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By George J. Gould, President.
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Dated, June 26, 1900.

SEALED bids will be received by the undersigned, County Treasurer of Pendleton County, at Caruthersville, Mo., until noon on Saturday, July 28, 1900, for the purchase of eight thousand ($8,000) dollars of Pendleton County Jail Bonds, dated July 1, 1900, due and payable in twenty years with the option in the County to redeem in ten years from date, and bearing interest at the rate of five (5) per cent per annum, payable semiannually. Said bids will be opened in the presence of the County Court, and the right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

T. H. PATTERSON,
June 26, 1900. County Treasurer.

ADVANCED BANK RATE AFFECTED LONDON MARKET.

CAUSED GENERAL DEPRESSION.

Steel Stocks Showed Fair Strength in New York—B. & O. Common Rather Heavy.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, July 19.—The advance in the London bank rate from 3 to 4 per cent was the most important incident on the other side and depressed the market generally. American stocks were lower, but closed fairly steady. Foreign bourses and the general market in London were heavy. The bank return indicated a steady outflow of gold to European centers from London. The advance in the price of money in the open discount market was also noticeable, and was taken here to be an indication of further gold shipments and of gradually hardening the money rates.

In the local market London was an unexpectedly small seller and such stock as came out in Union Pacific at any rate was well taken. It looked as if inside interests were the principal buyers. The general list was necessarily lower in sympathy with London, but showed, upon the whole, fair strength in a dull and narrow market. Some attempt was made to bring pressure to bear upon the grangers, with a renewal of the story of drought in the corn belt, but it was rather a failure. The steel stocks showed very fair strength on the rumors of an international arrangement between German, British and American producers to arrange mutually favorable terms of working. The Sugar dividend, although still a good way off, was discussed pretty freely, and it was generally believed that the common stock would be restored to the old basis.

B. & O. common was rather heavy, and the best information obtainable did not point to more than a 2 per cent dividend flat. Ontario and Western was firm and it was generally believed that the voting trust would be dissolved in the fall, and the question of a dividend seriously considered. The loan crowd operations showed considerable less scarcity of stock and looked as if the fair dearer money had brought out stocks. Rails closed inactive, but hard, and all the interest centered in the industrial stocks.

Sugar was bid up in the shorts on the expectation of a further advance in the price of refined and on the present earnings of the company. Steel Hoop was the strongest of steel stocks on dividend talk and the possibility of an agreement among the companies to fix prices had a very favorable effect. The transactions on the day were not large and the foreign outlook checked outside interest.

The most serious part of the Chinese situation is the danger that the real or alleged attack upon Russian territory may be made an excuse for independent action by that Power and so increase the possibility of a disagreement with the other nations interested, particularly Japan. The decline in German Imperial bonds and credits indicates that the position is regarded in London and Berlin with serious anxiety, but it by no means follows that it should exercise a very adverse effect upon American railroad stock. War in the Far East at any rate will mean additional trade to the shipping company on the Pacific Coast and transportation of troops, fuel and stores of all kinds will easily stimulate activity in the West. The strength of the coal roads is probable due to the increasing demand for Europe and the production of bituminous coal in England for various reasons seems to be seriously checked. The first cargo of Pennsylvania soft coal from Philadelphia to London leaves in a few days. Louisville earnings show an increase of $7,886 for the second week in July.

A further advance in the price of refined sugar is freely talked about, and the action of the German Sugar Trust in forcing up the price of beet sugar reacts favorably upon this market. Iron reports seem to indicate that the low prices now reached tend rather to frighten purchasers than to attract them. Crop reports from the West and Southwest, in spite of talk of rain damage, are upon the whole, favorable, and the movement in the granger stocks rather give the idea that the price of corn has been manipulated by operators who sold the granger stocks against their operations on the bull side in corn.

New York Stock Quotations.

St. Louis, Thursday, July 19, 1900.

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, 214 North Fourth street.

