

STRENGTH SHOWN IN MARKET TODAY. Best Figures Are Reached at Noon Hour.

LONDON LEADS IN BUYING. Relations of New York Central With Other Systems in Process of Readjustment.

NEW YORK, May 9.—The stock market opened with general recoveries. One per cent was gained in Atchison, New York Central, Amalgamated Copper, People's Gas and Sugar, Colorado Fuel and Iron rose 1/2, Northern Pacific up 3/4. Union Pacific ranged from 1/2 to 1 1/2 higher. Rubber goods ran up 1/2 on comparatively heavy dealings. The average on the entire list is about 1/2 per cent higher. Pennsylvania alone being heavy on demand. During the first hour there was continued strength in many issues, but the appearance on the floor was extremely quiet. London led in buying and took 25,000 shares of Union Pacific, which, with Kuhn, Loeb & Harriman interests were buyers of Southern Pacific. New York Central was taken on orders given out by Hooley, Larned & Co., and interests concerned in the accumulation of the stock continue to assert that the relations of the property to other important railroad systems are now in process of readjustment in such shape that it will be of benefit to New York Central stockholders. There was continued absorption of Northern Pacific, which advanced 1/2. Commission houses were moderate buyers. Around 11 o'clock the traders made an attempt to bid up the list and got quite a little stock on the advance. The market went back again, but some outside buying came in at noon when were ruling at the best of the day. Government bonds unchanged; other bonds firmer.

WASHINGTON STOCK MARKET

United States registered 4's, \$3,000,000 104 1/2. Washington Street Railway 4's, \$500,000 89 1/2. Capital Traction, 2 1/2, 4 1/2, 4 1/2. Washington Street Railway, preferred, \$400,000, 100 1/2. Washington Street Railway, common, 100 1/2. American Security and Trust, 202 1/2. Union Trust, 100 1/2, 100 1/2, 100 1/2. Merchenthaler, 100 1/2, 100 1/2, 100 1/2. Lanston, 50 1/2, 50 1/2, 50 1/2.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

Open. High. Low. 1.15. Am. Car & Foundry 80 1/2 81 1/2 80 1/2. Am. Cotton 24 1/2 25 1/2 24 1/2. Am. Express 100 1/2 101 1/2 100 1/2. Am. Locomotive 47 1/2 48 1/2 47 1/2. Am. Metal 111 1/2 112 1/2 111 1/2. Am. Sugar 133 1/2 134 1/2 133 1/2. A. T. & S. P. 32 1/2 33 1/2 32 1/2. A. T. & S. P. 100 1/2 101 1/2 100 1/2. B. & O. 100 1/2 101 1/2 100 1/2. B. R. T. 60 1/2 61 1/2 60 1/2. Canadian 148 1/2 149 1/2 148 1/2. Chesapeake & Ohio 48 1/2 49 1/2 48 1/2. Chicago & N. W. 19 1/2 20 1/2 19 1/2. Chi. Mil. & St. Paul 170 1/2 171 1/2 170 1/2. Col. Fuel 44 1/2 45 1/2 44 1/2. Col. Southern 27 1/2 28 1/2 27 1/2. Consolidated Gas 194 1/2 195 1/2 194 1/2. Erie, com. 42 1/2 43 1/2 42 1/2. Erie, 1st pd. 78 1/2 79 1/2 78 1/2. Erie, 2d pd. 60 1/2 61 1/2 60 1/2. General Electric 170 1/2 171 1/2 170 1/2. Illinois Central 148 1/2 149 1/2 148 1/2. K. C. Southern 27 1/2 28 1/2 27 1/2. K. C. Southern pd. 50 1/2 51 1/2 50 1/2. Lehigh Valley 100 1/2 101 1/2 100 1/2. Manhattan Elevated 163 1/2 164 1/2 163 1/2. Met. Socs. 77 1/2 78 1/2 77 1/2. Mot. St. Ry. 21 1/2 22 1/2 21 1/2. M. K. & T. com. 20 1/2 21 1/2 20 1/2. M. K. & T. pd. 50 1/2 51 1/2 50 1/2. Northern Pacific 181 1/2 182 1/2 181 1/2. Northern Pacific 21 1/2 22 1/2 21 1/2. Mexican Central 20 1/2 21 1/2 20 1/2. N. Y. Central 148 1/2 149 1/2 148 1/2. N. Y. On. & West. 47 1/2 48 1/2 47 1/2. Norfolk & Western 70 1/2 71 1/2 70 1/2. Norfolk & Western 100 1/2 101 1/2 100 1/2. People's Gas 100 1/2 101 1/2 100 1/2. Pressed Steel Car 38 1/2 39 1/2 38 1/2. Reading 91 1/2 92 1/2 91 1/2. Rep. Steel & Iron 17 1/2 18 1/2 17 1/2. Rock Island 74 1/2 75 1/2 74 1/2. Rubber Goods 34 1/2 35 1/2 34 1/2. St. Louis 30 1/2 31 1/2 30 1/2. Southern Railway 30 1/2 31 1/2 30 1/2. South. Railway 30 1/2 31 1/2 30 1/2. St. Paul 100 1/2 101 1/2 100 1/2. Texas Pacific 32 1/2 33 1/2 32 1/2. Union Pacific 119 1/2 120 1/2 119 1/2. U. S. Steel 31 1/2 32 1/2 31 1/2. U. S. Steel pd. 88 1/2 89 1/2 88 1/2. Va. Car 22 1/2 23 1/2 22 1/2. Wash. 19 1/2 20 1/2 19 1/2. Wash. pd. 40 1/2 41 1/2 40 1/2. Wheeling & L. Erie 40 1/2 41 1/2 40 1/2. Western Union 92 1/2 93 1/2 92 1/2. Wisconsin Central 20 1/2 21 1/2 20 1/2.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

