the undermentioned cities to-day:—Savannah, buying 3-16, selling 5-16; St. Louis, 1-10 premium; Cincinnati, steady, buying par, selling 1-10; New Orleans, commercial ⅛, bank ¼; Chicago, 50 premium, and Charleston, easier, offering freely, 3-16 a ¼ premium. Foreign exchange was quiet and unchanged, with actual business at 4 86¾ a 4 87¼ for bankers' 60 days sterling and 4.89½ a 4.90 for demand. Short sterling is stronger than long.

THE GOLD MARKET.

Gold opened and closed at 105¾, with sales in the interim at 105½ a 105¾. The borrowing rates were 1½, 1 and ⅛ per cent and flat, and the carrying rate 1 per cent.

Gold clearings at the National Bank of the State of New York:—

Gold balances	$1,547,000
Currency balances	1,045,824
Gross clearances	24,023,000

CLEARING HOUSE STATEMENT.

Currency exchanges	$79,841,255
Currency balances	4,027,866
Gold exchanges	13,488,800
Gold balances	1,515,229

THE FOREIGN MARKET.

The London advices report a strong market for consols, which sold up from 94½ a 94¾ a 94½ for both money and the account. United States 1867's declined ¼ per cent, to 109¾, and ten-forties ⅛ per cent, to 108⅞; but now fives and new 4½'s were firm at 107¾ a 107¾ and 103¼ respectively. In American railway shares Illinois Central was again weak, and dropped 3¼ per cent, to 48, closing at the lowest point; Erie common sold at 6 a 6¼, and the preferred at 16; New York Central was firm at 87 a 87¼. The Bank of England gained bullion to the amount of £79,000 on balance to day. The specie in the Bank of Germany decreased 5,000,000 marks during the week. Rentes at Paris sold up to 104f. 10c., against 103f. 67½c. at the close on Saturday, and exchange in London is quoted at 25f. 17c. The closing prices in London were:—Consols for money and account, 94¾ a 94½; new 4½ per cent bonds, 103¼; five-twenty bonds of 1867, 109¾; ten-forties, 108⅞; new fives, 107¾ a 107¼; Erie, common shares, 6¼; do., preferred, 16; New York Central, 87 a 87¼; Illinois Central, 48. Bar silver is quoted at 53¾d. per ounce.

UNITED STATES TREASURY.

The revenue receipts to-day were $825,000; customs receipts, $450,000; bank notes received, $1,150,000.

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

There was a slight advance in government bonds today, and as there was a good demand for them they closed strong at the following quotations:—United States currency sixes, 122 a 122½; do. do., 1881, registered, 110¾ a 110⅞; do. do., do., coupon, 114¾ a 115¼; do. do., 1865, new, registered, 106¾ a 107; do. do., do., coupon, 109⅞ a 110; do. do., 1867, registered, 109¾ a 110; do. do., do., coupon, 113¼ a 113¾; do. do., 1868, registered, 112⅞ a 113¾; do. do., do., coupon, 115¾ a 116¾; do. ten-forties, registered, 111¾ a 112; do. do., coupon, 112¾ a 112¾; do. fives, 1881, registered, 110¾ a 111½; do. do., do. coupon, 110⅞ a 111½; do. 4½'s, registered, 1891, 106¾ a 107¼; do. do., do., coupon, do., 106¾ a 107¼.

STATE BONDS.

State bonds were steady for Virginia sixes, consolidated. Missouri sixes, long bonds, sold at 109, and District of Columbia 3-65's at 75.

RAILROAD BONDS.

Railroad bonds where changed were generally lower, with the largest decline, 2 per cent, in Chicago and Northwestern consolidated gold registered bonds; do. coupon gold bonds declined 1½, Milwaukee and St. Paul sevens, gold, 1 per cent, and do. (La Crosse division) ¾. There was an advance of ¼ in New Jersey Central firsts, consolidated, and Milwaukee and St. Paul (C. and M. division); otherwise there were no changes. The only sale or city bank shares was 20 Fourth National at 100.