Stocks.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes.
Am. Car & Fdy.	300	34½	....	....	34½	34½
Do. pfd		....	....	....	....	64½
Am. Cotton Oil		....	....	....	....	34½
Am. Linseed Oil	200	11	....	....	11	11
Do. pfd	300	25½	....	....	25½	24
Am. Sugar. & Ref		....	....	....	....	127½
Do. pfd		....	....	....	....	112½
Am. Steel Hoop	2,600	35½	37	35½	36½	35¼
Do. pfd	100	84	84½	84	84½	83
Am. Steel & Wire	9,100	32	33½	32	33½	32½
Do. pfd	300	73½	73½	73½	73½	73½
Am. Sugar Ref	47,800	121½	124½	121½	124½	122½
Amer. Tobacco	100	124	124	124	124	124
Do. pfd	21,300	79	80½	79	80	78
Amer. Tobacco	100	80½	81½	80½	81½	81½
A., T. & S. F.	300	27½	27½	27½	27½	26½
Do. pfd	4,200	52	52½	52	52½	52½
Baltimore & Ohio	1,200	77	77½	77	77½	77½
Do. pfd	200	80½	80½	80½	80½	81
Bklyn. Rap. Tran	8,400	34	34½	33½	34½	34½
Can. So. New Jer.	100	120½	....	....	120½	120½
Ches. & Ohio	1,100	35½	36½	35½	36½	35½
C., B. & Q.	2,900	125½	125½	125	125½	125½
Chi. Great West.	100	16½	16½	16½	16½	16½
C., M. & St. P.	8,400	110½	111	110½	111	111
C., R. I. & P.	1,054	109½	109½	108½	109½	108½
C., C., C. & St. L.	100	84½	....	....	84½	84
Chi. Fed. & Iron	200	32½	32½	32	32	32½
Consol. Gas		....	....	....	....	179½
Cont. Tobacco	100	37½	....	....	37½	37½
Do. pfd		....	....	....	....	79
Del., Lack. & W.		....	....	....	....	164½
Denv. & Rio Gr.		....	....	....	....	18
Do. pfd	100	66	....	....	66	66
Federal Steel	5,100	42½	42½	42½	42½	42½
Do. pfd	3,000	67	69½	67	69½	67
Glucose Refining		....	....	....	....	42
Illinois Central	1,000	116½	116½	116½	116½	116½
Lake Erie & West.		....	....	....	....	17
Lake Erie & W. pfd		....	....	....	....	78
Louis. & Nash.	1,935	72½	72½	72½	72½	72½
Manhattan "L"	1,100	88½	89½	88½	89½	88½
Metro. St. Ry.	400	151½	151½	151	151	150½
Mex. Cent. Ltd.	200	40½	40½	40½	40½	39½
Mo., Kan. & Tex.		....	....	....	....	8
Do. pfd	200	21	....	....	21	21½
Missouri Pacific	7,200	50½	50½	49½	50	51
National Biscuit		....	....	....	....	39
Do. pfd		....	....	....	....	129
National Lead	100	19	....	....	19	19
Do. pfd	1,100	97½	98	97½	98	97½
New York Central	1,400	130½	130½	129½	130½	129½
N. Y. O. & W.	1,100	17½	17½	17½	17½	17½
Norfolk & West.	2,900	34½	34½	33½	33½	34½
Do. pfd		....	....	....	....	76
Northern Pacific	3,600	70½	70½	69½	70½	70½
Do. pfd		....	....	....	....	77
Pacific Mail	1,100	29½	32	29½	31	29½
Pennsylvania	1,958	128	128	127½	127½	128
People's Gas	2,400	93½	94½	93½	93½	93½
Pressed Steel Car	100	43½	....	....	43½	44
Do. pfd	100	76½	76½	76½	76½	76
Reading	300	19½	....	....	19½	17
Do. 1st pfd	1,400	38½	38½	38½	38½	38½
Do. 2d pfd		....	....	....	....	26½
St. L. & S. F.		....	....	....	....	34½
Do. 1st pfd		....	....	....	....	69½
Do. 2d pfd	100	33½	....	....	33½	33
St. L. Southwest.	100	16	....	....	16	16½
Do. pfd	100	35½	35½	35½	35½	35½
Southern Pacific	2,600	32½	32½	32½	32½	32½
Southern Railway	200	31	....	....	31	31½
Do. pfd	300	81½	....	....	81½	81½
Tenn. Coal & Iron	2,100	67½	67½	67½	67	67
Texas & Pacific	300	14½	15	14½	15	14
U. Bag & Paper		....	....	....	....	15
Do. pfd		....	....	....	....	50
Union Pacific	20,125	56½	57½	55½	57½	55½
Do. pfd	1,035	72½	72½	72½	72½	72
U. S. Leather		....	....	....	....	9
Do. pfd		....	....	....	....	67½
U. S. Rubber		....	....	....	....	34½
Wabash deb. Bs	33	....	....	....	82	82½
Do. pfd		....	....	....	....	20½
West. Union Tel	100	93½	....	....	93½	93½
Wis. Cent. W. I.		....	....	....	....	14½
Do. pfd. W. I.		....	....	....	....	39
Rep. I. & S.	100	12	....	....	12	11½
Do. pfd	1,400	94½	95	94	94	93½
Third Ave.	200	110½	110½	110	110	109

