MONEY MARKET.

MONDAY EVENING.

The continued discussions as to the relations between France and Germany and the tone of the Berlin press have again affected the Stock Exchange markets, Foreign Securities being naturally the most prejudiced by the sudden revival of disquiet. It would appear, however, that the sales are mainly speculative, and that very little anxiety exists among holders, while the fact that some weak buyers have been caught by this latest incident and driven to realise on the eve of the fortnightly settlement is in favour of operations for the fall. With respect to the feeling among commercial men in Germany on the subject raised by the Berlin journals, it is understood that the private advices are anything but alarmist, and from some financial quarters, such as Hamburg, which is sensitive enough to the approach of real danger, letters have come to-day which express entire disbelief in the sinister rumours afloat. Nevertheless, circumstances at the moment are auspicious for "bear" operations, and if the Berlin *Post* desired, as the *Messager de Paris* asserts, to influence the Bourse, it has certainly succeeded. The chief depression to-day was in Peruvian, apparently from an idea that the apprehensions now excited will interfere with the financial measures required for the arrangement of the guano contracts. The Six per Cents. fell about 1, and the Five per Cents. ¾. In French the decline was only ⅛; Italian, ¾; Austrian, Hungarian, and Egyptian, from ⅛ to ½; and Turkish, on the average, ⅜. American railways were also rather lower, Eries falling ⅜, and some of the bonded issues ½. English railways opened generally lower, and remained heavy until the afternoon, when a recovery took place, and in many instances an advance over Saturday's quotations was ultimately realised, the most buoyant being the two Metropolitan lines, and the most depressed Great Eastern. Brighton and South-Eastern improved, notwithstanding a considerable decrease in their traffic returns. In the miscellaneous department there are few points to notice beyond a revived inquiry for sewage companies' shares.

The English Funds have been weak. Consols have declined ⅛, to 93, ⅛ for money, and to 93¼, ⅜ for May. The New Threes and Reduced Annuities receded ⅛, to 91⅞, 92; Annuities, 1885, were 7⅞, 8; Exchequer Bills, 2s dis., 3s prem.; India Five per Cents., 108¾, 109; ditto Four per Cents., 103⅞, ⅞; Enfaced Four per Cents., 92, 93; ditto Four and a Half per Cents., 93½, 94½; ditto Five and a Half per Cents., 103, 101; Debentures, 1878, 100½, 101½; Bonds, 19s, 25s prem.; Bank Stock, 251, 253; Corporation of London Bonds, 1882, 102, 104; and Metropolitan Three and a Half per Cents., 98¾, 99¼.

Foreign Stocks showed increased depression, and most descriptions closed lower. Austrian Silver Rentes receded ⅛; ditto Paper, ⅛; Brazilian Five per Cents., 1871, ⅛; Egyptian 1868 Loan, ¼; ditto 1873, ⅛; French Three per Cents., ⅛; ditto Five per Cents., ⅛; Hungarian Five per Cents., 1873, ⅛; ditto Six per Cents., 1874, ⅛; Italian Five per Cents., ¾; ditto Maremmana Railway Issue, 1; Peruvian Six per Cents., 1; ditto Five per Cents., ¾; Portuguese, ⅛; Russian Five per Cents., 1862, ⅛; ditto, 1864, ⅛; ditto, 1866, ⅛; ditto, 1871, ⅛; ditto, 1872, ⅛; Spanish Quicksilver Five per Cents., 1; ditto National Land Six per Cents., 2; Turkish Five per Cents., ⅛; ditto Six per Cents., 1865, ⅛; ditto, 1869, ⅛; ditto, 1871, ⅛; ditto, 1873, ⅛; and Uruguay, ⅛; but Egyptian 1864 Loan improved 1; Mexican, ⅛; and Russian Five per Cents., 1822, 1. The following is a list of latest prices. The transactions marked in the official list are placed within brackets:

Argentine 6 p.c. 92, 94 [93½]
Do. 6 p.c. 1871 (Public Works), 87, 89 [87½]
Do. 6 p.c. 1872 (Hard Dols.) 74, 76 [75½]
Austrian 5 p.c. Silver Loan, 67¾, 68¼ [68⅛]
Do. Paper Loan, 64¾, 65¼
Belgian 5 p.c. Scrip
Bolivian 6 p.c. 22, 24
Brazilian 5 p.c. 1865, 97¾, 98¼ [97¾, 98]
Do. 5 p.c. 1871, 97, 98
Do. 5 p.c. 1875 Scrip, 1, 1½ prem.
Buenos Ayres 6 p.c. 1870, 86, 88
Do. 1873, 86, 88 [87]
Chilian 7 p.c. 1866, 104, 106 [105½]
Do. 6 p.c. 1867, 100, 102 [101¼, 1]
Do. 5 p.c. 1870, 91, 93
Do. 1873, 88, 90 [89½]
Columbian 6 p.c. 90, 94
Do. 4½ p.c. 47, 49
Costa Rica 6 p.c. 19, 21 [20]
Do. 7 p.c. 1872, 20, 22
Danish 3 p.c. 1864
Danubian 7 p.c. 1864, 99, 101 [100¼, ½, 99½]
Do. 8 p.c. 1867, 106, 108 [106, 7½]
Ecuador New Consolidated, 7¾, 8¼
Egyptian 7 p.c. 1862, 91, 93 [92]
Do. 7 p.c. 1864, 99, 101 [99¾, ½]
Do. 7 p.c. 1868, 84, 84½ [84, 83, 84, 4]
Do. 7 p.c. Vice. Mort. Loan, 96, 98
Do. 9 p.c. 1867, 105, 107 [106, 5½, 6½]
Do. 7 p.c. Khedive Loan, 76½, 76¾ [76½, ½, ¼]
Do. 1873, 80½, 80¾ [80⅝, ¼, ½, ¼]
Entre Rios 7 p.c. 1872, 99, 101 [100, ½]
French 5 p.c. 61¾, 62
Do. 6 p.c. National Defence Loan, 100¾, 101¼ [101⅛, ¼, ⅛]
Do. 5 p.c. 101, 101¼ [100⅞, ⅛]
Greek 5 p.c. 14¼, 15¼
Do. Coupons 1¼, 1¾
Guatemala 5 p.c. 45, 55
Honduras 10 p.c. 1867, 7, 8
Do. 5 p.c. 1867
Do. 10 p.c. 1870, 7, 8
Hungarian 5 p.c. 73¼, 74¼ [73½]
Do. 1873, 6 p.c. 73½, 73¾ [74, ½]
Do. 1873 Treasury 6 p.c. 93, 94 [93½, ¼, ⅛, ½]
Do. 6 p.c. 1874, 90, 91 [91½, 90½]
Italian 5 p.c. 1861, 69½, 69¾ [70, 69¾]
Do. 5 p.c. Marem. Railway, 69, 71
Do. 1865 State Dom. 95, 97
Do. 6 p.c. 1868 Tob. Loan, 99½, 99¾
Japanese 9 p.c. 107, 109 [108½]
Do. 7 p.c. 106, 102 [101½]
Mexican 3 p.c. 16⅛, 16½ [16⅜, ¼]
Do. 3 p.c. 1864, 7, 8
Moorish 5 p.c.
Paraguay 8 p.c. 17, 19 [17]
Do. 1872, 19, 21 [19, 20]
Peruvian 6 p.c. 1870, 70¾, 70¾ [71, 70¾, ½, ¼]
Do. 5 p.c. 1872, 54½, 55 [55¾, ½, 54, 54½, 55, 54½]
Portuguese 3 p.c. 49½, 50 [49½, 50¼, 49¾, 50¼]
Russian 5 p.c. 1822, 101, 102
Do. 3 p.c. 1859, 72, 74 [73¾]
Do. 5 p.c. 1862, 102, 103 [103½, ½]
Do. 5 p.c. 1864, £100, 99½, 100½ [100]
Do. 5 p.c. 1866, £100, 99½, 100½
Do. 4 p.c. Nicolai R. 83½, 84½ [84¼]
Do. 5 p.c. 1870, 102, 103
Do. 5 p.c. 1871, 99½, 100¼ [100⅛, ½, 100]
Do. 5 p.c. 1872, 99½, 100½ [100¼, ⅛, ¼]
Do. 5 p.c. 1873, 101, 102 [101⅜, ⅛, ¼]
Santa Fé 7 p.c. 20½, 20¾ [20½, ¾]
San Domingo 6 p.c. 15, 18 [17]
Sardinian 5 p.c. 86, 88
Spanish 3 p.c. 22⅛, 22 [22¼, ⅛, 3]
Do. 5 p.c. Quicksilver Mort. 85, 87
Do. 6 p.c. Nat. Lands Mort. Cert. 65, 67 [66]
Swedish 5 p.c. 1869, 103, 104
Turkish 5 p.c. 1854, 88, 90
Do. 6 p.c. 1858, 65, 68
Do. 6 p.c. 1862, 72, 74 [73, ½]
Do. 6 p.c. 1863, 69, 71
Do. 5 p.c. 1865, 44¼, 44¾ [45, ⅛, ¼]
Do. 6 p.c. 1869, 71, 71½ [71½, ¼, ½]
Do. 4 p.c. Guar. 101, 103
Do. 9 p.c. 1869, 55¾, 55½ [55⅝, ¼, ⅛]
Do. 6 p.c. 1871, 63¾, 64¼ [63⅞, ¼]
Do. 5 p.c. Treasury, 1872
Do. do. A, 85, 87
Do. do. B, 85, 87 [85¼, ¾]
Do. do. C, 79, 81 [80⅛]
Do. do. D and C, 80¼, 80 [80½, 2, ½]
Do. 6 p.c. 1873, 51¾, 51⅞ [52¼, ¼, ½]
United States 6 p.c. 108, 109
Do. do. 5-20 years, 1882 issue, 104¾, 105¼ [104⅞]
Do. 1865 issue, 107¾, 108¼
Do. 1867 issue, 107¾, 107¾ [107¼]
Do. Funded 5 p.c. 103¾, 104¼
Do. 10-40 Bonds, 5 p.c. 102¾, 103¼
Uruguay Con. 6 p.c. 1871, 50¼, 51½ [51¼, ½, ¼, ½]
Venezuela 3 p.c. 8, 10
Do. 6 p.c. 14, 16

There was very little inquiry for discount, and the few short bills on offer were taken at 3¼, and in several instances at 3⅛ per cent. On the Stock Exchange loans were obtainable at 2 to 2½ per cent.

A sum of £22,000 in bar gold was sent into the Bank.

The Aconcagua is announced at Lisbon from the River Plate, with £9,500 in specie for Paris, and £67,000 for London, and the Neva from Brazil, with £9,280 for London.

The Calabria, from New York, has arrived, with £7,420.

Liberal supplies of foreign grain being now anticipated, trade in the Corn Market was very inactive, and prices had a downward tendency. The deliveries of the English farmers continue good.

Rentes on the Paris Bourse receded 20c, to 62f 30c, and the Five per Cent. Loan 25c, to 102f 50c. Short exchange on London closed ½c lower, at 25f 21c, and Brussels on London, 1c, at 25f 25c.

Messrs. Rothschild have this evening issued the prospectus of a Russian Four and a Half per Cent. Loan for £15,000,000, only £8,000,000 of which, however, will be negotiated here, £2,000,000 having been already placed, and £5,000,000 being reserved by the Finance Minister for St. Petersburg. The issue price is 92 per cent., the bonds are redeemable at par in 81 years by annual drawings, and the first half-yearly coupon will be payable on the 1st October next. The prospectus states that by the Ukase of the 29th March, 1875, the loan is to be applied to the use of certain railway companies, the names of which are given. Subscriptions are to be received in London on Thursday next, and the list will be closed on or before Friday.