CHICAGO, May 9.—The following are the quotations on today's exchange: Wheat—Open. High. Low. 1.15. May 1.15 1.16 1.14. July 1.15 1.16 1.14. August 1.15 1.16 1.14. December 1.15 1.16 1.14.

WAR PROCLAIMED ON KENILWORTH POOLROOM.

UPPER MERIBORO, Md., May 9.—In the office of Judge Merrick, in the court house here today, a program was laid out for a fight to a finish against the new poolroom at Kenilworth. Judge Merrick stated to a committee of protesters that they must produce evidence against the poolroom, present the facts to the State's attorney, and have that official notify the sheriff to act. Warrants will then be sworn and the backers of the poolroom, and possibly all employees of the place, haled before a justice of the peace. Promises were practically made that a special grand jury will be impealed to indict the offenders. The committee which journeyed to the county seat was composed of T. M. Mohler, president of the newly organized Tuxedo Citizens' Association; D. Farnham, of the same organization; Allen Mallory, of the Kenilworth Citizens' Association; Judge E. M. Morgan, and William A. Mallory, of the Prince George County and Eastern District of Columbia Citizens' Association. Mr. Mallory Presents Case. Mr. Mallory, who opened the conference, described the location of the poolroom and the method of doing business there. He declared his belief that the men who were behind it were running solely on their nerve and that their open way of doing business was an insult to the county's officials, who they apparently thought to awe into inaction by their subterfuge of conducting an inconspicuous plebs' cotyony. Judge Merrick also spoke of the ridicule being heaped upon Prince George County, because the gamblers rooted out of Alexandria, Va., had been permitted to settle in Maryland. Bribery Charges. Judge Merrick also gave voice to the suspicions which have been current in the county seat since the poolroom opened, that certain officials of the county had been bribed by the gamblers. He declared he had heard that the State's attorney and the sheriff had been fixed, and cited this as an instance of the infamous methods of the poolroom people. He stated his belief in the integrity of the county officials. P. M. Mohler made an earnest appeal for the protection of his home and his children and the homes of his neighbors, and declared the wives and children of the gamblers should be allowed to ride on the same trolley cars with the hoodlums from Washington. State Attorney Magruder defied anyone to show that he had been approached by the gamblers or that he had promised immunity from punishment for the offenders. He promised the citizens his hearty co-operation. Gamblers Not Uneasy. There was nothing about the poolroom this afternoon which would indicate that its promoters were at all nervous about the trip of the Tuxedo and Kenilworth citizens to Upper Meriboro. The place was open for business as usual. A big crowd was ready to place a dollar or so on the ponies. A Follower of Grip. Many persons had themselves affected with a persistent cough after an attack of the grip. As this cough can be promptly cured by the use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy it should not be allowed to run on until it becomes troublesome. For sale by all druggists.

NEWS AND GOSSIP OF THE STOCK MARKET.

WASHINGTON. Although not a great deal of business was done on the local exchange today, the market showed a moderate strength, and prices for the securities traded in tended toward a higher level, except, perhaps, Mergenthaler, which remained steady.

Washington Railway preferred sold at 93 and 93 1/2, with 93 1/2 paid for an option on 100 shares. It closed at 93 1/2 bid and 93 1/2 asked, a fractional gain. The common sold again at 36, and this was the closing bid, with 36 1/2 as the offer.

Union Trust sold at 127 for 15 shares and closed at 128. The 127 1/2 asked, a loss of a stout fraction. Mergenthaler sold at 177 1/2 to 177 3/4, 50 shares being traded in, and closed at 177 1/2 bid and 177 3/4 asked, a fractional gain. The common sold at 177 1/2 to 177 3/4, a fractional gain.

