INDUSTRIALS STRONG

And a Number of the Specialties Show Considerable Strength.

SOME OF THE RAILWAYS WEAK.

B. & O., Missouri Pacific and Other Gould Shares Conspicuously Heavy.

RAILROAD BONDS GENERALLY FIRM

NEW YORK, Nov. 21.—The stock market was dull throughout. Speculation was weak for the railway list from start to finish, although outside of Burlington and Quincy, which declined 1½, and Missouri Pacific, which yielded 1⅜, the net losses for the day were less than 1 per cent. Not only Missouri Pacific but the other Gould stocks were heavy, a fact which induced selling by the traders for the short account.

The strength of the industrial group and some of the specialties were in marked contrast to the weakness in some of the railroads. In the former National Cordage was the special favorite, selling up from 135½ to 137½@137½. American Sugar, which headed all other stocks in point of activity, was also strong, selling up from 107⅞ to 109⅝ and closing at 108⅞. Distilling and Cattle Feeding, which was second on the list in activity, ruled firm until near the close, when it yielded about 12 per cent. Consolidated Gas rose 3⅝, while American Tobacco common dropped 2 and United States Rubber common 4½ to 44⅝.

Among the specialties Colorado Coal was in brisk demand and advanced 1⅝ to 42½, closing at 41⅝. Colorado Fuel common rose 2, while the preferred declined 1. Toledo, Ann Arbor and North Michigan rose 1, and later declined 1½. The market closed weak for the railways and firm for the industrials.

Railway bonds were generally firm. The Readings were weaker, for the preference incomes. The advance in the general list ranged from ¼ to 2 per cent outside of Toledo, Ann Arbor and North Michigan firsts, which jumped 2⅝ to 105.

Government bonds closed as follows:

U. S. 4s reg	114½	Mutual Union 6s	110½
do 4s coup	114½	N. J. C. Int. Cert	111¼
do 2s	100¼	Northern Pac. 1sts	117¾
Pacific 6s of '95	104	do do 2sts	112¼
Louisiana stamped 4s	94¼	Northwestern Con.	138½
Missouri 6s	102½	do deb 5s	105
Tenn. new set 6s	101¾	St. L. & I. M. gen 5s	83¼
do do 5s	101	S. L. & San F. gen. M.	109
do do 3s	76½	St. Paul Consols	129¼
Canada 6s, 2ds	101½	St. P., C. & P. 1sts	117
Central Pacific 1sts	108	T. P. L. G. Tr. Rcts	80
Den. & R. G. 1sts	115½	T. P. R. G. Tr. Rcts	26½
do do 4s	86	Union Pacific 1sts	107¼
Erie 2ds	107	West Shore	103¾
M. K. & T. Gen. 5s	84½	R. G. W.	79½
do do 5s	47		

Close in mining shares:

Crown Point	95	Plymouth	50
Con. Cal. and Vir.	290	Sierra Nevada	135
Deadwood	150	Standard	40
Gould and Curry	90	Union Con	105
Hale and Norcross	135	Yellow Jacket	8
Homestake	1300	Brunswick Con.	40
Mexican	150	Quick Silver	300
North Star	*650	Quick Silver pfd	1600
Ontario	1000	Bulwer	15
Ophir	270		

*Asked.

The total sales of stocks to-day were 219,500 shares, including Atchison, 18,800; Burlington, 6,200; Chicago Gas, 5,200; Colorado Coal, 4,700; Distillers, 19,700; Erie, 2,600; Louisville & Nashville, 4,800; Missouri Pacific, 10,400; National Cordage, 7,500; New England, 5,700; Northern Pacific pfd, 4,800; Reading, 27,200; Rock Island, 5,200; St. Paul, 10,000; Sugar, 26,500, Union Pacific, 4,700; Western Union, 3,200.

The following table shows the prices of active stocks on the New York Stock Exchange, corrected daily for the THE PITTSBURG DISPATCH by WHITNEY & STEPHENSON, oldest Pittsburg members of New York Stock Exchange, 57 Fourth avenue:

