# NEW YORK EXCHANGE.

THE FAVORABLE WAR NEWS CAUSES A STRONG OPENING.

PRICES NOT MAINTAINED.

SUGAR THE MOST ACTIVE.

Total Sales To-Day 211,400. 21,900 St. Paul. 18,500 B. Q. 17,500 People's Gas. 21,900 B.R.T.

New York, July 5.

The Traders are heavily long. At the start the most was made of the good war news to advance prices. On the rise a great deal of stock was offered which caused a quick re-action. The market closes generally above last night's quotations.

Sugar was taken hold of and opened at an advance of 2c, soon broke 14c recovered then ran down fo about a cent under last night's close.

Brooklyn Rapid Transit, People's Gas and General Electric were strong stocks early in the day, but gave way later on with the rest of the market.

Grangers were no exception to the general rule and lost nearly all of their early strength. The market, all things considered, was dull; at the close the market was weak and looks like lower prices. Buy it on breaks.

New York, (9.55 a.m.), July 5.

The resumption of business on the New York Stock Exchange this morning, after a three days' holiday, is likely to be very favorably influenced by the glorious news from Cuba, and the sa-tisfactory accounts from the Philippines.

The overtures for peace, on the part of Spain, cannot now be much longer delayed, and the European powers are said to be urging such a policy on her

The influence of the news from The influence of the news from the scene of war, has had a marked effect upon the prices and the character of the dealings in the American securities abroad. Advances in American stocks in London today range from ½ to 2½ per cent. above the last night's closing prices.

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is buoyant.

New York, 9.25 a. m., July 5.

Operations on war tax do not have much effect on trading for the moment, in face of the successful war announcements.

Sharp advance in London adds to

Louisville and Nashville shews over per cent. carned on the stock in 11

Heavy 4th July business should cause further advance in Brooklyn Rapid Transit.

New York, 10.30 a. m., July 5.

Big people seem to be taking profits. There is considerable liquidation. The impression on the floor is that Flower and Keene have been very heavy sell-

New York, (noon), July 5.

The violent advance which took place in the London market, both yes-terday and today, was apparently due to the substantial victory gained by Commander Schley over Cervera's fleet on Sunday.

There is, however, a suspicion that part of the advance was due to the manipulative orders sent from this side, and this suspicion received some confirmation, from the way in which our local market acted immediately after

Although there were a good many outside buying orders, the pressure to sell was so heavy that opening quotations were the highest.

The buying came largely from Com-mission Houses, while the selling was

# NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

July 5, 1898.

