

Financial Matters in New York.

Gold Closed at 134 1/2 @ 135.

(By Telegram to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

New York, December 2, 1868.

MONEY AND GOLD.

Money active and firm at 6 1/2 per cent.

on call. Sterling quiet at 9 1/2 @ 9 3/4 per cent.

Gold quiet and a trifle lower, opened at 135 1/2 and closed at 134 1/2 @ 135.

GOVERNMENT.

In Government the bear efforts continue,

but without much effect on the market.

Which is generally dull but steady. Some

round lots of 5 per cent. Currency Bonds

issued to the Pacific Railroad are, however,

being taken for permanent investment.

Coupons of 1861, 11 1/2 @ 11 1/4; do, 62, 10 1/2

@ 10 1/4; do, 64, 10 1/2 @ 10 1/4; do, 65, 10 1/2

@ 10 1/4; do, new, 10 1/2 @ 10 1/4; do, 67, 10 1/2

10 1/4; do, 68, 10 1/2 @ 10 1/4.

Dull. New North Carolina, 63 @ 64; New

Virginia, 67 @ 68; New Tennessee, 68 1/2

69 1/2.

STOCKS.

In the Stock market the New York Central

has been the feature and has risen largely on

report that large scrip dividends are soon to

be declared. The annual meeting occurred on

the 9th, when this subject was probably the

considered. The rise was assisted by the

demand to cover previous speculative sales,

the amount of which was said to be

very large. The advance in the market,

caused great strength in the market, and

Eric jumped to 4 1/2, causing much

surprise, but there being no apparent reason

for the advance it relapsed to 3 1/2. The

market was generally strong at the close, but

the change in the market was very

material. The transactions in Exchange

have been embarrassed by the closing of

the transfer books of the American Com-

pany at two days' notice, which cut off

stockholders at a distance from having their

stock transferred. It follows that a large

class of holders will be without title to the

new stock. The board has determined

that under the circumstances the American

stock is a good delivery. The regular

board has requested the American Com-

pany to reopen their books, and received

in reply "the company is no longer in exist-

ence."

630 Parrott; Cumberland, 37 1/2; Can-

ada, 40 @ 41; Adams, 40 @ 41; United

States, 40 @ 41; Merchants Union, 17 1/2; 17 1/2

Quicksilver, 22 1/2; Marlboro, 60 1/2; 60 1/2

preferred, 20 1/2 @ 21 1/2; New York Central,

13 1/2 @ 14 1/2; Erie, 38 1/2; do, preferred, 59;

Boston, Hartford, 100 @ 101; Hudson,

130 @ 131; Reading, 98 @ 99; Erie, 38 1/2

Hants, 60 @ 61; preferred, 61; Wa-

shington, 67 @ 68; do, preferred, 70 1/2 @ 71 1/2

Paul, 65 @ 66; do, preferred, 85 @ 86; 85 @ 86

Port Wayne, 110 @ 111; Ohio & Michigan,

300 @ 301; Michigan Central, 118 1/2;

Michigan Southern, 68 1/2; Illinois Cen-

tral, 143 @ 144; Pittsburgh, 57 1/2 @ 58 1/2; Rock Is-

land, 107 1/2 @ 108 1/2; Northwestern, 84 1/2

85; do, preferred, 87 1/2 @ 88 1/2; St. Joseph

preferred, 92 1/2; Burlington and Chicago, 117 1/2

118; Columbus, Cincinnati and Indianapolis,

77; Lake Shore, 100.

MINING SHARES.

COPPER SHARES.

Copper shares at Boston—Copper Falls,

12; Franklin, 11; Hancock, 3 1/2; Min-

nesota, 2.

SUB-TREASURY MATTERS.

The receipts at the Sub-Treasury to-day

were \$1,702,418. Payments, \$1,281,363. Bal-

ance, \$420,055. Exports for the week,

except specie, \$1,203,207.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Telegram to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

New York, December 2, 1868.

Heavy and about 10% lower; sales of 2,600 bush

at 22 1/2 @ 23 1/2 for middling uplands. Flour—

receipts of 11,450 barrels. Flour steady,

low grades dull, and declining for mid-

dium and good kinds; sales of 8,300 barrels

at \$5.00 @ 5.10 for superfine State and west-

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Chicago Market.

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Exchange.

Exchange firm at par buying, and 1-10

premium selling. Flour less active; sales

spring extras at \$5.50 @ 5.75. Wheat firm

and quiet; sales No. 1 at \$1.21 @ 1.22, outside

figure, for lots in Northwestern and North-

western, and No. 2 at \$1.15 @ 1.16, closing

steady at \$1.21 @ 1.22, for No. 2, sales

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RIVER NEWS.

The river continues to recede steadily at

this point with scant six and a half feet in

the channel by the Monongahela market

last evening. The weather yesterday was

clear and cold and very favorable for out-

door business.

No arrivals to report aside from the regu-

lar packets. The St. Charles from Cin-

cinnati, and Camelia from Nashville are

among the first boats due.

The R. C. Gray departed for Nashville

last evening with a pretty good trip, her

guards being almost down to the water.

The Bayard, Capt. A. S. Shepard, is the

regular packet for Parkersburg to-day,

leaving promptly at noon.

The Bellevernon, Capt. J. J. Darrah Jr.,

will positively leave for New Orleans to-

day, and passengers and shippers should

bear this in mind. She has three hundred

and fifty tons of through freight engaged

at Wheeling.

The Tom, Farrow, if she did not get off

for New Orleans last night, will leave this

morning.

The Mary Dargue and Barges, are an-

nounced for New Orleans forthwith.

In regard to the Great Republic,

the difficulty, which was reported at St.

Louis yesterday, it is looked for with

considerable interest.

A freight train to Cincinnati

passed under the bridge at 10 o'clock, say,

Capt. Geo. L. Reppert, clerk of that train.

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