Financial.

COMMITTEE ON CAPITALIZATION
OF THE
AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

To the Stockholders of the American Bank Note Company:

At the request of the holders of a large amount of the capital stock of the American Bank Note Company, the undersigned have consented to act as a Committee for the recapitalization of the said Company through a new corporation to be organized under the name of the United Bank Note Corporation, with ample powers to construct or aid in the construction of a new plant of the largest capacity and greatest facility of production, and to acquire or aid in the acquisition of kindred enterprises abroad and at home.

The Committee has prepared and adopted a Plan and Agreement of Recapitalization and has lodged the same with the Depositary.

The authorized capital stock of the United Bank Note Corporation will be $10,000,000, divided into 200,000 shares of $50 each, viz.:

Six per cent. Cumulative Preferred Stock: having preference over the Common Stock as to dividends and upon liquidation; and protected by the provision that no lien shall voluntarily be created and no other issue of stock shall be made, without the affirmative vote of the holders of eighty per cent. in amount of each class of stock then outstanding	$5,000,000
Common Stock: entitled to all dividends declared after payment of such preferential cumulative dividends upon the Preferred Stock; and likewise protected as to such voluntary liens and further stock issue, by provisions similar to those relating to the Preferred Stock	5,000,000
Total (of which there will be reserved $1,000,000 of each class for future disposition as provided in the Plan)	$10,000,000

The Plan provides that Depositors will receive one share of the new Preferred Stock and one share of the new Common Stock for each share of the capital stock of the American Bank Note Company deposited under the Plan.

Provision is also made by the Plan for a Working Capital and Investment Fund of the New Corporation through the sale of a limited amount of new stock, which will be offered pro rata to the Depositors, and which has been underwritten upon precisely the same terms, and without any commission, by an Underwriting Syndicate.

Holders of shares of the Capital Stock of the American Bank Note Company are afforded the opportunity of securing the benefits of said Plan and Recapitalization Agreement by depositing their respective holdings with the Depositary, the Bankers' Trust Company, No. 7 Wall Street, New York City, under said Plan and Recapitalization Agreement, on or before the 17th day of January, 1906. The Certificates of Stock so offered for deposit must be duly endorsed in blank.

Transferable Certificates of Deposit will be issued in exchange for the deposited stock.

Copies of the Plan and Agreement of Recapitalization may be obtained upon application to the Depositary or the Secretary of the Committee.

Dated New York, December 18th, 1905.

EDMUND C. CONVERSE, Chairman;
WM. NELSON CROMWELL,
FRANCIS L. HINE,
THEODORE H. FREELAND,
WARREN L. GREEN,
Committee.
BENJAMIN STRONG, JR., Secretary.
No. 7 Wall Street, N. Y. City.
SULLIVAN & CROMWELL,
Counsel to the Committee.

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adjoining territory we have large investments in banking, land and kindred enterprises.

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We propose to give in these columns, each Saturday, brief statements as to the great natural, non-speculative resources of the region. It may be to your advantage to note these statements as they appear. We shall lay before you only authentic facts and figures.

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INTEROCEANIC OF MEXICO.

	1905.	1904.	1903.
Second week in Dec...	$134,902	$113,711	$106,886
Jan. 1 to Dec. 14.....	5,847,119	5,866,480	—

NATIONAL OF MEXICO.

Second week in Dec...	$251,386	$236,110	$234,435
Jan. 1 to Dec. 14.....	12,258,173	11,649,370	10,741,677

TEXAS CENTRAL.

Second week in Dec...	$22,932	$22,331	$20,541
July 1 to Dec. 14.....	462,116	420,139	378,837

TWIN CITY RAPID TRANSIT.

Second week in Dec...	$95,010	$81,909	$76,892
Jan. 1 to Dec. 14.....	4,488,854	4,058,522	3,858,277

CHICAGO AND NORTHWESTERN.

