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Union Pacific Report the Feature of the Day.

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General Market Firm and Animated in Spots.

CARRY-OVER RATES IN LONDON

Fairly Large Business Transacted in the Industrial Group—Sales of Steel and Smelters.

Special Dispatch to The Star.

NEW YORK, November 27.—The complete annual report of the Union Pacific railway was made public previous to the opening of business on the stock exchange this morning. The figures showed a net income applicable to the common stock of 14.21 per cent. This sum tallied pretty closely with the minimum estimates which were in circulation yesterday. At the same time Union Pacific opened well above its final figures of yesterday and advanced further in the subsequent dealings.

The general stock market was also very firm, with notable animation in St. Paul. The Union Pacific statement was generally accounted the most important item of the morning's news, and, in fact, there was little otherwise with much bearing upon the general market or particular stocks.

In the Railway Lists.

The London stock market was generally firm, and in the American department some smart advances were scored above New York's closing figures of yesterday. Little was done here for foreign account, business being restricted by the opening of the London settlement. Contango rates on American stocks ranged between 6¾ and 8 per cent.

Striking movements in the railway list, aside from those noted, took place in Kansas and Texas, Kansas City Southern and Reading. Northern Pacific and Great Northern preferred showed more strength than for some days.

A fairly large business was transacted in the industrial group, chiefly in American Smelting, the United States Steel shares and Amalgamated Copper.

New York Stock Market.

Furnished by W. B. Hibbs & Co., bankers and brokers, 1419 F street, members New York stock exchange, Washington stock exchange and Chicago board of trade.

