

lation has been quite active in the prominent street favorites, and, toward the close, buoyant as to prices.

Railway Mortgage Loans have been more inquired for and quoted firm. Central Pacific Sixes have been selling to a fair extent at from 99 $\frac{3}{8}$ @99 $\frac{1}{2}$. The Chesapeake and Ohio Seven per cent gold bonds have been selling to a fair extent at 90, and interest. Chesapeake and Ohio Sixes have been moderately active at 88 $\frac{1}{2}$ and interest. Western Pacific Sixes at 92 $\frac{1}{2}$ @92 $\frac{3}{4}$. The Northern Pacific 7-30 Loan has been in good demand at par and interest.

State bonds have been moderately active at generally steady prices, for the favorite issues.

The latest quotations at the London Stock Exchange compare as follows with former returns:

	Aug. 20.	Aug. 27.	Sept. 3.
Consols	92 $\frac{3}{4}$	92 $\frac{7}{8}$	92 $\frac{1}{2}$
U. S. 5-20s, 1865.....	94 $\frac{7}{8}$ @95	95 $\frac{1}{8}$	95 $\frac{3}{8}$
" 1867	95 $\frac{1}{8}$	95 $\frac{1}{4}$	95 $\frac{1}{4}$
" 10-40s	*90 $\frac{1}{4}$	90 $\frac{1}{4}$	90 $\frac{1}{4}$
New Fives of 1881..	91 $\frac{1}{4}$	91 $\frac{1}{8}$	91 $\frac{1}{8}$
Erie	46 $\frac{3}{4}$	48 $\frac{1}{8}$	48 $\frac{1}{8}$
Ill. Central.....	86	86	—

* Ex Sept. coupon.

General business has been more satisfactory as to the volume of dealings in foreign merchandise, as well as in domestic produce. Prices have generally shown more firmness. The Metal trade has been rather brisker. Copper has been quoted steady, but has been quite moderately dealt in; 100,000 lbs. Lake at 26 $\frac{3}{4}$ c.@27c. Iron has been generally held with more confidence in view of the reported rise in the English markets, and the announcement that the new German tariff would take effect on the 1st of October. The demand has been more animated, especially for Pig. Sales have been reported of 800 tons Glengarnock Pig at \$44, now quoted at \$45, with Eglinton at \$44. The reported dealings in American product have been limited, with quotations about as in our last. We quote: Eglinton Pig at \$43; Glengarnock, at \$44; No. 1 American Pig at \$43 @ \$45; No. 2 do. at \$38@ \$42; English rails at \$64@ \$65 gold; American Rails, at works, at \$77 50; Old Rails \$46@47; Wrought Scrap, \$40@ \$45 from dock and yard. Pig Lead has been very dull with foreign quoted at 6 $\frac{7}{8}$ c., gold, for ordinary, and domestic at 6 $\frac{1}{4}$ c.@6 $\frac{3}{8}$ c., gold. Spelter has been very quiet at \$7 37 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ \$7 60, gold. Pig-tin has been in limited demand, with Straits quoted at 31c.; English at 28c.@28 $\frac{1}{4}$ c., on sales of five tons, and Banca, at 34 $\frac{1}{2}$ c.@34 $\frac{3}{4}$., gold. Tin Plates, have been rather more active, at full previous rates. Sales, 1,000 boxes Charcoal at \$10 75; 500 boxes Coke at \$8 75; and 500 boxes Charcoal Terne, at \$10 gold. Charcoal Plates quoted at \$10 75@11 12 $\frac{1}{2}$; Charcoal Terne, \$9 62 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ \$10 25; Coke, \$8 50@ \$8 87 $\frac{1}{2}$; Coke Terne, \$7 50@ \$8 37 $\frac{1}{2}$, gold, per box. Zinc dull and unchanged.

Foreign merchandise has been more active and generally firm as to price. The week's imports of foreign goods and merchandise amounted to \$8,465,334 including \$2,862,116 of dry goods.

