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The Merchants-Laclede National Bank
OF ST. LOUIS.

Condensed Statement of Condition at Close of Business, Dec. 2d: 1899.

RESOURCES.

Cash and Sight Exchange		$3,134,226.61
Loans, payable on demand	$2,776,090.39	
" " at fixed dates	4,706,841.21	7,482,931.60
United States Bonds due 1918		235,000.00
Premium on same		10,000.00
Other Bonds, Stocks, etc		221,561.27
Real Estate		57,132.59
		$11,143,852.12

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock		$1,400,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits		232,960.19
Circulation		45,000.00
Deposits, Individual	$5,811,223.26	
" Banks and Bankers	3,443,354.91	
" United States	211,283.76	9,465,861.93
		$11,143,852.12

ST. LOUIS TRUST CO.

Temporary offices, pending erection new building.
NORTHEAST CORNER FOURTH AND PINE STS.

Capital and Surplus, $3,000,000.00

2-3 and 4% INTEREST ALLOWED on Deposits.

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BANKERS
CHICAGO NEW YORK BOSTON

NEW YORK MARKETS IN STATE OF SUSPENSE.

AWAITING DEVELOPMENTS IN WAR SITUATION.

General Tone Strong and Helped by Belief That the List Was Oversold.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, Jan. 17.—The improved prospects in South Africa and the official confirmation that General Buller had defeated the Boers, although no particulars were forthcoming, caused the London market to finish strong. Canada, all together, advanced some ¼ per cent on the day, which was generally taken as a sure indication of an important improvement in the British position. American stocks finished above parity.

Markets were more or less in a state of suspense in New York, waiting for developments in the European situation. There was some buying of Tobacco on dividend rumors. It was reported that the American Tobacco Company would show earnings exceeding 8 per cent on the stock. The weakness in Third Avenue caused traction stocks to ease off, but bear covering strengthened them. After the close of London arbitrage business, foreign houses were buyers of international stocks. In spite of rumors and reports of strikes in the steel trade, steel stocks were unaffected and were well supported, especially by the Pittsburg interests. The decline in the price of wheat was expected to adversely affect grainer stocks, but operators hesitated to sell them, in view of the possibility of their being caught by news of a British victory. The tone of the whole market was strong, and it was especially helped by the belief that the list was all more or less oversold. In fact, the dealings in the earlier part of the day were mostly for bear coverings. Transactions were very limited.

The market closed near the best in all departments, some stocks being helped by operators inclined to take a bear view both on account of the possibility of favorable news from South Africa. There was a little more outside buying, especially of railroad stocks, and in spite of the fact that the dividend announcements seem likely to be disappointing in Baltimore and Ohio, there was some good inside buying. Part of interest in steel stocks was due to the strength of the present holdings seemed quite sufficient to offset the effect of possible strikes.

The Baltimore and Ohio statement, issued to-day, shows that the company has earned during the last six months 6¼ per cent on its common stock. It is not believed, however, by well-informed quarters, that anything will be paid on the common and most of the earnings will be used for betterments, either. The Vanderbilt policy is in the direction of spending the earnings upon betterments. The Illinois Central has declared its regular semi-annual dividend of 2½ per cent. The course the subsidy bill will take in Congress is still uncertain and the general belief is that it will not get through without a fight. No strike is likely on the Louisville railways. The directors offered an advance of 6% per cent in wages. The Pennsylvania Company is also advancing its men's wages. The dissentient stockholders of the Consolidated Gas Company will fight against the purchase of the New York Edison Electric at the meeting on the 23d. The vote on the currency bill will be taken on February 5, instead of February 8, as before agreed.

In the present oversold state of the market, it is generally agreed that a decisive British victory would bring an advance all around. Money easy at 2½ per cent.

New York Stock Quotations.

The following shows the opening, highest, lowest and closing quotations on the New York Stock Exchange yesterday, corrected daily for The Republic by D. R. Francis, Bro. & Co., bonds and stocks, 400 Olive street.