Month of November...	$5,636,926	$4,833,951	$4,721,250
July 1 to Nov. 7.....	27,841,376	25,147,233	25,012,906

MONTREAL STREET RAILWAY.

Month of November—			
Gross earnings.....	$232,635	$204,555	$189,561
Operating Expenses...	153,628	133,849	116,607
Net earnings.....	$79,007	$70,706	$72,952
Charges	22,074	18,871	17,903
Surplus	$56,933	$51,835	$55,049
Oct. 1 to Nov. 30—			
Gross earnings.....	$482,424	$426,831	$396,162
Operating expenses....	295,309	255,486	227,318
Net earnings.....	$187,115	$171,345	$168,844
Charges	43,137	37,818	36,825
Surplus 12 mos.....	$143,978	$133,527	$132,019

TEXAS CENTRAL.

Month of November—			
Gross earnings.....	$107,545	$102,276	$104,152
Net earnings.....	42,928	50,681	46,695
Surplus over charges..	40,345	48,098	44,112
From July 1 to Nov. 30—			
Gross earnings.....	414,785	374,362	331,021
Net earnings.....	166,728	136,454	94,982
Surplus over charges..	153,812	123,538	82,065

CENTRAL OF NEW-JERSEY.

Month of November—	1905.	1904.	Changes.	
Gross earnings.....	$2,078,076	$1,840,004	Inc.	$238,072
Operating expenses.	1,037,911	920,083	Inc.	117,828
Net earnings.....	$1,040,165	$919,921	Inc.	$120,244
Renewals, additions and improvements	171,515	168,260	Inc.	3,255
Fixed charges and taxes	382,850	398,870	Dec.	16,020
Total charges....	$554,365	$567,130	Dec.	$12,765
Surplus	$485,800	$352,791	Inc.	$133,009
From July 1 to Nov. 30—				
Gross earnings.....	$10,716,092	$9,483,586	Inc.	$1,232,506
Operating expenses.	5,287,737	4,827,361	Inc.	460,376
Net earnings.....	$5,428,355	$4,656,225	Inc.	$772,130
Renewals, additions and improvements	850,510	658,542	Inc.	191,968
Fixed charges and taxes	2,243,587	2,334,890	Dec.	91,303
Total charges....	$3,094,097	$2,993,432	Inc.	$100,665
Surplus	$2,334,256	$1,662,791	Inc.	$671,465

LAKE SHORE ELECTRIC.

Month of November—				
Gross earnings	$61,601	$54,436	Inc.	$7,165
Operating expenses and taxes.....	33,992	31,966	Inc.	2,026
Net earnings.....	$27,509	$22,370	Inc.	$5,139
Fixed charges.....	20,404	20,404		
Surplus	$7,105	$1,966	Inc.	$5,139

BOSTON ELEVATED.

Year ended Sept. 30—				
Gross earnings.....	$12,689,676	$12,436,594	Inc.	$253,082
Operating expenses.	8,617,653	8,631,553	Dec.	13,900
Net earnings.....	$4,072,023	$3,805,041	Inc.	$266,982
Other income.....	51,893		Inc.	51,893
Total income.....	$4,123,916	$3,805,041	Inc.	$318,875
Charges	3,288,531	2,975,268	Inc.	313,263
Available for divs.	$835,065	$829,773	Inc.	$5,312
Dividends	798,000	798,000		
Surplus	$37,085	$31,773	Inc.	$5,312

MEXICAN INTERNATIONAL.

Second week in Dec.	$137,317	$125,527	Inc.	$11,790
July 1 to Dec. 14...	6,104,898	6,557,712	Dec.	452,814

BOSTON STOCKS.