The leading kinds of domestic produce have been more sought after, especially Breadstuffs, Provisions, Cotton, Wool and Tobacco, with holders evincing more firmness. Middling upland Cotton left off buoyantly at 20 $\frac{3}{8}$ c. per lb. The receipts at all the ports, year ending Sept. 1,

were \$3,564,045 bales, against 2,705,523 bales the preceding year; exports 2,665,113 bales against 1,951,995 bales the previous year; stock at the ports at latest dates, 48,899 bales against 57,959 bales same date in 1871.

Ocean freights have been quite active, with rates quoted firmer, room and tonnage having been offered reservedly. The main call for accommodation has been from Grain and Petroleum Shippers.

At the Live Stock Markets, Beeves have been in fair demand at from 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ @12 $\frac{1}{2}$ cts. the better grades showing firmness. Veals at 5@10 cts.; Sheep at from 4@6 $\frac{1}{4}$ cts.; Spring Lambs 5@9 cts.; Swine at 5 $\frac{1}{4}$ @5 $\frac{3}{8}$ cts. per lb., all live weight. The week's receipts were 9,243 Beeves, 2,629 Veal Calves, 23,381 Sheep and Lambs, and 36,347 Swine.

The following quotations of sales of Railway and other securities are in addition to those given elsewhere in our columns:—

New York.—Atlantic and Pacific pref., 26; St. Louis, Kansas City and Northern pref., 44; Illinois Central scrip, 100 $\frac{1}{2}$; Ohio and Miss. 7s, consol., 91 $\frac{1}{4}$; Detroit, Monroe, and Toledo 1st mort., 97; E. Tenn., Va. and Ga. 1st mort., 91 $\frac{1}{2}$; Nashville and Decatur 1st mort., 91; Cedar Falls and Minnesota 1st mort., 78 $\frac{1}{2}$; New Jersey Southern R. R., 27 $\frac{1}{2}$; do. 1st, mort., 74; Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Minnesota 1st mort., 87; Western Pacific R. R. bonds, 92 $\frac{1}{2}$; Albany and Susq. R. R. 93; do. 2d mort., 98; Long Dock bonds, 95 $\frac{3}{4}$; St. Louis and Iron Mt. 1st mort., 97; Central of New Jersey 1st mort., new 105; Western Union Telegraph, 92; do. 7s, 98; Maryland Coal, 24; Cumberland Coal and Iron, 79; Consol Coal of Md., 55; Wells-Fargo Exp., 75; U. S. Exp., 68 $\frac{1}{2}$; Am. Exp., 91 $\frac{1}{4}$; Adams Exp., 92 $\frac{1}{4}$; N. J. Central L. and Imp., 65; N. Y. State 7s, B. L., reg., 104 $\frac{7}{8}$; Louisiana 6s, old, 49; Ohio 6s, 1881, 102; Texas 10s, 1876, 85; Brooklyn 6s, W. L., 93 $\frac{3}{4}$.