Stocks	Sales	Open	High	Low	Clos	Yes.
Am. Car & Fdry	1,600	35	35½	35	35	35
Do. pfd					90½	90½
Amer. Spirits	100	5½	5½	5½	5½	5½
Amer. Linseed Oil	2,500	14½	15½	14½	14½	14½
Do. pfd	300	34½	35½	34½	34½	35½
Am. Sugar, R. R.	1,700	27½	28	27½	27½	28½
Do. pfd	10	85	85	85	85	85
Am. Steel Hoop	100	41	41	41	41	42
Do. pfd	100	81			81	82
Am. Steel & W.	4,225	46½	47½	46½	46½	46½
Do. pfd						80½
Amer. Sugar Ref.	2,700	117½	118½	117½	118½	117
Amer. Tin Plate	1,200	27	28	26½	28	26½
Do. pfd						60
Amer. Tobacco	2,300	93	100½	93	99½	96½
A. T. & S. F.	100	38	38	38	38	38½
Do. pfd	1,200	80	80½	80	80½	80½
Baltimore & Ohio	8,200	38½	39½	38½	38½	38½
Do. pfd	4,500	74½	75½	74½	74½	74½
Brook. Rap. Tran.	15,700	49½	50½	49½	50½	49½
Central of N. J.	100	192	192	192	192	186½
Ches. & Ohio	3,400	20½	20½	20½	20½	20
C. B. & Q.	4,195	121	121½	121	120½	121
Chi. Great West.	2,110	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½
Do. pfd. "A"	400	47	47	47	47	47
Do. pfd. "C"	100	47	47	47	47	47
C. M. & St. P.	2,110	116½	116½	115½	116	117
C. R. I. & P.	2,500	97½	97½	96½	96½	97½
Consolidated Gas	200	175	175	175	175	175½
C. C. C. & I.	100	60½	60½	60½	60½	60½
Cuban Sug. & Trust	2,300	40½	40½	40½	40½	42½
Cumberland Gas	200	155	155	155	155	155
Del. & Hud.	1,200	150	150	149½	150	150
Do. L. & W.	400	244	245	244	245	245
D. & R. G.	100	19½	19½	19½	19½	19½
Do. pfd	700	76½	76½	76½	76½	76½
Federal Steel	4,725	45½	46½	45½	46½	46½
Do. pfd	1,000	74½	75½	74½	75½	75½
General Electric	100	165			165	165
Illinois Central	100	118	118	118	118	118
Lacleede Gas	100	70			70	70
Lake Erie & West					15	15
Do. pfd					70	70
L. & N.	3,265	80	81	80	80½	80½
Manhattan "L"	2,100	97½	98½	97½	98½	97½
Metro. St. Ry.	3,400	165½	166	165	165½	165½
M. K. & T.					20	20
Do. pfd	200	50	50	50	50	50
Missouri Pacific	1,200	47	47½	47	47½	47½
National Biscuit					100	100
National Lead					25	25
Do. pfd	100	115	115	115	115	115
N. Y. Gas, L. & W.	100	97	97	97	97	97
New York Central	2,300	134½	135½	134½	135½	134½
N. Y. Chic. & W.	100	14	14	14	14	14
Norfolk & West	2,100	24½	24½	24	24½	24½
Do. pfd	1,000	74½	74½	74½	74½	74½
Northern Pacific	1,000	55½	55½	55	55½	55½
Do. pfd	1,300	74	74½	73	74½	73½
Pacific Mail	1,000	45½	45½	45	45	45
Pacific Tele.	100	29½	29½	29½	29½	29½
Pacific Coast	1,300	85½	85½	84½	85½	85½
Do. 1st pfd						90
Do. 2d pfd						80
Pullman Palace Car	100	204			204	204
Pipe Line Certificates	700	86	86	86	86	86
Reading						25½
Do. 1st pfd	200	50½			50½	50½
Do. 2d pfd						26½
St. L. & S. F.						30
Do. 1st pfd						70
Do. 2d pfd						65
St. L. Southwest.	100	16½			16½	16½
Do. pfd	200	28½			28½	28½
Southern Pacific	6,100	33½	34	33½	33½	33½
Southern Railway	1,100	11½	11½	11½	11½	11½
Do. pfd	500	34½	34½	34½	34½	34½
Tenn. Coal & Iron	800	81½	81½	81½	81½	81
Union Bag & P.	100	19			19	19
Do. pfd	100	84			84	84
Union Pacific	3,500	63½	63½	63½	63½	63½
Do. pfd	1,000	74½	75½	74½	75½	74½
U. S. Leather	36,700	17½	17½	16½	17½	16½
Do. pfd	500	74½	74½	74½	74½	74½
U. S. Rubber						30
Do. pfd	100	80½			80½	80½
Wabash pfd	100	20½			20½	20½
Wheeling & L. E.	700	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½
Do. pfd	700	37½	37½	37½	37½	37½
Wis. Central W. L.	100	9½			9½	9½
Do. pfd	300	24½			24½	24½
Wis. Pin & Steel	100	20½	20½	20½	20½	20½
Do. pfd	100	50½	50½	50½	50½	50½