The half-yearly report of the Eastern Extension Telegraph Company has been issued. The balance of profit amounts to £102,752 1s 7d. Three interim dividends of 1½ per cent. each have already been paid, and the directors now declare a further dividend of 4s. per share, making a total distribution of 6½ per cent. for the year. A balance of £39,520 [illegible] is carried forward to the reserve fund, thereby increasing that account to £75,453 [illegible]. The

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facts are the best of all comments on the arguments which Lord GREY and Lord KIMBERLEY advanced on behalf of the Governor. Those arguments mainly resolve themselves into the plea that the Colonies must be better judges than the Colonial Office of LANGALIBALELE'S guilt. But Lord CARNARVON'S reply was that if the Colonial Secretary must always be guided by the advice of the Colonial Governors, Imperial control becomes a mere mockery, and the tie between the Colonies and the mother country an empty form. Some go farther, and deny the proposition that the Colonists must be the best judges of the case. It is concluded that they were struck by a panic, and that in a panic the ablest men may take leave of their sober senses. It may be true that LANGALIBALELE was a reckless or even a dangerous neighbour, but where is the evidence of it? The Colonial Government itself has admitted that, before the delay respecting the registration of the guns, he had done nothing which would have afforded the faintest pretext for punishment. To have chastised him merely because he was suspected of disloyalty would have been unjust. He must be judged, then, by the light of the specific acts in the indictment, and there is not one of them which, as Lord CARNARVON says, might not have been met by a measure of police. He did wrong to disobey the summons that he should attend the Governor, and he deserved to be punished; but a fine would have sufficed to satisfy justice. He may have done wrong in removing his people and flocks from British territory without the consent of the Government; although that point is not free from doubt. At any rate, a heavy fine would again have been a sufficient penalty. With some indignation the Lord Chancellor protested against the monstrous charge that LANGALIBALELE could be held responsible for the fatal shots which some of his people fired in the Bushman's Pass. As he was leading his tribe, not against the British forces, but away from them, it cannot fairly be assumed that he had planned an attack; and, since he himself was at a distance from the scene, he should not be held answerable for the madness of his young men. The Colonial authorities, it is true, have contended that the principles of Kaffir law make a Chief responsible for all the acts of his tribe. That is a good general rule, because it rests on the assumption that a Chief is generally cognisant of all his followers' doings. But to apply it to every case, and to contend that he must answer with his liberty or his life for acts of which he may be absolutely guiltless, is not reasonable. There was, in fact, no count in the indictment which would have been a warrant for a severe punishment. As for the trial, no one was bold enough last night to sing its praises. Lord SELBORNE, who tried to throw the mantle of his learning over the case of his friends, spoke of the tribunal with indignation and contempt as a legal Court, and he could only suggest that it might perhaps be defended on political grounds. He did not say that he himself would defend it, even on such a basis, and he made no secret of his own sympathies. In the present case the duty of England is clear. One of our Colonies has committed a wrong which we cannot condone, be the cost what it may. If the Cape will not repeal the Act of Parliament by which LANGALIBALELE is held in Robben Island, we cannot help it. The honour of this great country and the principles of justice alike forbid us to flinch from a protest against a grave wrong.

THE French to-day clearly realise the remoter consequences of their defeat in the last war. Instead of lecturing they are lectured. They make excuses instead of uttering threats. The centre of disturbance is at Berlin, and the professions of good conduct now issue from Paris. All the French journals, with evident sincerity, declare loudly that France must preserve peace, and that she has no thought of war. One paper goes so far as to express itself "sadly content" with the removal of the frontiers from the Rhine. There can hardly be a shadow of doubt that this represents, in the main, the general feeling of the people. Were there a *plebiscite* as to a new war, there would hardly be found ten lunatics at large in all the country to vote hostilities with Germany within the next five years. Taxation presses heavily. The closer meshes and wider sweep of the conscription net has proved locally vexatious, and has given to the Army some wretched recruits. The mild and moderate Republican majority, having for its leaders all civilians, has no possible interest in immediate war. Even the Alsatians, though smarting under a harsh German *régime*, are fully aware of the painful fact that the first horrors of a new campaign would desolate their soil; they would "come between the shock of two incensed and mighty opposites." It may be asked, if such are the feelings of France, why is the new Army larger than the old? Why are so many soldiers passed through the barrack mill in such a short time? Why is the effective and reserve force of the nation creeping up to something near the figure attained by Germany before the war? The simple answer to this is that France is doing now what she ought to have done before 1870: she is arming not a class, but the manhood of the nation, and keeping in reserve and readiness every man drilled. Prussia began the game; Austria and Russia have followed it. Unless France is willing to be low for ever, and to accept the position of a second-class Power, she, with her tempting soil and climate, her wealth, her commerce, her fine arts, must be strong enough at home to resist any unwarrantable aggression which her prosperity and disarmed condition would invite. The world has not been changed so completely as to make it safe for any nation to depend on the goodwill of its neighbours. Even if the dream of revenge were for ever rejected, French statesmen may reasonably say, "We never know when we may be attacked, or asked to tolerate some injury; therefore we must be strong, at all events, for defence." As to the rapid training and early dismissal of the conscripts, it is due partly to a policy like that which, after Jena, enabled Prussia to prepare a population for war, as well as to the necessities of the Finance Minister, who prefers to give furloughs in order to avoid the cost of maintaining the full complement of troops.

No doubt it is impossible for Frenchmen to forget that the future may bring them opportunities of revenge. But the naturalness of this feeling has been admitted by Prince BISMARCK himself. He declared that, no matter what might be the terms of peace, there would certainly be another great war, and that Germany took Metz and Strasburg in view of that inevitable event. If, even under milder treatment, France would have prepared revenge, what can be expected now when she remembers that she was terribly mutilated and mulcted of an enormous ransom? It is not in human nature to expect that she can speedily forgive; and, if she is allowed an Army at all, she must indulge in day-dreams of victory again saluting the Tricolour she so faithfully loves. Prince BISMARCK ought to remember that he has put it out of his own power to complain. He pressed the Treaty at the time because it did not provide a basis for future disputes. NAPOLEON I. imposed on the King of PRUSSIA successive stipulations which gave the Emperor a right to interfere continually in his internal affairs, and the Allies after Waterloo not only dictated the policy of the Tuileries, but kept a garrison in French fortresses at French expense for nearly three years. Prince BISMARCK boasted that he made no such stipulations; he did not, like NAPOLEON, limit the army of the vanquished, nor did he, like the Allies, dictate measures or impose garrisons—excepting by way of taking security for the unpaid ransom. He cut away the two provinces, and he exacted a heavy fine; but he allowed the diminished and despoiled France perfect freedom in the arrangement of its own affairs. Why now should he give instructions to his editors to utter irritating complaints? Nothing is more natural than a certain amount of feverish hope in the heart of France. Here is a nation with a glorious past, but for the time bitterly cast down. Other Powers have suffered as great catastrophes; none so ill fitted by temperament to bear them well. The

STOCKS and RAILWAY and OTHER SHARES.

PARTING-HOUSE-SQUARE,
Tuesday Evening.

The next monthly settlement in Consols commences on the 30th inst. and ends on the 4th of May; and the next fortnightly settlement in Railway Stocks, Foreign Bonds, &c., commences on the 27th inst. and ends on the 29th inst.

Transactions in the Share-market have been limited, and the following changes are recorded in the official list up to 3 p.m.:—

An advance of ½ each in Illinois Central Railway (Sinking Fund) to 89 90, City of Auckland Loan to 103½ 104½, City of Montreal 5 per Cent. Sterling Loan to 97 98, and ditto (1874) to 97 98; ¼ each in Khedive Loan to 78½ 79, and English Bank of Rio to 1¾ 2½ prem.; 1 further each in Tasmanian Main Line Railway to 86 88, and Crystal Palace (Preference) to 104 109; and a recovery of ⅛ in Lombardo-Venetian Railway to 12⅞ ⅞.

A decline of 1 each in Great Western Railway of Canada (6 per Cent. Bonds) to 99 101, and ditto (Perpetual 5 per Cent. Debentures) to 86 87; ½ in Oude and Rohilkund Railway to 112 14; ¼ each in Sierra Buttes Gold Mining to 1½ 2, and Direct Spanish Telegraph (Preference) to 10½ 11½; ⅛ in Don Pedro North del Rey Mining to ⅛ dis. par; ¼ further each in Great Western Railway of Canada to 9½ ¾, and ditto (Provisional Certificates) to ⅛ ¼ dis.; and a relapse of ⅛ in Cape Copper Mining to 31 32.

BRITISH FUNDS.

Dividends due.	Closing Prices.	Business done.
Jan. 5, Apr. 5. 4 per Cent. Consols	97⅞ to 7/16	.. 97⅞ 7 ⅛
Apr. 5, Oct. 5. 3 per Cent. Reduced	93⅞ — ⅞	.. 93⅞ 4
Apr. 5, Oct. 5. New 3 per Cent. ..	93⅞ — 94	.. 94⅛ 3
Jan. and July. Do. 3½ p.c. Jan. '98	— ..	.. 98
JAN. 11, 1875. RECEIPTS. 10th, £100, £50, and £200, 3 per cent. 98. — ½ par.		3s. dis to 3s. pm.

INDIAN GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

Jan. 2, July 1.	India Stock, 5 p.c., £49,999,000	.. 220¼
Apr. 5, Oct. 5	India Bonds, £2,000,000, 5 p.c.	.. 103¼ ⅛

MISCELLANEOUS.

April 5, Oct. 5	Bank of England Stock, 7 p.c., for half-year	.. — 262¼ 1¼
Jan., April, July, Oct.	£3 10s. Gold of Mines	
Jan., Oct.	£¼ per Share ..	.. 30¼ ⅛

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

Amount.	Issues.	Closing Prices.	Business done.
£347,000	Canada, 1873-83, 6 p.c.	110 — 112	.. 110¼ 6¼
£1,000,000	Do., 1908, Gt. Govt. 6 p.c. per annum, guar. Jan. 1908	120¼ — 122¼	.. 120¼
£337,000	Do., 1908, 6 per cent.	121 — 123	.. 122¼ ¼
£1,000,000	U. of Canada, 1903, 6 p.c.	111¼ — 113¼	.. 112
£511,000	New South Wales, 1888-98 (£1,000 each), 5 per cent.	106¼ — 107¼	.. 106¼
£1,000,000	Do., 1905, 4½ p.c.	101 — 103	.. 102¼
£1,000	New Zealand, 1877, 6 p.c.	111 — 113	.. 111¼
£3,000	Do., 1891, 6 p.c.	114 — 116	.. 114¼
£500,000	Do., 1905, 4½ p.c.	94 — 96	.. 95¼
£1,000,000	Queensland, 1891, 6 p.c.	104¼ — 106¼	.. 105¼ 1/32 ⅛
£1,000,000	Victoria, 1855-1900, 6 p.c.	112 — 114	.. 112¼
£1,000,000	Victoria, 1884-1904, 6 p.c.	112 — 114	.. 112¼
£500,000	Do., 1874, 6 per cent.	107 — 109	.. 107¼
£1,000,000	Do., 1874, 4 per cent.	92 — 94	.. 92¼

FOREIGN STOCKS.

Stocks.	Closing Prices.	Business done.
Argentine, 1868, 6 per cent.	32 to 34	.. 33¼
Bolivia, 6 per cent.	21 — 23	.. 21¼
Brazilian, 1865, 4 per cent.	97¾ — 98¼	.. 97¾
Do., 1871, 4 per cent.	87 — 89	.. 88
Do., 1873, sterling, 4 per cent.	86 — 87	.. 86¼ ⅛ ⅜
Do., £25 paid	¾ — 1	.. ¾ pm.
Buenos Ayres, 1871, 6 per cent.	26 — 28	.. 26
Do., 1873, 6 per cent.	18 — 20	.. 19¼ ¾
Chilian, 1885, 6 per cent.	107 — 109	.. 108
Do., 1872, 4 per cent.	64 — 66	.. 65
Costa Rica, 3 per cent., 1872	21 — 23	.. 22¼ ⅛
Egyptian, 1868, 7 per cent.	93 — 94	.. 93¾
Do., 1868, 6 per cent.	78 — 78½	.. 78 ¼ ⅜
Do., 1873, 7 per cent.	91 — 92	.. 91¾
Peruvian National Scrip	19¾ — 19¾	.. 19¾
Hondu. Loan, Hall, Loan, 1867, 6 p.c.	7 — 8	.. 7
Do., 1869	7 — 8	.. 7
Honduras, 5 per cent.	17¾ — 18¾	.. 18
Do., 1872 Do.	17¾ — 18¾	.. 18¼
Do., 1873, 6 per cent. Treasury	15 — 16	.. 15¾
Do., 1874 Do. Do.	15¾ — 16¾	.. 16¼
Italian Municipalities Bank, 5 p.c.	19 — 21	.. 19
Do., 1866, Home Debentures, 5 p.c.	20 — 22	.. 20
Japan, 6 per cent.	97 — 99	.. 98
Do., 7 per cent.	100 — 102	.. 102
Paraguay, 1872, 6 per cent.	19 — 21	.. 20
Peruvian, 1870, 5 per cent.	21 — 21¾	.. 21¼
Do., 1872, 4 per cent.	21 — 22	.. 21
Portuguese, 1856-1887, 3 per cent.	49¾ — 50	.. 49¾ ¾
Russian, 1822, £—sterling, 5 p.c.	121 — 122	.. 122¼
Do., 1862, 6 per cent.	122 — 123	.. 122¾ ¼
Do., Amst.-issue, 1864, 4 per cent.	97¼ — 98¼	.. 98¼
Do., 1866, 6 per cent.	97¾ — 98¾	.. 98 99¼
Do., Nicholas loan, 6 per ct.	97¾ — 98¾	.. 98¼
Do., 1871, 6 per cent.	97¾ — 98¾	.. 98¼ ⅜ ⅜
Do., 1872, 6 per cent.	97¾ — 98¾	.. 98¼ ⅜ ⅜
Do., 1873, 5 per cent.	87¾ — 88¾	.. 88¼ ⅜ ⅜
Do. Railways, 6 per cent.	12 — 13	.. 12
Spanish, 1867, 3 per cent.	17¾ — 18¾	.. 18¼ 3 6¼
Do., Consolidated 3 per cent.	16 — 17	.. 16
Turkish, 1865, 6 per cent.	71 — 72	.. 69
Do., 1869, 6 per cent.	72 — 73	.. 72¼
Do., 1871, 6 per cent.	72 — 73	.. 72¼
Do., 1872, 6 per cent.	72 — 73	.. 72¼
Do., 1873, 6 per cent.	72 — 73	.. 72¼
Do., Tobacco, 6 per cent.	20¾ — 21¾	.. 20¾ ⅜ s.d.
Do., Tobacco, 4 per cent.	20¾ — 21¾	.. 20¾ ⅜
Do., 1874, 6 per cent.	17¾ — 18¾	.. 17¾ ⅜
Uruguay 6½ ref., 1871, 6 per cent.	21¾ — 24	.. 21¾ ⅜ ¼
Argentine Rept. assigns. 6 p.c.	21 — 23	.. 22¼
Bolivia, ex div., 5 per cent.	19 — 19¾	.. 19 19¼ 19¼

AMERICAN STOCKS.

