For the first time since election conspicuous financial interests that let stocks go in approhension of a Bryan victory have becomo buyers of securitles on a substantial scale. Efforts are made to disguise this new movement, but evidences of it are clearly discernible.

Significance is in this development. If it is continued, it will exert quick and important influences.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of one of the foremost banks in Wall Street one day early this week four Directors, interchanging views, stated that they were all without stocks, having sold out just before election. And every one of them said frankly that any opportunity to get back stocks "on a reaction" would be halled as a godsend, and would be taken advantage of not only by themselves, but (as one Director put it) by a "multitude of men who shivered themselves out of profits" three weeks ago.

The capitalist with money idle is seldom a patient person.

SUCCESSOR TO CORDAGE.

Trading in the new securities of the Standard Rope and Twine Company will now begin on the Stock Exchange, the Governing Committee, as stated in THE NEW-YORK TIMES yesterday, having listed the corporation's bonds and stock.

tive. The company, as successor to the old Cordago Trust, has its securities widely distributed. They include \$3,000,000 first mortgage 6 per cent. bonds, \$7,500,000 consolidated 5 per cents, and \$12,000,000 capital stock. The company's official statement to the Stock Exchange shows that it has acquired all "such mills and property of the United States Cordage Company, having ample capacity to supply all legitimate demands, as were found to be suitable for the business, and in which manufacturing operations can be concentrated and carried on at a minimum cost."

mortgage bonds, are the Waterbury Mill, Brooklyn, N Y., the Lawrence Rope Works, Brooklyn, N. Y; the Sewall & Day Cordage Company, Boston, Mass.; the Elizabet Port Cordage property. Elizabethport, N. J. In addition the mortgages cover and the company owns the Pearson Cordage Company, not under the former mortgago, but purchased after it was executed, and or all of which properties no other liens exist. Available assets remaining in the hands of the Cordage Reorganization Committee, or the net proceeds of same, will be transferred or paid over to the Standard Rope and Twine Company in the completion of the reorganization. These are. The Tucker & Carter Mill, Brooklyn, N. Y. the William Wall's Sons Mill, Brooklyn, N. Y , the Donnell Mill, Bath, Me.; the Rinek Mill, Easton, Penn.; the Hanover Mill, York County, Penn.; Suffolk Mill, Boston, Mass, Victoria Mill, Dayton, Ky.; Xenia Mills, Xenia, Ohio; Miamisburg Mills, Miamisburg, Ohio, Boston Cordage Company, Boston, Mass.; Standard Cordage Company, Boston, Mass.; Now-Redford Cordage Company, New-Bedford, Mass; the Field Cordage Company, Xenia, Ohio; the Ohio Cordage Company, Xenia, Ohio; the Middletown Twine Company, Middletown, Ohio. All of these properties are free and clear of liti-tration as the way in the sale of the sale o Now-Belford Cordage Company, Newfation or incumbrance, except the Tucker & Carter Mill, which has a disputed mortgage of \$250,000

of bonds of said series.

The board is divided into three classes, each class holding office for three years.

the stockholders an adequate statement of the business and condition of the company. Block Exchange ought to oblige every corporation on its lists to establish and conform to the same practice.

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Current net assets \$1,505,848.60

organization, the Stock Exchange is informed that of the \$7,500,000 of first mortgage bonds of the United States Cordage teed stock all but 634 shares have come in; of the 80,000 shares of preferred stock all but 3.331 shares have come in, and of the 200,000 shares of common stock all but 5,498 have come in.

A LOW WALL STREET LEVEL.

A correspondent quotes the following from "The Financial Situation" in last Bunday's New-York Times:

"New bugaboos will probably now be strutted We have lately had Spanish wars succeeding one another every hour or two. Prospective distresses are likely to turn upon the approaching session of Congress. Already there are depressing outlines of Congressional programmes. President Claveland is to write a discouraging mes-

Flint's Fine Furniture

sage: Congress is to declare that Cube shall be free, and to enact long lines of anti-corporation legislation—such are suggestions already evolved out of the inner contions already evolved out of the inner con-sciousness of speculators who, having ham-mered the market, are now desperately ex-cited in their anticipations. They are gloomy because they count on gloom to give them a profit. But to the man who is not already entangled on the bear side, is there really any reasonable ground for shar-ing their dreary forecasts?

And in answer to this inquiry our corre-

spondent writes: "Reasonable ground? None whatever. Scares made to order are no longer frightening investors who own stocks, perhaps; but the most alarming feature in our financial situation is that millions of money will be kept back from normal investment channels. Some current tactics in Wall Street are simply devilish. Traders using them do not profit, as the narrow range of the market shows; their only accomplishment is to interfere with natural investment tendencies And the fact that THE NEW-YORK TIMES points out (the tackt copartnership with the bears of capitalists who work to frighten others only that they may themselves get securities cheaper) is greatly to the discredit of every such schemer. No wonder 'the public' becomes shy in the face of such plundering plans.

"To be a professional bear and to hammer away eternally, all regardless of facts and conditions and common sense, is ignoble enough; but positively such performances are highly to be commended contrasted with the uso of petty devices now paraded by men who are trying to lie quotations down only to get the chance to grab stocks away from others who have them. This sort of thing is down to the low level or sneak thiovery.

"Such 'belated bulls '-as THE TIMES calls them-are simply doing their utmost to kill the goose that lays the golden egg."

A PHILADELPHIA GRIEVANCE.