	Open.	High.	Low.	2:45.
Amalgamated Copper	112⅝	113½	112⅝	112⅝
Am. Car & Foundry	44	44⅝	44	44⅝
Am. Car & Foundry, pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
Am. Ice Securities	89	89	88⅝	88⅝
American Locomotive	75¼	75¼	74⅝	74⅝
American Loco., pfd	112	112	112	112
American Smelting	154¼	155	153⅞	154
American Smelting, pfd	116⅛	116⅛	116	116
American Sugar	135¼	135¼	135¼	135¼
American Tobacco, pfd	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
Anaconda	278	281	278	279¼
Atch., Top. & S. F	101⅝	103	101⅝	102½
Atch., Top. & St. F., pfd	102	102	101⅝	101⅝
Atlantic Coast Line	.....	.....	.....	.....
Baltimore & Ohio	118¾	119¼	118⅛	119⅛
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	79⅛	79⅞	79	79
Canadian Pacific	181¾	182⅛	181¾	182⅛
C., C., C. & St. L	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛
Central Leather	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central Leather, pfd	108	108	108	108
Central Ry. of N. J	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chesapeake & Ohio	55⅛	55⅝	55⅛	55⅝
Chicago Great Western	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝
Chi., Mil. & St. Paul	180¾	184⅛	180⅝	183¼
C. & N. W	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chi. Ter. & T. Trust, pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
Colorado Fuel & Iron	54⅞	55⅝	54⅝	55
Colorado Southern	38¼	38⅞	38	38
Consolidated Gas	137¼	137¼	137¼	137¼
Corn Products	22⅞	23⅛	22⅞	22⅞
Corn Products, pfd	81⅞	81⅞	81⅞	81⅞
Delaware & Hudson	228	229	228	229
D., L. & W	.....	.....	.....	.....
Denver & Rio G. Ry	41⅝	41⅞	41⅝	41⅞
Distillers' Securities	.....	.....	.....	.....
Erie, common	44¼	44⅛	44⅛	44¼
Erie, 1st pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
Erie, 2d pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
General Electric	175¼	175⅝	175¼	175⅝
Great Northern, pfd	315¼	318½	315	316¼
Greene Copper	26¼	26¼	26⅛	26¼
Illinois Central	176	176⅛	175⅞	176
Interboro Met	36⅝	36⅞	36⅝	36⅞
Interboro Met., pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
International Paper	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛
International Pump	.....	.....	.....	.....
Kansas City Southern	31⅛	32	31⅛	31⅝
Kansas City So., pfd	63¼	63⅝	63¼	63⅝
Louisville & Nashville	145¼	146¼	145¼	146
Manhattan Elevated	144	144	143¾	143¾
Mexican Central	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mo., Kan. & Tex., com	43⅛	43⅝	42¾	43⅛
Mo., Kan. & Tex., pfd	75¾	75¾	74	74⅛
Missouri Pacific	94⅛	94⅞	94⅛	94⅞
National Lead	76⅛	76⅛	76⅛	76⅛
New York Central	129⅞	130⅛	129⅞	130⅛
N. Y., Ont. & Western	47	47⅛	47	47⅛
Norfolk & Western	94⅛	94⅛	94⅛	94⅛
Northern Pacific	220	228¼	219¾	227⅝
Pacific Mail Steamship	39⅝	41⅛	39¼	41
Pennsylvania R. R	138¼	139	138⅛	138⅛
People's Gas of Chicago	92¼	92¼	91⅛	91⅛
Pressed Steel Car	54	54	54	54
Ralway Steel Springs	.....	.....	.....	.....
Reading	147	148⅝	146⅞	148⅛
Republic Steel & Iron	37¼	38¼	37⅛	38¼
Rep. Steel & Iron, pfd	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
Rock Island, common	31⅛	31⅝	31	31⅝
Rock Island, pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sloss-Sheffield Steel	75⅛	76	75⅛	76
St. L. & S. F., 2d pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Louis S. W., pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
Southern Pacific	94⅛	95	94⅛	94⅛
Southern Pacific, pfd	119⅛	.....	.....	.....
Southern Railway	34¼	34⅛	34¼	34⅛
Southern Railway, pfd	94¼	94¼	94¼	94¼
Tenn. Coal & Iron	161	162	161	161¼
Texas Pacific	38¼	38⅛	37⅞	38⅛
Toledo, St. L. & W	34¼	34¼	34¼	34¼
Toledo, St. L. & W., pfd	53⅛	53¼	53⅛	53⅛
Union Pacific	186⅝	188¼	186⅛	187¼
Union Pacific, pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
United States Rubber	52¼	52⅛	52⅛	52⅛
U. S. Rubber, pfd	107⅝	107⅝	107⅝	107⅝
United States Steel	47¼	47¾	47¼	47⅝
U. S. Steel, pfd	104¼	105	104¼	104⅞
Va. Car. Chem. Co	39	42	39	41
Va. Car. Chem. Co, pfd	110	110	110	110
Wabash	19⅛	19¼	19⅛	19¼
Wabash, pfd	42⅞	43⅛	42⅞	43
Western Union	86	87¼	86	87
Wisconsin Central	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wisconsin Central, pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
Woolen Goods	34⅞	35	34⅞	35
BONDS.				
American Tobacco 4's	.....	.....	.....	.....
Con. Tob. 4's	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rock Island 4's	.....	.....	.....	.....
U. Pac. Conv. 4's	.....	.....	.....	.....
United States Steel 5's	98⅛	98⅛	98	98
Wabash Deb. B's	79⅛	80	79¼	80

Closing Quotations.

At the close of the stock market the following stocks had changed in price since above quotations, there being no change in balance of the closing prices:

American Smelting, 153¾.
American Sugar, 135¼.
Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe, 102⅞.
Brooklyn Rapid Transit, 79¼.
Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, 182½.
Chicago and Northwestern, 203¾.
Delaware and Hudson, 227¾.
Denver and Rio Grande, 42⅞.
Great Northern, preferred, 317.
Illinois Central, 176¼.
Kansas City Southern, 31.
Kansas City Southern, preferred, 63¼.
Manhattan Elevated, 144.
Mo., Kansas and Tex., com., 43¼.
Mo., Kansas and Tex., pfd., 74.
Missouri Pacific, 94⅞.
New York Central, 129¾.
New York, Ontario and Western, 47⅛.
Northern Pacific, 223⅞.
Pennsylvania Railroad, 138⅝.
People's Gas of Chicago, 92.
Reading, 147⅞.
Republic Steel & Iron pfd., 101.
Rock Island common, 31½.
Southern Pacific, 94⅝.
Southern Pacific pfd., 119¼.
Southern Railway pfd., 34½.
Texas Pacific, 38¼.
Union Pacific, 187½.
U. S. Rubber, 51⅝.
U. S. Steel, 47½.
Va. Car. Chem., com., 41¼.
Western Union, 87¾.