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.	Close Nov. 19.
Am. Cotton Oil	44⅞	44⅞	44¼	44	44⅝
Am. Cotton Oil. pfd	82	82½	82	81½	82⅝
Am. Sugar Refg. Co	108¼	109⅝	107⅞	108⅞	108
Am. Sp. Refg. Co. pfd				102	102
Atch. Top. & S. F.	37⅞	37⅞	36⅞	37	37⅞
Canadian Pacific	91¼	91¾	91¼	90½	91¼
Canada Southern	57⅞	57⅞	57¼	57	57⅞
Central of N. Jersey	126	126	126	126	126½
Central Pacific				28¼	28¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	23	23⅛	23	22⅞	23⅛
Chicago Gas Trust	97	97	96⅝	96⅝	96¼
C., Bur. & Quincy	102	102	100⅝	100⅝	101⅝
C., M. & St. Paul	80½	80⅝	79⅝	79⅝	80¼
C., M. & St. Paul. pfd	123¼	123¼	123¼	122½	123¼
C., Rock I. & P.	82½	82½	81⅝	81⅝	82⅝
C., St. P., M. & O.	50	50¼	49¾	49½	50
C., St. P., M. & O., pfd	119	119	119	119	118¾
C. & Northwestern	116¼	116¼	115¾	116¼	116¼
C., C., C. & I.	62⅝	62⅝	62	62	62⅝
Col. Coal & Iron	41⅝	42¼	41⅝	41⅝	40⅝
Col. & Hocking Val.	28	28	28	27⅝	27⅝
Del., Lack. & West	151⅞	151⅞	151⅞	151½	151⅞
Del. & Hudson	132½	132½	132½	132	132
Den. & Rio Grande	16⅝	17	16⅝	16½	17
D. & R. Grande pfd.	54½	54½	54¼	54	54½
Ills. & C. F. Trust	66½	66½	65⅞	66	66¼
E. T. Va. & Ga.				4⅞	4⅞
Illinois Central				103¼	103¼
Lake Erie & West.				24	24½
Lake E. & W. pfd.	77½	77½	77½	77	77½
Lake Shore & M. L.	132⅞	133⅛	132⅞	131⅞	132½
Louisville & Nash.	71¼	71½	70⅞	70⅝	71¼
Michigan Central	107½	107⅞	107½		107⅞
Missouri Pacific	59½	59½	58⅛	58¼	59¼
Manhattan	129½	129½	129¼	129¼	129¼
Nat. Cordage Co.	135¼	138½	133½	137½	135¼
Nat. Cord. Co. pfd	115½	115½	115	114½	115½
National Lead Co.	45¼	45¼	44¼	44½	45
Nat. Lead Co. pfd	94½	94½	94½	94	95
New York Central	110⅝	110⅝	110⅝	110⅝	110
N. Y. C. & St. L.	15¼	15¼		15¼	15⅜
N. Y. C. & St. L. 1st pfd				75	74
N. Y. C. & St. L. 2d pfd				35	32½
N. Y., L. E. & W.	26⅝	26⅝	26½	26½	26⅝
N. Y., L. E. & W. pfd	63	63	62½	62½	63
N. Y. & N. E.	44⅝	44⅝	44¼	44¼	44¼
N. Y., O. & W.	19½	19½	19⅛		20
Norfolk & Western	10½	10½	10½	10½	10½
Norfolk & West. pfd				49	39⅝
North American Co.	13	13½	12⅝	12⅝	13¼
Northern Pacific	18¼	18¼	18¼	18¼	18¼
Northern Pacific pfd	51⅞	52	51⅞	51⅞	51⅞
Ohio & Mississippi				23	23
Baltimore & Ohio	97⅞	97⅞	97⅞	97⅞	97⅞
B. & O. Trust				95	95
Pacific Mail	30	30½	30	30⅛	30⅝
Peo., Dec. & Evans.				16½	
Phila. & Reading	55⅞	56⅝	55¼	55⅛	55⅞
P., C., C. & St. L.				20¼	20½
P., C., C. & St. L. p'd				60	60
Pullman Palace Car				197	197
Richmond & W. P. T	9½	9½	9½	9⅛	9⅝
R. & W. P. T. pfd				38	
St. Paul & Duluth				40	40
St. Paul & Dul. p'd.				145	
Texas Pacific	9½	9½	9¼	9¼	9⅝
Union Pacific	39⅛	39¼	38⅝	38⅝	39⅛
Wabash				11	11
Wabash, pref'd	25⅝	25½	25¼	25¼	25⅝
Western Union	90	90⅛	89⅝	89⅝	
Wheeling & L. E.	20⅝	20⅝	19⅝	19⅝	20½
Wheeling & L. E. p'd				62½	62½

SHARP ADVANCES

In November Lard and October Hog Products—Cereals Dull.