BOND SALES AT NEW YORK.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, July 19.—Sales of bonds were made here to-day as follows:

First Call.

21,000 Atch gen 4s	101½	5,000 Mex Int con 4s	89½
25,000 Do adj	83½	10,000 M K T 1st 4s	91½
12,000 A N W 1st 5s	97½	3,000 Do of 1904 2d	71½
2,000 Ann Arbor 1st 4s	91	1,000 M P 1st con 5s	116
3,000 Ann S P Mtg 4s	98	2,000 M O new 6s	123
14,000 B O 3½s	94½	1,000 Do gen 4s	85
63,000 Do 4s	104½	15,000 N Y C L S 4½s	98
2,000 B R T 5s	104½	2,000 N Y O W ref 4s	50
10,000 C P and S 5s	101	5,000 N P 3s	64½
2,000 C O con 5s	115½	7,000 N and W con 5s	97½
5,000 Do gen 4s	99½	10,000 N P gen 3s	66½
12,000 C B Q Ill 1st 3½s	102½	1,000 O S L 1st con 5s	111½
9,000 C M & St P gen 4s	110½	4,000 Penna 4s	102½
23,000 C R I P gen 4s	101½	23,000 R G W 1st 4s	86
23,000 C R I P gen 4s	106½	2,000 R D con 6s	126½
45,000 D R G con 4s	97½	10,000 St L S F gen 5s	108½
8,000 Erie 1st con 4s	99½	6,000 St L I M gen 5s	110
2,000 E C 4s of 1903	101½	10,000 Do 4s	93½
20,000 I C West line 5s	113½	1,000 S A A P 4s	75½
10,000 L N Mo and C 1st 4s	105½	5,000 St L S W 2d 4s	88
10,000 L N Ore ref 4s	127	3,000 S P C 4s	89
5,000 Did 4s	94½	12,000 So R R 1st 5s	108½
2,000 Man con 4s	101	1,000 Stand Tube 6s	73
2,000 Met st gen 7s	119	11,000 T P 1st 5s	112½
2,000 Mich Cent 1st 5s	112½	5,000 U P 1st 4s	105½
10,000 Mex Cent 1st	134	24,000 U S As coup of 1925	124

Second Call.

5,000 Atch adj	83½	5,000 Man con 4s	101
42,000 Do 4s	104½	1,000 N P 3s	65½
1,000 B C R 1st 5s	107½	1,000 N Y C L S 4s	98
2,000 B O 6s	120½	2,000 Do 3s	97½
10,000 Do S W 3½s	88½	1,000 N & W gen 6s	130
4,000 Colo So 4s	89½	1,000 O R N 4s	103½
1,000 C & O 4½s	99½	10,000 So R R 5s	109
10,000 C P 5s	115½	4,000 St P M M 4s	100
10,000 K C F and C 1st 5s	70	1,000 Do 6s	118½
1,000 L & N 4s	94	22,000 T P 1st 5s	107½
		19,000 Wab 2d	106½

Third Call.

5,000 Atch 4s	102½	Do	98½
2,000 Do adj	83½	2,000 M K East 1st 5s	103½
3,000 B O 4s	99½		102½
5,000 C O W deb. 5s	83	10,000 Rdg 4s	89½
2,000 E T H & M 4s	100½	2,000 St L I M 4s	79½
		20,000 St L S W 1st 4s	88
1,000 L N U 4s	94½		88
2,000 Man 4s	101½	3,000 T P 4s	102½
2,000 M K T 4s	91½	2,000 W B 4s	113
10,000 Mex Cent 1st		10,000 W V 4½s	105½

Pittsburg Stocks.