PHOENIX, Ariz., November 27.—Shelby M. Cullom, clerk of the Arizona supreme court, and a nephew of Senator Cullom of Illinois, died here yesterday of consumption. He was thirty-eight years old.

NEW YORK COTTON.

NEW YORK, November 27.—The cotton market opened steady at an advance of 6a12 points, in response to steady cables. There was quite a good deal of cotton for sale on the call as a result of realizing by local professionals, but after easing off a few points the market was firmed up by a sensational bulge in the November option, which, on purchases of about 2,000 bales, sold up to 11.70, against 10.80 at the close yesterday, or a net advance of about 90 points. The rest of the list sympathized only slightly with the November strength, and January sold no higher than 10.59 on the bulge or 9 points net higher. Later all the active months eased off to last night's finals under profit taking and a smaller demand from outside sources.

Cotton futures opened steady. November, 10.85 bid; December, 10.45; January, 10.58; March, 10.79; April, 10.85; May, 10.89; June, 10.88 bid; July, 10.92; August, offered 10.85.

Today's Cotton Summary.

Furnished by Dick Bros. & Co., 1412 H st. n.w. Phones Main 6440-6441.

NEW YORK COTTON.

	Open.	High.	Low.	2:00 p.m.
November	11.70	.....	.....	.....
December	10.43	.43	10.28	10.28
January	10.58	10.58	10.38	10.42
March	10.79	10.79	10.55	10.59
May	10.89	10.89	10.65	10.68
July	10.92	10.92	10.76	10.76

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

	Open.	High.	Low.	1:00 p.m.
December	10.99	10.99	10.80	10.81
January	11.03	11.03	10.73	10.83
March	11.07	11.07	10.85	10.94
May	11.23	11.23	10.99	10.99

NEW YORK COTTON, 3 P.M.

November	11.23
December	10.25
January	10.33
March	10.56
May	10.66
July	10.76

NEW ORLEANS COTTON, 2 P.M.

December	10.75
January	10.76
March	10.87
May	11.02

Liverpool Prices.

LIVERPOOL, November 27.—Cotton, spot, quiet; prices 13 points higher; American middling, fair, 6.79; good middling, 6.35; middling, 6.21; low middling, 6.03; good ordinary, 5.63; ordinary, 5.39. The sales of the day were 6,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 5,400 American. Receipts, 30,000 bales, including 18,100 American.

Futures opened steady and closed quiet; American middling, g. o. c., November, 5.98; November-December, 5.85; December-January, 5.81; January-February, 5.80; February-March, 5.81; March-April, 5.82; April-May, 5.83½; May-June, 5.85½; June-July, 5.86½; July-August, 5.87½; August-September, 5.75½; September-October, 5.63½; October-November, 5.56½.

CHICAGO GRAIN.

CHICAGO, November 27.—Wheat opened today dull and steady. Liverpool cables were lower, and this, with a decline on the Minneapolis curb, depressed prices at the opening. Trading was very light. December opened ⅛ lower, at 73⅛, and sold at 73¼. May wheat was a shade lower, at 78⅛a⅛, sold at 78⅜a⅛, and the nat 78⅝.

Good demand by commission houses advanced December corn to 43.

December oats were quiet and steady at 35.

January provisions opened strong, pork at 14.55, lard at 8.42½, and ribs at 7.72½.

The market became easier in the last hour of trading, although prices showed but little change. December declined to 73⅛ and closed barely steady at 73¼. The high point for May was 78⅝a78⅝. Final quotations found December unchanged and May down ⅛ at 78½.

Prices held firm all day on a good demand.

CHICAGO, November 27,—Close: Wheat—December, 73¼; May, 78½.

Corn—December, 43; May 43¾a43⅞.

Oats—December, 33⅝; May, 34⅞.

Pork—January, 14.60; May, 14.87½a14.90.

Lard—January, 8.47½; May, 8.45a8.47½.

Ribs—January, 7.77½; May, 7.90.

Rye—Cash, 68½.