CHICAGO, Nov. 21.—The comet on 'Change to-day was November lard. That article made a phenomenal advance of 70c. Other provisions were scarcely less surprisingly agile. It was talk that Armour was covering freely, and that he must have been heavily short a week ago. January pork jumped up 57½c, and held all but 15c of it. January ribs are up 36½c. Wheat and corn were dull and steady. The former lost about ¼c of its previous value and the latter gained a small fraction.

All day hog products were active and at times excited. The receipts of live hogs were about 12,000 head less than expected and prices at the yards higher. Among shorts there was a wild rush to cover, with the clique's brokers helping the excitement along by bidding against the shorts. During the last hour there were heavy realizing sales, but the market, though yielding somewhat, was firm and took the offerings without breaking.

Wheat showed firmness at the start, influenced chiefly by the extreme cold weather in the Northwest and the light receipts in Chicago. But there was heavy selling on the advance, Pardridge being the leader and the later cables quoting the markets abroad as easier on heavy offerings of Russian wheat, which was having a depressing effect on the English markets. Indian shipments were also more liberal, having been 183,000 bushels last week, against 40,000 bushels the week previous and 740,000 bushels for the same week last year. Then the visible supply increased more than generally expected and the receipts in the Northwest were heavy.

Corn was nearly featureless. The receipts were somewhat below expectation, and the strength of the provision market helped to hold corn steady.

Oats were very dull. Prices had a 5⅛c range, and closed with a net gain of ⅛@¼c.

Freights were weaker and ¼c lower, at 2½c for wheat and 2c for corn to Buffalo.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour dull and unchanged; No. 2 spring wheat, 72c; No. 3 spring wheat, 61@64c; No. 2 red, 72c; No. 2 corn, 41⅞c; No. 2 oats, 31½c; No. 2 white t. o. b., 33½@36½c; No. 3 white, 32½@33½c; No. 2 rye, 40½c; No. 2 barley, 67c; No. 3 t. o. b., 52@49c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1 09½; prime timothy seed, $1 25@1 96; mess pork, per bbl, $13; lard, per 100 lbs, $10 50; short ribs sides, loose, $7 65; dry salted shoulders, boxed, $7 40@7 50; short clear sides, boxed, $8 15@8 20; whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gallon, $1 15; No. 3 corn, 41c.

Receipts—Flour, 12,000 barrels; wheat, 67,000 bushels; corn, 147,000 bushels; oats, 182,000; rye, 7,000 bushels; barley, 77,000 bushels.

Shipments—Flour, 31,000 barrels; wheat, 340,000 bushels; corn, 888,000 bushels; oats, 124,000 bushels; rye, 4,000; barley, 45,000 bushels.

Range of the leading futures, furnished by John M. Oakley & Co., bankers and brokers, No. 45 Sixth street:

ARTICLES.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.	Close Nov. 21
WHEAT.					
November				71⅝	71⅝
December	73	73	72½	72½	72⅝
January				73½	73¾
May	79¼	79¼	78⅝	78⅝	79½
July	78½	78½	78⅜		78⅝
CORN.					
November	42⅛	42⅛	41⅞	41⅞	41¾
December	42⅛	42¼	41⅞	42	42
January				42⅝	42⅝
May	47⅛	47⅜	47	47⅛	47
July	47⅜	47⅜	47⅛	47⅜	47⅜
OATS.					
November				31	30¾
December	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛	31⅜
January				32⅛	32⅛
May	36	36⅜	36	36⅜	36
PORK.					
November	13 00	13 00	12 90	12 90	12 70
December	12 90	12 92	12 87	12 90	12 70
January	14 55	14 92	14 55	14 80	14 37
May	14 62	14 80	14 50	14 72	14 25
LARD.					
November	10 00	10 00	10 00	10 00	9 90
December	9 00	9 25	9 00	9 25	9 00
January	9 00	9 05	8 95	9 02	8 82
May	8 60	8 75	8 60	8 70	8 55
SHORT RIBS.					
November	7 40	7 50	7 40	7 50	7 37
December	7 52	7 72	7 52	7 70	7 37
January	7 60	7 72	7 60	7 70	7 47

Car receipts for to-day: Wheat, 141; corn, 183; oats, 189. Estimates for to-morrow: Wheat, 275; corn, 310; oats, 235.

GENERAL MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 21.—FLOUR—Receipts, 34,800 packages; exports, 1,400 barrels; 14,500 sacks; in moderate demand; sales, 13,300 barrels.

CORNMEAL steady and in fair demand.