The following letter has been received by THE NEW-YORK TIMES from Mr. Aubrey Bennett of the office of Charles C. Edey & Sons. The letter refers to a news item printed on this page a few days ago telling of the cutting down of rentals for severa leased lines by the new management of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Com-

To the Editor of The New York Fimes:
The jubilant tone of the financial article in your issue of Nov. 20 over the proposed sacrifice of investors in several leased stocks of the rilice of investors in several leased stocks of the old Reading Company does not seem to be consistent with the catering to conservative sentiment which is supposed to be the present policy of your paper. While doubtless the new Reading Company is not bound by the lease of the old Reading Company, it is not true, except as a fletion of railroad bookkeeping, that such feeders of that company as the Mine Hill and the Little Schuylkill Roads did not pay the leasing company, but, on the contrary, they leasing company, but, on the contrary, they were very valuable, and the bludgeon threat to build parallel roads, referred to in your article, is an attack mostly on women and estates. The spirit of such threatening or action, ticle, is an attack mostly on women and estates. The spirit of such threatening or action, if carried out, is the same as that in which the West Shore Railroad was built, and an attack on investors for the benefit of speculators, for such are, and doubtless will continue to be, the character of the holders of Reading It is the curse of the great mass of American railway stocks and bonds, (they cannot be called either securities or investments,) that there is no certainty of any permanence in their character. Lenses and guarantees, whether of principal or interest, are at the mercy, or lack of it, of speculative managers, and the would-be investor, especially the small one, has little or no protection, legal or otherwise. Compelling investors to throw over their shares or accept an unjust scaling of a guarantee by threatening to parallel the guaranteed road may be haute finance, but nevertheless it increases the prevailing discontent in the belief that big capitalists lose no chance to take advantage of the defenselessness of small investors, and scale down their incomes, while the already "big men" wax richer than ever by the operation. does not appeal to that large buying factor, "the small investor." It increases the prevailing distrust in railroad securities. It may help the price of that glit-edged security, Reading common stock.

AUBREY BENNETT. The article to which this correspondent takes exception was merely a statement of facts. There was no "jubilant tone" about

it. It simply told of scaling down in the rentals of three or four rallroads under lease to the Reading Company, and pointed out the fact that this was an evidence of the policy of economy put into practice by the now management. The facts as published are not disputed. Whether or not it be merely a fiction of railroad bookkeeping, the present Reading managers evidently do not think certain leased lines of sufficient value to retain at

the old rentals. They gave the roads the alternative of accepting a new arrangement or of terminating their leases. In one case-that of the Little Schuylkill-the latter course has been decided upon, and the Reading Company, so far, has not in any way moderated its ultimatum in order to

As to injury to "the small investor," to "the widows and estates." there may perhaps be some consideration due to the fact that, although these leased lines have and will further be benefited by the rehabil-Itation of their lessee, their stockholders have never been obliged to pay for such benefits; they have received dividends when Reading's own security holders were being called upon for fresh capital-assessed In cash not now only, but previously, and

If Philadelphia widows and estates of whom THE TIMES'S correspondent writes had been well advised they would hardly be now embarrassed by holding stock in attle local roads dependent for income on another corporation's charity or misman-

more than once.

CHICAGO OPINIONS.

Robert H. Kelly & Co.: "The bears are meeting with no further success in their efforts to depress the market, and many of them are inclined to cover. An increase of outside business will turn the shorts into liberal buyers, and create a strong and higher market. We think the general list is scraping rock bottom, and will not be surprised if a sharp upturn occurs within the next few days."

C. A. Whyland & Co.: "Traders in Sugar say the price was hammered with a view of making a low close. Just at the last, however, stock was found scarce, and the price advanced easily. Some very good judges think purchases of Sugar will prove profitable.

E. L. Brewster & Co.. "It was thought in St. Paul that long stock came out and that there was no evidence of particularly good buying. The sellers around 79 have said they should begin to buy at about. 5 points decline, which leads to the expectation of

scale buying orders now."

Breese & Cummings: "As the end of the year approaches, people familiar with General Electric calculate that it will earn above fixed charges and operating expenses about \$1,250,000. This surplus will not be in cash entirely, having already been invested in part. Neither will it be distributed in any form to the stockholders, because of the impairment of capital. It will be used to correct that impairment. Some authorities in the company are satisfied that the preferred stock has no right to cumulative dividends, while a committee of preferred stockholders is equally positive that it has."

Jamieson & Co.: "We are told that elaborate preparations are being made by people connected with Northern Pacific to interest foreign investors in the new securities so as to insure active dealing abroad in these stocks and bonds. A great deal of information has been gotten together regarding the possibilities of the new company under the new management, from which great things

are hoped. The kernete of this policy, is is understood, is physical reconstruction of the property so as to economise in train mileage. It is in this item that most waste has occurred in the past, and it is hoped to remedy it by reduction of grades, heavier rails and motive power, and closer manage. St. Joseph and Grand Island Railroad ment at leading to a large trainload."

FINANCIAL DIRECTORY.

DANKS.

Merchants' National Bank

CAP. AND SURPLUS, \$8,000,000, 42 Wall St.

Chemical National 270 Broadway.

National Bank of Commerce CAP. AND SUR., \$8,500,000. 58 Liberty St. and 35 Nassau St.

Hanover National Bank SURPLUS, \$2,000,000, 9 and 11 Nassau St. CAPITAL, \$1,000,000.

The Nassau Bank Corner Beekman and Nassau Streets.

Gentral National 201 Broadway.

PHILADELPHIA. Fourth Street National Bank Capital \$1,500,000. Surplus \$1,130,000.