Barley—Cash, 42a56.

Corn—December, 43; May, 43⅝a43¾.

Flax—Clover and timothy, nothing doing.

Grain and Provisions Summary.

CHICAGO, November 27.—Grain:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—Dec	73½	73½	73	73¼
May	78½	78⅝	78⅜	78½
Corn—Dec	42⅞	43	42⅞	43
May	43⅛	43⅛	43⅛	43⅛
Oats—Dec	33¼	33⅝	33¼	33⅝
May	35	35	34⅞	34⅞

CHICAGO, November 27.—Provisions:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Pork—Jan	14.55	14.62	14.55	14.60
May	14.80	14.90	14.82	14.87
Lard—Jan	8.37	8.47	8.42	8.47
May	8.42	8.45	8.37	8.45
Ribs—Jan	7.72	7.77	7.72	7.77
May	7.85	7.90	7.85	7.90

THE BALTIMORE MARKETS.

Special Dispatch to The Star.

BALTIMORE, Md., November 27.—WHEAT—Quiet; spot, contract, 74½a74½; spot, No. 2 red western, 77a77½; November, 74½a74½; December, 74½a74⅝; January, 75⅝a76; May, 80½; steamer No. 2 red, 68½a69⅝; receipts, 40,372 bushels; southern by sample, 59a68½; southern on grade, 68a74½.

CORN—Firm; spot, old, 50a50½; new, 48⅝a48⅞; November, old, 50a50½; new, 48⅝a48⅞; year, 48a48½; January, 47⅝a47½; February, 47⅝a47½; steamer mixed, 46a46¼; receipts, 85,745 bushels; exports, 77,143 bushels; new southern white corn, 42½a49; new southern yellow corn, 42½a49.

OATS—Quiet and easy; No. 2 white, 40 asked; No. 3 white, 38½a39½; No. 2 mixed, 38½ sales; receipts, 16,684 bushels.

RYE—Firm; No. 2 western export, firm; No. 2 western domestic, 76a77; receipts, 1,992 bushels.

HAY—Steady, unchanged.

GRAIN FREIGHTS—Steady, unchanged.

CURB QUOTATIONS.

Furnished by E. R. Chapman & Co. (G. B. Chipman, manager), members New York stock exchange, 1201 F st. n.w.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
British Col. Copper	12⅝	13⅝	12⅝	13⅝
Chicago Subway	50½	51½	50½	50⅝
Cumberland Ely	12½	12½	12½	12½
Dominion Copper	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
Granby Copper	13¼	13½	13⅜	13⅜
Greene Copper	26¼	26⅝	26¼	26¼
Greene Gold-Silver	1⅞	2	1⅞	1⅞
Int. Mer. Marine pfd	29⅝	30	29⅝	30
International Salt	29⅞	29⅞	29⅞	29⅞
Micmac Gold	6⅛	6⅝	6¼	6¼
Mitchell Mining	5¼	5¼	5¼	5¼
Nevada Smelt. & Mines	6¼	6¼	6	6⅛
Nevada-Utah	4	4	4	4
United Copper	75¼	76	75	75¼

Government Securities.

	Bid.	Asked.
2 per cents, registered, 1930	103⅝	104¼
2 per cents, coupons, 1930	104	104⅝
3 per cents, registered, 1908-18	102	102⅛
3 per cents, coupons, 1908-18	103	103½
3 per cents, coupons, small, 1908-18	102¼	.....
4 per cents, registered, 1907	101⅝	102¼
4 per cents, coupons, 1907	101⅝	102¼
4 per cents, registered, 1925	120½	121
4 per cents, coupons, 1925	120½	121
District of Columbia 3.65s, 1924	115	.....
4 per cents, Philippine, 1914-34	110	.....
2 per cents, registered, Panama	104¼	105¼
2 per cents, coupons, Panama	104¼	105¼

Philadelphia Stock Exchange.

Furnished by Dick Bros. & Co., 1412 H st. n.w. 'Phones Main 6440-6441.