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BROADWAY, Cor. Locust.

Bond Sales at New York.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, Jan. 17.—Sales of bonds were made here to-day as follows:

First Call.

$8,000 Atch gen 4s 96½	20,000 M P 1st con 92
10,000 Do adj 50½	10,000 Do 5s 2d 92½
2,000 Ad Ex 4s 105½	1,000 N Y C 7s 134
10,000 B & O 5s 114	8,000 N & W gen 5s 120
31,000 B & O 4s 103½	12,000 N P 3d 114½
50,000 B & O S W 100½	2,000 O R N con 5s 120
1,000 B & P 5s 94	3,000 O S L 1st 5s 110
8,000 Balt. Un. 4s 102	1,000 P E 2d 4s 76
1,000 H & W A W 5s 75	12,000 Reading gen 4s 95½
2,000 Cent Pac 1st 6s 117	2,000 St L I M gen 5s 107
20,000 C & O gen 4½s 97½	10,000 St L S W 1st 4s 88½
1,000 C H Q deb 5s 107	5,000 S A A P 4s 77
1,000 Do Iowa 4s 102	2,000 Sou Pac 4s 88½
20,000 Do Ill div 3½s 97	1,000 Do Ariz 6s 105
12,000 C & N W gen 5s 137½	5,000 Tex & Pac 1st 5s 110
8,000 C M & St. L 7s 120	1,000 Do 2d inc 5s 30
1,000 Do 1st 4s 95	1,000 Va fund deb 2s 50
5,000 Col Mid 5s 50	1,000 Wab 1st 5s 111½
6,000 Do 1st 4s 75	2,000 Do 2d 5s 104
1,000 C B & Q 1st 5s 114	1,000 W S gen 4s 102½
1,000 Do 4s 99½	4,000 Do W N Y & P 5s 110
1,000 C & N W con 7s 140	5,000 W N Y & P 5s 109
1,000 Do S F deb 5s 120	1,000 Do 2d inc 50

Second Call.