WHEAT—Receipts, 313,000 bushels; exports, 233,000 bushels; sales, 960,000 bushels futures, 48,000 bushels spot. Spot dull and lower, closing steady. No. 2, 76½c in store and elevator, 77c afloat, 77¾@78½c f. o. b.; No. 3 red, 72¾c; ungraded red, 73@79c; No. 1 Northern, 84c, No. 2 Northern, 79c; No. 2 Milwaukee, 76c; No. 3 spring, 72¾@73c. Options opened weak and declined ⅜c on weaker cables, ½c on lighter interior receipts and fair clearances, declined ⅜@½c on foreign selling, increase in stocks and visible, closed weak at ⅝@⅞c decline; speculation dull and wholly local switching; No. 2 red, December, 76 15-16@77½c, closing at 77c; January, 78 9-16@79c, closing at 78⅝c; May, 83⅞@84⅜c, closing at 83½c; June, 84¼c.

RYE steady and dull.

Stocks of grain in store and afloat November 19—Wheat 16,070,166 bushels; corn, 1,334,007 bushels; oats, 3,238,342 bushels; rye, 105,580 bushels; barley, 28,870 bushels; malt, 17,755 bushels.

BARLEY quiet.

BARLEY MALT quiet.

CORN—Receipts, 397,400 bushels; exports, 15 bushels; sales, 170,000 bushels futures, 9,000 bushels spot. Spot weaker and quiet; No. 2, 50½@50¾c elevator; 51@51½c afloat; No. 3, 50¼@51½c. Options were dull and without any special feature, closing unchanged to ⅛c lower: December, 50⅝@51c, closing at 51⅛c; January, 51⅜@51⅝c, closing at 51⅛c; May, 53@53¼c, closing at 53c.

OATS—Receipts, 118,550 bushels; exports, 100 bushels; sales, 246,000 bushels futures, 70,000 bushels spot. Spot dull and steady. Options dull and steady: December, 36¼@36½c, closing at 36⅜c; January, 37⅜c, closing at 37⅝c; May, 40⅜@40⅞c, closing at 40⅝c; No. 2 spot, white, 40½c; mixed Western, 35½@38c; white do, 40@46½c; No. 2 Chicago, 36½c.

HAY quiet.

HOPS dull and steady.

GROCERIES—Coffee options opened steady, unchanged to 10 points advance, closed firm 20@25 up; sales, 28,750 bags, including November, 16.40@16.60c; December, 16.20@16.40c; January, 16.00@16.20c; February, 16c; March, 15.65@15.80c; April, 15.75c; May, 15.50@15.65c; July, 15.40c; September, 15.30c. Spot Rio firmer and more active: No. 7, 17½c. Sugar—Raw, more active and steady; sales, 8,500 bags centrifugals; 86 test, 3 3-16c; refined more active and steady. Molasses—New Orleans lower, fair demand; open kettle, new, good to choice, 30@38c. Rice fairly active and steady.

COTTONSEED OIL stronger, crude, 39c; yellow, 34@36c.

TALLOW steady and dull.

ROSIN dull.

TURPENTINE quiet and firm.

EGGS quiet and steady.

HIDES quiet and steady.

HOG PRODUCTS—Pork higher; old mess, $13 25@13 50; new mess, $14 25@14 75; extra prime, new, $16 50@17 00. Cut meats quiet. Middles dull; short clear, November, $8 70. Lard higher and dull: Western steam closed at $10 75 bid; $11 00 asked; sales, none; options, sales, 500 tierces November, $10 75, closing at $10 80; December, $9 75 bid; January, $9 45 bid.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter quiet and firm for fancy Western dairy at 16@22c; do creamery, 30@32c; do factory, 15@18c. Cheese in fair demand and firmer.

Philadelphia — Flour quiet and steady; Western winter, clear, $3 25@3 65; do straights, $3 75@4 00; winter patents, $4 00@4 35; Minnesota clear, $3 25@3 65; do straight, $3 75@4 15; do patent, $4 25@4 50. Wheat—About steady for cash wheat, but futures ⅛c lower in sympathy with Chicago; No. 2 red December, 75c; May, 83c; No. 2 red November, 75⅝@74c; December, 74½@74⅝c; January, 76⅛@76⅜c; February, 78½@78⅝c. Corn—Options quiet and prices largely nominal; local trade demand slow and prices barely steady; steamer No. 2 yellow in grain depot, 49c; No. 2 mixed November, 48½@49c; December, 48⅝@49c; January and February, 48¾@49c. Oats—Demand for carlots moderate but prices firm; futures unchanged and largely nominal; No. 3 white, 41½@41½c; No. 2 white, 43½c. Butter—Firm with light offerings: Pennsylvania creamery extra, 31c; Pennsylvania print extra, 34@37c. Eggs—Scarce and firm; Pennsylvania firsts, 28c.