Per Dollar.		Closing Prices.	Business done.
4s. 6d.	U. States 6% 1881, 6 p.c.	104¼ — 105¼	.. 104¾
4s. 6d.	Do., 1881, 5% 1881-5		
	Do. ex int. to Feb. 27, 1875	107¼ — 108	.. 107¾ ⅜
4s. 6d.	Do., 4½ per cent. 1891	102 — 103¼	.. 102¾ ⅜
4s. 6d.	Do., 4 per cent. 1907	97 — 98¼	.. 97¾ ⅜
4s. 6d.	Massachusetts, 6 p.c. 1891	99 — 101	.. 99¾
Sterling	Do. 1894	98 — 102	.. 100¼

* £23,102,400, part of £25,000,000 authorized.

ORDINARY SHARES AND STOCKS.

Nom.	Paid.	Railways.	Closing Prices.	Business done.
Stock	100	Bristol and Exeter ..	112 to 115	.. 115
Stock	100	Caledonian ..	117½ — 118¼	.. 117¾ ⅛
50	8	East London ..	7 — 8	.. 8
Stock	100	Great Eastern ..	47¾ — 48¼	.. 48¼ ⅜
Stock	100	Great Northern ..	135 — 137	.. 136 ¾
Stock	100	Great West., Can. Dbl.	112 — 113¼	.. 112¾ 1¼
Stock	100	Lan. and Yorkshire	149 — 150	.. 150¼
Stock	100	London, Brighton, and South Coast ..	107¼ — 108¼	.. 108 ⅜ 1¼
Stock	100	Lon., Chat., & Dov. Amt.	20¼ — 21¼	.. 21¼ ⅜ ⅜
Stock	100	Lon. and N.-Western	140¼ — 141¼	.. 140¾
Stock	100	Metropolitan ..	107¼ — 108	.. 108
Stock	100	Midland, Can. Dbl.	142 — 143¼	.. 143¼ ⅜ ⅜
Stock	100	North British ..	48 — 50¼	.. 50¼ ¾
Stock	100	N.-Eastern, Consols ..	154 — 156¼	.. 156 ¼
Stock	100	South-Eastern ..	114 — 117	.. 116
Stock	100	Do., Deferred* ..	111¼ — 112¼	.. 111¾ ⅛

* Deferred receiving no Dividend until 5 per cent. has been paid Preferred.

PREFERENCE SHARES AND STOCKS.

Nom.	Paid.	Railways.	Closing Prices.	Business done.
Stock	100	Great Eastern—East. Counties, 5s. 10d.	113 to 115	.. 114¼
Stock	100	G. Western, Dist.-Sh. per cent. 5 p.c. ..	119¾ — 120¾	.. 120¼ 20
Stock	100	Do., Lon. Dist. 5 p.c.	111 — 113	.. 112¾
Stock	100	N. East., 10 p.c. only paid, 10/. 4½ p.c.	100 — 102	.. 101
10	6 12s. 8	Do., Berwick Sh. ..	— ..	.. 6¼ pm.
5	3 5	All North Eastern Stock, Act, £1 5s. 6d.	34 — 35	.. 34¾ ¼

WITH DEFERRED CONTINGENT OF THE PROFITS OF EACH SEPARATE TRAK.

Stock	100	S. Lon., 5 p.c. 1st Pf.	65 to 70	.. 67
10	All	Furness, Ord., 10/. 5 p.c. 1st Jan. 1874	12 — 12½	.. 12¼ ⅛
Stock	100	G. West., Ord. 7½ p.c.	112½ — 113½	.. 113¼
Stock	100	Lond. Chatham and Dov., Act., 4 p.c. ..	80½ — 81½	.. 80½ 1 80¼
Stock	100	Lond. N.-W., 5 p.c.	116¾ — 117¾	.. 117¼
Stock	100	Lond. N.-W., Ord. 5 p.c.	232 — 237	.. 236¼
Stock	100	Midland, Ord., 5 p.c.	57 — 59	.. 58
12	7	Midland, 5 p.c. 1st Pf.	7¼ — 7¾ pm.	.. 7¼
Stock	100	N. British, Ord. 5 p.c. Pref., 1874 ..	100 — 102	.. 101
14	All	North-Eastern, 5 p.c. ord., Jan. 1, 1875 ..	127¼ — 128¼	.. 128¼
Stock	100	South-Eastern, Ord. 4½ per cent. Pref. ..	105 — 108	.. 106¾

DEBENTURE STOCKS.

	Paid.	Railways.	Closing Prices.	Business done.
Stock	100	Lon. & N.-West., 4 p.c.	131 to 134	.. 132¼
Stock	100	Metropolitan, 4 p.c. ..	101 — 103	.. 102¾
Stock	100	Midland, 4 per cent. ..	102 — 104	.. 103¾ ¼ ⅜
Stock	100	S. Easte. Pur., 5 p.c. ..	122 — 126	.. 124¾

BRITISH POSSESSIONS.

Nom.	Paid.	Railways.	Closing Prices.	Business done.
10	10	ALBERT, Lo. Bro., S. 12½	1¾ to 1¾	.. 1¾ 1¾
Stock	100	Bombay, Baroda, & C. Sterling guar., 5 p.c. ..	112 — 114	.. 113 1/16
Stock	100	East Indian, 5 p.c.	112 — 114	.. 113¾
Stock	100	E. Indian, 4½ p.c.	111 — 113	.. 112¾ ¼
10	All	In Pf. Canada, 1st Pref.	8 — 9	.. 8¾
10	All	Do., 2d Pref. Stock	3 — 3½	.. 3¼
Stock	100	Gt. Int. Penin., 4½ p.c.	111¼ — 113¼	.. 112 ¼ 12
20	4 4	Great Western Canada	9¼ — 9¾	.. 9¾ ¼
100	All	Do., 6 p.c. Deben. perpetual 1890 ..	86 — 88	.. 88¼ 1/32
Stock	100	Madras, 4½ p.c.	111 — 113	.. 112¼ ¾
—	100	Members of Canada, 6 p.c. 1st Pref. Deb.	92 — 94	.. 93
Stock	100	Oude & Rohilkund, 5 p.c.	111 — 114	.. 113¼ 12¾
Stock	100	Sahara, Punjab, and Delhi, 5 p.c. ..	112 — 114	.. 113½
100	All	Tasmn. Main L., 6 p.c.	86 — 88	.. 86¼ 4 7

FOREIGN.

Nom.	Paid.	Railways.	Closing Prices.	Business done.
5	All	Belgian Eastn. Junc.	2½ to 3	.. 2¾
10	All	Lima (Callao) ..	11 — 12	.. 11¾ 11
25	All	S. Paulo R.J. 4 p.c.	20 — 22¼	.. 22
Stock	All	Do. Sing. & Dep. Rec.	109 — 111	.. 110¼
20	All	S. Australia & U. Dat.	19¾ — 19¾	.. 19¾ ⅜

AMERICAN.

DOLLAR DIVIDS.

Railways.	Closing Prices.	Business done.
Atlantic and Great Western, 2d Mortgage $1,000, 7 p.c., 1902 ..	18 to 19	.. 17
Erie $100 Shares ..	19¾ — 20¼	.. 20¼ ⅜
Do., Gold Bds, 7 p.c., 1904	67 — 69	.. 69¼
Illinois Central, $100 Shares ..	90¾ — 91¾	.. 91 90¾
Lehigh Valley, Ord. Mort., 7 p.c.	87¾ — 88¾	.. 87¾
New York Central & Hudson River Mortgage Bonds, 7 p.c. ..	101¼ — 102¼	.. 102
Philadelphia & Reading, $50 shares	33 — 35	.. 33¾
Union Pacific Land Grant, 1st Mort. 7 per cent., 1887 ..	88 — 89	.. 88¼
Union Pacific Railway, 1st Mort., 6 per cent., 1899 ..	87 — 89	.. 88

SHILLING DIVIDS.

Allegheny Val. *pref. by Penn. R. Co.	27¾ to 28¾	.. 28¾ ⅜
Chicago & Alton, Ord. Stock, New	89¾ — 90¾	.. 90¾
Cleveland, Colum., Cin., and Ind. Mort.	87 — 89	.. 87¾
Erie, Ord. Mort., 7 p.c. for payment of existing bonds, 1875 ..	36 — 37	.. 36¾
Do., Seven, 7 p.c., 1875 ..	37 — 38	.. 37¾
Illinois Cen., Sink. Fd., 5 p.c., 1881	89 — 90	.. 89¾ ⅜ ⅜
Do., 8 per cent., 1882 ..	130¾ — 131¾	.. 131
New York and Canada Railway, Gtd., 6 per cent., sterling, 1904	108 — 111	.. 109¾
Penn. Cen. Sink. F. Mort., 5 p.c. 1878	91¾ — 92¾	.. 91¾ ¾
Do., 6% 1880 ..	99¾ — 100¾ pm.	.. 99¾ pm.
Philadelphia & Erie Gen. Mort., gtd. by Penn. Rail., 6 p.c. 1875	38 — 40	.. 39¾
Union Pac. Rail. Omaha Bridge, 5 p.c.	78 — 80	.. 79¾
Central Jersey Bank & Canal, 7 p.c.	107¾ — 108¾	.. 108¾

* Six per cent. sterling, 7 per cent. currency.

OBLIGATIONS.

Bonds.	Railways.	Closing Prices.	Business done.
100	Central Pacific Mortgage, 7 p.c. ..	35 to 36	.. 35 36 ⅜
—	Central, 1875, 3 p.c., exc. by Kimm. ..	18 — 19	.. 18¾
100	Michigan & Illinois, 7 p.c.	79 — 81	.. 80¾
100	Pacific Gold Trusts, 5 p.c., s. by Canada ..	101¾ — 102¾	.. 102
100	San Paulo & Rio de Janr., 6 p.c., exc.	86 — 88¾	.. 87¾ ¼
20	S. Austr. & Tas. Union, 7 p.c.	21 — 22¾	.. 22¾ ⅜
20	Do., 1st, 7 p.c. (Series 2.)	19 — 19¾	.. 19¾ 19 ⅜
100	South Italian, 5 p.c. ..	8 — 8¾	.. 8¾

POLICE.

AT MARLBOROUGH-STREET, yesterday, MRS. SARAH GAYMAN, dressmaker, 1, Hanway-street, was charged, on remand, before Mr. Newton, with stealing two dresses, the property of Mr. Biddle, linendrapper, of 81, Oxford-street, and having in her possession a large number of duplicates alleged to refer to property illegally pawned. The evidence read over at the previous examination showed that the prisoner was intrusted with the materials of two dresses to make up by Mr. Biddle, that the dresses were never returned, and that when her lodgings were searched by the police the duplicates in question were found. Detective Marshall, F Division, proved finding 102 duplicates, relating to various articles, in the prisoner's possession. He believed that the property had been obtained from various city and West-end firms who employed the prisoner. Mr. Newton thereupon remanded the prisoner. Yesterday, on the case being resumed, Thomas Matthews, in the employ of Messrs. Spencer, Wicks, and Co., mantle makers, 47, Broad-street, City, said he intrusted the prisoner with materials for costumes and only a portion was returned. He had seen a quantity of the materials at different pawnbrokers, and had identified them. The prisoner had no authority to pledge goods intrusted to her. James Ince, manager to Messrs. Halliday and Co., pawnbrokers, Cleveland-street, produced satin and other articles pledged by the prisoner as Ann Gardner, Charlotte-street. The prisoner had been a customer for years, and he made no inquiries as to the property in question, not thinking it necessary, as the prisoner was in the habit of redeeming articles she pledged. Mr. Newton noticed that the prisoner had obtained £3 on goods pledged with witness, and but for the facilities given to her she might not have been standing where she now stood. Miss Lizzy Mallett, assistant to Mr. Hinnis, New Coventry-street, mantlemaker, proved giving the prisoner articles of the value of £20 to make up but could not get them back. The prisoner made various excuses, one being that the machines were out of order. She had identified the property at the pawnbroker's. The pawnbroker's manager, Jacks, produced remnants of satin and other articles, all pledged a few days after each other. Mr. Newton remarked the amount was £11, and it appeared to him that the conduct of pawnbrokers in taking in pledge goods in such a manner was perfectly scandalous. Mr. Ince wished to explain. Mr. Newton said all he cared about was that the police should know what pawnbrokers did and the facilities they afforded to dishonest persons. Miss Pearce, assistant to Mr. Jacks, of Oxford-street and Westbourne-grove, said she had given the prisoner goods to make up and they had not been returned. She went to several pawnbrokers with Detective Marshall and identified the property. Other evidence having been given, Detective Marshall said he had 94 more duplicates relating to similar property for which owners had not yet been found. Some of the pawnbrokers were willing to give up the property pledged with them. Mr. Newton remarked that was what they liked to do, but it was his intention to send the case for trial. The prisoner, however, might be brought up again in a week in case any other owners of property illegally pledged were found.