10,000 Atch gen 4s 95½	1,000 L S & M S 6s 128
1,000 A N W 1st 5s 113	1,000 L S & M S 6s 128
2,000 B & O S W 5s 100	1,000 L S & M S 6s 128
1,000 Balt. Un. 4s 102	1,000 M S P & S S M con 4s 116
12,000 C B & Q Neb. 4s 100	15,000 N Y C 4s 105½
10,000 C M & St. P 5s 116	2,000 N Y E G 4s 85
2,000 C P 5s 94	1,000 N Y O W 4s 39
2,000 C R I & P 4s 95½	10,000 R G W 4s 89
1,000 C C C & I 6s 120	2,000 St L S W 1st 4s 90
6,000 C H Q 4s 102½	2,000 St L I M & S con 5s 110
6,000 C P 1st 6s 115½	1,000 St L S W 2d 4s 70
2,000 Do 5s 116	1,000 Tex N 5s 90
1,000 C R I & G 4s 98	5,000 T P W 5s 112
10,000 Erie gen 4s 76	2,000 T P 4s 80
5,000 Ft W D C 6s 70	2,000 Mid Fund deb 5s 108½
4,000 H T C gen 6s 84½	2,000 Wab deb 5s 79
4,000 I C 4s 97	1,000 W C 4s 80

Third Call.

1,000 Ad Ex 4s 105½	1,000 N P 6s 125½
1,000 Atch 4s 95½	1,000 N Y C L 4s 102
1,000 B & O S W 5s 100	1,000 N Y C 7s 134
1,000 Do S W 2d 5s 97½	4,000 Ogn S Line 5s 120
1,000 F & P M 6s 124	2,000 R 6s 125½
1,000 H A 4s 99½	25,000 Do 4s 102½
1,000 K C Ft S 1st 6s 120	1,000 S R 6s 125
1,000 L & N 10s 140	4,000 S F 4s 87
1,000 M C con 4s 112½	1,000 E I 4s 96
1,000 Do 5s 125	1,000 St L S W 5s 110
1,000 Do 1st 6s 96	5,000 St L I M & S 5s 110
5,000 M C 2d 7s 119	1,000 Reading 4s 87½
9,000 Mex Pac 3d inc 110	4,000 W C 4s 80
1,000 Do 2d inc 82½	9,000 Wab deb 5s 79½
1,000 N C & T 4s 95	
1,000 N & W 6s 120	

New York Curb Stocks.

Reported daily by D. R. Francis, Bro. & Co., 404 Olive street.

	Bid	Asked
American Air Power	40	50
Bicycle	18	19
Do. pfd	36	39
American Woolen	23½	24½
Do. pfd	77½	78½
Amsterdam Gas	12	16
Do. pfd	40	45
Amalgamated Copper	87½	87
Distilling Company of America	6½	7
Do. pfd	20½	21
Havana Commercial	14	16
Do. pfd	38½	41
National Salt	95	98
Do. pfd	87	89
Otis Elevator	29	30
Do. pfd	70	75
Royal Baking Powder	94	95
Rubber	25	30
Do. pfd	75	80
Standard Oil	492½	495
Sloss Iron	28	30
Do. pfd	68	70
Trust Company of America	194	200
Cast Iron Pipe	38	40
Do. pfd	42	44

Chicago Stocks and Bonds.

Reported daily by D. R. Francis, Bro. & Co., 404 Olive street.

	High.	Low.
Diamond Match	132½	132
National Carbon	18	17½
Do. pfd	83½	81½
National Biscuit	26½	26
Do. pfd	91	91

	Bid	Asked
West Chicago Street Railway	79	80
Metropolitan West Side Elevated	34	35
Money	3½	4½
Sterling	4½	5½
Atchison, Coin Plane	3	4
Do. pfd		Close
Diamond Match	131	132
National Carbon	17½	18
Do. pfd	81½	83½
National Biscuit	26	26½
Do. pfd	91	92
Swift	71	72
Swift Packing	3½	4½
Chicago Ice	2½	3½
Chicago Ice Securities	3½	4½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series A	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series B	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series C	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series D	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series E	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series F	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series G	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series H	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series I	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series J	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series K	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series L	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series M	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series N	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series O	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series P	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series Q	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series R	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series S	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series T	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series U	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series V	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series W	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series X	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series Y	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series Z	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series AA	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series BB	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series CC	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series DD	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series EE	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series FF	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series GG	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series HH	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series II	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series JJ	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series KK	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series LL	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series MM	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series NN	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series OO	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series PP	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series QQ	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series RR	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series SS	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series TT	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series UU	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series VV	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series WW	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series XX	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series YY	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series ZZ	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series AAA	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series BBB	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series CCC	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series DDD	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series EEE	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series FFF	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series GGG	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series HHH	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series III	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series JJJ	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series KKK	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series LLL	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series MMM	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series NNN	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series OOO	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series PPP	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series QQQ	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series RRR	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series SSS	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series TTT	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series UUU	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series VVV	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series WWW	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series XXX	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series YYY	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series ZZZ	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series AAAA	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series BBBB	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series CCCC	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series DDDD	1½	2½
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Chicago Ice Securities, Series IIII	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series JJJJ	1½	2½
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Chicago Ice Securities, Series XXXXX	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series YYYYY	1½	2½
Chicago Ice Securities, Series ZZZZZ	1½	2½