TRUST COMPANIES.

Continental Trust Company 30 Brond St

ATLANTIC TRUST COMPANY, 39 WILLIAM STREET. V. F. RANDOLPH, Pres. J. S. SUYDAM, Secy. NEW-YORK SECURITY & TRUST CO., 44 and 46 Wall Street. CAPITAL, \$1,000,000. SURPLUS, \$1,250,000.

The State Trust Co. 100 Broadway.

Washington Trust Company Stewart Building, 280 Broadway.

BANKERS' CARDS.

WILLIAM FAHNESTOCK. R. B. DODSOM. (Member of New York Block Exchange.)

FAHNESTOCK & CO.,

Brokers and Dealers in Investment Securities, 2 Wall Street, N. Y.

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11, 13, 15, and 17 Broad Street. MEMBERS OF THE N. Y. STOCK EXCHANGE.
Orders for Stocks, Bonds, Grain, and Cotton
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No. 20 Nassau St., New-York.

FINANCIAL.

INVESTMENT SECURITIES.

OREGON IMPROVEMENT Reorganization.

NEW-YORK, Nov. 14, 1896.

To Holders of First Mortgage Bonds, Consolidated Mortgage Bonds, and Preferred and Common Stock of the Oregon Improvement Company.

Notice is hereby given that holders of any of the above-named securities in order to avail of the Plan of Reorganization represented by the undersigned Committee, must deposit their holdings with the MANHATTAN TRUST COMPANY, No. 10 Wall Street, New-York, or the OLD COLONY TRUST COMPANY, Ames Building, Boston, on or before December 15, 1896.

Bonds and stock not deposited on or before that date will be received only upon payment of a penalty equal to one per cent. of the pur value thereof. JOHN I. WATERBURY, T.JEFFERSON COOLIDGE,JR.,

E. ROLLINS MORSE, EDWIN S. HOOLEY, JULES 9. BACHE,

SIMPSON, THACHER & BARNUM, Counsel, 10 Wall Street, New-York.

mittee.

\$400,000 6% Car Trust Bonds City of Boston, Mass.

OF THE EXPRESS COAL LINE STATE TRUST CO., TRUSTEE. Running from one to ten years. A first lien' on 3,932 Freight Cars valued at \$2,700,000, created to equip same with air-brakes and automatic couplers.

6 Per Cent. CAR TRUST BONDS OF THE RAILROAD EQUIPMENT CO.

\$200,000 SERIES B, 75. CONSOLIDATED CATTLE CAR CO., \$200,000 SERIES D, 6.

CANDA CATTLE CAR CO., AT PAR AND ACCRUED INTEREST. FOR SALE BY

Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co. 5°/o GOLD BONDS. DUE 1925.

POST & POMEROY.

45 WALL STREET.

A majority of the above Bonds have now been deposited with us under the Agreement of April 10, 1500, and our Engraved Certificates of Doposit therefor have been listed on the New-York Stock Exchange. All Bondholders who have not yet deposited

their Bonds are urged to do so at once, so as to enable us to more effectually protect their in

SPEYER & CO., 30 BROAD STREET. New-York, November 19, 1896.

Norfolk & Western Railroad REORGANIZATION.

Notice is hereby given that the Reorganization Committee will purchase at their face value the following Coupons of the Roanoke and Southern Railroad Company, 5 hich matured prior to March 1st, 1805, upon presentation at the office of Th Mercantile Trust Company:

Debenture Bonds of 1892. Roanoke & Southern First Mortgage Bonds. LOUIS FITZGERALD, Chairman. New-York, November 24, 1896.

PAYMENT OF DEBENTURES. The Middlesex Banking Company

OF MIDDLETOWN, CONN., will pay December 1st the Debentures of Series 41

due on that day,
ALSO
WILL PAY IN ADVANCE the Debentures of the 4d due March 1st. 1897.

PHANOIAL Reorganization

TO HOLDERS OF CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT ISSUED BY THE CENTRAL TRUST
COMPANY OF NEW-YORK FOR THE FIRST
MORTGAGE BONDS OF THE ST. JOSEPH &
GRAND ISLAND RAILROAD COMPANY under
the Bondholders' Agreement, dated June 1,
1894. HOLDERS OF THE FIRST MORTGAGE
BONDS, HOLDERS OF THE SECOND MORTGAGE INCOME BONDS, AND HOLDERS OF
THE CAPITAL STOCK of the St. Joseph and
Grand Island Railroad Company.
Referring to the terms of the Plan of Reorganization of the St. Joseph & Grand Island
Railroad Company, duly adopted May 19th, 1896,
the above security holders are hereby notified
that copies of said plan, and of the First Mortgage Bondholders' agreement can be had on application to either the Central Trust Company
of New-York, Old Colony Trust Company of
Boston, or Messrs. Melville Fickus & Company, Limited, No. 75 Lombard Street, London, E. C.
The following assessments on existing securi-

pany, Limited, Av. to don, E. C.
The following assessments on existing securities are provided for by the plan:
Six per cent. in cash on each One Thousand Dollars of second mortgage income bonds, for which twelve per cent. in trust certificates for the first preferred stock of the New Company will be given.

Three per cent. in cash on stock for which six per cent. in trust certificates of the first preferred stock of the New Company will be

sx per cent. In trust certificates of the first preferred stock of the New Company will be given.

These assessments are sayable in two equal installments: The first on depositing said bonds or stock with the Central Trust Company of New-York on or before the Tenth day of December, 1890, and a failure to pay the second installment of assessment will operate as a forfeiture of the first.

