# FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

*MONETARY MATTERS IN NEW YORK AND SAN FRANCISCO.*

**New York Money Market.**

NEW YORK, December 23, 1879

The exports of domestic produce for the week ending to-day were valued at $8,854,865.

Money loaned between 5 and 7 per cent. and closed at 7 per cent.

Exchange was weak, at 480¾@481 for long and 483@483½ for short sight.

Government bonds were quiet, but generally steady.

State bonds were dull and nominal.

Railroad bonds were quiet. Erie consols seconds fell off to 89¼, and recovered to 89⅝. Morris & Essex seconds rose to 112, and do consols firsts to 105¼. Boston, Hartford & Erie firsts sold up to 52⅝. Rome, Watertown & Ogdensburg consols firsts fell off to 54@54⅞, and C C & I C Trust Company certificates assented to 86½.

The stock market was strong in the early dealings, and prices advanced ½ to 2½ per cent., St. Louis & San Francisco, the Coal shares and the Vanderbilt stocks leading the upward movement. Toward midday a reaction set in, and under moderate sales a decline of ½ to 2½ per cent. was recorded, the latter in Western Union. The market during the afternoon became firm, and a recovery of ½ to 1½ per cent., which was well maintained to the close, took place.

The transactions aggregated 204,000 shares, including Erie 41,000, Lake Shore 18,000, Northwestern 5,000, St. Paul 6,000, Delaware, Lackawanna & Western 26,000, New Jersey Central 7,000, Western Union 15,000, Pacific Mail 8,000, Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific 24,000, and Kansas & Texas 17,000

The closing quotations were as follows:

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

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| 1881's, coupons | 107¼ | New 4's | 109¾ |
| New 5's | 102 | Pacific 6's of '95 | 121 |
| New 4½'s | 109¼ | D C 3-65's coupons | 86½ |

STATE BONDS.

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| Georgia 6s | 100 | Do funding | 9½ |
| Do 7s mort | 110 | Do special tax | 4½ |
| Do 7s gold | 112 | Tennessee 6s | 31½ |
| Louisiana 7's s con | 45 | Do new | 31 |
| Missouri 6s | 106 | Virginia 6s, old | 25 |
| Do 6s ph | 105½ | Do new | 18 |
| North Carolina, old | 29½ | Do consolidated | 75 |
| N. Carolina new | 15 | Do deferred | 6 |

STOCKS.

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|---|---|---|---|
| Rock Island | 127 | Iron Mountain | 44½ |
| Panama | 165½ | St. Louis & San Fran | 41½ |
| Fort Wayne | 112½ | Do preferred | 48½ |
| Pittsburg | 106 | First preferred | 60 |
| Illinois Central | 128 | Chi St L & N O | 54 |
| Ch. Bur. & Quincy | 125¼ | Kansas & Texas | 31½ |
| Chicago & Alton | 99½ | Union Pacific | 82⅝ |
| Do preferred | 118 | Kansas Pacific | 34½ |
| New York Central | 127 | Northern Pacific | 20½ |
| Harlem | 216 | Do preferred | 35 |
| Lake Shore | 103¼ | Louisville & Nash | 76½ |
| Canada Southern | 60 | Houston & Texas | 47 |
| Michigan Central | 91½ | Rost Air Line pref | 92 |
| Erie | 41 | Western Union | 109¼ |
| Do preferred | 67½ | A. & P. Tel | 40 |
| Northwestern | 86¼ | Pacific Mail | 33 |
| Do preferred | 102¼ | Reading | 47 |
| St. Paul | 86½ | Adams Express | 135 |
| Do preferred | 98¼ | Wells Fargo | 104½ |
| St. Paul & Minn | 44 | American | 87½ |
| St. Paul & Sioux City | 25½ | United States | 48 |
| Do preferred | 73 | Canton | 58 |
| Del. & Lackawanna | 82¼ | Consolidation Coal | 20 |
| Morris & Essex | 101 | Quicksilver | 14½ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 74¾ | Do preferred | 50 |
| N. J. Central | 79¾ | Mariposa Land | 2¼ |
| Ohio & Mississippi | 27 | Do preferred | 5 |
| Do preferred | 37 | Sutro Tunnel | 3½ |
| Cleve & Pittsburg | 57 | Carbon | 65 |
| Mobile & Ohio | 29 | Leadville | 3¼ |
| Cleveland Col | 77½ | Central Pac. bonds | 110¼ |
| C C & I C | 20¾ | Union Stock | 102½ |
| Ind. Cin & Laf | 2¼ | Land Grants | 112¼ |
| Bur C R & N | 57 | Sinking Funds | 114½ |
| Alton & Terre Haute | 16 | Reg. H Pdg & Ft. first | 52¼ |
| Do preferred | 44 | Do guaranteed | 93¾ |
| Wab. St. L & Pacific | 20¼ | Lehigh & Wilkesb | 116 |
| Do preferred | 42¼ | St Paul S C firsts | 99¼ |
| Hannibal & St. Joe | 31 | C C & I C firsts | — |
| Do preferred | 63¼ | Do seconds | — |