New Orleans—Sugar strong; open kettle, fully fair, 3¾c; good fair, 2⅞@2 9-16c; good common to fair, 2⅜c; centrifugals—plantation granulated, 4 7-16@4½c; off do, 4 5-16@4⅝c; choice white, 4@4 1-16c; off white, 3¾@3⅞c; gray white, 3½@3⅝c; choice yellow clarified, 3 9-16@3⅝; prime do, 3⅜@3½c; off do, 3 3-16@3 5-16; seconds, 2¾@3½c. Molasses quiet; open kettle, 31@32c; strictly prime, 29c; good to prime, 27@28c; prime, 25@26c; fair to good fair, 22@24c; centrifugals, choice, 18c; strictly prime, 16@17c; prime to good prime, 12@15c; fair to good fair, 9@11c; common to good common, 6@7c; inferior, 5c.

St. Louis—Flour firm but unchanged. Wheat, cash 68⅞c; options firm, but soon declined and closed ⅜c below Saturday; November, 68⅛c; December, 68⅞c; January, 70⅞c; May, 70½@70⅝c. Corn cash firmer at 40⅝c; options followed wheat and closed ⅛c below Saturday; November, 39⅞c; December, 38⅞c; January, 38⅝c; May, 43¼c. Oats—Cash higher at 30c; May firm at 35c. Rye dull at 47c bid. Barley—Active; Minnesota, 54@60c. Hay steady; prairie, $7 00@9 00; timothy, $9 50@13 00. Bran firm at 6@6½c on east track. Flaxseed firm at $1 07. Cornmeal, $1 85; bagging, 6½c.

Toledo—Wheat dull and weak; No. 2 cash and November, 73½c; December, 74⅜c; May, 80⅜c. Corn dull and easier; No. 2 cash, 43c; May, 47½c; No. 4, 38c. Oats quiet; cash, 35c. Rye dull; cash, 54c. Cloverseed dull and steady; prime, cash, November and December, $8 00; January, $8 05; March, $8 15. Receipts—Flour, 272 barrels; wheat, 59,095 bushels; corn, 19,676 bushels; oats, 35 bushels; rye, 500 bushels; cloverseed, 558 bushels. Shipments—Flour, 6,400 barrels; wheat, 2,200 bushels; corn, 449 bushels; oats, 400 bushels; cloverseed, 200 bushels.

Cincinnati—Flour steady; fancy, $3 20@3 50; family, $2 40@2 65. Wheat steady and firm; No. 2 red, 71c; receipts, 2,500 bushels; shipments, 1,500 bushels. Corn firm; No. 2 mixed, 44½c. Oats firm; No. 2 mixed, 35c. Rye strong; No. 2, 52½c. Pork quiet and firm at $12 75. Lard quiet at $9 25@9 75. Bacon quiet and firm at $9 12½@9 25. Bulk meats merely nominal at $8 25. Whisky firm; sales, 1,017 barrels at $1 15. Butter steady and firm. Sugar steady. Eggs steady. Cheese firm.

Milwaukee—Flour quiet. Wheat easier: May, 71⅜c; No. 2 spring, 67c; No. 1 Northern, 73@74c. Corn steady: No. 3, 41½@42c. Oats steady; No. 2 white, 35½c; No. 3 do, 33@34c. Barley quiet; November, 66c. Rye quiet; No. 1, 50½@51c. Provisions quiet. Pork—January, $14 85. Lard—January, $9 02. Receipts—Flour, 7,000 barrels; wheat, 38,000 bushels; barley, 53,000 bushels. Shipments—Flour, 2,000 barrels; wheat, 1,000 bushels; barley, 120,000 bushels.

Baltimore—Wheat weak; No. 2 red and spot, 73c; December, 74c; January, 76c; May, 81⅞c. Corn strong; mixed spot, 49c January, 48c; May, 48c. Oats steady; No. 2 white, 42@43c. Rye firm; No. 2, 60c asked. Hay steady. Grain freights dull and steady; steam to Liverpool, 3½d. Provisions firm. Butter firm; creamery, 30@31c. Eggs—Western, 25c. Coffee firm; Rio No. 7, 17c.