Certificates of deposit under the plan of reorganization, in such form as the Committee may adopt, will be given on receipt of bonds and stock, and payment of assessments, and will be stamped accordingly.

The Voting Trustees, under the plan of reorganization, are Messrs. Frederic P. Olcott, J. Kennedy Tod, and Gordon Abbott.

FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS not hereatofore deposited will be received on payment of a penalty of three per cent., or Thirty Dollars per bond, up to and on the 18th day of December, 1890.

A SYNDICATE has been formed for the purpose of a particular statement of a penalty of the purpose of a payment of a penalty of and on the 18th day of December, 1890.

A SYNDICATE has been formed for the pur-pose of underwriting the payment of assessments, and carrying into effect the provisions of the and carrying into effect the provisions of the plan.

HOLDERS OF STOCK and bonds above mentioned are hereby requested to deposit the same with the Central Trust Company of New-York, No. 54 Wall Street; Old Colony Trust Company of Boston, or Messrs Melville Fickus & Company, Limited, No. 75 Lombard Street, London, E. C., under the plan above referred to, and to pay assessments provided by said plan within the time above limited, in order to participate in the benefits of said proposed reorganization.

ganization.

New-York, November 25, 1896.
F. P. OLCOTT,
Chairman;
HENRY BUDGE,
WILLIAM L. BULL,
GORDON ABBOTT.

N. WALLACE, Secretary, 54

Wall Street,
N. Y. WILLIAM STRAUSS, Counsel.

NOTICE OF REDEMPTION OF RECEIVERS' CERTIFICATES.

To the Holders of the Certificates of the Receivers of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company:

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the fecree of United States Circuit Court for the Eastern District of Wisconsin, the right to redeem and pay said certificates before maturity is exercised by the said Court, and all of said certificates now outstanding will be redeemed and paid on the OTH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1800, at the office of The Mercantile Trust Company of the City of New-York, in said city, at the sum of ONE THOUSAND AND TEN DOLLARS and accrued interest to said date for each certificate, under and in accordance with the provisions of the decree of said Court authorizing said issue of certificates; and holders thereof are requested to surrender the same for redemption and payment at said time and

cates shall cease and determine on the said date, and the coupons representing the interest from that date shall thenceforth and forever be void

New Issue **State of Massachusetts** 31/2 °/. GOLD BONDS,

Coupon or Registered. PARTICULARS ON APPLICATION.

FOR SALE BY I. P. MORGAN & CO., 28 WALL ST., N. Y.

BLAKE BROS. & CO., 5 NASSAU ST., N. Y. 28 STATE ST., BOSTON, MASS. KIDDER, PEABODY & CO.,

118 DEVONSHIRE ST., BOSTON, MASS.

NEW LOAN.

\$1,500,000 3 1-2 0/0 40-YEARS

Rapid Transit Bonds, DUE 1936. PARTICULARS ON APPLICATION.

FOR SALE BY Zimmermann & Forshay,

9 AND 11 WALL STREET, NEW-YORK. BROWN BROTHERS & CO.,

NO. 59 WALL ST.,
ISSUE COMMERCIAL AND TRAVELERS'
CREDITS, AVAILABLE IN ALL PARTS OF
THE WORLD.

DIVIDENDS.

Office of Welsbach Commercial Com-The Directors have this day declared a quarterly dividend of TWO (2) PER CENT. on the preferred stock, payable Dec. 10, 1896, to stockholders of record at close of business Nov. 30. The transfer books of the preferred stock will be closed from Dec. 1 to Dec. 10, both inclusive. Checks will be mailed. closed from De Checks will be EDWARD C. LEE, Treasurer.

The United States Leather Company The United States Leather Company.
26:28 Ferry St., New-York, Nov. 24, 1890.
A dividend of ONE DOLLAR (\$1) Per Share on its preferred stock has this day been declared by the Board of Directors of this Company, payable January 2, 1897.
The transfer books of preferred stock will close December 15, 1890, at 3 P. M., and reopen January 4, 1897.

JAMES R. PLUM, Treasurer.

Jefferson and Clearfield Coal and Iron Jefferson and Clearfield Coat and Fron Company,
Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 23, 1896.
The coupons of First and Second Mortgage Bonds of this company due Dec. 1, 1896, will be paid on and after that date at the office of the Guaranty Trust Company of New-York, No. 65 Cedar-St., New-York.

GEO. H. CLUNE, Treasurer.

TEXAS AND PACIFIC RAILWAY CO. COUPON NOTICE. Coupon No. 18 of the First Mortgage 5 Per Cent. bonds of this Company, due December 1st, 1896, will be paid on and after that date on pres-entation at the office of the Mercantile Trust Company, No. 120 Broadway, New-York City. C. 10. SATTERLEE, Treasurer.

BUFFALO, ROCHESTER & PITTS-BURGH RAILWAY COMPANY. Coupons of the Rochester and Pittsburgh R. R. Co.'s Consolidated First Mortgage, maturing December 1, 1898, will be paid on and after that date at the Union Trust Company of New-York.

J. H. HOCART, Assistant Treasurer. PUBLIC NOTICES.

NOTICE.—WOODROW & LEWIS, Austlemeers, will sell at public auction, December 1, 1896, at 12 o'clock M., at the Department of Dooks, in the Board Room, Pier "A," Hattery Piace, North River, the right to fill in behind the bulkhead or river wall now built or to be built south of West 11th Street. North River,

REDEMPTION

PITATOLAL

General First Mortgage Bonds

CF THE NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD COM-

Notice is hereby given that Eight hundred and nine (809) of the General First Mortgage Bonds of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company were this day drawn for the Sinking Fund, in accordance with the requirements of Articles Eleven and Twelve of the First Mortgage, numbered as follows. viz.: 258, 0842 1212 1715085 80138 290 8648 11208 175019 50210 406 6023 11225 15027 80.228 489 6109 11205 15088 80228 450 0122 11827 15088 80276 509 6271 11841 15636 80874 44770

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New-York, November 4th, 1896.