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	25	27	28	29	30	1	ob do	H			
American Sugar !		130	129	1331	1321	1324 1	344-4	1341	$130\frac{7}{8}$	$130\frac{7}{8}$	r
American Sugar pfd										*****	8
Am. Spirits Mfg. Co				141							
Am. Spirits Mfg Co pfd							1.11	1011	190	1207	
American Tobacco	1183	1204	1175	1194	119	$120\frac{3}{8}$	121	-		1208	R
American Tobacco pfd							*****	135	131	$13\frac{1}{2}$	
Atch T. & S. Fe	134	131	138	131	003	337	318	34%	$33\frac{3}{4}$	333	
Atch T. & S. Fe pfd	325	333	333	321	333	144	15	15	143	143	
Baltimore & Ohio	16	$15\frac{1}{2}$	15	154	144	1-14	10		8	41174	
Bay State Gas	*****	*****	-37	541	541	553	561	57	544	551	
Brooklyn Rap. Tran	538	544	52 <del>1</del> 41	411	418	41	421	421	418	418	
C.C.C. & St. L	421	414					*****				
Canadian Pacific	84										130
Canada Southern	23	23	221	227	$22\frac{5}{8}$	$22\frac{3}{4}$		23	23	23	100
Chesapeake & Ohio	1048	104%	1041	1045	105	1054	1071	1071	1054	1054	
Chicago B. & Q	998	987	98	981	983	991	1004	1003	99%	$99\frac{1}{2}$	1
Chicago Mil. & St. P		908								*****	1
Chi. Mil. & St. P. pfd	1063	1063	1071	961	971	971	+97%	98	96	961	1
Chicago R. I. & Pacific.		1004		126	1258	1258	1261	$126\frac{1}{2}$	1264	1264	
Chicago & Northwest * Chic. & Northwest pfd		1253								*****	1
Consolidated Gas xd 2%		1961	198	198	198	1977				197	
Delaware & Hudson								*****			1
Del. Lack. & Western										*****	
Erie								403	907	901	1
General Electric	381	381	385	39	39	39		40%	$39\frac{7}{8}$	$39\frac{1}{2}$	
Illinois Central									******	· · · · ·	13
Laclede Gas											1
Lake Shore						-05	541	548	531	535	4
Louisville	523	524	513	52	515	525	106	106	1047	1048	
Manhattan con	1037	1031	1048	1041	1044	105%	160	160	1598	1591	4
Met. Street Ry. Co	160%	1584	158	159	1574	1592					1
Michigan Central			*****								
Missouri Kan. & Tex		******	991	*****	343	338		348	348	348	
Missouri Kan. & T. pfd	331	953	334 35	251	35	347	361	361	351	35%	
Missouri Pacific	357	$35\frac{3}{4}$		35\frac{1}{8}							
Nat. Lead										*****	
Nat. Lead pfd		948	*****	94	948	94		941	94	94	
New Jersey Central		116	1164	116	1155	115		1161	1154	116%	
New York Central	007	295	287	29	298	29		304	29§	295	
Northern Pacific		$69\frac{3}{4}$	691	69	69	69	704	$70\frac{3}{4}$	693	693	
Northern Pacific pfd		77	77	77				763	76	76	13
Omaha									201		
Oregon Rail, and Nav Pacific Mail		293	294	291	29	28		30	291	29	
Peo. Gas L. & Coke Co	00	96	964	971	983	99	100	1012	998	99	
Pullman Palace Car Co								19	19	19	
Reading		19							301	30	
Southern Pacific			291							30	
Texas Pacific								26			
Tenn. Coal & Iron		26	25				4		208		21
Third Avenue R. R			201			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			243		
Union Pacific	. 24	241				0		61	60	60	
Union Pacific pfd		60%				8					
U. S. Rubber											20
U. S. Leather pfd	65			66			0				
Wabash			18		40			40	19	19	
Wabash pfd	19			93	92					93	No.
W. U. Telegraph	93						-11		1740	THE REAL PROPERTY.	
*Ex-dividend. †Ex-di	lividend	l of 14	per cer	nt. and	bonus	5 01 10	ber ce	110.			
		-								The Park Street	100

# CHICAGO MARKET.

The Bartlett Frazier Co., Limited.—H. J. Coon, manager, 39 St. Sacrement St., quote the opening, highest, lowest and closing prices in Chicago to-day as follows: July 5, 1898.