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	Dec. 21.	Dec. 22.		Dec. 21.	Dec. 22.
Arcadian	4¾	*4⅞	Un Shoe Mach pf	81	81
Post & Albany..	254	255½	Atlantic Min.....	22½	23
Boston Elev.....	154	154½	Shannon Min.....	7	6⅞
Boston Cons.....	25½	25⅝	Bingham Min.....	34¾	34¾
C J R & U S Y*	175	*175	Cal & Hecla M.	*705	700
Granby Min.....	9⅝	9⅝	Centennial Min..	27	27½
N Y N H & H..	192	192½	Copper Range M.	78½	78½
West End St Ry	98	98	Franklin Min....	16⅝	16½
do pref.....	111½	112	Mass Con Min....	9½	9½
Mass Elec Cos..	14	14	Mohawk Min.....	61	—
do pref.....	57½	58	Osceola Min.....	105¾	105½
Am Tel & T Co.	136⅝	138	Old Dom Min....	32½	32¼
No Butte.....	60	60½	Parrot Min.....	31½	31¼
New-Eng Tel....	150½	151½	Quincy Min.....	107	107
W Tel & T Co..	18	18	Tamarack Min...	115	—
do pref.....	91	91	Wolverine Min...	128¼	129
Westing Elec....	87	87	U S Mining.....	42½	43⅞
do pref.....	95	95	U S Oil.....	9¼	9¼
Dom Iron & Stl.	25⅞	25½	Mass Gas.....	46½	46⅝
Dominion Coal..	*80	*81	do pref.....	84⅝	84⅝
Un Shoe Mach..	71¼	72	Utah	53⅝	56⅝

*Ask.

Dividend Notices.

Buffalo & Susquehanna Railroad Company

Common Stock Dividend No. 27.

The regular quarterly dividend of ONE AND ONE-QUARTER (1¼%) PER CENT. on the Common Stock has been declared, payable Jan. 2, 1906.

F. A. LEHR, Treasurer.
FISK & ROBINSON, 35 Cedar St., N. Y.,
Fiscal Agents.

Buffalo & Susquehanna Railroad Company

First Mortgage Refunding 4% Gold Bonds.

Coupon No. 10, due January 1, 1906, will be paid at maturity at the office of
FISK & ROBINSON, 35 Cedar St., N. Y.
F. A. LEHR, Treasurer.

Gulf & Ship Island Railroad Company

First Mortgage Refunding & Terminal 5% Gold Bonds.

Coupon No. 8, due January 1, 1906, will be paid at maturity at the office of
FISK & ROBINSON, 35 Cedar St., N. Y.
R. E. POWERS, Treasurer.

Keystone Telephone Co. of Philadelphia

First Mortgage 5% Gold Bonds.

Coupon No. 1, due January 1, 1906, will be paid at maturity at the office of
FISK & ROBINSON, 35 Cedar St., N. Y.
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First Mortgage 5% Gold Bonds.

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FISK & ROBINSON, 35 Cedar St., N. Y.
CHARLES SPRINGER, Treasurer.

Kansas City Viaduct & Terminal R'way Co.

First Mortgage 4½% Gold Bonds.

Coupon No. 1, due January 1, 1906, will be paid at maturity at the office of
FISK & ROBINSON, 35 Cedar St., N. Y.
J. P. REYNOLDS, Jr., Treasurer.

THE IMPORTERS' AND TRADERS' NATIONAL BANK OF NEW YORK.
New York, December 19th, 1905.

A DIVIDEND OF TEN PER CENT, FREE of tax, has to-day been declared by this bank, payable on the second day of January next. The transfer books will remain closed till that date.
H. H. POWELL, Cashier.

THE FOURTH NATIONAL BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
New York, December 21, 1905.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAS THIS day declared a semi-annual dividend of THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT, payable on and after January 2d, 1906. The transfer books will close at 3 p. m. this date, reopening January 2d, 1906.
CHARLES H. PATTERSON, Cashier.

NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY.

THE REGULAR QUARTERLY DIVIDEND of ONE PER CENT. on the Common Stock has been declared, payable January 15th, 1906, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 28th, 1905. Transfer books will be closed from December 29th, 1905, to January 15th, 1906, both inclusive.
F. E. BUGBEE, Treasurer.