Stocks and Bonds in Boston.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 17.—The closing quotations on money and stocks were:

Money.

Call loans 3@4. Time loans 4@4½.

Stocks.

A. T. & S. F.	31	Mexican Central	7
Do. pfd	80	Mex. Nat. Transit	4
Atlantic Sugar	15½	Mex. Nat. Telegraph	10
Do. pfd	75	Old Colony	200
Bos. Telephone	5½	Old Dominion	25
Bos. Land Bank	12	Union Pacific	3½
Boston Electric	2½	Union Land	1½
Boston & Maine	170	West End	90
B. & A.	75	Westinghouse Elec.	14
B. & M. pfd	75	Wolverine	1
General Electric	2	Wolverine pfd	4
Do. pfd	5	Do. pfd	1
Dominion Coal	2	Do. pfd	4
Do. pfd	8		

Bonds.

Atchison 4s	95

Mining Shares.

Adventure	4	Phoenix	4½
Allouez Min.	2	Quincy	87
Amalgam	1½	Santa Fe Copper	8½
Atlantic	26	Tamarack	150
Bingham & Mont.	20	Trinity	14
Butte & Boston	30	Utah	10
Calumet & Ariz.	65	Winona	5
Calumet & Hecla	475	Wolverine	115
Centennial	17	Wyoming	1
Franklin	8		
Humboldt	25		

State Bonds.

New York, Jan. 17.—State bonds firm.

Tennessee new 3s	75
North Carolina 4s	96
N. C. 6s	128
Virginia 6s, deferred 3s	5
Virginia 2-3s	76
Virginia 10-40s	60

Government Bonds.

New York, Jan. 17.—Government bonds firm.

United States 2s, registered	107½
United States 2s, coupon	107½
United States new 4s, registered	137
United States new 4s, coupon	137
United States old 4s, registered	112
United States old 4s, coupon	112
United States 5s, registered	113
United States 5s, coupon	113
District of Columbia 3.65s	122

Pittsburg Stocks.

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	Bid	Asked
Pittsburg Plate Glass	119	125
Westinghouse Air Brake	90	95

Miscellaneous Securities.

Amal. Copper	70½	71
Am. Air Power	40	50
Bicycle Co. Chicago	18	19
Do. pfd	36	39
Buffalo Gas of Ann.	4	6
Do. pfd	8	12
Do. pfd	40	45
Do. pfd	75	80
Electric Construction	3	5
Hom. Coal and Coke	2	4
General Storage Co.	1	3
Do. pfd	5	7
Do. pfd	20	25
Do. pfd	75	80
Do. Trans.	1	3
Int. Steam Pump	15	25
Do. pfd	75	80
International Power Co.	15	25
St. L. Gas & Fuel	3	5
Do. pfd	25	28
Do. pfd	75	80
Mathieson Cyanide	12½	15
National Stereoptikon	40	45
National Salt Company	87	89
Do. pfd	75	80
Nev. Consolidated Trust	3½	4½
New York Cubicle Trust	95	98
Otis Elevator	29	30
Do. pfd	70	75
Photogram, Horse Collar	4	5
Do. pfd	25	30
Do. pfd	75	80
Royal Baking Powder	94	95
Standard Oil	492½	495
Sloss Iron	28	30
Do. pfd	68	70
Union Steel and Chain	25	30
Do. pfd	75	80

FOREIGN FINANCE.

