RAILWAY LIST DECLINES

An Irregular Tone in Early Stock Market Dealings.

New York Central Conspicuously Weak Because of Impending Labor Troubles—Advance of Sugar Refining the Feature in Industrials—London Operations Dull.

NEW YORK, April 30.—The Stock Market was exceedingly irregular in the early dealings, the railway list generally showing slight declines, although the dealings in that quarter were in moderate volume. New York Central was conspicuously weak, opening at a decline of 1 1-2 per cent in comparison with the final figures of Saturday, the weakness in that particular instance being, of course, referable to the threatened strike on the company's lines at Buffalo. Missouri Pacific, on the other hand, showed decided strength and rose rapidly on large dealings, without anything particularly new attending its course. Sugar Refining was the conspicuous feature of the industrial quarter, and indeed, of the whole market, in an advance of four points from its final figures of Saturday.

While nothing definite was learned regarding the course of Sugar, it was the common opinion that its decided strength reflected efforts making to arrange a settlement of the protracted trade war. The other industrials were heavy at the opening, but subsequently developed a firmer tone, and the whole market became steadier after the initial dealings. Among the lower priced industrials United States Leather was notably firm.

The London market for American stocks showed slight declines as a rule, but the dealings in that quarter and in the general London market were almost at a standstill, largely on account of the holiday there tomorrow.

Aside from the threatening labor troubles on the New York Central Railroad there was nothing new bearing on the general market or particular stocks.

New York Stock Market.

Corrected daily by W. B. Hibbs & Co., members of the New York Exchange, 1419 F Street.

	Open.	High.	Low.	2:15
Amer. Cot. Oil	36¼	36½	37¾	36½
American S. & W	38¼	39¼	37¾	38¾
A. S. Wire pfd	77¾	77¾	75¾	77¼
American Sugar	118	121½	112¾	113¼
American Tobacco	103¾	103¾	103¾	103¼
Atchison	26½	26¾	26	26¼
Atchison pfd	70¼	70¾	69¾	69¾
B. & O	84¾	85	83¾	83½
B. & O. pfd	85¾	86¾	85	85
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	75¾	75¾	72¾	72¾
Chesapeake & Ohio	51¾	51¾	50¾	50¾
C., C., C. & St. L	2'¾	62¾	60¾	60¾
Chicago, B. & Q	125½	126	124¾	124¾
Chicago Gas	104	104¾	103	103½
C., M. & St. Paul	119¾	119¾	118¼	118¼
Chi., R. I. & Pacific	108¼	108¾	107¾	107¾
Chi. & Great Western	13¾	13½	13¼	13¾
C. F. I	41	41½	40½	40½
Continental Tobacco	30¾	30¾	30	30
Continental Tobacco pfd	80¾	81	80¾	80¾
Federal Steel	41	41½	40¾	41
Federal Steel pfd	69¾	69¾	69¼	69½
General Electric	136¼	137½	135¾	137¼
Illinois Central	114¾	114¾	114¾	114¾
Louisville & Nashville	82	82	81¼	81¾
Metropolitan Traction	158½	159	157	157½
Manhattan Elevated	93¾	93¾	93	93
Missouri Pacific	57¾	60	57¾	57¾
N. K. & T. pfd	35½	36	34¾	35
National Lead Co	22	22	22	22
New Jersey Central	119	119	118½	118¾
New York Central	185¾	185	183½	183¾
N. Y., Ontario & Western	23	23	22½	22½
Northern Pacific	58¾	58¾	57¾	57¾
Northern Pacific pfd	75¾	75¾	75¼	75¾
Penn. Railroad	137½	138¼	136½	136¾
Reading firsts	58¾	59¼	58¾	58¾
Southern Pacific	36¾	37	36	36
Southern Railway	33¾	33¾	33½	33¾
Southern Railway pfd	57½	57¼	56¾	56¾
Texas Pacific	17½	19¾	9¼	9¾
Tenn. Coal & Iron	81½	82	80¼	80¼
Union Pacific	56¾	56¾	55¼	55¾
Union Pacific pfd	75¼	75¾	74¾	74¾
U. S. Leather	12¾	14	12¾	13½
U. S. Leather pfd	71½	71½	70¾	70¾
U. S. Rubber	31¼	31¼	30½	30½
Wabash pfd	22¾	23¾	22¾	23¾
Western Union Tel	82½	82½	82	82

The market this morning was under the same influences that were uppermost all last week. The professionals were the largest and almost the only sellers of securities, and they were also the chief buyers, especially during the Sugar advance, which gave the market temporarily a stronger tone. The opening prices were off in most cases fractionally and there was a quick rally in many parts of the list. Later there was a dip of a point or more. Sugar was again the feature with an average to 121 and a fraction, which was all lost later. The news of the day was nearly all favorable, including easy money rates, gossip regarding a large reduction in the franchise tax assessments in New York, good crop reports from the granger officers, and renewed assertions that the Standard Oil brokers are buying Missouri Pacific and Texas Pacific.