AT MARYLEBONE, CHARLES EDWARD WILLIAMS, of 110, St. Paul's-road, was summoned by Sophia Williams, living at 10, Hornsey-street, Kentish-town, to show cause why he should not contribute towards the maintenance of her two children, of which he was the father. Mr. Braithwaite, solicitor, appeared for the complainant; Mr. Williams, solicitor, for the defendant. The case was one of a rather peculiar nature. The parties, who were nephew and niece by the half blood on the father's side, and first cousins on the mother's side, were married on the 21st of February, 1871, at a church in Camden-town, and they afterwards cohabited together as man and wife, the two children in question being the issue of the marriage. Lately a dispute had arisen between the complainant and the defendant in reference to religious matters, the mother wishing to bring up her children in the Roman Catholic faith. Hence the present proceedings, and it was now contended that the marriage was void, as it came within the prohibited degrees of affinity. It was mentioned that the defendant was very adverse to his children being made bastards, and was quite willing to take charge and provide for them, only he could not get access to them. The case having been fully argued, Mr. D'Eyncourt said that the case was a very remarkable one in several respects. First, there was the singular fact of the mother seeking to bastardize her own children, and then the peculiar and complicated relationship which existed between the parties. The proof of those facts had been rendered difficult owing to the unwillingness of the defendant's father and mother to give evidence and by the very disturbed state of the family, notwithstanding the numerous intermarriages among them. The relationship between the two parties which he had mentioned seemed, however, to be established. Before the passing of the Act 5 and 6 William IV., cap. 54, the marriage in this case would have been a voidable one, and to set it aside proceedings must have been taken in the Ecclesiastical Court, but under that Act all marriages within the prohibited degrees of consanguinity or affinity were made absolutely null and void ab initio. The Act, therefore, rendered it necessary for him to decide in the first place whether the marriage in question was void, and whether the parties were within the

VORTRAG in Camberwell-hall, Grove-lane, Camberwell, am Mittwoch, den 21 April, Abends 8 Uhr, von Herrn F. SCHRENK, 13 Jahre Missionar an der Goldküste. Über die Gebräuche von West-Afrika. Die Gesellschaft der Gebräuche mit Schlangen von Land und Luftbes—Der heilige Aschante-King mit schrecklichen und seltsam Folter—Die gefangenen Missionare in Aschante—Dreimalige Gefangenschaft der Missionare—Die gefährliche Mission der Dame Missionsgesellschaft nach dem Königreich Aschante. Die Entdeckung des Grabes Freemans des Missionars, Gefangenen und, wie man sagt, Vertrag Geheimnisse gegeben werden.

CHELSEA LITERARY and SCIENTIFIC INSTITUTION.—A LECTURE will be given on Friday, April 16th, at 8 p.m., by EDWARD CHEEF, M.D., on the benefit of the Institution, on Health and Longevity, including an outline of the structure of the human body, with diagrammatic and microscopic illustrations.

TESTIMONIAL to Sir MOSES MONTEFIORE, Bart., F.R.S.—The Committee beg respectfully to ACKNOWLEDGE the following SUBSCRIPTIONS, recently received:—The Duchess Dowager Gloster, £50; His Grace the Duke of Sutherland, £50; the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Shaftesbury, £5; Sir William Jenner, Bart., £5 5s. By order, LEWIS EMANUEL, Secretary.
No. 36, Finsbury-circus, April 13, 1875.

SEWELL MEMORIAL.—A GENERAL MEETING of Old Sufferers and Friends of Bailey will be held at Willis's Rooms, King-street, St. James's, on Wednesday, 21st inst., at 1 p.m., to consider the question of devoting the whole or part of the interest of the Memorial Fund now being raised to the Foundation of Sewell Scholarships. It is hoped that the Meeting may be fully attended. EDWARD WORSLEY, Cowley Vicarage, Uxbridge. WILLIAM J. HOLLAND, 41, Holcombe-road, Hornsey. } Hon. Secs.

NATIONAL TRAINING SCHOOL for COOKERY, Exhibition-road, South Kensington.
The following CLASSES are now at WORK DAILY, Saturdays excepted:—A. For Ladies' generally. B. For Practical Work. C. For Cookery for the Poor.
For programmes, information as to fees, &c., apply at the School personally, or by letter, addressed to the Secretary.
Nominations for the current year are now due. Subscribers have the privilege of nominating students to become teachers and paying the fees through their subscriptions.

BURIAL LAWS AMENDMENT BILL.—The Committee of the Deputies of the three denominations of Protestant Dissenters appointed to protect their civil rights, submit the following brief state ment in reference to this Bill, which stands for the second reading on Wednesday, the 28th of April instant:—
In the year 1870 a Bill to Amend the Burial Laws was brought forward in the House of Commons by Mr. Osborne Morgan, Q.C., and on the 23rd March, 1870, the second reading was carried by the substantial majority of 141, in a House composed of more than 500 Members.
The principle of the Bill having thus decisively obtained, it was referred, at the instance of the Government and on the motion of Mr. Hardcastle, to the Home Secretary, to a Select Committee, who made several amendments in the Bill, to which Mr. Morgan assented, and the Bill as amended was brought up to the House, but, although the Metropolitan Member used every effort in his power to get the Bill read a third time, he was unsuccessful; the forces of the House being used by the opponents of the Bill to obtain it, and it was lost for that Session.
A similar course attended the introduction of the Bill in the Sessions of 1871, 1872, and 1873. The second reading was in each year carried by large majorities, but the Bill could not be passed through Committee in the face of the numerous opposition offered by the opponents of the measure.
In the year 1874 it was not brought forward, but Mr. Morgan has introduced it again during the present Session.
The object of the Bill is to throw open parish churchyards to all the parishioners without making it compulsory on the friends of a deceased parishioner to have the presence of the incumbent of the parish or the burial service of the Established Church used at the interment. The Bill permits the friends of the deceased to have such religious service used as they may approve, and to have the service conducted by such minister or friend as they may select. Ample provisions are contained in the Bill to prevent the abuse of the right conferred by it.
It is admitted that as the people of Scotland and Ireland already possess the right now demanded for the people of England and Wales, there is no valid reason for withholding it. The present Bill does not contain certain provisions limiting the operation of the measure contained in the former Bills. It has been found that these provisions did not meet the opposition of the opponents of the Bill, and they have, therefore, been abandoned.
Several cases have occurred recently where incumbents of parishes have illegally refused to permit the service of the Established Church to be used at the burial of parishioners on the ground that such persons through baptized by their own Ministers, have not been baptized by a clergyman of the Establishment; and in country districts the feelings of relatives of deceased persons are continually being outraged by the refusal of the clergy to allow the burial of unbaptized persons. In some cases, as Bodd, the refusal is as painful to the incumbent as it is to the friends of the deceased. The remedy for the grievance is an alteration of the law, such as that proposed to be made by the present Bill, and the Committee very earnestly ask for the support of all friends of religious equality in the present attempt to alter the law, so as to give equal rights to all parishioners.
C. SHEPARD, Secretary.
No. 21, Finsbury-circus, E.C., 9th April, 1875.

FATHER O'KEEFFE.—The case of Father O'Keeffe against Cardinal Cullen is now coming before the Exchequer Chamber in Ireland, the Judges of the Court of Queen's Bench being equal in opinion as to the question raised at the late trial. The plaintiff is without the means of carrying on the suit unless he receives further aid from the public, and he has appealed to the O'Keeffe Defence Fund Committee, who collected nine-tenths of the money last year.
The Committee now make this FURTHER APPEAL to the public as aids in maintaining the struggle. Mr. O'Keeffe's case involves more extensive issues respecting the position of the Roman Catholic Church in Ireland and its relations to the State. It would be more unfortunate a lapse under opportunity should be lost of having these cases finally and decisively determined.
Subscriptions will be received by R. Nugent, Esq., Treasurer, No. 37, Chancery-lane; or by Messrs. Hoare, Fancourt, and Co., Bankers, St. James's-street, S.W.

ROYAL MASONIC INSTITUTION for BOYS, Wood-green, London, N. Office, 6, Freemasons'-hall, W.C.
Patron—Her Majesty THE QUEEN.
President—H.R.H. the Prince of WALES, K.G., M.W.G.M.
At a quarterly General Court of the Governors and Subscribers, held at Freemasons'-hall, Great Queen-street, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, on Monday, the 12th day of April, 1875, Bro. John Symonds, W.M. in the chair, a BALLOT was taken for the ELECTION of EIGHT BOYS from as approved list of 32 candidates, when the following were declared to be successful:

1. Parker, James Sandon	1,128	5. Barrow, Jas. Armytage	1,79
2. Armitage, Chas. Edgar	1,06	6. Harris, Jos. Thos.	1,57
3. Sowerby, John Tom	1,022	7. Jackson, Wm. Hy.	1,09
4. Pilling, Thomas Smith	1,12	8. Kerr, Arthur David	1,154

The votes of the unsuccessful candidates will be carried to their credit at the election in October, 1875.
Lists of candidates, with the votes polled for all successful and unsuccessful, may be obtained on application at the office, 6, Freemasons'-hall, London, W.C. FREDERICK SINCOX, Secretary.

ROYAL MASONIC INSTITUTION for BOYS.—Mrs. OAYES returns her grateful THANKS to all friends who kindly assisted her with their votes and interest for the Royal Masonic School, by which the success of her son has been secured.—12th April, 1875.

SOCIETY for the ABOLITION of VIVISECTION.
COMMITTEE.
Sir George Duckett, Bart., Wood Manor-house, Hampton, Devon.
Lieut.-General W. B. Gostling, C.B., Heavitree-house, Exeter, Devon.
James Maden Holt, Esq., M.P., Smithills-hall, Bolton, Lancashire.
William Harrison, Esq., J.P., Sandybury-hall, Preston, Lancashire.
Colonel Edward P. de L'Hoste, Ilfracombe, Portishead, Bristol.
W. H. G. Lingham, Esq., J.P., Fox-hall, Chapel-en-le-Frith, Derbyshire.
The object of the Society is a Law for the Total Suppression of Vivisection, or putting animals to death by torture, under any pretext whatever. To call on the Legislature for less would be to admit the principle that thereby perpetuates the cruelty that man is justified in wantonly inflicting pain on the dumb creatures.
Opponents of the slave trade applied not for restriction but abolition. The status perpetuated by man on animals are even more disastrous than those imposed by him on his own species. The abolition of slavery was universally an act of high Christian philanthropy, and surely it is no less noble or less Christian to carry the sentiment of mercy to lower creatures of dumb kind.
The hideous cruelty of dissecting living animals, or inflicting on them, through ignorance and defilement, exhibitions unable to excite sensation and pertinent agony, has scarcely grown up in this enlightened nation for more than half a century, and is distinguished by the humanity and compassionate character of its people.
This second class has spread widely, and whether it be or not a direct form of transgressing human dangerous and contributing to misery—a blot on civilization—a stigma on Christianity. The public has little idea what the tortures of vivisection are; in order to excite, humiliate, offend, and appalling horror, in washrooms, anteroom, and wide open cannot be conceived in the minds of the world. It therefore calls for restriction, by the Legislature, strictly being not only the worst of cases in point, but the most intrinsically scandal, more especially when perpetrated by the refined and educated.
The Nation is APPEALED to for immediate AID and SUBSCRIPTIONS.
Donations may be paid to the National Provincial Bank of England, 112, Bishopsgate-street within, London, and all or branches.
List of subscriptions to be publicly published on Monday next.
GEORGE R. JONES, Esq., honorary secretary, Hathern, Manchester, Cheshire.

IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT of RUSSIA.—ISSUE of £15,000,000 (Fifteen Million Pounds sterling) Imperial Capital Six per CENT. CONSOLIDATED BONDS, 1875.—His Majesty the Emperor of Russia has, by the Ukase of the 25th March, 1875 (13th April, new style), authorized the creation and issue by the Government of these Six per cent. Bonds, to be applied, in virtue of resolutions and supplementary resolutions sanctioned by the Imperial Government, to the following public purposes, viz.—Post-Office, Public Works, Railway Establishment, Redemption-loans, Loans, Foreign Trade, Pensions, Overspending, Landowners-Bonds, Bills, Debts, and Reparations.
MESSRS. A. M. Rothschild and Sons of London, and De Rothschild Brothers, of Paris, are authorized by the Russian Government to negotiate the sale of eight millions of the said Bonds. Five millions will be offered to the public at 91 per cent net. Four are for the Prussian Market, and the remaining two millions have been placed.
Subscription lists will be opened in London on Thursday, the 15th April, and will be closed on or before Friday, the 16th April.
The Bonds will be issued to bearer in sums of £50, £100, £200, and £500 each, with coupons payable half-yearly, on the 1st April and 1st October (new style) each year, at the offices of Messrs. A. M. Rothschild and Sons, London, in pounds sterling; of Messrs. De Rothschild, Vienna, Paris, at the exchange of 10 per pound sterling; of Messrs. H. A. De Rothschild and Sons, Frankfort-on-the-Maine; at Berlin and Amsterdam, at the houses to be designated hereafter; and in St. Petersburg in the State bank, at the exchange of the day.
A sinking fund will redeem these Bonds at par in 41 years, by annual drawings. The first drawing will take place on the 1st of April, 1876, and the redemption at maturity takes place, as similar to previous coupons, and at other places, where the coupons may be payable, at the exchange of the day.
The price of subscription is £85 for every £100 stock, payable as follows:—

£5	on application
£10	on allotment.
£20	on 1st June.
£20	on 1st August.
£20	on 1st October.
£10	on 15th November.
£85	

A coupon for the first Dividend, due on the 1st October, 1875, will be attached to the scrip.
The failure to pay the whole of the instalments subjects all previous payments to forfeiture.
Subscribers may pay up the remaining instalments under discount at the rate of 5 per cent, per annum on any Monday or Tuesday.
Applications for these Bonds must be made to the undersigned, together with the deposit of £5 per cent. on the amount applied for. In case the amount allotted will require the whole deposit, the surplus will be returned; and if the deposit be insufficient for the full amount on the second number, the balance required will be paid forthwith.
In case of an allotment being made the deposit of the applicant will be returned.
Scrip will be issued which will be exchanged for the Bonds after payment of the last instalment, and the Bonds will be delivered as soon as they are received from the Imperial Government.
Subscription Lists will be opened in London, Paris, St. Petersburg, Frankfort-on-the-Main, Berlin, and Amsterdam.
New-court, 13th April, 1875.

Form of Application.
Imperial Government of Russia.—Issue of £15,000,000 (Fifteen Million Pounds) Six per cent. Consolidated Bonds, 1875.
To Messrs. A. M. Rothschild and Sons.
Gentlemen,—I request that you will allot to —— £ —— nominal Imperial Bonds at the above Bonds, on which I enclose the required deposit of five per cent., or £——, and —— agree to accept that amount of any less sum that may be allotted to ——, and to pay the balance of each instalment according to the conditions of your prospectus of the 13th April, 1875.
(Signature, not the usual signature.)
Name at length.....
Address.....
London, April, 1875.

IMPERIAL OTTOMAN LOAN of 1862.—Amounts forming part of the sum received by the Imperial Ottoman Bank out of the subscription for the service of the Foreign Loan and General Debt, and taken from receipts from tobacco, salt, fisheries, and other taxes specially assigned to the 1862 loan, and applicable to the interest due the 1st of July, 1875, of the said Loan.

	Previously.	March.	Total.
Received during the month ending 31st March, 1875	£107,177	£50,438	£157,615

Constantinople, 31st March, 1875.
S. H. POTTER, Director-General.
E. DE REVEAUX, Director.

TURKISH LOAN of 1865.—Amounts forming part of the sum received by the Imperial Ottoman Bank out of the subscription for the service of the Foreign Loan and General Debt, and taken from receipts from tobacco, salt, fisheries, and other taxes specially assigned to the 1865 loan, and applicable to the interest, &c., due the 1st of July, 1875, of the said Loan.

	Previously.	March.	Total.
Received during the month ending 31st March, 1875	—	£2,128	£2,128

Constantinople, 31st March, 1875.
S. H. POTTER, Director-General.
AM. DEVEAUX, Director.

ITALIAN PUBLIC LANDS FIVE per CENT. LOAN, 1861.—Coupon Issue, 1875.—The Anglo-Italian Pacific Association, incorporated 4 & 5 Vict., cap. 120, agents for the above loan, hereby give notice that the COUPONS due on April, are now PAYABLE at [illegible] Lombard-street, E.C.

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1875.

LONDON and KANSAS LAND and COLONIZATION ASSOCIATION (Limited).—Subscribed, £5,000; divided into 1,000 shares of £10 each.—FIRST ISSUE of 1,000 SHARES—£20,000. Payments—£1 on Allotment, and £3 within three months after date. Further calls will only be made at intervals of not less than three months. Shares may be paid up in full.

Solicitors—Messrs. W. M. Williams and Son, 46, Lincoln's Inn-fields, London, W.C.

Bankers—The London and County Bank, Covent-garden Branch, Henrietta-street, London, W.C.

ABRIDGED PROSPECTUS.

This company is formed for the purpose of purchasing in Kansas an eligible tract or tracts of land, and to let or sell such lands, and to promote their settlement by colonists from the United Kingdom and elsewhere. It is further proposed to make advances at interest upon mortgage to purchasers, for the purpose of erecting farm buildings, &c. As the business of this association is based upon freehold land, rapidly increasing in value, it offers to the public the best possible security for safe and profitable investment.

The full prospectus on application to the Secretary, Commander H. J. M. Aspre, R.N. Temporary Offices, 1, Long-acre, London, W.C.

THE RAILWAY DEBENTURE TRUST COMPANY (Limited).

Offices—Ely-p, Ely-place, E.C., London.

Issue of £301,400, being the balance of £1,000,000 Five per Cent. Debentures, redeemable by annual drawings in 41 years, from 1875, at £105, or a Cumulative yielding Fund of One-Half per Cent. per Annum.

The total issue of debentures is limited, by a resolution passed at the last general meeting, to £2,000,000, against £1,000,000 share capital.

Applications will be received for the balance unallotted at the price of £95 per cent. and interest from 1st February, 1875.

PORTSMOUTH HARBOUR PIER COMPANY.

Notice is Hereby Given, that the directors will, on Monday, 3rd day of May, at Gosport, make a DISTRIBUTION of the net ASSETS of this company.

All shareholders are requested to attend with their shares at the Office, 24, Hampshire-terrace, Portsea, to receive payment, or, if inconvenient to attend, they can send their shares to the Secretary for examination and payment.

W. TEBADDOLD, Sec.

NEW SYSTEM OF LIFE ASSURANCE.

THE POSITIVE GOVERNMENT SECURITY LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY (Limited).

Chief Office, 45, Bedford-street, London.

POSITIVE POLICIES are unconditional, indisputable, and non-forfeitable.

1. Unconditional, being free from all conditions of every kind restrictive of the assured, except the due payment of premiums.

2. Indisputable, as no objection whatever can be raised on any ground after the policy has been issued; even the age of the assured being admitted, upon evidence called for when the policy is issued, instead of being left, as under the ordinary system, until it becomes a claim.

3. Non-forfeitable, because every premium purchases a fully paid-up policy or positive note for the relative proportion that the premium bears to the sum assured, which positive note never lapses, but remains in force the death, whether subsequent premiums are paid or not.

STATEMENT OF LIFE BUSINESS, AS OF DEC. 31, 1874.

Policies in force.	Amount Assured.	Annual Premium Income.	Annual Life Assurance Fund.
England .....1,[illegible]	£[illegible]	£[illegible]	£[illegible]
India ..... [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Canada ..... [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total .....[illegible]	£[illegible]	£[illegible]	£[illegible]

F. BARROW, Managing Director.

The policies of this company cover the risk of travelling anywhere, by any mode of conveyance, and of residence in any part of the world.

THE GRESHAM LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY, Head Office, London, E., Old Jewry.

Result of Operations for the Last Quarter of a Century:

Proposals received for	£[illegible]
Proposals declined for	[illegible]
Policies issued for	[illegible]
Assurances in force for	[illegible]
Premiums under policies	[illegible]

Prospectuses to be obtained on application to the Society's Agents; or to F. ALLAN CURTIS, Actuary and Secretary.

SUN FIRE OFFICE. Established 1710.

Threadneedle-street, Charing-cross, and Pall-mall, W. Insurances effected through Agents in all parts of the country. Property in foreign countries insured.

Duty on insurances in the year, in 1866, £[illegible].

No duty now payable.

SUN LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY, London. Established 1810. BONUS.

The following are examples of the Premiums charged and the Cash Bonuses paid at the last quinquennial Division.

	Age 30.	Age 40.	Age 50.	Age 60.
Premium for £100	£1 10 11	£2 9 7	£3 8 6	£2 15 9
Cash Bonuses paid whilst Policies on Policies in force.				
5 Years	£2 1 7	£2 4 7	£2 11 4	£4 11 11
10 years	3 16 8	3 4 6	4 7 1	6 1 0
20 years	5 15 8	5 17 6	6 16 6	7 18 10

Policies effected before Midsummer will participate in the next Division of Profits. J. G. FINNEMORE, Actuary.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT MUTUAL ASSURANCE COMPANY (Limited), 61, Poultry, London.

Reserve Fund and Guarantee, £14,000.

Single premiums covering the whole life.

Expenses reduced two-thirds.

Prospectuses, &c., free on application to Mr. W. Barr, F.S.S., Managing Director.

COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS, Clerks, and others.—By the Combination Scheme of the LONDON GUARANTEE and ACCIDENT COMPANY (Limited), 61, Moorgate-street, E.C., those who effect an accident insurance in combination with a fidelity guarantee are allowed a material reduction in the premium.

ACCIDENT INSURANCE COMPANY (Limited), 7, Bank-buildings, Lothbury, E.C.

Official accidents. Railway accidents. Personal injuries. Death by accidents.

C. HARDING, Manager.

ACCIDENT INSURANCE.—£6 per Week whilst disabled, and £1,000 if killed. Premium £1 per annum. LONDON GUARANTEE AND ACCIDENT COMPANY (Limited), 61, Moorgate-street, E.C.

E. G. LAUGHTON ANDERSON, Secretary.

OCEAN, RAILWAY, and GENERAL ACCIDENT ASSURANCE COMPANY (Limited), Mansion House-buildings, E.C.

General Accidents. Consequent Accidents. Railway Accidents. Compensation Policies. Ocean Policies for Single or Double Voyage. Relief Policies. Tourist Tickets.

Premium from One Shilling to £5.

R. DOLPHIN WOOD, Secretary.

LONDON and SOUTHWARK FIRE and LIFE INSURANCE.—Chairman, Henry Aste, Esq.—Chief Office, 13 and 14, King William-street, E.C.

THE ANGLO-EGYPTIAN BANKING COMPANY (Limited). Capital £[illegible].

Divided into [illegible] shares of £10, fully paid up.

RESERVE FUND, £[illegible].

Offices—Alexandria, Egypt; and 37, Clement's-lane, Lombard-street, London, E.C.

DIRECTORS.

G. G. Macpherson, Esq.	R. E. Morrice, Esq.
E. Masterman, Esq.	F. Leistikow, Esq.
J. B. Fenzi, Esq., Member of the Council Superior de Commerce in France, late President of the Chamber of Commerce of Marseilles.	John Fenzi, Esq. (Messrs. Fenzi Frères). G. Scanlan, Esq. (late Messrs. G. Scanlan and Co.), Alexandria.

BANKERS.

Bank of England. The London Joint-Stock Bank.

Solicitors—Messrs. Upton, Johnson, Upton, and Redd, 30, Austinfriars.

Secretary—Octave Fox, Esq.

The Bank issues drafts, grants letters of credit on its branch at Alexandria, forwards bills for collection, buys and sells bills on Egypt, and transacts every other description of banking business between this country and Egypt. The Bank effects purchases and sales of Egyptian stocks, and of Egyptian produce.

The Bank also receives Fixed Deposits, in sums of not less than £100, on the following terms:

For six months certain, at the rate of five per cent. per annum.

For twelve months certain, at six per cent. per annum.

Interest payable half-yearly.

By order of the Board,

37, Clement's-lane, Lombard-street. O. FOX, Secretary.

THE BANK of ALEXANDRIA (Limited). Capital £1,000,000, in shares of £10 each. Subscribed and paid-up capital, £500,000. Reserve fund, £50,000.

Head Office, 6, Moorgate-street, E.C.; Alexandria Office, Rue Chérif Pacha.

Bankers—Bank of England; London and County Bank.

Letters of credit granted on Alexandria, and payment made in Cairo and Suez.

Bills for collection executed in any part of Egypt, drafts on Alexandria negotiated, and the purchase and sale of Egyptian and all kinds of securities undertaken.

Egyptian Government bonds and debentures collected in Cairo and Alexandria, and every kind of banking business connected with Egypt transacted.

Interest allowed, at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum on money deposited for not less than twelve months, and for shorter periods at rates to be agreed upon.

JOHN COW, London Manager.

THE BANK of ALEXANDRIA (Limited).—To Holders of share Warrants to Bearer.—Notice is Hereby Given, that an INTERIM DIVIDEND of 10s. per share, being 5 per cent. per annum, for the six months ending the 31st February, has been declared, and same will be payable on and after the 1st May proximo, against Coupon No. 4.—Coupons must be noted on forms to be obtained on application, and must be left three clear days for examination.

By order of the Board. JOHN RECORD, Secretary.

4, Moorgate-street, London, April 7, 1875.

THE BANK of CONSTANTINOPLE (SOCIETE ANONYME).—Notice is Hereby Given, that at the General Meeting held at Constantinople on April 5th a SUPPLEMENTARY DIVIDEND for the year ending December 31, 1874, was declared at the rate of 11 per cent. per annum, which will be PAYABLE on and after May 1, at the Offices of the Bank, 18, Gresham House, Old Broad-street, between the hours of eleven and three only (Saturdays excepted).