St. Louis, Thursday, July 19, 1900.

Received daily by D. R. Francis, Bro. & Co., 214 North Fourth street.

	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburg Plate Glass	195½	199
Westinghouse Air Brake	179	183

New York Curb Stocks.

St. Louis, Thursday, July 19, 1900.

Received daily by D. R. Francis, Bro. & Co., 214 North Fourth street.

Close—	Bid.	Ask.
American Air Power	26	28
American Bicycle	6¾	7½
Do. pfd	24	26
American Woolen	13½	14
Do. pfd	73½	74½
Colorado and Alton subs	103½	108½
Cast Iron Pipe	4½	5
Do. pfd	28	30½
Electric Boat	16	18
Do. pfd	30	35
Electric Vehicle	18	20
Cerrinos	6½	6¾
Havana Commercial	8½	9½
Do. pfd	36	40
International Pump	18	19½
Do. pfd	60½	62½
National Salt	43½	45
Do. pfd	68½	70
New York Electric Vehicle	7	8
New England Electric Vehicle	4	4½
Otis Elevator	28	29

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Chicago Stocks and Bonds.

St. Louis, Thursday, July 19, 1900.

Received daily by D. R. Francis, Bro. & Co., 214 North Fourth street.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Close.
Union Traction		31½	31½	31½
Do. pfd		79½	79½	79½
Metropolitan West Side Elevated		37½	37½	37½
Do. pfd		94	94	94
Diamond Match		154	154	154
Sears Roebuck		131	131	131
Chicago City Ry.		200	200	200
Chicago Cons. Traction		1½	1½	1½
Chicago City 5 per cent bonds		114	114	114
West Chicago Street Railway		39½	39½	39½
Diamond Match		154	154½	154
South Side Elevated		80		
American Brewing		34		
National Biscuit		39	39½	39
Do. pfd		84	84	84
Lindell Oil		31	31½	31
Do. pfd		77	77½	77
Metropolitan West Side Elevated		37	37½	37
Do. pfd		94	94	94
National Carbon		79	79½	79

STOCKS AND BONDS IN BOSTON.

Boston, Mass., July 19.—Following are the quotations on money, stocks and bonds:

Money.

Call loans, 2@3½; time loans, 3@4.

Stocks.

A., T. & S. F.	27½	Do pfd	52½
Do. pfd	52½	Mexican Central	17
American Sugar	124½	General Electric	175
Do. pfd	127½	N. E. Gas & Coke	17½
Bell Telephone	144½	Old Colony	200
Boston Elevated	147	Old Dominion	30
Boston & Maine	188	Union Pacific	47½
Bos. & Prov.	280	West End	83
Dominion Coal	37½	West. Electric	46
Dominion Coal pfd	119½		
Federal Steel	42½		
Do. pfd	69½		

Bonds.

N. E. Gas & Coke Sec. 4s	100½		

Mining Shares.

Adventure	1	Osceola	84
Allouez Mining	3	Parrot	47
Arizona Copper	8½	Quincy	146
Atlantic	25	Santa Fe Copper	7½
Bost. & Mont.	39½	Tamarack	190
Butte & Boston	63	Trap Mining	2½
Calumet & Hecla	520	Winona	5
Centennial	14	Arnold	2½
Franklin	11		

Government Bonds.

New York, July 19.—Government bonds strong.

United States 2s, reg. when issued, cou.	96
United States 2s, reg.	96
United States 2s, coup.	96
United States 5s, reg.	106½
United States 5s, coup.	107½
United States new 4s, reg.	137½
United States new 4s, coup.	138½
United States old 4s, reg.	112½
United States old 4s, coup.	112½
United States 3s, reg.	109
United States 3s, coup.	109½
District of Columbia 3.65s	125

FOREIGN FINANCE.

England.