WESTINGHOUSE

Electric & Manufacturing Company.
New York, December 20, 1905.

A QUARTERLY DIVIDEND OF TWO AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. upon the Preferred, Assenting and Non-Assenting stocks of the Company was declared payable January 10, 1906, to stockholders of record December 26, 1905. Transfer books will be closed December 26, 1905, and opened January 11, 1906.
T. W. SIEMON, Treasurer.

SLOSS SHEFFIELD STEEL & IRON COMPANY.
Birmingham, Alabama.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THIS Company have this day declared a quarterly dividend of ONE AND THREE-FOURTHS PER CENT. (1¾%) on the Preferred Stock, out of the earnings, payable January 2, 1906, at the office of the Guaranty Trust Company of New York, to stockholders of record at three P. M., December 19th, 1905, at the office of the Central Trust Company of New York. Transfer agent.
FRED C. RANDALL,
Ass't. Secretary.
New York, December 19th, 1905.

OFFICE OF
AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING CO.
71 Broadway, N. Y. City, Dec. 6, 1905.

QUARTERLY PFD. STOCK DIVIDEND NO. 26.

THE DIRECTORS OF THE AMERICAN Smelting and Refining Company have this day declared a Dividend of ONE AND THREE-QUARTERS (1¾) PER CENT. on the Preferred Capital Stock of the Company, payable Jan. 2, 1906, to stockholders of record at three o'clock P. M. Dec. 15, 1905. The Books of the Company for the transfer of the Preferred Stock will be closed at three o'clock P. M. Dec. 15, 1905, and will be reopened Jan. 3, 1906.
EDWARD BRUSH, Secretary.

COLUMBIA BANK,
Fifth Avenue and Forty-second Street.
New York, December 20th, 1905.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THIS Bank have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of six (6) per cent., free of tax, payable on and after January 2nd, 1906. The transfer books will close this day, and will remain closed until January 2nd, 1906.
W. S. GRIFFITH, Cashier.

AMERICAN LOCOMOTIVE COMPANY.
111 Broadway, New York, December 20, 1905.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS THIS DAY declared a quarterly dividend of one and three-quarters per cent. upon the preferred capital stock, payable January 22, 1906, to the preferred stockholders of record at the close of business on December 27, 1905. Checks will be mailed.

Transfer books of the preferred stock will close at 3 p. m. on December 27, 1905, and reopen January 22, 1906.
LEIGH BEST, Secretary.

BOWLING GREEN TRUST COMPANY.
26 Broadway, New York, December 20th, 1905.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAVE THIS day declared a semi-annual dividend of FOUR PER CENTUM upon the capital stock, payable January 15th, 1906, to stockholders of record on the closing of the transfer books at 12 M. on December 30th, 1905.

The transfer books will close from December 30th, 1905, at 12 M., until January 15th, 1906, at 10 A. M.
WILLIAM M. LAWS, Secretary.

THE BANK OF AMERICA.
New York, December 22nd, 1905.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAVE TO-day declared a semi-annual dividend of ten (10) per cent., free of tax, payable January 2nd, 1906, to stockholders of record of this date.

The transfer books will remain closed until January 3rd, 1906.
W. M. BENNET, Cashier.

AMERICAN CHICLE COMPANY.

THE REGULAR QUARTELY DIVIDEND of ONE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. (1½%) on the Preferred Stock, payable Dec. 30th, and a dividend of ONE PER CENT. (1%) on the Common Stock, payable Jan. 20th, 1906, have this day been declared.

Transfer books for Preferred Stock will close Dec. 23rd at noon, and reopen Jan. 2, 1906, 10 A. M.; Common Stock transfer books will close Jan. 15th, 1906, at 3 P. M., and reopen Jan. 22nd, 1906, 10 A. M.
HENRY ROWLEY, Treasurer.
December 22nd, 1905.