†Offered.

SUB-TREASURY BALANCES.

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| Gold | $107,065,063 |
| Currency | 5,876,391 |

**Pacific Mining Stocks.**

SAN FRANCISCO, December 23, 1879.

The following are the official closing quotations of mining stocks to-day:

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|---|---|---|---|
| Alpha | 6¾ | Leviathan | ⅛ |
| Alta | 2¼ | Leeds | 13-32 |
| Argenta | 15-16 | Leopard | — |
| Belcher | 2 | Lady Washington | 5½ |
| Best & Belcher | 8½ | Mexican | 15½ |
| Bullion | 3½ | Merrin White | 15-32 |
| Bodie | 8¾ | Mono | 3¼ |
| Belle Isle | 1¼ | Mammoth | 2⅞ |
| Bechtel | 1¼ | McClinton | 12-32 |
| Boston con | 1¼ | May Belle | — |
| Bulwer | 8¾ | Manhattan | 1½ |
| Black Hawk | ½ | Northern Belle | 1¼ |
| Belvidere | ⅞ | North Bonanza | 11-32 |
| California | 3 | Noonday | 3¾ |
| Chollar | 5¼ | North Belle Isle | — |
| Consolid'd Virginia* | 3 | Navajo | — |
| Crown Point | 1¼ | Ophir | 16¼ |
| Consolid'd Pacific | ¼ | Original Keystone | — |
| Caledonia | 1¼ | Overman | 2⅞ |
| Caledonia, B. Hill | 2¾ | Potosi | 3¼ |
| Dudley | — | Raymond & Ely | 13-16 |
| Eureka consolid'd | 16¾ | Real Del Monte | 1⅞ |
| Exchequer | 2¾ | Savage | 4 |
| Fairfax | — | Sierra Nevada | 16¾ |
| Gould & Curry | 4¼ | Scorpion | 1¼ |
| Grand Prize | 5-16 | South Noonday | 1¼ |
| Golden Terra | 12 | Silver King | 6½ |
| Goodshaw | 3-32 | Syndicate | 1¼ |
| Hale & Norcross | 5¾ | Silver Hill | 13-16 |
| Hildale | 1¼ | Tioga | 1⅛ |
| Imperial | 13-32 | Tip-Top | 2 |
| Independence | 13-16 | Tuscarora | — |
| Julia consolidated | 1¼ | Trojan | — |
| Justice | 27-32 | Union consolidated | 28¾ |
| Jackson | — | Wales | 4¼ |
| Kossuth | — | Yellow Jacket | 8 |

* Ex-div. †Seller ten days.

Bechtel has levied an assessment of twenty-five cents per share.

**Baltimore Markets.**

BALTIMORE, MD., December 23.

Cotton firm. Middling, 12⅜c.

Flour dull, but without quotable change. Howard street and Western superfine, $5 00@5 50; do. extra, $5 75@6 25; do. family, $7 50@7 75; City mills superfine, $5 00@5 50; do. extra, $5 75@6 25; do. family, $7 25@7 75; do Rio brands, $7 50@7 75; Patapsco family, $8 25.