	Open.	High.	Low.	2:00 p.m.
American Cement	10⅛	.....	.....	.....
Cambria Steel	37⅝	38	37⅝	38
Elec. Co. of America	12¼	12¼	12	12
Lake Superior	14½	14½	14½	14½
Lehigh Valley	78⅝	78⅝	78⅝	78⅝
Phila. Rapid Transit	22	22	22	22
Union Traction	62⅝	63	62⅝	63
Tonopah	20⅛	20⅛	20⅛	20⅛
United Gas Imp.	97½	98	97½	97⅝

Movements of Steamships.

SABLE ISLAND, Nova Scotia, November 27.—The steamer Oceanic, from Liverpool for New York, was in communication by wireless telegraph with the Marconi station here when seventy-five miles southeast of this point, at 5:40 a.m.

The Oceanic will probably reach her dock about 8 a.m. Thursday.

BOSTON, November 27.—Arrived: Steamer Michigan, from Liverpool.

It matters little what it is that you want—whether a situation or a servant—a "want" ad. in The Star will reach the person who can fill your need.

LOCAL FINANCIAL NEWS.

There was something done at the meeting today of the stock exchange, and while the record does not show any great volume of business, still what was done was of good quality, and indicated that there is a market after all. In some cases the buying was on an ascending scale, and in others, where the sellers showed a disposition to meet the market, they found a very good demand.

The common stock of the Washington Railway and Electric Company was the first security that figured as an active trader. It sold as high as 41½, which is half a point higher than the asking price of yesterday. The bid for options was on that level, and one was secured at that price, and the bid renewed for more, but there were no more to be had, and an offering of options at 42 was withdrawn.

The bid reached 41½, and remained there at the close, and while at times it went somewhat higher, and the stock was to be had at 41½, still that was evidently the limit for the day. When the bid for a quotation lot of fifty shares was at 41½, the principal dealer in the stock asked what was the bid for 500 shares. He does not often get any response to such an inquiry, but today he did, as the broker who made the bid for the stock said he would also give that for the larger lot.

For some reason, probably because he was surprised that such a lot was wanted, the broker who started the inquiry did not make any such offering.

Union Trust Company stock sold down to 136 and then the stock was to be had at 137 and the bid was two points below that level. The rights sold on a range of from 7 to 9.

Sales were made of the stock of the Washington Loan and Trust Company down to 214¾. The bid was then 214½ and was not only for a quotation lot of ten shares, but for fifty shares, and for fifty more shares a bid of 214 was made. At the close the bid was 215½ and the asking price half a point in advance.

A block of fifty shares came on the market and as soon as that was disposed of the movement was toward the old level.

A well-known economist has made a scientific analysis of grafting with the view of determining the definite character of the grafter, as well as the conditions under which he flourishes. The grafter is regarded by this writer as an institutional parasite. Like all parasites, he has the art of insinuating himself into the life of the community in such a way as to absorb a portion of the communal substance and appropriate it to his own profit. In one sense a grafter is to a corporate community what a flea is to a dog. It is the trustee type of grafter that, according to this analysis, as it is printed in the Wall Street Journal, should give the greatest concern. But still worse than the pecuniary loss from such a source is the deep-seated demoralization which results from the discovery that men whose honorable and successful careers have been held up to the youth of the land as worthy of imitation are later discovered to have, in their service as directors of corporations, by methods known to themselves, managed to divert millions of corporate property to their own selfish purposes.

The grafter keeps attention away from his own operations, declares this writer, by preaching morality on the part of others, insisting on respect of law, making a reputation for charity and sheltering the oppressed in order that there may be no reduction in the number of his victims.

The condition which favors his existence is, in the writer's opinion, the lack of institutional control. It is not by making war on the individual that the evil can be corrected, but by developing such forms of control as will make this parasitic life unprofitable. In other words, the remedy, according to this view, is more publicity and a better type of trusteeship in the management of the property of others.

Today's Government Receipts.

National bank notes received today for redemption, $583,92; government receipts from internal revenue, $389,435; customs, $1,127,611; miscellaneous, $193,908; expenditures, $1,530,000.

Washington Stock Exchange.

Sales.—Regular call, 12 o'clock noon—Capital Traction, 2 at 145, 20 at 145, 5 at 145.