The coupons must be entered in numerical order on forms, which are to be obtained on application, and must be left three clear days for examination. Copies of the report of the administration may also be obtained on application at the Offices of the Bank. THEOPHILAKI EFFENDI, Secretary.

18, Gresham House, Old Broad-street, April 12, 1875.

BANK of VICTORIA, Australia.—Notice is Hereby Given, that at the Forty-fourth Half Yearly Meeting of the Proprietors, held within the Head Office of the Corporation at Melbourne, on the 2nd day of February last, a DIVIDEND at the rate of 10 per cent. and a BONUS at the rate of 2 per cent. (being together 6 per cent. for the half-year) were declared on the paid-up capital of the Bank, and the same will be PAYABLE to the Shareholders on the London Register at the London Office of the Bank of Victoria, 5, Threadneedle-street, on and after Monday, the 12th of April.

April 12, 1875. H. L. TAYLOR, Managing Director.

THE ALLIANCE BANK (Limited), Bartholomew-lane, London.

Capital £3,000,000, divided into 30,000 shares of £100 each, £10 paid.

Paid-up Capital, £300,000. Reserve Fund, £100,000.

MATTHEW HUTTON CRAYTON, Esq., Chairman.

Interest allowed on current account balances, if not drawn below £500.

Deposits of £10 and upwards received on current terms and for fixed periods, as may be agreed upon.

Every facility afforded for the transmission of money between London, Liverpool, Manchester and Scotland, and for the receipt and delivery of stocks, shares, &c.

Circular Notes and Letters of Credit issued, and every other description of banking business transacted.

Bartholomew-lane, E.C. R. O. TRAYS, Manager.

BIRKBECK BANK, Established 1851.

29 and 30, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane.

Four per Cent. interest allowed on Deposits.

Current Accounts opened similar to the Joint-Stock Banks, by which any alteration in the amount of balance to be kept by the customer, Cheque Books supplied.

Office hours from ten till four; on Mondays from ten till eight, and on Saturdays from ten till two o'clock.

A Pamphlet, containing full particulars, may be obtained gratis, or sent post free on application to

FRANCIS HAVERSCHOT, Manager.

CO-OPERATIVE CREDIT BANK, Mansion House Chambers, 11, Queen Victoria-street, E.C.

Total issue of capital, £[illegible], in subscriptions of one pound and upwards.

Interest in lieu of dividend 10 per cent. per annum, paid monthly. Current accounts opened, and 5 per cent. interest allowed on the minimum monthly balance. Cheque books supplied. The bank undertakes and issues circular notes for the Continent and America, and transacts every description of sound financial business.

For particulars apply to E. B. OAKLEY, Manager.

THE CONSERVATIVE LAND SOCIETY, Established under 6 and 7 Will. IV., cap. 32.—Twenty-Third Year. Incorporated for Capital and Savings.

SHARE AND DEPOSIT DEPARTMENTS.

Present rate of Interest on Shares, 4 per cent. The Shares are £50 in 10 each, and can be paid in full or by instalments.

Present rate of interest on Deposits, 4 per cent. Any amount received.

Withdrawals up to £100 paid at a week's notice; up to £200 at three weeks; and above that sum at one month's notice.

No partnership liability. Prompt withdrawal under the rules when required. Prospectuses free to any part of the world.

JOHN ASHDOWN, Secretary.

Offices, 29, Norfolk-street, Strand, London.

ROCK BUILDING SOCIETY, 62, Chancery-lane. ADVANCES MONEY on MORTGAGE and purchase of properties from two to fourteen years, repayable by monthly instalments. Deposits received at 4 per cent., and shares issued bearing liberal interest. J. J. BISCOE, Secretary.

HEARTS of OAK BUILDING SOCIETY, 17A, Charlotte-street, Fitzroy-square. Monthly subscription 2s. 6d. per share. Prospectus free. Rules 1d., post free, of Richard Towsley, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CORPORATION BONDS.—The undersigned are prepared to CASH COUPONS of all the Municipal Corporation Bonds issued through them or of before maturity.

A list of MUNICIPAL CORPORATION BONDS, issued upon the QUALITY and SOLICITOR GATES, and which at present price will yield the investor from 6 to 10 per cent. per annum, can be had upon application.

LOAD, DIBB, CLENCH, and CO.

41, Old Broad-street, London, E.C.

MR. EDWIN JAMES, ex-Q.C., ADVISES upon all LEGAL SUBJECTS, and in matters of a private and confidential character.—No. 7, Old Broad-street, E.

THE DAILY TELE

MONEY MARKET.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

There has been less animation on the Stock Exchange to-day, partly through the attention devoted to the arrangement of the account, and a few sales were sufficient to cause a partial relapse. The advices from the Continent were nevertheless good, and the Paris Bourse remains steady. The decline here was chiefly in Italian, Spanish, Mexican, and Turkish Bonds, and it in no case exceeded ¼. Some of the Egyptian issues were weaker, but the 1873 Loan was exceptionally firm at an improvement. Peruvian fluctuated considerably, and at the close the Six per Cents. were a trifle lower than last evening's quotations. The Five per Cents. were unaltered. The American market, on the other hand, was buoyant, and the speculative railway descriptions advanced. The chief movement was in Erie, in response to the activity announced from New York, where gambling seems at present to be rampant, threatening wide fluctuations. There is no reason to suppose that persons on this side will escape the contagion, and apparently the evil must be left to run its course, unless it should prove that the rise at New York is connected with the design to prepare the market for another issue of bonds here, in which case the necessity of publishing some authoritative statement as to the condition of the line must be constantly insisted upon. It is the more necessary to bear this in mind as accounts have now come to hand of a further default in the payment of interest on guaranteed bonds by a leading railway corporation in the States, for which the only excuse appears to be financial pressure. The extent to which all the American lines still suffer from the effects of the last panic has yet to be disclosed. English Railway Stocks to-day, after showing some activity, relapsed shortly before the close, on unfavourable traffic returns, and in nearly every case the last prices were lower than yesterday. The dullest were Great Western and North-Eastern, the former being depressed from the opening by the intelligence from the South Wales district, where, it is stated, the colliers, so far from being disposed to give way, declare their determination to hold out until September. The falling-off in the Great Western traffic last week was considerable; but it was also marked in the case of North-Eastern, North-Western, and even Midland.

The Funds have been rather buoyant. Consols for money improved ⅛, to 93 1/16; and for May, 1-16, to 93⅛, ⅛. The New Threes and Reduced Annuities also advanced ⅛, to 91⅞, 92⅛; Annuities, 1885, were 7⅞, ⅜; Exchequer Bills, 2s dis., 3s prem.; India Five per Cents., 108⅛, 109; ditto Four per Cents., 103⅛, ⅞; ditto Four per Cents., 92, 93; ditto Four and a Half per Cents., 95⅛, 96⅛; ditto Five and a Half per Cents., 100, 101; Debentures, 1878, 100⅛, 101⅛; Bonds, 13s, 20s prem.; Bank Stock, 251, 253; Corporation of London Bonds, 1881, 100, 102; and Metropolitan Three and a Half per Cents., 98⅞, 99⅞.

Foreign Stocks underwent few changes of importance. Bolivian improved ⅛; Egyptian, 1873, 1-16; French Three per Cents., ⅛; ditto Five per Cents., ⅛; Portuguese, ⅛; Russian Five per Cents., 1871, ⅛; Turkish Six per Cents., 1865, ⅛; ditto Nine per Cent. C Bonds, 1; United States 5-20 Bonds, 1862 issue, ⅛; ditto, 1865, ⅛; ditto, 1867, ⅛; and ditto Funded Five per Cents., ⅛; but ditto Six per Cent. Stock receded ⅛; Egyptian 1868 Loan, ⅛; Honduras, both issues, ⅛; Italian, ⅛; Mexican, ⅛; Peruvian Six per Cents., ⅛; Russian Five per Cents., 1822, ⅛; Spanish, ⅛; Turkish Five per Cents., ⅛; ditto Six per Cents., 1869, ⅛; and ditto, 1873, ⅛. The following is a list of latest prices. The transactions marked in the official list are placed within brackets:

Argentine 6 p.c. 82, 84 [83]
Do. 6 p.c. 1871 (Public Works), 87, 89 [87½]
Do. 6 p.c. 1872 (Hard Dols.) 74, 76 [75½]
Austrian 5 p.c. Silver Loan, 67½, 68½
Do. Paper Loan, 64½, 65½
Belgian 3 p.c. Scrip
Bolivian 6 p.c. 24½, 25½ [25, ½]
Brazilian 5 p.c. 1865, 97½, 98½
Do. 5 p.c. 1871, 97, 98 [97½, ½]
Do. 4 p.c. 1875 Scrip, ⅜, ⅛ prem.
Buenos Ayres 6 p.c. 1876, 86, 88
Do. 1873, 85, 88 [86½]
Chilian 7 p.c. 1866, 101, 103 [102½]
Do. 6 p.c. 1867, 100, 102 [101½]
Do. 5 p.c. 1870, 91, 93 [92½]
Do. 1878, 88, 90 [88½, ½]
Colombian 6 p.c. 90, 94
Do. 4½ p.c. 47, 49
Costa Rica 6 p.c. 19, 21 [19½]
Do. 7 p.c. 1872, 20, 22 [20½]
Danish 5 p.c. 1864
Dominican 7 p.c. 1869, 99, 101
Do. 6 p.c. 1867, 100, 102
Ecuador New Consolidated, ½, ¾
Egyptian 7 p.c. 1867, 91, 93 [92]
Do. 7 p.c. 1864, 99, 101
Do. 7 p.c. 1868, 89½, 90 [90½, ½, ¼]
Do. 7 p.c. Vice. Mort. Loan, 96, 98
Do. 7 p.c. 1873, 100, 102 [100½, ¼]
Do. 7 p.c. Khedive Loan, 102, 104 [103, ⅜, ½]
Do. 1873, 81, 83½ [80½, ½, ½]
Entre Rios 7 p.c. 1873, 99, 101
French 3 p.c. 65, 65½
Do. 6 p.c. National Defence Loan, 100½, 101½
Do. 4 p.c. 101½, 102 [101½]
Greek 5 p.c. 14½, 15½
Do. Coupons, ½, ¾
Guatemala 6 p.c. 83, 85
Honduras 10 p.c. 1867, 6½, 7½
Do. 5 p.c. 1867
Do. 10 p.c. 1870, 6½, 7½ [7]
Hungarian 5 p.c. 73½, 74½ [74]
Do. 1873, 5 p.c. 73½, 74½ [74½, ¼]
Do. 1873 Treasury 6 p.c. 90, 94 [93½, ½]
Do. 6 p.c. 1874, 90½, 91½ [91½, ½]
Italian 5 p.c. 1861, 70½, 70¾ [70½, ⅜, ½]
Do. 6 p.c. Matern. Railway, 69, 71
Do. 16th State Dom. 86, 92
Do. 5 p.c. 1868 Tob. Loan, 98½, 99½
Japanese 9 p.c. 107, 109
Do. 7 p.c. 100, 102 [101½]
Mexican 3 p.c. 16½, 16¾ [16½]
Do. 3 p.c. 1864, 7, 8
Moorish 5 p.c.
Paraguay 6 p.c. 17, 19
Do. 1872, 19, 21
Peruvian 6 p.c. 1870, 71½, 71¾ [71½, ⅜, ½]
Do. 5 p.c. 1872, 56, 56½ [56, ½, ½, ⅜, ½]
Portuguese 3 p.c. 49½, 50½ [50½, 49½]
Russian 5 p.c. 1822, 100½, 101¼ [101½]
Do. 5 p.c. 1859, 73, 74 [73½]
Do. 5 p.c. 1862, 102 103 [102½, ½]
Do. 5 p.c. 1864, £100, 99½, 100½ [100½]
Do. 5 p.c. 1866, £100, 99½, 100½
Do. 4 p.c. Nicolai R. 85½, 86½ [86, ½]
Do. 5 p.c. 1870, 102, 103 [102½]
Do. 5 p.c. 1871, 100, 101 [100½, ½]
Do. 5 p.c. 1872, 99½, 100½ [99½, 100]
Do. 6 p.c. 1873, 101, 102 [101½, ½, ¼]
Santa Fe 7 p.c. 18½, 19½
San Domingo 6 p.c. 17, 19 [17½, 19½]
Sardinian 5 p.c. 86, 88
Spanish 3 p.c. 19½, 20 [22, 21, ⅞, ¾]
Do. 5 p.c. Quicksilver Mort. 86, 87 [86½]
Do. 5 p.c. Rat. Lands Mort. Cert. 64, 67 [66½, ½]
Swedish 5 p.c. 1868, 102, 104
Turkish 6 p.c. 1854, 89, 90
Do. 6 p.c. 1858, 63, 65 [63½]
Do. 6 p.c. 1862, 72, 74 [73½, ½, ¼]
Do. 6 p.c. 1865, 69, 71
Do. 5 p.c. 1863, 62½, 63½ [63, ½]
Do. 6 p.c. 1865, 71½, 72 [71½, ½, ¼]
Do. 4 p.c. Guar. 101, 103
Do. 5 p.c. 1869, 54, 54½ [54½, ½]
Do. 5 p.c. 1871, 64, 64½ [64½, ½]
Do. 5 p.c. Treasury, 1872
Do. do. A, 95, 97 [96½]
Do. do. B, 85, 87
Do. do. C, 80, 82
Do. do. D and C, 82½, 83½ [82½, ½]
Do. 6 p.c. 1873, 82½, 83½ [83, ½, ¼]
United States 6 p.c. 1874, 108½
Do. do. 5-20 years, 1862 issue, 105, 105½
Do. 1865 issue, 108, 108½
Do. 1867 issue, 107½, 108 [108, ½]
Do. Funded 5 p.c. 1881, 108½, 109 [108½, ½]
Do. 10-40 Bonds, 5 p.c. 103½, 104
Uruguay Con. 3 p.c. 1871, 32½, 33
Venezuela 3 p.c. 8, 10
Do. 6 p.c. 14, 16

The scrip of the new Russian Four and a Half per Cent. Loan closed at ⅛, ⅞ prem.