Missouri Pacific was the leader of the railway list with an advance of two points or more to 59 and a fraction. The buying of the stock was heavy and the brokers who executed the orders were those whom the Street identifies with the Standard Oil people, for the most part. Texas Pacific advanced fractionally.

The erratic movements of Sugar caused much talk as has been said, but there was no news that could be relied on. The opinion that something is being done to settle the war has undoubtedly won converts recently, but the strength of the stock itself rather than any information has been the cause of the hopefulness.

The criminal action against the Gates Steel and Wire band is attractig much attention. The facts already known by the public make it appear possible that the thing may be most unpleasant for Mr. Gates. It is said by many that the Seligmans are at the bottom of the fight against him. The Seligmans have an excellent reputation in the financial world, and it is known that they have been opposed to the Gates' manipulation of the Wire securities from the first.

Burlington officials report excellent crop prospects throughout the Burlington States.

The Wabash March statement is a good one. The gross earnings for the month show an increase of $163,202, and the net an increase of $13,440. From July 1 to March 31 the gross earnings show an increase of $1,726,934, and the net an increase of $717,601.

New York Central sold off this morning on the strike probabilities. Careful brokers advised buying it at the lower level.

Washington Stock Exchange.

Sales—U. S. 3's, coupon: $500@109 1-2, $1,000@109 3-8; Real Estate Title Insurance: 10@80; Capital Traction: 20@104 3-8; Mergenthaler Linotype: 20@192 1-2; Lanston Monotype: 100@13 3-4, 25@13 7-8, 50@13 1-2, 100@13 3-8; American Graphophone: 10@12 1-2; American Graphophone, preferred: 10@13. After call—Mergenthaler Linotype: 1@193.

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked
U. S. 4's, 1908, Q. J	114	114¾
U. S. 4's, 1907, Q. J	114	114¾
U. S. 4's, R., 1925	134¾	1 4
U. S. 4's, C., 1925	134¾	135
U. S. 5's, C., 1904, Q. F	113	
U. S. 3's, R., 1908, Q. F	108¾	109
U. S. 3's, R., 1908, R. C. F	109¾	110¾

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Funding currency, 3.65's	120	....
4½'s, Reg., 2-10's, 1893-1901	....	....

MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Capital Traction R. R. 4's	106¾	107¾
Met. R. R. 5's 1925	121	122¾
Met. R. R., Cert. Indebtedness A	110	115
Met. R. R. Cert Indebtedness B	110	....
Columbia R. R. 6's, 1914	126	....
Columbia R. R. 2d mort. 5's	111	....
City & Suburban R. R.	....	....
Wash. Gas Co., ser. A, 6's, 1902-'27	116	....
Wash. Gas C., ser. B, 6's, 1901-'29	116	....
U. S. Elec. Light, Deb. Imp., 1897	105	111
U. S. Elec. Light, Cert. indebt	106	111
Ches. & Pot. Tel., 1896-1911	10.	....
Ches. & Pot. Tel., Con. 5's	104¾	105¾
Am. Sec'y & Trust 5's, 1905	1.0	....
Wash. Market Co. 1st 6's, 1892-1911, $7,000 retired annually	110	....
Wash. Mkt. Co. Imp. 6's, 1912-'27	110	....
Wash. Mkt. Co. ext. 6's, 1914-'27	110	....
Masonic Hall Ass'n 5's, C, 1908	108	110
Amer. Graphophone Deb. 5's	....	....
Anacostia & Potomac 5's	....	....

NATIONAL BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Bank of Washington	380	400
Metropolitan	600	....
Central	1608	....
Farmers' & Mechanics'	210	....
Second	160	....
Citizens'	160	....
Columbia	160	....
Capital	150	160
West End	1 8	....
Traders'	125	130
Lincoln	115	125

SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST COMPANIES.