Washington Rwy. and Elec. com., 50 at 41½ (buyer 60), 50 at 41½ (buyer 60), 50 at 41, 30 at 41, 50 at 41, 50 at 41, 50 at 41½, 50 at 41½, 50 at 41½.

Washington Gas, 25 at 58½, 29 at 58½, 25 at 58½, 25 at 58½, 10 at 58¾.

Lanston Monotype, 100 at 14¾.

Greene Copper, 100 at 26¼, 100 at 26⅜, 100 at 26⅜ (buyer 60).

Union Trust, 10 at 137, 10 at 136.

Washington Loan and Trust, 10 at 216, 10 at 215¾, 10 at 215½, 10 at 215, 10 at 214¾, 10 at 214¾, 10 at 214½, 10 at 215½.

Union Trust Rights, 10 at 6, 10 at 6, 10 at 6, 10 at 6, 10 at 6, 9 at 6½, 1 at 7, 9 at 6, 20 at 6, 20 at 6.

Columbia Title, 100 at 4, 9 at 4, 8 at 4¼.

After call—Greene Copper, 10 at 26½.

Washington Rwy. and Elec. 4s, $1,000 at 88½, $1,500 at 88½, $1,000 at 88½, $1,000 at 88½.

Union Trust Rights, 41 at 5¾, 10 at 7, 10 at 7, 10 at 7⅛, 10 at 8⅛, 10 at 8, 10 at 8¼, 10 at 8⅝, 10 at 9, 10 at 9, 10 at 9, 10 at 9, 10 at 9¼, 30 at 9.

GAS BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Washington Gas 4s	103	103¼
Washington Gas cert. 6s	111	115
RAILROAD BONDS		
Capital Traction 4s	105½	108
Anacostia and Potomac 5s	102	.....
City and Suburban 5s	102	.....
Columbia 5s	105¼	106
Columbia 6s	110	111
Metropolitan 5s	112½	115
Metropolitan 6s, B	100	.....
Washington Rwy. and Elec. 4s	88¼	88⅝
MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.		
U. S. Elec. Lt. deb. 6s	100	.....
U. S. Elec. Lt. cert. 6s	100	.....
Potomac Elec. Lt. 5s	106¼	107½
Nor. and Wash. Steamboat 5s	106⅞	108
Chesapeake and Potomac Tel. 5s	106	107½
Washington Market 6s	106	.....
PUBLIC UTILITY STOCKS.		
Capital Traction	144⅞	145¼
Washington Rwy. and Elec. com	41¼	41⅝
Washington Rwy. and Elec. pfd	85⅞	86½
Washington Gas	58⅝	58½
Nor. and Wash. Steamboat	275	280
Georgetown Gas	65	.....
Bristol Gas and Electric	35	.....
Chesapeake and Potomac Tel	53	58
TYPE MACHINE STOCKS.		
Mergenthaler Linotype	205¾	206½
Lanston Monotype	14¼	14½
MINING STOCKS.		
Greene Copper	26¼	26¾
Mitchell	5⅛	5⅝
NATIONAL BANK STOCKS.		
American	171	.....
Capital	195	225
Central	344	300
City	139	.....
Columbia	296	.....
Commercial	200	209
Farmers and Mechanics'	315	335
Lincoln	130	136
Metropolitan	816	835
Riggs	600	700
Second	145	150
Traders'	160	.....
Washington	585	.....
TRUST COMPANY STOCKS.		
American Security and Trust	275	290
National Safe	188	195
Union Trust	135	137
Washington Loan and Trust	215½	216
Union Trust Rights	5⅞	6¼
SAVINGS BANK STOCKS.		
Home Savings	275	.....
Union Savings	290	.....
Washington Savings	124	.....
FIRE INSURANCE STOCKS.		
Arlington	33	.....
Columbia	10	10½
Commercial	5	.....
Corcoran	74	.....
Firemen's	28½	.....
Franklin	56	60
German American	260	.....
Metropolitan	87	92
National Union	7½	.....
People's	6	6¾
Potomac	26	.....
Riggs	8	9
TITLE INSURANCE STOCKS.		
Columbia	4	5
Real Estate	84	100
Washington	4	.....
MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.		
S. P. Service Corp	110	.....
Graphophone com	42½	44
Graphophone pfd	83½	.....
Security Storage	150	.....
Washington Market	21	.....
Fidelity Storage	110	.....