Discount remained very quiet, and good bills were actively sought after at 3½ per cent. Money was wanted in connection with the Stock Exchange settlement, and 2½ per cent. was readily given for loans on English Government securities.

A sum of £7,000 in bar gold was sent into the Bank, making, on balance for the week, a total influx of £122,000.

The Martinique, from the West Indies, is announced at St. Nazaire with £120,000.

A moderate business was transacted in the Corn Market at about last Monday's rates.

Rentes on the Paris Bourse improved 13c. to 68f 85c, and the Five per Cent. Loan remained at 102f 65c. Short exchange recoded 1c. to 25f 20½c, and Brussels on London closed at 25f 22½c.

The following is from the Council of Foreign Bondholders:

At a meeting of the holders of the Six per Cent. Santo Domingo Loan of 1869, held to-day, at the Council House, 10, Moorgate-street, the following resolutions were passed:

"1. That the arrangement proposed by the Banque Générale de Change et de Commissions of Paris is hereby adopted and accepted; and the Council of Foreign Bondholders, acting under their general rules and regulations, are empowered and instructed to take all such measures for carrying the said arrangement into effect as the Council may, in the exercise of their discretion, consider to be necessary, on the understanding that the bondholders do not abandon their rights against the Santo Domingo Government. The question from what date the new bonds are to carry interest to be arranged by the Council of Foreign Bondholders with the Banque Générale de Change et de Commissions."

"2. To request the Council of Foreign Bondholders and the Banque Générale et de Commissions de Paris to represent to the Government of Santo Domingo in the interest of the maintenance of the public credit of the republic, and as an act of justice to the bondholders, to provide with due despatch for the discharge of the certificates of conversion."

"3. To request and authorise the Council of Foreign Bondholders, on the redemption of the certificates of conversions, to issue certificates representing all further claims of the bondholders for compensation, and of deferment of capital, and of overdue coupons."

The directors of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company have decided to recommend to

STOCKS and RAILWAYS and OTHER SHARES.

TUESDAY EVENING.

The next monthly settlement in Consols will commence on the 31st inst. and end on the 24 of April; and the next fortnightly settlement in Railway Stocks, Foreign Bonds, &c., will commence on the 27th inst. and end on the 31st inst.

The following changes are recorded in the official list up to 3 p.m.:—

An advance of 5 in London Gas (1st preference), to 125 130; 2 each in ditto (stock), to 182 185, and Millwall Docks to 84 88; 1 each in Peel River Land and Mineral to 84 90, Union Pacific Railway (Land Grant) to 90 92, and Bank of Egypt to 46 48; ⅛ in West Chiverton Mining to 3 3⅛; ½ each in New York and Canada Railway to 99½ 100½; Franco-Egyptian Bank to 13½ 14½, and Reuter's Telegraph to 12 12½; ¼ each in North Metropolitan Tramways to 11½ ¾, Pennsylvania Railway (Consolidated Sinking Fund Mortgage, £35 paid) to 2¼ ½ pm., and New Quebrada Mining to 4½ ¾; ¼ to Lombardo-Venetian Railway to 12½ ¾; 1½ further in Suez Canal (with arrear certificates) to 29 31; 1 further in Crystal Palace (preference) to 104 106; ⅝ further each in Imperial Ottoman Bank to 7½ ⅞ pm., ditto (New) to 4½ ⅝ pm., and New Sharlston Collieries to 14 13 dis.; and a recovery of ¼ each in Bahia and San Francisco Railway to 21½ 22, Dunsborg and Witepsk Railway (Registered) to 20 20½, and Flagstaff Mining to 2½ ⅜.

A fall of 1 each in Memphis and Ohio Railway (1st Mortgage) to 99 101, Railway Debenture Trust (6 per cent. debentures) to 97 98, Russian 5½ per cent. Land Mortgage (2d series) to 90 92, and ditto (3d series) to 91 93; ½ in Railway Share Trust (Preference) to 19 20; ⅛ each in ditto (A shares) to 1½ ⅛ dis., Railway Debenture Trust (£20 shares) to ¼ dis. to par, Khedive Loan to 81½ 82½, Grand Trunk Railway of Canada to 15½ 16, Anglo-American Telegraph to 7½ ⅞, Cuba Telegraph to 7½ 8, and Direct United States' Cable 10½ ¾; ¼ in San Paulo Railway to 28½ 9; ¼ further in East Argentine Railway to 13½ 14; ½ further in Hudson's Bay to 21½ 22½; and a relapse of ¼ in Buenos Ayres Great Southern Railway (Dolores Extension) to 11½ 12½.

BRITISH FUNDS.

Dividends due.	Stocks.	Closing Prices.	Business done.
Jan. 5, Jly. 5	3 per Cent. Consols	92⅞ to 93	92 2/3
Apr. 5, Oct. 5	3 per Cent. Reduced	91½ — 92	91⅞ 1½ 1 a.d.
Apr. 5, Oct. 5	New 3 per Cent.	91½ — 92	91½ 1½ 1 a.d.
Apr. 5, Oct. 5	Annuities, Apl. '75	71⅞ — 8	71⅞ a.d.

INDIAN GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

Dividends due.	Stocks.	Closing Prices.	Business done.
Jan. 5, Jly. 5	India Stock, 5 p.c.		
	Do. 1859	108 to 109	109
April 5, Oct. 5	Do. 4 p. ct. 1861	103 — 104½	104½ a.d.
March, Sept.	Red. Railway Paper 5½ p.c. 1874	103½—104½	104½
Mar. 31, Sep. 30	Bonds 1869, 1871, 1872, 5 per cent. £1,000	11 — 13	12½ 12½ pm.
Mar. 31, Sep. 30	Do. under £1,000	11 — 13	12½ pm.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Dividends due.	Stocks.	Closing Prices.	Business done.
April 5, Oct. 5	Bk. of England 10½	— —	40⅝
Jan., April, July, Oct.	Metropolitan Water 3½ per ct. Stock	97½ to 98½	98½ 1 a.d.

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

Interest due.	Stocks.	Closing Prices.	Business done.
[illegible]	Canada, 1904, 6 p. c.	108 to 110	109½
[illegible]	Do. 1884, (Dominion of) 6 p. c. p. an. Sterling		
	Bonds, 5 per cent.	89 — 91	89½ ½
[illegible]	New South Wales, 5 per cent., 1892	102½—103½	103½
[illegible]	Do. 6 per cent., 1903	110½—111½	111½
[illegible]	New Zealand, Gov., 5 p. c.	104½—105½	105½ ½
[illegible]	Do. 6 p. c. 1878	99½—101½	100½
[illegible]	Nova Scotia, 6 p. c.	109 —112	109½ ½
[illegible]	P. Ed. Is., 6 p. c. Loan, (Canada) 6 per cent.	107 —110	107½
[illegible]	Victoria, 6 per cent., 1904	107½—109½	108½

FOREIGN STOCKS.

Interest due.	Stocks.	Closing Prices.	Business done.
[illegible]	Argentine, 1868, 6 per cent.	25 to 27	—
	Do., Public Works 1871, 6 per ct.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Bolivia, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Brazilian, 1865, 4½ per cent.	[illegible]	—
	Do. 1883, 5 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1871, 5 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1875, 5 per cent., Rio Gr	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. £10 paid	[illegible]	—
	Buenos Ayres, 1870, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	—
	Do. 1871, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	—
	Chilian, 1875, 4½ per cent.	[illegible]	—
	Do. 1866, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1872, 5 per cent.	[illegible]	—
	Do. 1872, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	—
	Colombian, 1861, 5 per cent.	[illegible]	—
	Do. 1872, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	—
	Costa Rica, 5 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1872, 7 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Dominican, 1869, 7 per cent.	[illegible]	—
	Do. 1869, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	—
	Ecuador New Consolidated, 1 p. c.	[illegible]	—
	Egyptian, 1868, 7 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. second issue, 7 per cent.	[illegible]	—
	Do. 1868, 7 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1873, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1873, 7 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Guatemala, 7 per cent.	[illegible]	—
	French National Defence, 6 p. c.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Greek, 1824, ex coupons, 5 p. c.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do., coupons	[illegible]	—
	Honduras, 6 p. c., 1869	[illegible]	—
	Honduras Gov. Bell, 6 p. c. 15 p. c.	[illegible]	—
	Do., 10 per cent. 1870	[illegible]	—
	Hayanna, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1872	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1873, Treasury, 5 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1873, Gold	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Italian, Consolidated Rente, 5 p. c.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1861, State Domains	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Japan, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	—
	Do., 7 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Mexican, 1 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1864, 3 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Paraguay, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	—
	Do. 1870, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	—
	Peruvian, 1872, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1872, 5 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Portuguese, 1856 to 1887, 3 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1863, 3 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Russian, 1822, 5 p.c., Sterling	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1862, 4½ per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1866, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1871, 5 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1872, 5 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1873, 5 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1873, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. Gov. Debt, 5 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1875, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 5 per cent. guaranteed	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1862, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1871, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1872, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. Treasury, 5, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 6, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 7, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 8, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 11 and 12, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 1873, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Oregon Union, 1875, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Venezuela, 3 per cent.	[illegible]	—
	Do., 1 per cent.	[illegible]	—
	Do., 2 per cent.	[illegible]	—
	Do. 1873, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	—
	Do. 1875, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	—
	Austrian Half Dollars, 6 p.c.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Australian 5½ Bonds, ex 1st, 1 p.c.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. Fours do.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Dutch Certificates, ex 22 p., 2½ p.c.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	French Rentes, ex 20f. 3 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Do. 5 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Italian, ex 20f., 5 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]

AMERICAN STOCKS.

Interest due.	Stocks.	Closing Prices.	Business done.
[illegible]	United States, 1881	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Do. 5-20 coupons, reg. 1865	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Do. 5-20 coupons, 1867	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Do. 5-20 coupons, 1868	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Do. 5-20 coupons, 1869	[illegible]	—
[illegible]	Do. 10-40 coupons, reg. 1904	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Do. 10-40 coupons, reg. 1907	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Louisiana Levee, 6 p.c. 1875	[illegible]	—
[illegible]	Do. 6 per cent.	[illegible]	—
[illegible]	Massachusetts, 5 p.c. 1891	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Do. 1894	[illegible]	—
[illegible]	Do. 1895	[illegible]	—
[illegible]	Do. 1896	[illegible]	100 99½
[illegible]	Do. 1897	[illegible]	—
[illegible]	Do. 1899	[illegible]	—
[illegible]	Virginia Stock, 6 per cent.	[illegible]	—
[illegible]	Do., New Funded, 6 p.c.	[illegible]	—

* £22,300,000 part of £30,000,000 authorized.
† Rs 5 Oudh, January, 1874, to January, 1875, all inclusive.

ORDINARY SHARES AND STOCKS.

Div. Paid.	Railways.	Closing Prices.	Business done.
Stock 100	Brunswick Lower ... 10	11 to 12	—
Stock 100	Caledonian	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Central	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	East Lincoln	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Evesham	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Glas. and S.-Western	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Great Eastern	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Do. North of Scotland	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Great Northern	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Do. A	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Do. B	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Do. Ctfs. Ord. 1873	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Do. Guar. of West. Div.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	G. W. Guar.—Oxford	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Highland	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Lancashire & Yorksh.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Do. Ctfs. & B. Guar.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Do. and Ches. Arb.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	London & S.-Western	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Do. A	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Man., Sheff., and Lin.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Do. Preferred	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Do. Deferred	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Metropolitan	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Metropolitan District	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Midland	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Nottinghamshire	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	North British	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	North-Eastern Cons.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	North London	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	North Staffordshire	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Rigistan	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Shropshire Union	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	South Devon	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	South-Eastern	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Do. Preferred	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Do. Deferred	[illegible]	[illegible]
20	A.S. Stafford, Wolving. &c.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Taff Vale	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Wexford, & Waterford	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Wilts, Somers. and Weym.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Bill Money Dates	12 — 13	—

* A receiver on dividend until 1 per cent. has been paid to it.
† Deferred receives no div. until 6 per cent. has been paid Preferred.

DEBENTURE STOCKS.