Kansas City—Wheat steady to lower; No. 2 hard, 64@64½c; No. 2 red, 65½@69c. Corn generally steady at Saturday's prices; No. 2 mixed, 32@33c; No. 2 white, 35c. Oats steady; No. 2 mixed, 28@28½c; No. 2 white, 30@31c. Eggs steady at 19@20c. Receipts—Wheat, 64,000 bushels; corn, none; oats, none. Shipments—Wheat, 54,000 bushels; corn, none; oats, 3,000 bushels.

Minneapolis—There was a big trade in wheat. No. 1 Northern sold principally at 69½c and No. 2 Northern at 64c. Receipts of wheat here were 1,162 cars and at Duluth and Superior 588 cars. Close: May, 76¼c; November, 68c; December, 68⅝c. On track: No. 1 hard, 71c; No. 1 Northern, 69c; No. 2 Northern, 62@64c.

Buffalo—Wheat—No. 1 hard, 88c; No. 1 Northern, 78c; No. 2 red, 76⅜c. Corn—No. 2, 48½c. Receipts—Wheat, 94,000 bushels; corn, 200,000 bushels. Shipments—Wheat, 240,000 bushels; corn, 204,000 bushels.

LOCALS ARE ACTIVE

In a Comparative Way and the Market Somewhat Firmer.

P. & B. TRACTION QUITE BUOYANT.

Citizens Traction and Airbrake the Weak Spots of the List.

RESULTS OF CORPORATION MEETINGS

MONDAY, Nov. 21.

The Eastern stock market ruled weak today in the absence of London buying and the continued talk about the firmness of sterling exchange and the possibility of gold exports. "Some disappointment was shown in the early trading at the absence of further buying from London," said a special to Sproul & Co., "and the continued firmness of exchange rates may also be reckoned among the features which induced hesitation. In this connection even the easier tendencies of the money market produces an unfavorable impression, as it only increases the ability of Europe to take gold from this side if exchange should work to a slightly higher level. The Granger and Gould stocks while not active were somewhat unsteady and manifested a strong disposition to give way on the growing impression that rates are in a bad way and that the Gould interest is bent upon disturbing matters in the Southwest. In the afternoon the dullness and absence of interest resulted in further selling for both accounts with more or less influence upon prices. Rubber is still something of a feature, the buying today coming from commission houses and being sufficient in volume to absorb speculative offerings."

On the Local Board.

Trading was moderately active on 'change to-day, and in some respects the market was firmer. P. & B. traction led in strength, followed by Union Switch and Signal and Luster Mining Company. Citizens traction was the weakest spot, and Duquesne traction was off a slight fraction, but all the others were unchanged from last week's close, with a steady to firm tone apparent.

P. & B. traction opened at 24¼ sales, sold up to 24⅜, moved up to 24⅝ bid and closed at 24½@24⅝ regular and 24⅞ bid buyer-60. Pleasant Valley railway sold at 25 and closed at 25½ asked. Philadelphia company sold at 21⅝, closing at 21⅜@21¾, with more wanted than offered. Luster sold at 9¼@9⅜c, closing at 9⅜@9¾c. Duquesne traction sold at 27¾, closing with more offered at the same price. Union Switch and Signal sold at 19½, closing at 19½@19¾, and Wheeling Gas sold at 18, closing at 17¾@18⅜.

One of the features of the first call was a sale of 700 shares of La Noria Mining Company at 13c per share, and a feature of the last was a sale of Fidelity Title and Trust Company at 121¼.

During the closing board Kuhn Bros. had 50 shares of Airbrake to sell, and the stock was offered down to 133¾ without finding a purchaser, the closing bid being 130.

Citizens traction 5s were quoted at 106¼ bid and Pittsburg traction 5s at 104½ bid.

The unlisted street railway securities closed as follows: P. & B. traction, 24¼@24⅝; do 5s, 99¾@100; Duquesne traction, 27½@27¾; P., A. & M. traction, 43½@44; do 5s, 102½ bid.

After the close Wheeling gas was offered at 18 and Pleasant Valley railway at 25; 21¾ was bid for Philadelphia Company and 9½ for Luster.

Citizens Traction.

The annual meeting of the Citizens Traction Company was held at 7:30 this evening and was largely attended. The reports read showed that the passengers carried by the cable road for the year numbered 12,505,130; by the electric cars, 1,154-765, and by the horse cars 142,649; total, 13,802,649. Gross receipts from passenger traffic, $672,204; gross receipts from all sources, $650,299; operating expenses, including interest, taxes and damages, $455,000; net earnings, $227,591. The percentage of operating expenses to gross receipts, however, not including interest, taxes and damages, was 51.59. The net earnings, therefore, must have been somewhat larger than they appear to have been.