Lanston seems to be gaining in strength and today sold at 14 1/2 for 200 shares. This, too, was the closing bid, with 14 1/2 as the asking price. The common sold at 5 1/2 for 100 shares.

Greene Copper closed at 25 1/2 bid and 25 3/4 asked. A special meeting of the District Bankers' Association will be held at 10 o'clock this evening at the Washington Hotel to discuss matters relating to the meeting of the American Bankers' Association here next autumn, and the entertainment of the delegates, of which about 3,500 are expected. The national body will have its headquarters at the hotel, and the big banquet hall of the hotel the meetings will be held. The committee of the local association, charged with arranging the entertainment, is highly gratified with the contributions received thus far.

The annual meeting of the District Bankers' Association will be held in the afternoon at the Washington Hotel. The board of directors, consisting of George H. Harries, J. Kimball, Wilton J. Lambart, A. M. Lothrop, Theodore V. Noves, E. Quincy Smith, J. R. Ralston, John B. Smeal, H. N. Waters, E. S. Waters and S. W. Woodward. It was voted to increase the capital stock from \$50,000 to \$100,000 and the number of directors from five to seven. The board of directors was empowered to fill the vacancies as occasion offered.

Augustus Crane, Jr., was yesterday elected a member of the local Stock Exchange, taking the place recently sold by William B. Gurley. A meeting of the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company will be held at the offices of the company at noon tomorrow to take further action with reference to the increase of stock and the operation of the new ferry to Alexandria.

RALPH COLTON LEWIS MARRIES ELSIE TIBBITS.

All Souls' Church Scene of a Pretty Marriage Ceremony at Noon. Breakfast Follows. Miss Elsie Ruth Tibbits and Ralph Colton Lewis were married at All Souls' Church at noon today, the wedding being a particularly pretty and interesting one. The Rev. Ulysses Pierce, rector of the church, officiated.

COUNT'S LOSES FIRST CONTEST FOR HER CLAIM.

Judge Charles W. Russell, special assistant attorney general of the Department of Justice, has returned to Washington from New York, where he appeared before the United States court for the southern district in the case of Dona Maria Francisca O'Reilly de Camarones, Countess of Buena Vista, plaintiff against Maj. Gen. John Brooke.

FOR SALE—HORSES & VEHICLES.

FOR SALE—Two horses, ten years years old, and a pair in good order, with wagon and harness; reason for selling, owner has other business and needs the cash; can be seen after 5 o'clock any day. Apply 289 1/2 Broadway av. n.w. my3-3t.

BOWEN WILL REPORT TO THE PRESIDENT.

Secretary Taft has telegraphed to Herbert W. Bowen, minister to Venezuela, who arrived in New York yesterday, in answer to the summons of the State Department in connection with the charges made recently against the integrity of the First Assistant Secretary of State Loomis, that he need not come to Washington, until to-morrow.

Don't Snuffle!

You make people sick—you keep yourself sick. Secure relief in 10 minutes from Colds, Catarrh, Headache or Influenza. Cure that cold. You can do it if you exercise common sense and use only Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. It relieves colds and catarrhs and cures headache in a few moments. Rev. McPherson, Buffalo, N. Y., says: "Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder relieved me in 10 minutes and is a blessing to mankind."

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—NANNIE NOVA HYMAN vs. JOHN B. HYMAN ET AL. Judgment rendered in this case on the 24th day of May, 1905, in favor of the plaintiff, Nannie Nova Hyman, District of Columbia. It appearing to the satisfaction of the court that Nannie Nova Hyman is the true and lawful owner of the property herein, and that the same has been returned by the Marshal, not to be found, it is this 24th day of May, 1905, ordered that defendant, Charles M. Hyman, cause his appearance to be entered herein on or before the first day of June, 1905, and that the fourth day of the month of June, 1905, be set for the trial of this cause, to be proceeded with as in case of default. PROVIDED, This order be published in the Washington Reporter and The Washington Times once a week for three successive weeks prior to said date. (Seal.) THOS. H. ANDERSON, Justice. True copy—Test: J. H. YOUNG, Clerk. F. E. CUNNINGHAM, Assistant Clerk. my3-3t.

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MORRIS KEIM LEAVES MONEY FOR TEMPLE.

In connection with the will of Morris Keim, dated June 24, 1889, filed for probate, is a statement by the testator of gifts of \$100 to the Home for Incurables, \$300 to the German Orphan Asylum, and \$500 for the erection of a "spiritual temple" provided it is built within two years. He also gives \$2,500 to the First Spiritual Society, and directs that any liberal mind, preacher, not orthodox, be allowed to use the temple for a nominal fee. The statement is not witnessed. He leaves the remainder of his estate to his widow, Christiana Keim, for life with direction that it revert to their children after her death.

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