Wheat—Southern quiet and steady; Western dull and lower. Southern red, $1 40@1 45; do. amber, $1 50@1 55; No. 2 Western winter red, spot and December, $1 51½@1 51¾; January, $1 52¾; $1 53; February, $1 58@1 58½; March, $1 60@1 60¼.

Corn—Southern steady for white; easier for yellow; Western dull and lower. Southern white, 62@66c; do. yellow, 60c; Western mixed, spot and December, 55½c; new, 59½c; January, 59¼@59½c; February, 60¼@60½c; steamer, 55½c.

Oats dull. Southern, 47@48c; Western white, 47@48c; do. mixed, 45c@45½c; Pennsylvania, 47@48c.

Rye quiet at $1 00@1 01.

Hay unchanged. Prime to choice Pennsylvania and Maryland, $17@18 per ton.

Provisions dull and unchanged. Mess pork, $12 75; bulk meats—loose, none in market; do packed, 5¼@7½c; Reisen shoulders, 5¾c; clear rib sides, 8¼c; hams, 10½@11c; lard, refined, tierces, 8½c.

Butter—Prime to choice Western packed, 23@28c; roll, 20@24c.

Eggs dull and weak. Fresh, 22c; limed, 16@17c.

Petroleum unchanged—Crude, nominal; refined, 8¾c.

Coffee quiet. Rio cargoes, 14@16¾c.

Sugar strong. A soft, 9⅞c.

Whisky steady and unchanged at $1 14½@1 15.

Freights to Liverpool per steamer quiet and without change. Cotton, 9-16@¾d; flour, 1s 9d@2s grain, 4@5d.

Receipts—Flour, 4,814 bbls; wheat, 80,500 bu; corn, 145,900 bu; oats, 3,900 bu.

Shipments—Wheat, 26,900 bu; corn, 37,400 bu.

Sales—Wheat, 72,000 bu; corn, 174,700 bu.

**Washington River Front.**

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Inland and Seaboard Company's wharf—Steamer Jane Moseley, Barker, Cone river, freight and passengers.

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Inland and Seaboard Company's wharf—Steamers Lady of the Lake, Travers, Norfolk, and John W. Thompson, Wood, Chapitico, freight and passengers.

*THE COURTS.*

**Supreme Court of the United States.**

TUESDAY, December 23, 1879.

No. 128.—Charles C. Anthony, plaintiff in error, vs. The County of Jasper; argued by Mr. Joseph Shippen and Mr. J. B. Henderson for plaintiff in error and by Mr. Alexander Graves for defendant in error.

No. 216 (substituted for 129).—The United States, appellant, vs. William B. Williams; argued by Mr. Assistant Attorney-General Smith for appellant and by Mr. Lewis Abraham for appellee.

Adjourned until to-morrow at 12 o'clock.

**District Courts.**

SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT—CHIEF JUSTICE CARTTER AND JUSTICE JAMES.—United States vs. Stokes; judgment below reversed and new trial ordered. Cochran vs. Clarke; decree below reversed and cause remanded. Prather vs. Hill; appeal dismissed. In re estate John Wagner; argument concluded and cause submitted.

CIRCUIT COURT NO. 2—JUSTICE COX.—Wagner & Co. vs. Benedict et al.; motion for new trial overruled on condition; appeal prayed. Commercial Bank vs. Benedict et al.; appeal prayed. Morrow vs. Duncanson; judgment for defendant. McDaniel vs. Bell et al.; judgment against Bell; appeal prayed. Lyon vs. McIntosh; judgment for plaintiff. Murray vs. Hugnely & Bowen; demurrer sustained and leave given to amend. Stein & Co. vs. Clark; leave to amend struck out. Adjourned until Monday next.

CIRCUIT COURT NO. 1—JUSTICE WYLIE.—Strong vs. District of Columbia; hearing in progress.

CRIMINAL COURT—JUSTICE HAGNER.—District Attorney Wells announced that at present he had no business to bring before the court, and suggested, as it was customary to take a holiday at this season of the year, that the jury be discharged until January 2, 1880. The court respited them until that day.


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