	Bid.	Asked.
National Safe Deposit & Trust	130	135
Wash. Loan & Trust	157	161
American Security & Trust	199	....
Wash. Safe Deposit	....	....

INSURANCE STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Firemen	30	....
Franklin	40	....
Metropolitan	80	....
Corcoran	62	....
Potomac	75	....
Arlington	....	1 0
German American	210	....
National Union	12½	13
Columbia	12¾	12½
Riggs	....	9
People's	6¾	6¾
Commercial	....	....
Colonial	110	....

TITLE INSURANCE STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Real Estate Title	80	90
Columbia Title	4¾	5
Washington Title	3¾	....
District Title	....	3½

RAILROAD STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Capital Traction	104¾	104¾
Capital Traction Co. Scrip	106¾	107¾
City & Suburban	25	28
Georgetown & Tennallytown	....	....

GAS AND ELECTRIC LIGHT STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Washington Gas	54¾	54¾
Georgetown Gas	50	....
U. S. Electric Light	....	....

TELEPHONE STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Chesapeake & Potomac	61	....
Pennsylvania	37	....

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Mergenthaler Linotype	192¾	192¾
Lanston Monotype	13¾	13¾
American Graphophone	12¾	12¾
American Graphophone, pfd	42¾	1¾
Pneumatic Gun Carriage	.20	.25
Washington Market	14	....
Norfolk & Washington	150	165
Lincoln Hall	....	....

*Ex-Dividend.

Chicago Grain and Provision Market

Corrected daily by W. B. Hibbs & Co., members of the New York Exchange, 1419 F Street.

WHEAT.	Open.	High.	Low.	2:15
May	65¾	65¾	65¼	65¼-⅜
July	67¾	67¾	67¼	67¼
CORN.				
May	39¾	40	39¼	40
July	40¾	41¼	40¾	41
OATS.				
May	22¾	22¾	22¼-¼	22¾ B
July	23¾	23¾	23¼	23¼-¾
PORK.				
May	12.45	12.50	12.35	12.42
July	12.65	12.72	12.65	12.60
LARD.				
May	7.15	7.15	7.00	7.07
July	7.20	7.20	7.10	7.15
RIBS.				
May	6.87	6.90	6.87	6.90
July	6.90	6.90	6.90	6.95

New York Cotton Market.

	Open.	High.	Low.	2:15
May	9.7	9.83	9.57	9.80
July	9.51	9.56	9.51	9.5
August	9.35	9.37	9.31	9.37
October	8.35	8.36	8.31	8.35

A CLASS REUNION.

Pleasant Entertainment of Former Business High School Students.

An enthusiastic assembly of young people belonging to the class of '96, Business High School, gathered at the hall, Fifth and G Streets northwest, Saturday night, to hold their annual reunion, and they were entertained by a programme of rare excellence, consisting of a piano solo by Miss Stoddart; a recitation by Miss Galihee; a solo by Miss Grace Cramer, one of Washington's rising sopranos, and a member of the class, accompanied by Mr. Spentz; two recitations by Miss Lowell, and various selections by a gramophone in charge of Mr. Pitts. The entire programme was well executed and received hearty applause from the members of the class.

This class is one of the two or three classes of the Business High School which have kept up their organization since their graduation.

At the short business meeting held after the rendition of the programme, the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: President, Henry E. Stringer; vice president, Miss Lucy Loeffler, and secretary and treasurer, T. R. Clift. The class decided that hereafter the meetings would be of an entirely informal character. At the conclusion of the business meeting, refreshments were served, and the class dispersed after voting this the best reunion yet held.

Among those present were Mrs. Stoddart, Misses Stoddart, Cramer, Wauna Watson, Lowell, Galihee, O'Gorman, Hirth, Loeffler, Jones, King, Mudd, Tolston, and Simonds, and Messrs. Spentz, Bell, Stringer, Shoemaker, Simonds, Blanchard, Kitchen, Stephen, Pitts, W. H. Sullivan, George E. Sullivan, and Clift.

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Sam Philipps and Greenoch are the Schorr pair. They are at Memphis and will not be sent here. Admiral Schley, George C. Bennet's colt, is also at Memphis. Caviar is at Latonia and it is not known whether he will be sent here or not. He has been worked in secret and if he starts he will be a factor. Stiles, the colt which arrived here this morning, belongs to W. D. Moore. He has never been figured in the Derby until now. Dramburg, another of the unknown quantities, belongs to E. C. Headley, while Parmenion is the property of "Hops" Laudeman.