London, July 19.—Consols for money 97⅞, consols for account 97 15-16. Atchison 26¾, Canadian Pacific 87⅞, Erie 14¼, Illinois Central 116½, Louisville 72½, Union Pacific preferred 57½, New York Central 130½, Erie 15½, Pennsylvania 60½, Reading 9⅝, Erie first preferred 35¼, Northern Pacific preferred 73¼, Grand Trunk 6¾, Anaconda 8, Rand Mines 5⅝, Money 2½ per cent. Rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3⅞ per cent and for three months' bills 3⅞@4 per cent.

The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Reserve increased £81,000, circulation increased £18,000, bullion decreased £15,000; other securities decreased £1,507,000; other deposits decreased £1,176,000; public deposits increased £1,000; other securities increased £9,000; Government securities decreased £6,000.

The proportion of the Bank of England's reserve to liability is 51.11 per cent. Last week it was 56.87 per cent. Rate of discount 4 per cent.

Germany.

Berlin, July 19.—Exchange on London 20 marks 40½ pfgs. for checks. Discount rates, short bills 3½ per cent; three months' bills 4 per cent. Prices opened firm on the Bourse to-day, subsequently slightly reacted in consequence of lower quotations from London, but rallied again and closed with a fairly general advance. This upward movement was most prominent in railroad and mine shares, prices being stimulated by the lower quotations of corn and the more favorable reports from the American iron market. American securities were dull.

France.

Paris, July 19.—On the Bourse to-day prices were weak, owing to the advance in London bank rate from 3 per cent to 4 per cent, although money here was more favorable in consequence of the reduced discount rate of the Bank of France. Rio Tintos closed firm. Debeers were weaker. Kaffirs improved slightly at the close. Three per cent rentes 99 62½. Exchange on London 25 for cheques and 25 15 for short sight. Bank of France shows the following changes: Notes in circulation decreased 21,500,000, Treasury accounts current decreased 21,000,000, gold in hand increased 11,000,000, bills discounted increased 4,000,000, silver in hand increased 37,000.

The Banks.

New York, July 19.—Money on call steady; Paris, prime mercantile paper 4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87 for demand and $4.83½@4.84 for sixty days; posted rates $4.84@4.84½; commercial bills $4.82@4.82½. Silver certificates 61c@62c. Mexican dollars 48c. Exchange $126,000; balances $9,000,000.

Philadelphia, July 19.—Clearings $13,476,661; balances $2,341,000.

Baltimore, Md., July 19.—Clearings $2,959,039; balances $293,000.

Chicago, July 19.—Clearings $21,220,603; balances $1,891,000. Posted exchange $4.84@4.88. New York exchange par.

Treasury Statement.

Washington, July 19.—To-day's statement of the Treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balances $160,642,000; gold $25,883,000.

Bar Silver.

New York, July 19.—Bar silver 61⅝c per ounce.

London, July 19.—Bar silver firm; 27 1-16d per ounce.

Mining Shares.

New York, July 19.—Silver-Nicholas, 34; Crown Point, 10; Comstock Tunnel, 1½; Deadwood-Terra, 30; Horn Silver, 1.75; Hale & Norcross, 12; Homestake, 2.60; Iron Silver, 52; Mexican, 12; Ontario, 6.00; Ophir, 42; Plymouth, 10; Quicksilver, 150; Do. pfd., 8.50; Sierra Nevada, 25; Standard, 4.00; Union Con., 15; Yellow Jacket, 15.

Condition of National Banks.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Washington, July 19.—The following abstracts show the condition of national banks at the points indicated on June 29:

St. Joseph: Resources—Loans and discounts, $2,703,[illegible]; stocks, securities, etc., $42,[illegible]; lawful money reserve, $[illegible]; total specie, $[illegible]; total reserve, $[illegible]; total resources, $[illegible]. Liabilities—Individual deposits, $[illegible]; average reserve held, 34.[illegible] per cent.

Kansas City: Resources—Loans and discounts, $[illegible]; stocks, securities, etc., $[illegible]; lawful money reserve, $[illegible]; total specie, $[illegible]; total reserve, $[illegible]; total resources, $[illegible]. Liabilities—Individual deposits, $19,[illegible]; average reserve held, 34.[illegible] per cent.