The question of leasing the property and franchises of the Penn street railway and guaranteeing the principal and interest on $250,000 bonds issued by that company was settled by a unanimous vote in the affirmative.

A resolution was passed instructing the management to permit the report read and send it to stockholders.

The gross receipts of the company for October were $63,720.

Pittsburg Traction.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Pittsburg Traction Company was held this morning, seven people, representing $40,000 shares, mainly by proxy, being in attendance. The proposition to change the date of holding the annual meeting to the fourth Monday in January was adopted, and a detailed statement of operations will be made at that meeting. A synopsis was read which, it is stated, "showed a little less than 8,000,000 passengers carried and about $400,000 gross earnings." These figures, it is understood, do not embrace any of the operations of the Duquesne traction.

Bankers and Bank Clerks.

At the annual meeting of the Bankers and Bank Clerks' Association to-night the following officers and directors were elected for the ensuing year: President, Robert Wardrop; Vice President, Otto C. Bergdorf; Treasurer, Edward E. Duff; Recording Secretary, A. M. Thorne; Corresponding Secretary, Henry R. Scully; Directors, F. E. Moore, George J. Gorman, Alex. H. Patterson, William T. Howe, James Milton Young, Benson S. Crumpton; Trustees, John B. Jackson, D. Lee Wilson.

The report of the condition of the association showed a membership of 467 and assets of $26,448.

Second Avenue Electric.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Second Avenue Passenger Railway Company held this afternoon the following directors were elected for the ensuing year: James D. Callery, William J. Burns, John C. Reilly, William V. Callery and George C. Wilson. Notwithstanding the fact that about this time last year the car barn of the company and the entire car equipment of the road were destroyed by fire, the business of the company for the past year was unusually large, showing a material increase over that of any previous year since its organization. The earnings of the year approximated $125,000, and it is said the monthly earnings are showing a steady increase. The new Johnson rail will soon be laid the entire length of the road.

After the meeting adjourned the new board met and organized by re-electing James D. Callery, President; John C. Reilly, Vice President, and William J. Burns, General Manager.

Westinghouse Electric.

By the terms of an arrangement in court between counsel for the Westinghouse and Edison Companies, the Sawyer-Man Company will continue to manufacture and sell incandescent lamps until the case is finally decided by the Court of Appeals. It seems that the proceedings begun in the United States Circuit Court of New York, before Judge Lacombe, Friday last, were brought to this conclusion by a suggestion of the Judge that such temporary action should be taken by consent of counsel on both sides as would postpone the argument, so that the case might come before the full Court of Appeals. For the purpose of enabling Judge Lacombe, who is familiar with the subject, to sit with the other judges in the Court of Appeals, Judge Brown was asked by counsel for both sides to sign the necessary papers to bring the case before the Court of Appeals as an original case.

From the papers filed, it appears that the suit was brought by the Edison General Electric Company and the Edison Electric Light Company, two corporations, which, according to the decision in the Sugar Trust case, have no power to bring such a suit, all of the shares of both companies having been acquired by the General Electric Company. It is also contended in the papers before the court, that the operations of the General Electric Company, Edison Company, Thomson-Houston Company and allied interests, are in violation of the Sherman act relative to efforts to restrain and monopolize trade. It was after the presentation of affidavits on these points, and the remarks of counsel for the Westinghouse Company, that the Judge suggested the above course, which was promptly agreed to by the counsel for the Westinghouse Company, but which was only consented to by the counsel of the Edison companies after long deliberation.

Baltimore and Ohio.

The stockholders of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company were in annual session in Baltimore to-day. Mr. Chas F. Mayer, president of the company, submitted his report. It says: By resolution of the Board of Directors, January 30, 1892, the fiscal year of the company was made to terminate thereafter on June 30, instead of September 30, chiefly in order that the company's fiscal year might correspond with that fixed by the Inter-State Commerce Commission. Owing to this change in the fiscal year a quarterly dividend of 1¼ per cent upon the common stock for the three months ended December 31, 1891, was paid May 17, 1892, and a dividend of 2½ per cent for the six months ended June 30, 1892, has been declared payable in November. Operations for the nine months ended June 30, 1892: Earnings, $18,927,274; total expenses, $13,866,577; net earnings $5,060,997. The revenues of the Pittsburg and Connellsville and Pittsburg and Wheeling divisions have been injuriously affected by the Homestead strike. A comparison of the 12 months ended September 30, 1892 (September partially estimated), with the 12 months ended September 30, 1891, shows a decrease in net earnings of $13,795, or 0.19 per cent. The service performed in the 12 months ended September 30, 1892, has been the largest in the history of the company—15,657,596 tons. Aggregate expenditures for construction and betterments for the 12 months ended September 30, 1892, $2,061,604.