Philadelphia.—Reading Coal and Iron bonds, 90; Pennsylvania Canal 6s, 69; Lehigh Nav. conv. gold loan, 92 $\frac{1}{2}$; Philadelphia and Reading 7s, 1893, 103; do. Gen'l mort. 7s, reg., 103; do. coupon, 101 $\frac{3}{4}$; do. debent. bonds, 79; do. 7s, new, conv., 102 $\frac{1}{2}$; Wilmington and Reading 1st mort., 99 $\frac{1}{2}$; Schuylkill Nav. 6s, boat loan, 75; West Jersey R. R. 7s, 103; do. 6s, 94; Lehigh Valley 7s, 102; West Chester and Philadelphia R. R. 7s, 103 $\frac{1}{4}$; Sunbury and Erie 7s, 102 $\frac{1}{2}$; Pennsylvania and New York 7s, 100; Pittsburg, Cincinnati and St. Louis 7s, 74 $\frac{3}{4}$; Catawissa 7s, new, 100; Cayuga Lake R. R. 1st mort. 7s, 96; Harrisburg and Lancaster R. R., 51; Camden and Atlantic pref., 42 $\frac{3}{4}$; Nesquehoning R. R., 54; Camden City 7s, 102. The latest quotations are: City 6s, 98 $\frac{1}{2}$ @98 $\frac{3}{4}$; do. free of tax, 101 $\frac{3}{8}$ @101 $\frac{1}{2}$; Pennsylvania State 6s, 1st series, 100@100 $\frac{1}{2}$; do. 2d series, 103 $\frac{1}{4}$ @103 $\frac{3}{4}$; do. 3d series, 108 $\frac{3}{8}$ @108 $\frac{1}{2}$; Philadelphia and Reading 55@55 $\frac{1}{8}$; do. Gen'l mort. 7s, coup., 101@102; do. reg., 102 $\frac{1}{2}$ @103; do. mort. 6s, 1880, 96@—; do. 7s, new, conv., 102@102 $\frac{1}{2}$; United New Jersey R. R. and Canal Co., 122@122 $\frac{1}{2}$; Camden and Amboy mort. 6s, 1889, 96@97; do. 1883, 90 $\frac{1}{4}$ @92; do. 1889, 88 $\frac{1}{2}$ @89 $\frac{1}{2}$; Pennsylvania R. R., 53 $\frac{3}{8}$ @53 $\frac{3}{8}$; do. 1st mort., 100 $\frac{3}{8}$ @100 $\frac{7}{8}$; do. 2d mort., 100@101; do. General mort. coupon, 91 $\frac{1}{4}$ @92; do. reg., 96 $\frac{1}{2}$ @97; Little Schuylkill R. R., 46 $\frac{3}{8}$ @46 $\frac{1}{2}$; Morris Canal, 48@50; do. pref., 122@124; do. 6s, 94@95; Susquehanna Canal, 6@8; do. 6s, 68@75;

Schuylkill Nav., 6@7; do. pref., 12@12 $\frac{1}{2}$; do. 6s, 1882, 71 $\frac{3}{4}$ @72; do. 1872, 78@79; Elmira and Williamsport pref., 38@38 $\frac{1}{2}$; do. 7s, 1873, 94@95; 5s, do. 58@65; Lehigh Coal and Navigation 37@37 $\frac{1}{8}$; do. 6s, 1884, 90@90 $\frac{1}{2}$; do. R. R. Loan, 92 $\frac{1}{2}$ @93; do. Gold Loan, 91 $\frac{1}{2}$ @91 $\frac{3}{4}$; North Pennsylvania, 49 $\frac{1}{2}$ @50; do. 6s, 99 $\frac{1}{2}$ @99 $\frac{1}{2}$; do., 7s, 101 $\frac{3}{4}$ @102 $\frac{1}{4}$; do. Chattle 10s, 110@112; Philadelphia and Erie, 24@25; do. 6s, 90@91; Minehill, 51 $\frac{1}{2}$ @52; Catawissa, 19@20; do. pref., 42 $\frac{1}{2}$ @43; do. new pref., 32@33; do. 7s, 1900, 99@101; Lehigh Valley, 60 $\frac{1}{8}$ @60 $\frac{1}{2}$; do. 6s, new coupon, 96@96; do. reg., 97 $\frac{1}{2}$ @—; do. 7s, 101 $\frac{1}{2}$ @102 $\frac{1}{2}$; Fifth and Sixth streets, (horse,) 52@54; Second and Third, 57 $\frac{3}{4}$ @59; Thirteenth and Fifteenth, 19@21; Spruce and Pine, 30@33; Green and Coates 46@48; Chestnut and Walnut, 60@70; Hestonville, 18@19; Germantown, 30@—.

