

New York Stock Exchange.

Actual Sale Prices for the week ending Dec. 12.
 Th.6. F.7. Sat.8. M.10. Tu.11. W.12

FEDERAL STOCKS:—
 U. S. 5s, 1871, reg.
 U. S. 5s, 1871, coup.
 U. S. 5s, 1874, reg.
 U. S. 5s, 1874, coup. 104
 U. S. 5s, 1865, coup.
 U. S. 5s, 10-40s., coup. 100
 U. S. 5s, 10-40s., reg.
 U. S. 6s, 1881, reg. 108
 U. S. 6s, 1881, cou. 113
 U. S. 6s, '81, O.W.Ly.
 U. S. 6s, 1881, " 1/2y.
 U. S. 6s, 1887, reg.
 U. S. 6s, 1868, reg.
 U. S. 6s, 1868, coup.
 U. S. 6s, 5-20s., c. 1862. 108
 U. S. 6s, 5-20s., c. 1864. 106
 U. S. 6s, 5-20s., c. 1865. 107
 U. S. 6s, " reg. 106
 7.30 Notes, 1st series. 105
 " " 2d series. 105
 " " 3d series. 105
 American Gold

Philadelphia Stock Exchange.

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Cattawissa

Camden & Amboy 130

" " 6s '87

" " 6s '70

" " 6s '75

" " 6s '83

" " 6s '89

mort. 6s '89 95

Ches. & Del. Canal 6s '86

Del. Div. Canal 57

Elmira & Wmsport

" " pref.

" " 7s

Lehigh Navigation 56 56 56 56 56

" " 6s '84 92 92 91 92 91 92

Lehigh Valley R. R. 68 68 67 68

" " 6s

Little Schuylkill R. R.

" " 7s

Long Island

" " 6s

Minehill 58 58 58 87 86

Morris Canal

" " pref.

" " 6s '76

North Pennsylvania

" " 6s

" " 10s

Northern Central

Pennsylvania R. R. 54 54 54 54 54

" " 1st m.

" " 2d m. 97 99 97

Penn. State, 5s 95 95

" " 5s, coupon

" " 6s. W. L.

Philadelphia City, 6s

" " new 99 99 99 99 99

" " munc 99 99 99

Philad., Germ. & Nor. 60

Phila. & Reading 55 55 55 54 55

" " 6s '86

" " 6s '70

Philadelphia & Erie 31 31 30 92

" " 6s

Philad. & Sunbury, 7s

Schuylkill Navigation 25 25 25 28 24

" " pref. 34 34 33 33 33

" " 6s '82 83 83

" " 6s '76

" " 6s '72

Susq. Canal

" " 6s '78

Union Canal, pref.

" " 6s '83

West Br. Canal 6s '78

Wyoming Valley Canal

" bonds

Hestonville, (Horse) 14 14 14 14 14

Chestnut & Wal. " 54

Green & Coates, "

2d and 3d streets, "

Spruce & Pine, "

Baltimore Stock Exchange.

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Baltimore City 6s, 1875. 97 97 97 95

" " 1886

" " 1870

" " 1890

Balt. and Ohio

" " b'ds, '82

" " " '87

" " " '75

" " " '80

" " " '85

Northern Central

" " b'ds, 1885

" " " 1900

City Passenger R. E. 18

Boston Stock Exchange.

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Boston and Lowell

Boston and Maine 180 180 180 181

Boston and Providence

Boston and Worcester 146 146

Cheshire, pref. 63 63

Concord

Connecticut River

Eastern, Mass. 111

Eastern, N. H.

Fitchburg 113 114 114

Manchester & Lawr'ce

Michigan Central

Northern, N. H. 103 104

Old Colony & Newport. 103 103 103 103

Ph., Wil. & Baltimore 58 58 58 58

Portl'd, Saco & Ports.

Vermont & Canada 100 100 100

Vermont & Mass. 61 62 60

Western 146 146

Broadway (Horse)

Cambridge " 93 93 93

Metropolitan " 56 56 56

Middlesex " 48 48

Central Mining Co.

Copper Falls " 48 48 50 49 50 50

Franklin " 43 43 42 42 44 42

Huron " 40 40 39 39 39

Isle Royale "

National "

Minnesota " 15 14

Pewabic " 29 29 28 28 28

Pittsburg "

Quincy " 40 40 39 39 38

Rockland 6 6 6

London Stock Exchange.

The following were the closing prices for American Securities on the 23rd of November.