THE MERCANTILE TRUST COMPANY.

By LOUIS FITZGERALD, President.

> 30011 80277 80302 80383 10014 18550 30037 80302 10015 15570 30048 80383 11004 18674 90072 38302 11116 15583 80089 All future interest of any of the bonds so design nated ceases with the coupons due Jan. 1, 1897. in accordance with the terms of the mortgage. CENTRAL TRUST CO. OF NEW-YORK, Trustee.

By G SHERMAN, Vice President. New-York, Oct. 10, 1806. We, the undersigned, hereby certify that the Eight hundred and nine (800) Ronds were designated by lot in our presence as above stated. GEORGE P. ROBBINS,

With Contral Trust Co. of New-York, A. H. KENT, Of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company, FRANK B. SMIDT. Notary Public, New-York City and County.

95 SHARES UNITED STATES CASUALTY CO. for sale, all or any part, at 110. TOBEY & KIRK,

NO. 8 DROAD ST.

Central Pacific Stock.

Holders are requested to send their names and addresses and a statement of the amount of their holdings to the undersigned. Circulars containing information of interest to the stockholders will be forwarded.

L. W. MORRISON, 44 Broadway.

PIANOS AND ORGANS.

AN ASSORTMENT of Second-hand STEINWAY grand, square, and upright planes, some nearly new, all fully warranted; also for sale cheap, the largest stock of second-hand planes of other makers, including every prominent name in Amer-ica and Europe. Rownre of hogus instru-ments represented as genuine Steinway Planes. STEINWAY & SONS, Steinway Hall, New-York.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

Bank of the Manhattan Company,
New-York, Oct. 30, 1894
Notice is hereby given that an election for
twelve Directors of the Manhattan Company will
be held at their banking house, No. 40 Wall
Street, in the City of New-York, on Tuesday, the
first day of December next, between the hours of
12 M. and 1 P. M.

12 M. and 1 F m.
By order of the Directors.
J. T. BALDWIN. Cashier

A MEETING OF THE LOT OWNERS OF THE Greenwood Cemetery will be held at the office of the cemetery, No. 257 Broadway, New-York, on MONDAY, the 7th day of December, at 12 o'clock noon, at which time an election will be held for five Trusteets in place of those whose term of office will evalue on that day held for five France on that day.

C. M. PERRY, Secretary.

The People's Bank
OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK.
November 20th, 1898.
ELECTION,—The annual election for Directors
of this Bank and Inspectors of Election will be
held at the banking house, Nos. 203 and 305
Canal St., on Tuesday, December 8th, 1890, between the hours of 12 M. and 1 P. M. By order
of the Board of Directors.
WILLIAM MILNE, Cashier.

PROPOSALS.

ARMY BUILDING, WHITEHALL BT., NEW-York City, November 11, 1896.—Scaled proposals in triplicate will be received here until 12 o'clock noon, December 1, 1890, and then upened, for supplying about 25,000 gallons of mineral cil, as per specifications, and schedulo, which will be furnished on application to the indensiged. Preference will be given to articles of domastic production or manufacture, conditions of quality, and price, (including in the price of foreign production or manufactures the duty thereon,) being equal. The Government reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked, "Proposals for Mineral Cil;" and addressed to JAS, M. MOORE, A. Q. M. Gen'l, U. S. A.

U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE, WILMINGTON, Del., Nov. 25, 1890.—Proposals for construction of brush and stone jetty in harbor of Capa Charles City, Va., will be received until nean, December PS, 1896, and then opened. Information furnished on application. WM. F. SMITH, U. S. Agent.

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SALE OF BONDS.

Union Free School District No. 8, Castleton, Richmond County, N. Y.
This District will offer for sale at the Schoolhouse, Prospect Avenue, New-Brighton, Staten Island, on the 1st day of December, 1896, at 3 o'clock P. M., its bonds in the sum of seventy-five thousand (\$75,000.00) dollars, issued for erection of new schoolhouse.

Each bid must be for the entire issue.
Bonds will be of the denomination of one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars, each, with interest coupons attached, and shall bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable on January 1st and July 1st in each year.

Bonds will be payable in instalments of three thousand (\$3,000.00) dollars, (8 bonds,) first payment of bonds on January 2, 1898.

Bids must be made in accordance with advertisement published in Richmond County Standard of New-Brighton, Staten Island.

For further information apply to
THOMAS H. HARPER,

President Board of Education.

Or JOHN J. KENNEY,
Chairman Finance Committee, New-Brighton,

PROPOSALS,

Chairman Finance Committee, New-Brighton, N. Y.

GOVERNORS ISLAND, N. Y., NOV. 25, 1896.— Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received here until 10 A. M., DECEMBER 26, 1896, and then opened, for constructing double set of N. C. Officers' Quarters. U. S. reserves right to reject or accept any or all bids. Information furnished here. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for N. C. O. Quarters," and addressed Major W. Petten O. M. addressed Major W. S. Patten, Q. M.