Boston.—Chicago, Burlington and Quincy 7s, 94 $\frac{1}{2}$; Burlington and Missouri River R. R. in Nebraska, 46; do. 8s, in Nebraska, 1894, 95; Boston and Maine R. R. 7s, 1892, 104; Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe 1st mort. 7s, 69; do. 7s, L. G., 69 $\frac{7}{8}$; Eastern R. R. 7s, 1882, 100 $\frac{3}{4}$; Ogdensburg and Lake Champlain 8s, 1879, 94 $\frac{1}{4}$; Cape Cod 7s, 1881, 99 $\frac{3}{4}$; Ottawa, Oswego and Fox River Valley 8s, 1890, 94 $\frac{3}{4}$; Vermont Central 1st mort., 26; do. 2d mort., 7 $\frac{3}{4}$; Vermont and Canada Equipment 8s, 79; Boston and Albany 7s, 1892, 104 $\frac{3}{4}$; Old Colony R. R. 7s, 102; Connecticut and Passumpsic Rivers R. R. pref., 86 $\frac{1}{4}$; do. 7s, 1876, 97; Worcester and Nashua R. R., 132 $\frac{1}{2}$; Norwich and Worcester R. R., 130; Rutland R. R. pref., 52; do. scrip. No 4, 83; Cincinnati, Sandusky and Cleveland R. R., 12; Summit Branch R. R., 42; Cary Imp., 8 $\frac{3}{4}$; Boston Water Power Co., 25 $\frac{1}{4}$; New Hampshire 6s, 98 $\frac{1}{2}$; do. 1902, 98 $\frac{1}{4}$; Massachusetts 5s, 1894 reg., 100; Boston 6s, 1874, 99 $\frac{1}{4}$; do. 1876, 99; Lowell 6s, 1890, 94; Chicago 7s, 1899, 99 $\frac{3}{8}$; Cleveland, 7s, 1892, 101 $\frac{7}{8}$; Nashua (N. H.) 6s, 1892, 91; Cook Co., Ills., 7s, 1885, 98 $\frac{1}{2}$; Cambridge 6s, 1893, 94; Worcester 6s, 1892, 93 $\frac{1}{2}$; Cincinnati 7s, 1891, 102; Allouez Mining Co., 14 $\frac{3}{4}$; Calumet and Hecla, 154 $\frac{1}{2}$; Dana, 1; Rocknda, 3.

Baltimore.—Maryland Defense bonds, 104; Virginia consols, coupons, 79 $\frac{3}{4}$; Indianapolis 8s, 100 $\frac{3}{8}$; Orange, Alex. and Manassas 7s, 81 $\frac{1}{2}$; Wilmington, Columbia and Augusta 1st mort. 7s, 75 $\frac{3}{4}$; Northern Central 6s, 1900, gold, 91; Orange and Alexandria 4th mort. 8s, 80; Central Ohio R. R., 40 $\frac{1}{2}$; do. 1st mort., 89; Richmond and Danville 1st mort., 75. The latest quotations are: Wilmington, Columbia and Augusta bonds, 75@76; Wilmington and Weldon bonds, 93@94 $\frac{1}{2}$; Pittsburg and Connellsville 7s, 1898, 93@94; Baltimore and Ohio, 165@175; do. 6s, 1875, 98 $\frac{1}{4}$ @98 $\frac{1}{2}$; do., 1880, 98 $\frac{1}{4}$ @98 $\frac{1}{2}$; do., 1885, 98 $\frac{1}{4}$ @98 $\frac{3}{4}$; Parkersburg Branch, 11@12 $\frac{1}{2}$; Northern Central, 35@36; do. 6s, 1885, 91 $\frac{1}{4}$ @92; do., 1900, 88@90; do., 6s, 1900 gold, 90 $\frac{7}{8}$ @91; N. W. Va. 1st mort., —@92 $\frac{1}{2}$; do., 2d mort., 94@97; do., 3d mort., 1885, —@95; Marietta and Cincinnati 1st mort. 7s, 1892, 102@103 $\frac{1}{4}$; do., 2d mort., 7s, 93@95; do., 3d mort., 8s, 81 $\frac{1}{2}$ @82; Central Ohio, 40 $\frac{1}{2}$ @42; do. pref., 40@41 $\frac{1}{2}$; do. 1st mort., 85@86; Western Md. 1st mort. 6s, 1890, 84 $\frac{1}{8}$ @—; do. 1st mort. guar., 96@97; do. 2d mort. guar., 95 $\frac{1}{2}$ @97; do. 3d mort., guar., 96@96 $\frac{1}{2}$; do. 2d mort. pref., 75@79; do., 2d mort. guar. by Washington