After the report had been read and approved, the polls were opened and the following Board of Directors was re-elected by 125,359 votes: James Sloan, Jr., William F. Burns, William H. Blackford, Aubrey Pearre, George DeB. Keim, Wesley A. Tucker, Maurice Gregg, J. Willcox Brown, William F. Frick, George A. Von Lingen, George C. Jenkins and Charles J. M. Gwynn.

Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg Railroad Company held in New York to-day, the following were elected directors: Frederick A. Bell, Wilson A. Bissell, Frederick A. Brown, Walston D. Brown, Edward N. Gibbs, R. M. Gummere, Adrian Iselin, Jr., George H. Lewis, Wheeler H. Peckham, W. Emlen Roosevelt, J. Kennedy Tod, Warren A. Wilbur and Arthur G. Yates. President Yates stated that in consequence of a 50-year traffic contract having been executed between the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg Railroad Company, the New York Central as lessee of the Beech Creek Railway Company and the Reading Railway, it will be necessary and expedient to lease about 27 miles of road now being constructed by the Clearfield and Mahoning Railroad Company. It is proposed to guarantee 6 per cent on the stock and 5 per cent on the bonds of the last mentioned company for an amount representing the actual cost of the road. A special meeting of the stockholders of the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg will be held November 24, at Ridgeway, Pa., to vote upon the question of guarantee as aforesaid.

Financial Notes.

S. S. Pinkerton was the chief buyer of P. & B. traction and James Carothers and W. R. Thompson & Co. the sellers.

Hill & Co. were the buyers of Phillip, and Lawrence & Co. and John Ramsey sold.

R. J. Stoney sold La Noria to Kuhn Bros.

Kuhn Bros. sold Luster to Hill & Co. and to Rinehart.

Carothers sold Fidelity Title and Trust to Robinson Bros.

H. M. Long sold Switch and Signal to Hill & Co., and Carothers sold Wheeling Gas to Morris & Brown.

Electric second preferred closed at 37@37½.

J. R. Barbour sold Duquesne traction to Carothers.

It is stated on reliable authority that the annual statement of the National Lead Company, soon to issue, will show a comfortable sum available for the common stock. At present time the company has about $2,000,000 in ores, bullion, etc., 70,000,000 pounds of lead in its various forms and 700,000 bushels of flaxseed in oil and seed. Notwithstanding these heavy stocks it does not owe a dollar except an old mortgage of about $14,000. The management has already commenced to discount a possible reduction in the tariff on raw lead products by paying a less price for the raw material, and the company will be in possession of light stocks and a large surplus when any new tariff law becomes effective.

The General Electric Company issues a circular to holders of the common stock stating that at request of the New York Stock Exchange, the time for reception of subscriptions to the $6,000,000 5 per cent gold coupon debenture bonds is extended to December 7 at 3 P. M.

Eastbound shipments continue unsatisfactory from a railroad point of view. Last week they amounted to 71,624 tons, against 68,504 for the preceding week, a gain of 3,120 tons, and against 76,849 for the corresponding week last year, a decrease of 5,225 tons. The tonnage was divided among the various roads as follows: Michigan Central, 12,153 tons; Wabash, 3,386 tons; Lake Shore, 13,890 tons; Ft. Wayne, 8,574 tons; Panhandle, 8,276 tons; Baltimore and Ohio, 4,286 tons; Grand Trunk, 5,426 tons; Chicago and Erie, 6,001 tons; Big Four, 3,369 tons.

Sales and Final Quotations.

Following were the transactions recorded on the exchange sales board to-day:

BEFORE CALLS.

50 shares P. & B. traction	24¼
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50 shares Pleasant Valley Railway	25

FIRST CALL.

700 shares La Noria Mining Co	13c
50 shares Philadelphia Company	21⅝
5 shares Pleasant Valley Railway	25
20 shares Luster Mining Company	9¼
10 shares Luster Mining Company	9¼
20 shares Luster Mining Company	9⅜
50 shares P. & B. traction	24⅝