U. B. ENGINEER OFFICE, ARMY BUILDING, New-York, N. Y., Oct. 20, 1896.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, for furnishing materials and work for construction of concrete battery at Fort Hancock, Sandy Hook, N. J., will be received here until 12 M., Nov. 28, 1896, and then publicly opened. Information furnished on application. G. L. GILLESPIE, Col., Engrs. U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE, CHARLESTON-

U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE, CHARLESTON-Kanawha, W. Va., Nov. 11, 1890.—Proposals for iron work for lock gates on Great Kanawha River will be received until DEC. 1, 1896, 2:30 P. M., Standard Eastern Time, and then opened. In-formation furnished by Addison M. Scott at above office. PETER C. HAINS, Col. Engrs.

U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE, NEW-LONDON, Conn., October 28, 1898.—Proposals for build-ing gun emplacements on Great Guil Island, New-York, will be received until noon. November 28, 1896, and then opened. For full information apply to SMITH 8. LEACH, Captain, Corps of Engineers, U. S. A.

U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE, 9 PLEASANT ST, Baltimore, Md., Nov. 10, 1896.—Proposals for building a steam vessel will be received until noon, Nov. 80, 1806, and then opened. For infor-mation apply to PETER C. HAINS, Col., Engrs

REFEREES' NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT, WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

-THE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW-YORK, plaintin, against
MARGARET A. CROSBY and others, defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale in the above-entitled action, bearing date the 22d day of January, 1887, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, as amended by an order of the Court entered in said office on the 22d day of October, 1896, which said judgment and order were duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York on the 10th day of November, 1896, I, the undersigned, the referee in said judgment named, will sell at nublic auction, at the New-York Real Estate Salesroom, No 111 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on Wednesday, the 9th day of December, 1896, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, by William Kennelly, auctioneer, the premises described as follows:

All that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land, situate in the City and County of New-York, formerly in the Town of Westchester, County of Westchester, and State of New-York, which on a certain map filed or intended to be filed in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester, entitled, "Map of Property at Throngs Neck, Westchester Co, New-York, belonging to Bilas M. Stilwell, Jr., Emilia N. Stilwell, and Fanny N. Stilwell, surveyed September, 1875, by Ameriman & Ford of the City of Now-York, City Surveyors," is distinguished as parcel marked one, (1.) beings hounded and described reaf follows. Be-In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and 49277 49381 49368 49570 49700 49705 49870 49894 49800 49917 50174 50108 Fanny N. Stirwell, surveyed September, 1875, by Ameriman & Ford of the City of Now-York, City Surveyors," is distinguished as parcel marked one, (1,) being bounded and described as follows. Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Schuyler Avenue, where it is intersected by the centre line of the Eastern Boulevard, running thence along said westerly line of Schuyler Avenue south twenty-two degrees forty-two minutes east, three hundred and seventy-seven feet, thence still along said westerly line of Schuyler Avenue south twenty-five degrees eight minutes east, three hundred and ninety-five feet; thence still along the said westerly line of Schuyler Avenue south twenty-six degrees forty-five minutes east, one hundred and eighty-one feet, to the division line between the parcels marked as Numbers One (1) and Three (3) on said map; thence along said division line south seventy-five degrees seven minutes west, four hundred and thirty-three feet two inches; thence north thirty-two degrees west, fifty-seven feet nine inches; thence south eighty-three degrees forty minutes west, five hundred and fifty-three feet six inches, to the land-now or late of Waring; thence along said land of Waring north four degrees thirty-seven minutes west, three hundred and sixty-seven minutes west, three hundred and sixty-seven minutes west, three hundred and sixty-seven feet; thence still along said Waring's land north five degrees forty-five minutes west, two 52200 52273 52275 seven minutes west, three hundred and sixtyseven feet; thence still along said Waring's land
north five degrees forty-five minutes west, two
hundred and thirty-three feet six inches, to the
centre line of the Eastern Boulevard; thence
along said centre line of the Eastern Boulevard
north fifty-nine degrees east, seven hundred and
forty-four feet four inches; and thence still along
said centre line north sixty-five degrees twentysix minutes east, nineteen feet ten inches, to the
westerly line of Schuyler Avenue, at the point or
place of beginning.—Dated November 10th, 1800.

HENRY T. DYKMAN, Referce.

MILLER & BRIGGS, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 32
Nassau Street, New-York City.
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CONVENT AVENUE.—Supreme Court, City and County of New York —BERNARD METZGER, plaintiff, against THE TRADESMEN'S NATION-AL BANK and others, defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale made and entered in the above-entitled action, and bearing date the first day of July, 1896, I, the undersigned, the referee named in Sall judgment, will sell at public auction, at the New-York Heal Estate Satesroom. No. 111 Broadway. York Real Estate Stressoom, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on Tuesday, the 15th day of December, 1898, at twelve o'clock noon, by John T. Boyd, auctioneer, the premises in said judgment mentioned and therein described as All those two certain lots, pleces, or parcels of All those two certain lots, pieces, or parcels of land, situate, lying, and being in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New-York, and which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly side of Convent Avenue with the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-third Street, running thence southerly along the said westerly side of Convent Avenue fifty (50) feet; running thence westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Thirty-third Street one hundred (100) feet; running thence northerly and parallel with Convent Avenue fifty (50) feet to the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-third Street, and running thence easterly along the said southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-third Street one hundred (100) feet to the corner, the point or place of beginning.—Dated Thirty-third street one matter two feet to the corner, the point or place of beginning.—Dated New-York, November 20th, 1898, RUFUS G BEARDSLEE, Referee BERNARD METZGER, Plaintiff in Person, 201 Broadway, New-York City.