United States 5-20 yrs, 1882, 6 per cent 70 @ 70 1/2

Virginia State, 5 per cent 49 @ 51

Do., 6 per cent 41 @ 42 1/2

Atlantic and Great Western, N. Y. sec., 1st mort., 1880, 7 per cent 68 @ 72

Do. do., 2d mort., 1881 66 @ 70

Do. Pennsylvania, 1st mort., 1877 69 @ 71

Do. do., 2d mort., 1882 86 @ 68

Do., consolidated mortgage bonds, 1890 42 @ 43 1/2

Erie shares, \$100 (all paid), 8 p. c. 49 @ 50

Do., convertible bonds, 6 p. c. 68 @ 70

Illinois Central 6 per cent, 1875 82 @ 84

Do. 7 per cent, 1875 68 @ 68

Do. \$100 shares (all paid) 78 @ 79

Marietta and Cincinnati R. R. bonds, 7 p. c. 68 @ 70

New York Central, \$100 shares 101 @ 103

Panama Railroad, 2d mort., 1872, 7 p. c. 83 @ 85

Pennsylvania R. R. bonds, 2d mort., con. 6 p. c. 32 @ 36

Do. \$50 shares 74 @ 76

Phila. and Erie 1st mort., 1881, (guaranteed by Penn. R. R.) 74 @ 76

Do., with option to be paid in Philadelphia 74 @ 76

American Railroad Journal.

Saturday, December 15, 1866.

Stock Exchange and Money Market.

There is remarkable uniformity in the current workings of the Money Market. A steady accumulation of capital is reported at this centre. The banks are gaining rapidly in the line of national currency, the remittances of which from the West are quite liberal. There is some outflow of legal tender notes to the South, where national currency is not in as much favor as the plain greenbacks of the Government. Hence it is that while the city banks show a falling off in their legal tender reserve, they report an inconvenient increase in their supplies of national bank notes, for which, in the prevailing prostration of legitimate enterprises, it is difficult to find employment without cheapening the price of money, and helping to renew the speculative excitement of the autumn months. At present, the manifest tendencies of the market is wholly in favor of responsible borrowers, who are enabled to procure all the aid they temporarily require at the rate of five to six per cent. on Government and other strictly prime collaterals. Exceptional call loan negotiations are reported one per cent. above and below these quotations. The city banks keep up their rate to seven per cent., but find it hard

to place any new loans of magnitude at so high a figure, while private capitalists are seeking controllable employment for their accumulating balances at the average price of six per cent. Prime short date commercial paper is in demand among the discount houses at 6@7 per cent., and long date do., at 7@8 per cent. per annum. There is no reliable market for other grades, rates on which are very irregular. Nobody seems to apprehend any action on the part of Secretary McCulloch, or the national legislature, likely to disturb the growing ease in money, so essential to the prosperous funding of the maturing obligations of the Government. So far as the Secretary is concerned, we know definitely from himself that, as in the past, so in the future, his object will be to keep the market steady and to work back to specie payments without a financial collapse. This is his judicious programme, as set forth in a letter of the 7th inst., addressed to the Hon. E. G. Spaulding, of the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank of Buffalo, N. Y. And it is more than probable that this will be the programme of all the truly wise and conservative elements in Congress. The Secretary in the same letter, announces that he will act in the future, as in the past, with great caution, and that he will attempt no impracticable thing. We have not the slightest doubt that, in such an aim, Congress will be one with him, seconding his efforts to maintain the public credit, by judicious legislation, relative to industrial and commercial interest of the country. The last exhibit of the public debt, brought up to Dec. 1, is regarded by business people as eminently favorable to an easy and unembarrassing Money Market, as far as depends on the policy and negotiations of Secretary McCulloch. The point in the debt statement of most immediate practical interest is the strength of the department in the way of currency reserve. The currency balance in the Treasury increased from \$30,918,922 on the 1st of November, to \$40,195,281 on the 1st inst, which large reserve, independent of the revenues, affords adequate means to the Secretary to pay off promptly all the maturing currency interest claims of the Seven-thirty note holders, and all of the unclaimed past due indebtedness of the Government, thus enabling him to abstain completely from any line of conduct likely to disturb financial or commercial values unnaturally. Another significant feature of the debt statement is the contraction of the legal tender issue, which amounted to six millions in November. The aggregate legal tender circulation, including plain greenbacks and compound interest notes, is \$582,828,989, against \$538,707,925 on the 1st ult. The plain greenback circulation on June 1, was \$402,128,318; Aug. 1, \$400,361,728; Sept. 1, \$399,603,592; Oct. 1, \$399,165,292; Nov. 1, \$390,195,785; Dec. 1, \$385,441,849, showing a contraction of about seventeen millions in six months. From the last weekly return of the city banks, it appears that there has been, during the week, a decrease of \$2,391,641 in the item of loans, \$5,212,355 in the deposit line, \$538,601 in the legal tender reserve, and \$374,957 in the specie reserve. The Croton National Bank having been admitted to membership, made its first report to the Bank Clearing House last week. The city bank deposits are now \$203,676,822, against \$228,484,370 week ending Oct. 6, 1866,