PHILADELPHIA STOCKS.

The closing prices of Philadelphia stocks were:—

	Bid.	Asked.
City sixes, new	110	110¼
United Railroads of New Jersey	127½	128½
Pennsylvania Railroad	28¼	28½
Reading Railroad	11¼	11½
Lehigh Valley Railroad	28½	28¾
Catawissa Railroad pref	30	32
Philadelphia and Erie Railroad	6	8
Schuylkill Navigation pref	7	8
Northern Central Railroad	13	14
Lehigh Navigation	16¾	17
Oil Creek and Allegheny Railroad	5	5½
Hestonville Railway	12¼	12¾
Central Transportation	29	30

MINING SHARES.

The following table shows the prices of the prominent gold and silver mining shares, including the opening prices of to-day, as received by telegraph from San Francisco. All prices in gold:—

	May 31.	June 1st.	June 2d.	June 3d.	Changes.
Alpha	10	11	9	9	Declined. 1
Belcher	4	4	4	4	—
Best & Belcher	16	16	15	16	—
Bullion	4	5	4	4	—
Caledonia	2	2	2	2	—
California	30	30	29	30	—
Con. Virginia	30	29	28	29	Declined. 1
Chollar Potosi	27	23	23	24	Declined. 3
Crown Point	4	4	4	4	—
Confidence	4	4	4	4	—
Eureka con	18	17	17	17	Declined. 1
Exchequer	3	3	3	3	—
Gould & Curry	7	7	6	8	Advanced. 1
Hale & Norcross	3	3	3	3	—
Julia con	1	2	2	2	Advanced. 1
Justice	7	7	7	7	—
Kentuck	3	3	3	3	—
Leopard	1	1	1	1	—
Mexican	8	7	7	8	—
Northern Belle	17	17	16	16	Declined. 1
Ophir	12	12	11	12	—
Overman	12	12	12	14	Advanced. 2
Raymond & Ely	5	6	6	6	Advanced. 1
Savage	3	3	3	4	Advanced. 1
Seg. Belcher	16	18	18	18	Advanced. 2
Sierra Nevada	4	4	4	4	—
Silver Hill	1	2	2	2	Advanced. 1
Union con	4	4	6	4	—
Yellow Jacket	7	7	7	6	Declined. 1

The closing prices in San Francisco were:—

Alpha	10	Kentuck	3¾
Belcher	4¼	Leopard	2
Best & Belcher	15	Mexican	7½
Bullion	4¾	Northern Belle	16¼
Con. Virginia	28¾	Overman	13
California	29½	Ophir	11¾
Chollar	25½	Raymond & Ely	5½
Confidence	4¼	Silver Hill	1½
Caledonia	2	Savage	3¾
Crown Point	4	Segregated Belcher	18
Excequer	3¼	Sierra Nevada	3½
Gould & Curry	6¾	Union consolidated	4½
Hale & Norcross	2¾	Yellow Jacket	6
Julia consolidated	1¾	Eureka consolidated	16½
Justice	6¾		

In the statement published yesterday of the estimated value of ore in sight in the Moose Silver Mine the figures $260,000 should read $700,000.

The following are the closing quotations and range of prices of mining stocks in New York:—

	Open'g.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing Bid.	Closing Ask'd.
Bullion	4½	4½	4¼	4½	4¾
Cleveland	7⅜	7⅜	7¼	7½	7⅝
Consolidated Virginia	30½	30½	30½	30½	30⅝
Crown Point	4	4¼	4	4	4½
Eureka	18	18½	18	18	18½
Gould & Curry	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾	6⅞
Hale & Norcross	2⅝	2⅝	2½	2⅝	2¾
Hukill	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾	4
Leopard	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1¼
Merrimac	5⅜	5½	5⅛	4½	—
Moose	3½	3½	3½	3½	3½
Seaton	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	1½	1¾

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE SALES

MONDAY, June 4, 1877.