AMSTERDAM AVENUE -Supreme Court. City and County of New-York - GILMAN COLLA-MORE, plaintiff, against DANIEL J. BULLIVAN and others, defendants. and others, defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale duly made and entered in the above-entitled action and bearing date the 24th day of June, 1896, I, the undersigned, the referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction at the New-York Real Estate Salesroom, No. 111 Broad-New-York itell Estate Sales Solin, No. 111 Induca-way, in the City of New-York, on the 5th day of December, 1896, at 12 o'clock noon by Strong & Ireland, auctioneers, the lands and premises in said judgment mentioned and therein described as follows: said judgment mentioned and therein described as follows:

All that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land, with the building and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying, and being in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New-York, County and State of New-York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Amsterdam Avenue distant twenty-five feet southerly from the southwest corner of Amsterdam Avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-third Street; thence running westerly part of the distance through a party wall and parallel with One Hundred and Thirty-third Street one hundred feet; thence southerly and parallel with said Amsterdam Avenue twenty-five feet; thence easterly part of the distance through a party wall, and again parallel with One Hundred and Thirty-third Street one hundred feet to the said westerly side of Amsterdam Avenue; thence northerly third Street one hundred feet to the said westerly
side of Amsterdam Avenue; thence northerly
along said westerly side of Amsterdam Avenue
twenty-five feet to the point or place of beginning.—Dated New-York, November 16th, 1880
EDWARD L. PATTERSON, Referre.
STRALEY, HASBROUCK & SCHLOEDER,
Plaintiff's Attorneys, 250 Broadway, NewYork City.

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BT. NICHOLAS AVENUE. Supreme Court, New-York County. THE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW-YORK, plaintiff, against PETER W. FELJX and others, defendants. In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale made and entered in the above entitled action and bearing date the 6th day of November. tion and bearing date the dith day of November, 1896, I, the undersigned, the referce therein named, will sell at public auction at the New-York Real Estate Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on the 9th day of December, 1896, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, by William Kennelly, auctioneer, the premises in said judgment mentioned, and therein described as follows:

All those certain lots, pieces, or parcels of land, situate in the City of New-York, which said lots taken together are described as follows: Beginning at a point in the easterly side of St. Nicholas Avenue distant one hundred and twenty-six feet seven inches northerly from the intersection of the northerly side of One Hundred and Forty-first Street and the easterly side of St. Nicholas Avenue, and running thence easterly, parallel with One Hundred and Forty-first Street, seventy-six feet five inches, more or less, to the centre line of the old King's Bridge Road; thence northerly along the centre line of said road seventy-five feet and six-eighths of an inch to the southerly side of One Hundred and Forty-second Street, as formerly laid out; thence westerly, parallel with One Hundred and Forty-first Street, ninety-one feet and three-quarters of an inch, more or less, to the easterly side of St. Nicholas Avenue; and thence southerly along the less that the second street of the southerly along the less that the second street, as formerly laid out; thence westerly, parallel with One Hundred and Forty-first Street, ninety-one feet and three-quarters of an inch, more or less, to the easterly side of St. Nicholas Avenue; and thence southerly along the 1806 I the understaned, the referee therein named inch, more or less, to the casterly side of St. Nicholas Avenue; and thence southerly along the casterly side of St. Nicholas Avenue seventy-five fort eleven and three-eighths inches to the point of beginning.—Dated New-York, November 11, 1896.

EDWARD T. DONNELLY,

GRAND STREET.—Supreme Court, City and County of New-York.—HERMAN HEYDT against HENRIETTE FERNBACH and others. against HENRICTTE FERNHACH and others. In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale duly made and entered in the above-entitled action and bearing date the 19th day of Novamber, 1800, I, the undersigned, the referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, at the New-York Real Estate Salesroom, No 111 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on Thursday, the 17th day of December, 1800, at twelve o'clock noon on that day, by Bryan L. Kennelly, auctioneer, the premises which said judgment covers and therein described as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of land, with auctioneer, the premises which said juagment covers and therein described as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying, and being in the Thirteenth Ward of the City of New-York and bounded and described as follows. Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Grand Street distant 16 feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the said northerly side of Grand Street with the easterly side of Willett Street; running thence northerly and parallel with Willett Street and part of the way through a party wall 62 feet; thence casterly and parallel with Grand Street seventeen feet; thence southerly and again parallel with Willett Street and part of the way through a party wall 62 feet to the northerly side of Grand Street 17 feet to the point or place of beginning, be the several dimensions. point or place of beginning, be the several dimensions more or less; together with the right of way mentioned in deed of premises to Morris Hinalds by Moses Adler, recorded in Liber 1199 of Conveyances, Page 899—Dated New-York, November 21, 1890.

REFERENCE NOTICES.

Vember 21, 1890.

ISAAC FROMME, Referee.

HERMAN A. HEYDT, Atty. for Plaintiff, 11

Pine Street, New-York City.
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SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW-YORK.