TO RESTRAIN HITCHCOCK.

Secretary of Interior Named in Application for Injunction.

Laura Secondine, a half-breed Delaware Indian, a member of the Cherokee nation, has applied to the District Supreme Court for an injunction to restrain the Secretary of the Interior and the Commissioner of Indian affairs from enforcing the act of Congress of April 26 last, in reference to Indian lands, against her.

The law provides that an Indian shall not dispose of or incumber his or her land holdings for a certain period of time. Laura Secondine contends this law does not apply to her, as she is not a full-blood Indian, but a half-breed.

BULLS AND BEARS

Special Dispatch to The Star.

NEW YORK, November 27.—After the close of business yesterday there was considerable uncertainty in the minds of not a few operators and observers of the stock market as to what the course of the trading would be during the next week or ten days. The heads of several large commission houses were disposed to believe that the trading would be largely professional during that period, and that the tendency would be downward. Practically the same opinion was expressed this morning, but a few observers, however, were of the opinion that the tone of the market today and for several days to come would be better than that of yesterdday and several days past. Those who view the market on the basis of existing conditions and coming events do not see how much of an advance can logically be expected until after the first of the month at the earliest. The head of a large commission house who is in a position to form a very good idea of the character of the trading in Union Pacific, says that the buying has been remarkably good, and that London has been disposed to buy the stock quietly for some time. He intimates that while the professional element may claim to be disappointed over the showing made by the annual report, there is reason for believing that all bona fide holders of the stock will be duly rewarded a little later on if they will exercise a fair amount.

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While it is admitted in well-informed circles that Speyer & Co. are the most important factors in the Missouri, Kansas and Texas property at the present time, it is not believed in railroad circles that they actually are in control. A high official of the Rock Island said this morning that it may be taken as a fact that his company is not planning to buy the Missouri, Kansas and Texas.

The vast increase in the business done on the curb is not at all to the liking of certain interests in Wall street, and it is more than possible something may be done before long to put a check upon the promiscuous trading carried on there. It is said that there are several stock exchange houses who look with disfavor upon the open market as it is conducted now, not only because it attracts the trading public, of small means away from legitimate channels of speculation, but because of the rapid multiplying of securities brought out whenever a mining or any other fever seizes upon the public. But there are other stock exchange houses who declare that the curb is not only a convenience, but a present-day necessity, and that without the facilities which it offers many perfectly sound enterprises would be unable to find a market for their securities, and this would work hardship to the stockholders in such concerns. It is remarkable that while there are no by-laws or rules of any kind to govern the curb trading, the business is conducted under an unwritten code which is so effective that it is not too much to say that there are no troubles or disputes incident to the trading which are not settled fairly and quickly by the parties concerned.

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Vice President Oppenheim of the Chicago Great Western and a party of friends have returned from an inspection trip of the company's lines. They found everything in excellent condition. Mr. Oppenheim says that no relief for the general car shortage has appeared so far, and he does not look for the situation to improve materially for many months to come.

WHOLESALE MARKET REPORT.

Quotations given below are for large lots. Jobbers' prices from 1 to 2c. higher.

EGGS.—Nearby fresh Virginia, 32; West Virginia and southwest Virginia, 31; Tennessee, 31; North Carolina, 29a30.

BUTTER.—Creamery, fancy, 29½a30. Western firsts, 28a29; seconds, 20a22. Process, fancy, 22a22½; fair to good, 18a19. Store-packed, fresh, 15a16.

CHEESE.—New York state factory, new, large, 14a14½.

POULTRY.—Chickens, per lb., 13a14; hens, per lb., 11½a12; roosters, per lb., 7; ducks, per lb., 12; young ducks, per lb., 13a14; geese, per lb., 9a11; keats, per lb., 8a10. Turkeys, toms, per lb., 15a16; hens, per lb., 16.

DRESSED POULTRY.—Chickens, per lb., 13a15; hens, choice, per lb., 12a13; roosters, per lb., 9a10; ducks, per lb., 16a17; turkeys, per lb., 17a19.