The Comptroller's certificates authorizing the following national banks to commence business were issued today: The First National Bank of Baxterville, Miss., capital, $25,000; the Citizens' National Bank of Cedar Falls, Ia., capital, $50,000; the First National Bank of Magnum, Okla., capital, $50,000.

The First National Bank, Kansas City, Mo., and the Chase National Bank, New York, have been approved as reserve agents for the First National Bank of Shamokin, Pa.

Rural free delivery service will be established August 1 as follows:

Indiana—Granger, St. Joseph County, one carrier; length of route, 30½ miles; area covered, 24 square miles; population served, 525, carrier, Hendricks Chalmers.

Missouri—Burlington Junction, Nodaway County, one carrier; length of route, 27 miles; area covered, 36 square miles; population served, 525; number of houses on route, 113, carrier, Mark C. Bryant. Maitland, Holt County, one carrier; length of route, 22 miles; area covered, 23 square miles; population served, 600; number of houses on route, 125, carrier, Robert R. Crider.

C. E. Miller has been appointed a clerk and Alonzo B. Burdge a substitute clerk in the post office at Oklahoma, Ok. E. C. Tyrrell has been appointed a substitute clerk at Hutchinson, Kas.

LOCAL STOCKS AND BONDS.

Market Much Quieter—Demand Not So Good—Prices Steady.

The market for stocks and bonds was not so lively or the sales so large as on yesterday, but otherwise there were no significant changes to note in connection with the situation. To judge from the quotations, brokers were well supplied with both buying and selling orders, but more of the former than the latter.

United Railways still show an undertone of weakness, indicating a belief on the part of insiders that there is nothing in the way of dividends for the stock for a long time to come. Both the preferred and common were traded in, but to a small extent, the former selling at the first named quotation, or 56½, and few shares of the last brought $20 a.

Money seems to be the chief share of attention today, but dealings were light, the sales being for shares of American Sugar at 124 and pfd Granby at 86 each. The latter is the only stock which sold at more than a few shares, the sales being at 124½ and 124¾ for American Sugar and 85 for Granby, and 21 2½ and 22 for asked, respectively.

Lincoln Trust, an inactive issue yesterday, was transferred for cash today at $141, at which price it was offered in the afternoon at 142, with 143 asked, and twenty-one shares Municipal Valley changed ownership at $100 per share.

Bank stocks were somewhat in demand, yet in a quiet way only, and there were no changes of importance in market values.

Street Railway bonds were again in demand, but no trades were made in them.

To-day's closing quotations:

	Bid.	Asked.
United Railway 4s	$ [illegible]	$ [illegible]
Do. pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]
Transit common	[illegible]	[illegible]
Missouri Edison common	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do. pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do. 5s	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. Louis and Suburban		[illegible]
Mississippi Valley Trust	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lincoln Trust	[illegible]	[illegible]
Commercial Trust	[illegible]	[illegible]
National Bank of Commerce	[illegible]	[illegible]
Continental National		[illegible]
Third National	[illegible]	
Merchants Laclede	[illegible]	[illegible]
American Exchange	[illegible]	
Granite Mountain	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bay Resources	[illegible]	
Small Hope		
Bell Telephone	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. Louis Troy and Eastern	[illegible]	[illegible]
Meramec River 6s	[illegible]	
Highway and Exchange	[illegible]	
Carondelet Gas and Fuel Grounds 5s	[illegible]	
Mount City Gas	[illegible]	
Union Depot short 6s	[illegible]	
Sumpter Hardware common	[illegible]	
Do. 2d preferred	[illegible]	[illegible]

LOCAL MONEY MATTERS.

Business Among the Local Banks Generally Good Money Plentiful —Rates Steady.

St. Louis, Thursday, July 19, 1900.

There were no changes to note in connection with the local monetary situation, but the tone of the money market, as reflected by bankers' clearings, was in a very satisfactory condition, and they generally expressed themselves as perfectly satisfied with the conditions prevailing. In a quiet way the business among the different institutions was fairly satisfactory, the demand being holding up well and checking being fair. There was a very good demand for money from different local sources and also from the country, and it was accordingly noticeable that there was an abundance of money on hand. Interest rates were unchanged at 4 to 7 per cent, which was the extreme rate for call and time loans on good paper.