BEFORE CALL—10 A. M.

$1000 N W con c g b	86¾	500 shs Rock Island	91¾
4000 Louisville & N c	92¾	200 do	91⅞
300 shs Del & Hud	36	900 do	91⅞
100 do	36	700 do	91¾
200 do	36	400 do	91¾
100 do	36¼	800 do	91
2300 Mich Central	38¼	200 do	90⅞
200 do	38	200 do	90⅞
100 do	37⅞	100 do	90⅞
100 do	37⅞	800 do	90⅞
100 do	37⅞	400 do	90¾
100 do	37⅞	700 do	90½
700 Western Union	60½	800 do	90½
200 do	60½	100 Illinois Central	48½
1200 do	60¼	100 do	48
100 do	60	200 do	49
500 do	59⅞	25 do	49¼
200 do	60	300 do	49
700 do	60⅛	100 do	48½
1100 do	60¼	100 do	48¾
500 do	60½	300 do	48
25 do	60⅜	100 do	48¼
100 do	60¼	100 do	48¾
1100 do	60½	500 do	49
700 do	60¼	100 Chicago & Alton	76
1100 do	60½	100 Northwestern	20¼
600 do	60	100 do	20
500 do	59⅞	100 Northwestern pref.	46⅛
2000 do	59⅞	100 do	46¼
1200 do	59⅞	400 do	46¼
1000 N Y C & Hudson	88¼	300 do	46¼
100 do	88¼	400 do	46
800 do	88⅛	500 do	45½
500 do	88⅛	100 do	45¼
100 do	88⅛	100 do	45
1000 do	88¼	300 Del. Lac & West'n	39
1000 do	88¼	1500 do	38⅞
1000 do	88¼	400 do	39
10 do	88¼	600 do	39⅛
500 do	88	200 do	39⅛
200 Erie RR	6	500 do	39¼
100 Wabash RR pf	2	600 do	39⅛
1000 Lake Shore	46½	900 do	39
300 do	46½	1500 do	38⅞
500 do	46½	4800 do	38⅞
2000 do	46⅜	100 St Paul	18⅞
1300 do	46⅜	200 do	18
200 do	46⅜	1300 St Paul pref	48
200 do	46¼	200 do	48⅛
800 do	46¼	200 do	48
700 do	46¼	1000 do	47⅞
500 do	46¼	900 do	47⅞
2500 do	46¼	200 do	47⅞
1500 do	46⅜	100 do	47⅞
100 do	46¼	500 do	47⅞
100 do	46¼	1100 do	47⅞
100 Morris & Essex	66¼	900 do	47⅞
700 Rock Island	91¼	200 do	47⅞
700 do	91½		

10:15 AND 11:30 A. M.

$10000 U S 6's, '81, r	110¾	$10000 U S 5-20, c, '67	112¾
9500 do	110⅞	10000 U S 5's, 10-40, c	112¼
10000 U S 6's, '81, c	110¾	10000 U S 4½'s, '91, c	111¾
10000 U S 5-20 r, '65, n	106⅞	44000 U S 4's, '91, r	110⅞
10000 U S 5-20, c, '65, n	106⅞	25000 U S 5's, '81, c	111
1000 do	106⅞	10000 U S 4½, r, '91	109¾
10000 do	106⅞	10000 U S 4½ c, '91	109¾
10000 U S 5-20, r, '67	109¾		

FIRST BOARD—10:30 A. M.