England.

London, Jan. 17.—Consols for money 101 7-16, for the account 101 9-16. The English funds were steadier on the Boer reverse, although Indian Paris reported selling. The Paris bourse was firmer. The United States 5s were more in request than for some days. Money was in good demand at 2@2½ per cent. The open market rate of discount for the open market is quoted at 2½ per cent for short bills. Silver bullion bills and notes were steady. Mexican dollars were in better demand. The Sandes Bacharach Company reported the following quotations: Silver bullion, 27 9-16d per oz. Mexican dollars, 27d. Chilean, 27 11-16d. Balance, 30,000.

Philadelphia, Jan. 17.—Clearings $1,270,000, balances $1,000.

Boston, Jan. 17.—Clearings $1,000,000, balances $1,000.

Chicago, Jan. 17.—Clearings $2,000,000, balances $1,000.

Baltimore, Jan. 17.—Clearings $1,000,000, balances $1,000.

Cincinnati, Jan. 17.—Clearings $1,000,000, balances $1,000.

New Orleans, Jan. 17.—Clearings $1,000,000, balances $1,000.

Pittsburg, Jan. 17.—Clearings $1,000,000, balances $1,000.

Kansas City, Jan. 17.—Clearings $1,000,000, balances $1,000.

St. Louis, Jan. 17.—Clearings $1,000,000, balances $1,000.

Foreign Exchange.

The market was dull and nominally steady. Sterling was in good demand.

According to cable advices received by D. R. Francis, Bro. & Co., foreign quotations were as follows:

Prime sterling cables 4 87@4 87½, checks 4 87@4 87½, sixty days 4 84@4 84½.

Commercial bankers' cables 4 86, sixty days 4 83½@4 83¾.

Posts 4 88@4 89.

Berlin bills 94½, cables bills 94¾.

Reichsmarks, cables 94¾, checks 94½@94¾, sixty days 94.

Swiss francs, cables 5 14, checks 5 15@5 15½, sixty days 5 17½.

Guilders, cables 40¼, checks 40¼, sixty days 40.

Belgian francs, cables 5 14, checks 5 15@5 15½, sixty days 5 17½.

Danish francs, cables 22½, checks 22½, sixty days 22¾.

Commercial reichsmark, checks 94 15-16@95, sixty days 94½, ninety days 93¾.

Bankers' francs, cables 5 14, sixty days 5 17½.

Commercial checks 40@40 1-16, sixty days 39 15-16@40.

Coffee.

New York, Jan. 17.—The market for coffee opened with the prices higher and advanced 5@10 points on firmer cables, Paris buying, smaller receipts and large warehouse deliveries. There were fractional periods, the general rolling of the market was dull. Closing firm 5@5 points net advance. Total sales 26,250 bags, including Jan. 6.50, March 6.60@6.65, May 6.70@6.75, June 6.75, July 6.75@6.80, Aug. 6.80, Sept. 6.85, Oct. 6.90@6.95, Nov. 6.95@7.00, Dec. 7.00. Spot Rio, quiet; No. 7 jobbing 7.50@7.75. Mild, steady; Cordova 8@11½.

Metal Market.

New York, Jan. 17.—The drift doing in the metal market was not of a startling nature and were some changes particularly important. Tin settled to a slightly enhancing a decline above quoted, with trading at the close at 29.50@29.60. Lead was dull, but firmer on bumpers at $4.30, on spot and $4.30@4.35 asked for futures. Spelter ruled quiet at $4.30 bid and $4.37½ asked. Copper steady, $17.50