The local bank clearings this morning amounted to $[illegible], the balances being $[illegible].

Domestic Exchange.

Whitaker & Hodgman, bond, stock, commercial paper and exchange brokers, 300 North Fourth street, quote exchange as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
New York	10c dis	par
Louisville	25c dis	par
Cincinnati	25c dis	par
New Orleans	[illegible]	par
Chicago	[illegible]	10c dis

City of St. Louis.

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	Bid.	Ask.
City 3.65s, J. D., coup	[illegible]	[illegible]
City 6s, gold, M. N., 1901	[illegible]	[illegible]
City 4s, J. J., reg	[illegible]	[illegible]
City 4s, sterling, M. N., 1911	[illegible]	[illegible]
City 4s, gold, M. N., 1912	[illegible]	[illegible]
City 4s, sterling, 20 years, 1913, J. D	[illegible]	[illegible]
City 4s, gold, A. O., 1914	[illegible]	[illegible]
City 4s, gold, 1924	[illegible]	[illegible]
City 4s, gold, 1925	[illegible]	[illegible]
City 4s, sterling, A. O., 1926	[illegible]	[illegible]
City 4s, sterling, A. O., 1928	[illegible]	[illegible]
City 4s, currency, A. O., 1929	[illegible]	[illegible]

DURKEE HEIRS LOST.

Court Refused to Order Railroad Bonds Delivered.

Washington, July 19.—The claim of the heirs of Charles Durkee, formerly Governor of Utah, against the United States for certain bonds of the Central Pacific Railroad Company, valued at $66,823,32, was dismissed to-day by Judge Hagner of the District Supreme Court, and the application for a rule against Secretary of the Treasury Gage to compel delivery of them to the claimants was denied.

Judge Hagner said this decision was based on many grounds, an important one of which was that Leonard Rhodell, complainant, as attorney in fact for the attorney-in-fact in the case, was not the proper person to bring suit. He intimated that the suit should have been brought by the administrators.

He said it was strange that such a great property should have been so carelessly handled that all trace of it should have been lost. He held that the act creating the Pacific Railroad sinking fund made it discretionary with the Secretary of the Treasury what claims should be acted upon and first settled, and that discretionary act cannot be controlled by a mandamus.

Judge Hagner, in fixing the hearing of the case for to-day had declined to issue a rule against Secretary Gage to show cause why he should not deliver the bonds to the claimants. The petition, as read to the court to-day, says the disputed bonds were acquired by Charles Durkee, who died in 1870, that the bonds were selling very low then, and that they are now in the Treasury vaults, or, at least, were seen there by one of the Durkee heirs in 1884. The Government, in its defense, set out that the petition did not allege who were the heirs at law and their respective interests, nor did it allege that the matter was a purely ministerial function.

The Government contended that the Secretary's power in the premises is purely a discretionary one.

LIBERALS' VICTORY.

Archbishop Keane Gets Dubuque See Over All Opposition.

SPECIAL BY CABLE.

Paris, July 19.—(Copyright, 1900, by W. R. Hearst.)—The appointment to the Archbishopric of Dubuque of Archbishop Keane, former rector of the Catholic University at Washington, D. C., is confirmed by the Pope. Archbishop Katzer of Milwaukee sent a strong letter in opposition to the appointment. It is declared to be the most violent epistle ever received at the Vatican.

Archbishop Keane is now at Brussels undergoing treatment for his eyes. He goes immediately to Rome, and thence to the United States, where he will take possession of the See.

This appointment is the quickest on record, coming only six weeks after his name was presented. It is a great victory for the liberals.

The appointment of Archbishop Keane to the See of Dubuque was opposed by the German Catholic party in America, and Archbishop Katzer of Milwaukee, whose letter to the Vatican raised a storm in Rome, and is considered the strongest epistle ever directed by an American prelate to the Pope.

After retiring from the Washington University, Archbishop Keane was attached to the College of the Propaganda at Rome as a special advisor regarding American church affairs.

Archbishop Keane, who succeeds the late Archbishop Hennessey, is a liberal in church affairs, and is counted by his ecclesiastical opponents as Archbishop Ireland's ablest lieutenant.

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