Paid.	Railways.	Closing Prices.	Business done.
Stock —	Furness, 4 p. c.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Gt. Eastern, 4 p.c.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Great Northern, 4 p.c.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Great Western, 4 p. c.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Do. 4½ p.c.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Do. 5 p. c.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Lond., Chatham, &c., B. 4½ p.c.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Lon. & S.-West. 4 p.c.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Lon. & N.-West. 4 p.c.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Manch. Sheff. 4 p. c.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Midland, 4 p. c.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	North-Eastern, 4 p. c.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	N.-Eastern, Yorks., 4 p. c.	[illegible]	[illegible]

INDIAN RAILWAY DEBENTURE STOCKS

PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST GUARANTEED BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Int. due.	Railways.	Closing Prices.	Business done.
£4,781,600	East Indian, Preferred, 4 per cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]

PREFERENCE SHARES AND STOCKS.

Div. Paid.	Railways.	Closing Prices.	Business done.
Stock 100	Great Eastern—Bank Union, 4 p.c. guar.	— —	89
Stock 100	Do.—Chartered Bank Extension, Int.	— —	122 126½
Stock 100	Gt. Northern, 4½ p.c. pref. at 10 per cent.	135 to 137	136½
Stock 100	Gt. Western, sec. guar. 5 per cent.	117½—120½	117½ 17½
Stock 100	Midland, 4 per cent. pref. 1st charge	82 —[illegible]	82½
5 6 8	All London, Chatham and Dover, 1st Pref.	19 — 20	19½

WITH DIVIDENDS CONTINGENT ON THE PROFITS OF EACH SEPARATE YEAR.

Div. Paid.	Railways.	Closing Prices.	Business done.
Stock 100	G. North., 6 p.c. Pref.	165 to 167	166½
Stock 100	G. West., Con. Pref. Stock	115½—117½	117
Stock 100	Lan. & York., Act. Guar.	124½— 126½	126½ ½
Stock 100	Lond. & N.-West. 6 p.c.	205 —207	206½
Stock 100	Manch., District, 6 p.c.	65 — 67	66
Stock 100	Manch., Sheff., & Linc. 6 p.c.	[illegible]	108½
15 1	Do. 6 p.c. 1875	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	N.-East., 6 p.c. Int.	160 —165	162
15 All	Do. Sec. Guar. 6 p.c.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stock 100	Do. Leeds & Thirsk, 6 p.c.	82 — 84	84½

BRITISH POSSESSIONS.

Div. Paid.	Railways.	Closing Prices.	Business done.
100 All	Alexandria, Law. &c.	100 to 102	101½ 2 a.d.
100 All	Bombay, Baroda, and Cent. India, 4 p.c.	100 —103	—
100 All	Do. Guar. 5 p.c.	[illegible]	—
Stock 50	Bombay, Baroda, and Cent. India, 6 p.c.	121½—127½	127½ ½
10 All	Buffalo & Lake Huron	[illegible]	[illegible]
100 All	Do. Rupees, 6 p.c.	[illegible]	—
100 All	Do. Guar. 5 p.c.	[illegible]	—
Stock —	Do. Preferred	[illegible]	—
100 All	Do. Deferred	[illegible]	—
Stock 100	Do. Pref. Stock	[illegible]	—
100 All	Do. Def. Stock	[illegible]	—
100 All	Do. 4 p.c.	[illegible]	—
— —	Do. Guar. Stock, Int. Guar.	[illegible]	—
— All	Do. Guar. Stock, Int. Guar.	[illegible]	—
Stock 100	Do. Pref. Stock	[illegible]	—
Stock 100	Do. Def. Stock	[illegible]	—
100 All	Do. 4 p.c.	[illegible]	—
100 All	Do. Guar. 4 p.c

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery made in a Cause Robert James Mason and Other George against Peter Jones and William Jones. [illegible]
ROBERT MARSHALL, Chief Clerk.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery made in a Cause Sartor v. Congreve 1874 S. 172. The CREDITORS of MARY ANN CONGREVE [illegible]
WILLIAM FINNEMSMITH Chief Clerk.
TATHAM, PROCTER, TATHAM & PROCTER, [illegible] Lincoln's Inn Fields London Agents for Messrs Barker & Higgens Chester Plaintiff's Solicitors.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery made in the matter of the Estate of Henry Guillaume Woolrich [illegible] The CREDITORS of HENRY GUILLAUME WOOLRICH [illegible]
G. HARWOOD CLARKE Chief Clerk.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery made in a Cause Emily Dent and others against [illegible] The CREDITORS of HENRY WADDELOW [illegible]
ALFRED RAWLINSON Chief Clerk.
WILLIAM NEAL [illegible] Plaintiffs Solicitor.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery made in a Cause Usher against Usher, 1874, U. No. 9 the CREDITORS of EDWARD USHER [illegible]
ROBERT MARSHALL Chief Clerk.
SHARPE, PARKERS, PRITCHARD & SHARPE, [illegible] Bedford Row Middlesex Agents for H. W. Peace, Wigan [illegible]

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery made in a Cause Robert Walker Hutchinson and another against Elizabeth Jay and others 1874 H. 226. The CREDITORS of JOSEPH HENRY JAY [illegible]
JNO. WM. HAWKINS Chief Clerk.
ROOKE & SENNICK & COMPY. [illegible]

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery made in a Cause Kingdon against Finley [illegible] The CREDITORS of RICHARD HAYWARD FINDLEY [illegible]
H. F. CHURCH Chief Clerk.
[illegible]

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery made in a Cause Friend v. Gray 1873 F. [illegible] the CREDITORS of GEORGE FREDERICK [illegible]
ALFRED RAWLINSON Chief Clerk.
[illegible]

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery made in a Cause [illegible] "HALLOWDALE" [illegible] "KAYHLEES" [illegible]
E. W. WALKER & Chief Clerk.
THOMAS COOPER [illegible] Plaintiffs Solicitor.

CHARLES HAWKESLEY PAWLEY, deceased.—Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vict., cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees." Notice is hereby given that all persons having CLAIMS [illegible]
COOK and [illegible] Solicitors for the said Executors, 3, Cloak-lane, London, E.C.

CAPTAIN PETER FISHER R.N Deceased. Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Victoria Cap. 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees" Notice is hereby given that all CREDITORS and other persons [illegible]
WALKER & MARTINEAU 13 Kings Road Grays Inn Solicitors for the above named Executor.

EDWARD PHILLIPS Esqr. M.D. deceased. Pursuant to the Act 22 and 23 Victoria Chapter 35 intituled An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees. [illegible]
VALLANCE & VALLANCE [illegible] Essex Street Strand, London, 15th March 1875.

ELIZABETH WILLIAMS deceased. Pursuant to Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria chapter 35. Notice is hereby given that all CREDITORS and others having any claims against the Estate of ELIZABETH WILLIAMS [illegible]
[illegible] Leadenhall Street London Solicitors to the said Executors.

FRANCIS JAMES HUGONIN deceased.—Pursuant to an Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria cap. 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees." Notice is hereby given that all persons having any CLAIMS or DEMANDS upon or against the ESTATE of FRANCIS JAMES HUGONIN [illegible]
H. & R. TURNER [illegible] Jermyn Street St. James's London.

EDMUND RICHARD COOPE deceased. Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Victoria Chapter 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the law of property and to relieve Trustees." Notice is hereby given that all CREDITORS and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of EDMUND RICHARD COOPE [illegible]
COLE COLES & JACKSON Solicitors to the said Administratrix.

FRANCES SOPHIA GRIFFIN, Deceased.—Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, chap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees." [illegible]
WALTER H. BOUSQUET, 22, Austin Friars, London, E.C.

JOHN WHYMAN deceased. Notice is hereby given that all persons having any CLAIMS on the ESTATE of JOHN WHYMAN [illegible]
W. A. DAY 12 New Bridge Street Blackfriars London E.C.

JOHN KILLICK, of Hornsey-lane, Highgate, Middlesex, Esquire, Deceased.—Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vict., c. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees." [illegible]
LOXAM, ELLISON, and Co., Solicitors to the said Executors.

JOHN BARWELL Deceased. Pursuant to an Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vict. Cap. 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees." [illegible]
TUCKER NEW & LANGDALE 4 King Street Cheapside E.C. Solicitors to the Executors.

JULIUS THEODORE MOMBER deceased.—Pursuant to the Act to further amend the law of property and to relieve Trustees 22 & 23 Vic. Cap. 35 [illegible]
ALFRED HOWARD [illegible] Broad Street London Solicitor for the said Executors and Executrix.

JOSEPH CHARLES HANDY.—Pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery in England made in the matter of the Trusts of the Will of William Handy deceased [illegible]
H. F. CHURCH Chief Clerk.
TATHAM PROCTER, TATHAM & PROCTER 25 Lincoln's Inn Fields London Solicitors.

JOSEPH JACOBS deceased. Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty cap. 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the law of property and to relieve Trustees." [illegible]
J G & J F JOEL New Granger Street Chambers 1 Newgate Street Newcastle upon Tyne Solicitors to the said Administratrix.

MARY ANN TINLING deceased. Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vict. [illegible]
THOMAS DRAGE, one of the above named Executors.

LIEUTENANT GENERAL THOMAS HENRY SHULDHAM deceased. Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Victoria Cap. 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees." [illegible]
TICEHURST and WARD Solicitors to the Executor.

LIEUT.-COLONEL HENRY LYELL deceased. Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Victoria Cap. 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees." [illegible]
WILDE BERGER MOORE & WILDE 21 College Hill London Solicitors for the said Executors.

SIR CHARLES LYELL Baronet deceased. Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Victoria Cap. 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the law of property and to relieve Trustees." [illegible]
WILDE BERGER MOORE & WILDE 21 College Hill London Solicitors for the said Executors.

SAMPSON CHOYCE BAKER deceased.—Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the 22 and 23 Victoria chapter 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the law of Property and to relieve Trustees" [illegible]
COLEMAN & COLEMAN Solicitors 27 Colmore Row Birmingham.

THE Right Honourable CHARLES Lord SOUTHAMPTON Baron SOUTHAMPTON deceased. Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Victoria Cap 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees" [illegible]
J. HUNT.

THOMAS TOMKINSON Esqre. deceased. Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria Cap 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the law of property and to relieve Trustees." [illegible]
FARRER OUVRY and Co. 66 Lincoln's Inn Fields London Solicitors for the Executors.

THOMAS PORTER JOSE Esquire deceased. Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria Chapter 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees" [illegible]
WADHAM & CHILTON [illegible] Street Bristol, Solicitors to the said Executors.

WILLIAM GREEN deceased. Pursuant to the 22nd and 23rd Victoria Chapter 35 all persons claiming to be CREDITORS against the Estate of WILLIAM GREEN [illegible]
HOLLINGSWORTH TYERMAN & SON Solicitors for the Administrators 6 East India Avenue London.

WILLIAM OLIVER deceased.—Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vict. cap. 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the law of Property and to relieve Trustees" [illegible]
[illegible] Solicitor to the said Executors.

WILLIAM BURNAFORD THORN, Deceased.—Pursuant to the Act 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the law of Property and to relieve Trustees." [illegible]
SMITH and Co. [illegible] Northumberland Street Charing Cross, London.

MISS ELIZABETH CHAPMAN deceased. In pursuance of the Act 22nd & 23rd Victoria cap 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the law of property & to relieve trustees." [illegible]
JAMES CURTIS & JAMES 22 Ely Place Holborn E.C. Solicitors to the Executors.

ELIZABETH BRAGG SHAW deceased. In pursuance of the Act 22nd and 23rd Victoria cap 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the law of Property and to relieve Trustees" [illegible]
JAMES CURTIS & JAMES 22 Ely Place Holborn E.C. Solicitors to the Executors.

RE WILLIAM JOY deceased. Pursuant to Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria chapter 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the law of property and to relieve Trustees." [illegible]
PARKER LEE & HADDOCK 11 St. Paul's churchyard London E.C.

RE HENRY SMITH deceased.—Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria chapter 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the law of property and to relieve Trustees." [illegible]
W. H. PHILLIPS King Street, Wolverhampton, Solicitor to the said Executors.

IN the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867 and in the Matter of The CWM ERVIAN SILVER LEAD MINING COMPANY (Limited). [illegible] APPOINTMENT of an OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR of the above named Company.
H. F. CHURCH Chief Clerk.
ALEX. EARLY 24 Great Winchester Street E.C. Solicitor for the Petitioners.

IN the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867 and in the Matter of the [illegible] STEAM COAL COLLIERY COMPANY Limited.—[illegible] APPOINTMENT of an OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR of the above named company.—Dated this 15th day of March 1875.
JOHN WM. HAWKINS Chief Clerk.
J. H. SHAKESPEAR [illegible] Agent for Robert Thomas [illegible] Solicitor for the Petitioner Thomas Williams.

IN the matter of the Companies Acts of 1862 and 1867 and of the EAST LLANGYNOG LEAD MINING COMPANY Limited. [illegible]
GREEN and PEDHAM of 55 Bedford Row London W.C. Solicitors for the Petitioner.

IN the COURT of the COMMISSIONERS for SALE of INCUMBERED ESTATES in the WEST INDIES [illegible]
REGINALD J. CUST, Assistant-Commissioner.
[illegible]

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