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- The free market rate of currency in Batavia as of 23 December 1948 was as follows:

Currency	Buy	Sell
Netherlands Guilders f 10	f 14.00	f 15.00
America (U.S.A.) \$1	9.00	10.00
England £ 1	28.00	29.00
Australia £ 1	24.00	24.50
Straits \$10	39.00	39.00
Hong Kong \$10	19.00	20.00

- No gold was being bought or sold on 23 December 1948.
- No quotations were given on ORI (Republic of Indonesia) currency.
- Following is the free market rate of currency in Batavia, Java, Indonesia as of 9 a. m. 31 December 1948:

ORI 100 (green, red)	f 1.50	f 1.75
America (U.S.A.) \$1	11.80	11.90
Netherlands f 10	16.00	16.80
England £ 1	32.50	33.50
Australia £ 1	27.00	28.00

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Straits \$10	43.00	43.50
Hong Kong \$10	21.00	22.00

5. Price of gold 31 December 1948:

Gold (from 24 carat) per gram	f 23.25	(no "sell" quotations)
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