Flaunt, J. B. Lewman's bay colt, by Forester-Display, was the only Derby colt to receive a work out this morning. He was sent a mile and a quarter in 211. Among the arrivals at the track this morning was the string of Wells & Co., which came from Latonia, and Billy Carl, who got in from Latonia with Lord Zeni and four others.

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The Mayor of Charleston, W. Va., Issues Another Edict.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., April 30.—Several weeks ago Mayor Smith issued strict orders to his police to arrest any and all persons who violated the Sabbath by performing any labor whatever or who sold goods of any nature outside of drug stores, hotels, restaurants, or fruit stands. This law was observed and now Mayor Smith has determined that the deliberations of City Council, over which he presides, shall be begun with prayer, and he so notified the members of that body at is last meeting.

In doing so he stated to the surprised body of lawmakers that for the cause of Christianity and men's souls he was going to invite some of the ministers of the city to open regular meetings of City Council with prayer, "like they do in decent and refined bodies of men;" that he believed "it would be profitable to their souls."

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LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, HOLDING A SPECIAL TERM FOR ORPHANS' COURT BUSINESS.—In re ESTATE OF WINIFRED KELLY, DECEASED. No. 8782. Administration docket 25.

Application having been made to the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, holding a special term for Orphans' Court business, for probate of the last will and testament and codicils, and for letters testamentary on said estate, by John R. Ross, it is ordered this 27th day of April, 1900, that notice is hereby given to the unknown heirs at law and next of kin of said decedent, and to all others concerned, to appear in said court on FRIDAY, THE FIRST DAY OF JUNE, A. D. 1900, at 1 O'CLOCK P. M., to show cause why such application should not be granted. This notice shall be published in the "Washington Law Reporter" and The Washington Times once in each of three successive weeks before the return day therein mentioned—the first publication to be not less than thirty days before said return day.

By the court: CHAS. C. COLE, Justice. Attest: LOUIS A. DENT, Register of Wills. ANDREW Y. BRADLEY, Attorney for Applicant. ap30-my7,14

ESTATE OF BERNARD L. CUMBERLAND, DECEASED. No. 8805. Docket 25.

George W. Linkins, administrator, has, with the approval of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, holding a special term for Orphans' Court business, appointed FRIDAY, MAY 11, 1900, at 1 O'CLOCK P. M., as the time and said courtroom as the place for passing of claims and making payment and distribution under the court's direction and control; when and where all creditors and persons entitled to distributive shares or legacies or a residue are notified to attend in person or by agent or attorney duly authorized, with their claims against the estate properly vouched: Provided, This order be published once in each of three successive weeks before said day in the "Washington Law Reporter" and The Times.

Signed April 21, 1900. Approved: CHAS. C. COLE, Justice. LOUIS A. DENT, Register of Wills. GEORGE R. LINKINS, Attorney. ap23,30-my7

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—CARRIE M. GIFFIN, Complainant, vs. HENRY R. GIFFIN, Defendant. Equity No. 21,175.

On motion of the complaint, by Howard Boyd, her attorney, it is this 20TH DAY OF MARCH, A. D., 1900, ordered that the defendant cause his appearance to be entered herein on or before the first rule day occurring forty days after this day; otherwise the case will be proceeded with as in case of default. Provided that a copy of this order shall be published once a week for three consecutive weeks in the "Washington Law Reporter" and The Washington Times. The object of this proceeding is to procure a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the ground of desertion.

A True Copy: Test: (Seal.) A. B. HAGNER, Associate Justice. J. R. YOUNG, Clerk. By R. J. MEIGS, JR., Assistant Clerk. ap17,23,30-em

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, HOLDING A SPECIAL TERM FOR ORPHANS' COURT BUSINESS.—In the matter of the estate of PETER DILL, Deceased. No. 8225. Admn. Doc. 24.

It appearing to the court that the notification as to the trial of the issues in this case relating to the validity of the paper writing, dated the 13th day of February, 1896, and purporting to be the last will and testament of Peter Dill, deceased, has been returned as to Edward Dill, Elizabeth Raum, Eva K. Kraft, Margaret Thalheimer, Nancy Found, Elizabeth Essig, Peter Pfeefer, Ann Dill, William P. Dill, Marion A.