THE CITIZENS' CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK OF NEW YORK.
New York, December 22, 1905.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAS THIS day declared a Dividend of Three Per Cent, free of tax, payable on and after January 2, 1906.
The Transfer Books will be closed until January 2, 1906.
HENRY DIMSE, Cashier.

THE PEOPLES' BANK,
of the City of New York.
December 21st, 1905.

ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH CONSECUTIVE SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAVE THIS day declared a semi-annual dividend of FIVE PER CENT., free of tax, payable on and after January 2nd, 1906.

The transfer books will be closed on the 23rd inst., at twelve o'clock noon, and reopened on January 2nd, 1906, at 10 o'clock A. M.
WILLIAM MILNE, Cashier.

AMERICAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

A DIVIDEND OF ONE AND A HALF Dollars per share and an Extra Dividend of Three quarters of a Dollar per share will be paid on Monday, January 15, 1906, to stockholders of record at the close of business on Saturday, December 30, 1905.

The transfer books will be closed from January 1 to January 18, 1906, both days included.
WM. R. DRIVER, Treasurer.

AMERICAN TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY.
Four Per Cent. Collateral Trust Bonds.

COUPONS FROM THESE BONDS, PAYable by their terms on January 1, 1906, at the office of the Treasurer in New York, will be paid by the Manhattan Trust Company, 20 Wall Street.
WM. R. DRIVER, Treasurer.

MERCHANTS EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK
of the City of New York, Dec. 22, 1905.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAVE THIS day declared a semi-annual dividend of Three Per Cent, free of tax, payable on and after Jan. 2, 1906, until which date the transfer books will be closed.
E. V. GAMBIER, Cashier.

Copartnership Dissolution.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE firm of E. H. GAY & COMPANY, Bankers, at 25 Congress Street, Boston, has dissolved, having expired by limitation on the 1st day of December, 1905.

E. H. GAY,
W. H. TRUMBULL,
J. W. JACKSON.

The business of the said firm of E. H. GAY & COMPANY will be carried on hereafter by the undersigned under the firm name of E. H. Gay & Company.

E. H. GAY,
J. W. JACKSON.

THE FEDERAL TREASURY.

Washington, Dec. 22.—The condition of the Treasury at the beginning of business to-day was as follows:

RESERVE FUND.

Gold coin and bullion	$150,000,000

TRUST FUNDS TO REDEEM OUTSTANDING CERTIFICATES.

Gold coin	$528,103,863
Silver dollars	475,541,000
Silver dollars of 1890	8,568,000
Total	$1,012,012,863
General fund	$109,994,612
Deposits in national banks	67,086,959
In Philippine Treasury	4,998,256
Awaiting reimbursement	1,995,819
Gross liabilities	104,075,646

Dividend Notices.

244th Consecutive Semi-Annual Dividend

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THE BANK OF NEW YORK

National Banking Association.

New York, December 19th, 1905.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of SIX PER CENT., free from tax, payable on and after January 2d, 1906. The transfer books will remain closed from December 22d, 1905, until January 2d, 1906.
CHAS. OLNEY, Cashier.

United States Mortgage & Trust Company
55 CEDAR STREET.
New York, December 21, 1905.

The Board of Directors has this day declared a dividend of TEN PER CENT., and an extra dividend of TWO PER CENT., on the Capital Stock of the Company, payable December 30, 1905, to stockholders of record December 26, 1905.
CALVERT BREWER, Secretary.

GARFIELD NATIONAL BANK,
Twenty-third St. and Sixth Avenue.
New York, December 20, 1905.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIrectors of this bank, held this day, a quarterly dividend of THREE PER CENT. and an extra dividend of EIGHT PER CENT. were declared on the capital stock of this bank, payable, free of tax, on and after December 30th, 1905. The transfer books will be closed until Tuesday, January 2d, 1906.
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