——CLOSING PRICES JUNE 27 TO JULY 1.———TO-DAY'S PRICES.——										
	27	28	29	30	1	Opening. H	lighest.	Lowest.	Closing.	
Wheat— July Sept Dec	\$0 73B \$. 67\frac{1}{2}B 67\frac{1}{2}\frac{1}{2}		73½ \$ 38½-A 69½B	73B \$ 68-\frac{1}{4}B 68\frac{1}{2}-\frac{5}{8}\$	$   \begin{array}{c}     76\frac{1}{4} \\     70\frac{3}{8} \\     70\frac{7}{8}   \end{array} $	\$76½-5¾ \$ 70½-½ 70½-¼	$77 \ 71 - 70\frac{3}{4}$	$\begin{array}{ccc} 74\frac{1}{2} & \$ \\ 67\frac{7}{8} & \\ 67\frac{7}{8} & \end{array}$	$ 74\frac{1}{2} 68\frac{3}{8} - \frac{1}{2} 68\frac{3}{8} $	
Corn- July Sept		$\frac{31-\frac{1}{8}B}{32A}$	32B 33 <sup>7</sup> <sub>8</sub> B	$\frac{31\frac{1}{4}}{32\frac{1}{4}}$	32½- 33	$32\frac{1}{8}-2$ $33-2\frac{7}{8}$	$32\frac{1}{8}$ $33\frac{1}{4}$	$31\frac{3}{4}$ $32\frac{1}{4}$	31 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> A 32 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>8</sub> B	
Oats— July Sept		$\begin{array}{c} 20\frac{3}{4}\mathrm{B} \\ 19\frac{1}{2} \end{array}$	$21\frac{7}{8}$ $20\frac{1}{4}$	$21\frac{1}{4} - \frac{3}{8}B$ $20$	$\begin{array}{c} 21\frac{7}{8} \\ 20\frac{1}{2} \end{array}$	$22\frac{1}{4}-20\frac{1}{2}-$	$22\frac{1}{4}$ $20\frac{5}{8}$ $-$	$\frac{21\frac{1}{2}}{19\frac{3}{4}}$	$\begin{array}{c} 21\frac{3}{4}B \\ 19\frac{3}{4} - \frac{7}{8} \end{array}$	
Pork— July Sept	9 52	9 47 9 60B	9 47 9 67	9 45 9 65	9 42 9 67		9 47 9 77	9 37 9 60	9 37 9 62	
July Sept	. 5 55	5 40 5 50	5 37 5 50A	5 32 5 45	5 32 5 45	5 40 5 50	5 40 5 50	5 22 5 35	5 22 5 35	
Sept .	. 5 35–37	5 35 5 42B	5 37A 5 45A	5 32 5 42	5 40 5 47	5 30 5 40	5 30 5 42	5 22 5 35	5 22 5 35B	
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mainly by Brokers closely connected with two or three outside operators.

London was a buyer of most international stocks, but their purchases were not as heavy as might have been expected, considering the apparent difference between the London price and

The strongest stock was again Pullman, the strength being due to an announcement that the directors had decided to distribute, amongst the stock-holders, \$25,200,000 of the surplus. The distribution is to be made in the following manner:-A cash dividend of 20 per cent. will be paid to the stockholders of record on Aug. 15, in addition to the regular dividend.

In October a stock dividend of 50 per cent. will be distributed, and thereafter the dividend in the increased stock, will be 6 per cent.

the first hour's trading, the market became rather dull, there being a noticeable falling off in the volume of the professional operations.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

The Bull element in New York are becoming very strong. They claim the railroads were never in a better position to take advantage of business which may present itself than they are at present. The granaries of the world being empty, America will be called upon to supply a vast amount of supplies from the interior, which will swell the profits of railroads.

The extreme ease of money in London and New York should make stocks cheap even at the advance of the last weeks. The annihiliation of Cerveras's fleet enabling, as it does, the attacking of Santiago by both land and water should speedily end the war. American stocks should then be great fav-orites with the European speculators, who are now bare of them.

The best railroad stocks will sell on a 41/2 investment basis and such stocks as New York Central will soon sell fifteen points higher than current prices.

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THE ROYAL ELECTRIC COMPANY, for the quarter ending 31st instant, has been this day declared mayable to the shareholders on record of the 31st day of May, 1898 and will be mailed to them on the second day of July, 1898.

By order of the Board.

H. H. BENSHAW,

Montreal, May 17th, 1898.

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MONTREAL RED MOUNTAIN GOLD FIELDS COMPANY.

It is not generally known that the Company has extended its business to the Klondike with remarkable cess. The expenses of the expedition have been comparatively trifling, yet the following placer claims have been located.

1. Discovery Claim, No. 1, on Golden Creek, which flows into the farfamed Eldorado at claim No. 42. Mr. Rooney, the Company's representative, says, in a letter dated Dawson City, March 29th. "I have some good news about the claim on Eldorado that I staked. Mr. Healey, who owns No. 42 Eldorado and did not get any pay on the right bank of his claim, went over to the left bank and put a hole down about 100 ft. above the mouth of the gulch that I staked on Eldorado, and began to drift under the bank. He has got as high as \$27.00 to the pan, so that looks good for the mouth of the gulch that I staked, as the pay must run down on the left

In a letter dated April 10th, he