VEGETABLES.—Potatoes, bbl., No. 1, 1.50a1.75; No. 2, 1.00a1.25; N. Y. state, per bu., 60a65; Maine, per sack, 2.00. Yams, per bbl., 1.00a1.25; yellow sweets, per bbl., 1.50a2.00; carrots, per bu., 60a75; cucumbers, per bu. basket, 1.75a2.50; onions, per bbl., 1.50a1.75; Spanish onions, per box, 1.25a1.50; peppers, per carrier, 2.50; tomatoes, Cal., per box, 1.50a2.00; cabbage, N. Y., per 100, 4.00a5.00; Danish cabbage, per lb., 1c.; eggplant, Fla., per crate, 1.75a2.25; celery, per doz., 40a75; turnips, per box, 30a50; per bbl., 1.25a1.50; cauliflower, per bbl., 4.00a4.50; squash, Fla., per basket, 1.50a2.00; snap beans, Fla., per bu., 2.50a3.50; wax beans, per bu., 2.50a3.00; pumpkins, each, 4a7; Hubbard squash, per bbl., 1.00a1.25; okra, per crate, 2.50a3.50; Brussels sprouts, per qt. box, 25c.

GREEN FRUITS.—Apples, loose, per bbl., 1.25a2.50; apples, packed, per bbl., 2.50a4.00; oranges, Fla., per box, 2.25a3.00; grape fruit, per box, 2.50a3.50; pineapples, per crate, 2.50a3.50; grapes, per basket, 13a20; cranberries, per box, 2.00a3.50; per bbl., 8.00a9.00.

HAY AND STRAW.—New timothy, choice, 19.50a20.00; No. 1, 18.50a19.00; No. 2, 16.50a17.50; mixed hay, 13.00a16.00; clover, 12.00a15.00. Straw, rye, bundle, 11.00a12.00; rye, machine thrash, 8.50a9.00; wheat, 7.00a7.25; oat straw, per ton, 8.00a8.50.

GAME.—Rabbits, per doz., 2.00a2.50; quail, per doz., 2.00a3.00; wild turkey, per lb., 18a20; pheasants, each, 75a1.15; woodcock, each, 30a40.

DRESSED MEATS.—Calves, full dressed, 8.50a9.00; heads off, 9.00a9.50; hogdressed calves, 8.00a8.50. Hams, country, sugar cured, 16a18. Hogs, small and neat, per cwt., 8.50; medium, 7.50a8.00; heavy, 7.50.

LIVE STOCK.—Cattle, extra, per cwt., 4.75a5.00; butcher, per cwt., 4.00; ordinary, per cwt., 2.50; rough, per cwt., 1.50a2.00. Hogs, per cwt., gross, 6.50; ordinary, per cwt., 5.50. Sheep, clipped, 4.00; lambs, choice, per lb., 7½; medium, per lb., 7. Calves, choice, per lb., 8a8½; medium, per lb., 7½a8; grass calves, per lb., 4a5. Cows, prime, fresh, each, 35.00a50.00; common, each, 20.00a30.00; old and drw, each, 10.00a12.00.

WOOL AND HIDES.—Wool, washed, free of burs, per lb., 35a36; wool, unwashed, per lb., 27a28. Hides, green, per lb., 12; dry, per lb., 16a18. Sheepskins, green, each, 1.25a1.50; dry, each, 75a1.00. Calfskins, green, each, 1.00a1.30.

GRAIN.—Wheat, choice, 74a75; fair to good, 68a72; ordinary, 50a60. Corn, shelled, white, 54a55; yellow, 54a55; ear, 2.20a3.00. Oats, western white, No. 2, 40a41; mixed, 38a39.

London Closing Stocks.

LONDON, November 27.

Consols for money	86⅝
Consols for account	86 11-16
Anaconda	14⅝
Atchison	105
Atchison pfd	105⅛
Baltimore and Ohio	122⅝
Canadian Pacific	187½
Chesapeake and Ohio	56⅝
Chicago Great Western	19
Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul	181¼
De Beers	21½
Denver and Rio Grande	42
Denver and Rio Grande pfd	86
Erie	45⅝
Erie 1st pfd	78½