$5000 Vir 6's con X m c	72	100 shs Ill Cen R R	49½
10000 Chi, B & Q 8's	118	500 do	49¾
1000 C & R I & P 7's	111	200 do	49¾
10000 do be	110⅞	100 do	50⅛
1000 N J Cen 1st m c	57	300 do	51
11000 do	56¾	200 do	51¼
2000 M & S P 1st L G c	103	300 do	51
5000 M & S P C & M d	99¼	200 Erie Railway	9⅞
1000 M & S P I & D d	89½	100 C & N W R b c	84
3000 M & S P c S F	86½	002 do	83
10000 M & S P 7's g b	95	100 do	83
1000 C & N W con g b	85¼	500 Chi & N W pf	45¾
4000 do	85½	400 do	45
14000 do be	85½	200 do	45¼
1000 C & N Sink'g f	90¼	200 do	45½
1000 Morris & Ess 1st	117½	400 do	45¾
2000 Long Dock Bnds	107½	500 do	45¾
1000 do	107¾	100 do	45¾
10000 L S con c 1st	109	800 C, M & St P R be	18¼
2000 Mich Cen 8's S F	113½	200 C, M & St P pf be	47⅛
1000 Mich South's F	110⅞	200 do	47⅛
1000 Pac of No 2d m	100	100 do	47⅛
2000 C & I C 1st	28	100 do 60	47⅛
1000 St L & I M 1st	97½	700 do	47⅛
1000 South P R R 1st	76⅞	100 do	47⅛
2000 Cen Pac g b be	109¾	100 do	47⅞
20 shs Fourth N B b3	100	400 Wabsh R P C R be	2
600 Pac M S S Co be	20¼	15 N Y, N H & H R	153
100 do	20¼	10 do be	153
300 Ontario Silver Min	20¼	200 Chi & Rock I R be	90⅞
28 American Express	46½	700 do	90¼
25 Del & Hud C be	35⅞	500 do	90⅞
200 do	35⅞	700 do	90⅞
30 do	35⅞	400 do	90⅞
100 do	35⅞	400 do	90⅞
100 do	35⅞	1000 do	90⅞
100 do 3	35⅞	500 do	90⅞
100 do	35⅞	10 do opg c	91
400 do	36⅛	200 do b3	90⅞
500 do	36⅛	1200 do	90⅞
400 do	36⅛	700 do	90⅞
700 West Un Tel be	59⅞	500 do	90⅞
50 do	59¾	300 do	90⅞
1000 do	60	600 do	90⅞
1100 do	60¼	100 do nr	90⅞
900 do	60¼	7800 Del, L & W	38¾
75 do	60⅛	100 do	38⅞
100 do	60⅛	1400 do	39⅛
1900 do	60⅛	1600 do	39¼
5 do c	60⅛	1200 do	39⅛
500 do	60⅛	500 do	39⅛
100 Mich Cen R be 3	38	500 do c	39⅛
100 do	38¼	1200 do	39¼
400 do	38⅛	500 do	39⅛
100 do	38¼	400 Morris & Es R be	67
300 do	38⅛	300 do	67¼
500 N Y Cen & H be	88⅛	300 do	67¼
600 do 3	88	200 do 30	67
100 do	88¼	410 do 3	68
25 do 3	88¼	100 Chi & A R be	76
100 do	88¼	100 do 10	76
1800 do	88⅛	100 do 90	76
500 do	88⅛	100 do 80	76½
1200 L S & M S R be	46¼	100 do	76½
700 do b3	46½	100 Chi & Alton pf be	98⅞
60 do	46½	10 do	100⅞
1500 do	46¼	6 P, Ft W & C g be	93
1000 do	46½	100 Chi, Bur & Q be	99⅞
800 do	46½	25 do 3	100
2500 do s	46½	100 do	99⅞
2300 do	46⅛	100 do	99⅞
600 do 3	46½	100 H & St J R be	11¼
100 Ill Cen R R	49	100 H & St J R pf be	23½
300 do be	49	100 Ohio & Miss R be	4⅞
100 do	49¼	100 do	4¾

BEFORE CALL—12:30 P. M.

$2000 Del & H reg '84	98	100 shs Rock Island 3	90⅞
200 shs Del & Hud	36⅛	300 do	90¾
900 Western Union	60⅛	100 do 3	90¾
1000 do	60⅛	200 do	90⅞
1000 do	60⅛	200 do	90⅞
1000 do	60⅛	200 do	90⅞