-Douglas Robinson and Henry B. Wolryche Whitmore, as trustees, under the will of Douglas Robinson, deceased, for the benefit of FANNY MONROE ROBINSON and remaindermen, plaintiffs, against LOUIS W. DUESING and others, defendants. defendants.
In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, duly made and entered in the above-entitled action, bearing date the 18th day of November, 1896. I, the undersigned, the referee named therein, will sell at public auction, at the New-York Renl Estate Salesroom, No 111 Broadway, in the City and County of New-York, on the 9th day of December, 1896, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, by John N. Golding, auctioneer, the premises in said judgment mentioned and therein described as follows:

All that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land, situate, lying, and being in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New-York, and bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Amsterdam (formerly Tenth) Avenue distant twenty six feet eleven inches southerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the zoutherly line of One Hundred and Eighty-fifth Street with the sasterly line of Amsterdam (formerly Tenth) Avenue, running thence asterly parallel with One Hundred and Eighty-fifth Birect one hundred feet; thence southerly parallel with Amsterdam (formerly Tenth) Avenue twenty-six feet six inches, thence westerly goals after the parallel with the Mandred and Eighty-need parallel with Amsterdam (formerly Tenth) Avenue twenty-six feet six inches, thence westerly again parallel with One Hundred and Eighty-fifth Street one hundred feet to the easterly line of Amsterdam (formerly Tenth) Avenue, and thence northerly along said easterly line of Amsterdam (formerly Tenth) Avenue twenty-six feet six inches to the point or place of beginning.—Dated New-York, November 17th, 1890

FREDERIC R COUDERT, Jr, Referee, HOPPIN & BERARD, Attorneys for Plaintiffs, 7 Nassau St., New-York, 188-22w8w&F&d9

BUPREME COURT, CITY AND COUNTY OF New-York - ROBERT C. WAISON, Francis A. Watson, and Henry R. C. Watson, as executors of and trustees under the last will and testament of William Watson deceased, plaintiffs, against PAULINE C. GIBSON and others defendants. In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, duly made and entered in the above entitled action, and bearing date the 4th day of May, 1896, I, the undersigned, the referre in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, at the Exchange Salesrcoms, now located at No. 11 Broadway, in the City and County of New-York, on Monday, the 23d day of November, 1896, at 12 o'clock noon of that day by william Kennelly, auctioneer, the premises mentioned in said judgment and therein described, as follows: All that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land, with the dwelting house thereon creeted situate lyling and being in the Twelfth Ward of the City and County of New-York, and bounded and described as follows: Commencing at a point in the easterly line of Manhattan Avenue, distant seventeen feet and three inches northerly from the northeasterly corner of said avenue and One Hundred and Fifth Street, thence running easterly and parallel with said street and part of the distance through a partly wall seventy feet thence northerly and parallel with said avenue seventeen feet; thence westerly again parallel with said street and part of the distance through another party wall to the easterly line of said avenue seventeen feet; thence westerly line of beginning, belong the premises commonly known as Number 122 tone hundred and twenty two Manhattan Avenue together with the appurtenances.—Dated New-York, October 25th, 1696

CHARLES D. OLENDORF, Referce.

GEO. C. BLANKE, Plaintiffs' Attorney, 258 Broadway, New-York City.

BUPREME COURT, CITY AND COUNTY OF

BIORAMAY, New-York City AND COUNTY OF New-York—ROBERT C. WATSON, Franc's A. Watson, and Henry R. C. Watson, as surviving executors of and trustees under the last will and testament of William Watson, deceased, plaintiffs, against JANE A. HUNT and others defendants. In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, duly made and entered in the clove entitled action, and bearing date the 4th day of May, 1800, I, the undersigned, the refere in said judgment named will sell at public nucleon at the Exchange Salesrooms, now located at No. 111 Broadway, in the City and County of New-York, on Monday, the 23d day of November, 1890, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, by William Kennelly, auctioneer, the premises mentioned in said judgment and therein described, as follows: All that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land with the building erected thereon, situate, lying and being on the easterly side of Manhattan (formerly New-York, and bounded and described as follows: Reginning at a point on the easterly side of Manhattan Avenue, distant thirty-four feet and three inches northerly from the northeasterly corner of Manhattan Avenue and One Hundred and Fifth Street and part of the distance through a party wall seventy feet; thence northerly parallel with Manhattan Avenue seventeen feet, thence westerly parallel with One Hundred and I ifth Street and part of the distance through a party wall

Manhattan Avenue seventeen feet, thence westerly parallel with One Hundred and Little Street and part of the distance through a party wall seventy feet, to Manhattan Avenue, and thence southerly along Manhattan Avenue, and thence southerly along Manhattan Avenue seventeen feet to the point or place of beginning, together with the appurtenances—Dated New-York, October 28th, 1899.

CHARLES D. OLENDORF, Referee GEO C BLANKE, Plaintiffs' Attorney, 258 Broadway, New-York City.

The sale of the above described premises is hereby adjourned to Monday, the 80th day of November, 1899, at the same hour and place.—Dated November 23rd, 1896

CHARLES D. OLENDORF, Referee GEO C BLANKE, Plaintiffs' Attorney, 253 Broadway, New-York City

SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW-YORK.

SCPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW-YORK,
-FANNY MONROE ROBINSON, plaintiff,
against LOUIS W. DUESING and others, defendante - Action No 1
in pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and
sale, duly made and entered in the above entitled
action, bearing date the 13th day of November,
1846, I, the undersigned, the referre named therein will sell at builth auction at the New-York in, will sell at public auction, at the New-York Real Estate Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, in the City and County of New York, on the 5th day of December, 1896, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, by John N Golding, auctioneer, the premises in said judgment mentioned and therein described as follows: by John N Golding, auttoneer, the premises in said judgment mentioned and therein described as follows

All that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land, situate, lying, and being in the Twelith Ward of the City of New York, and bounded and described as follows, viz Beginning at the corner formed by the Intersection of the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty fifth Street with the easterly line of Amsterdam (formerly Tenth) Avenue, running thence easterly along the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-fifth Street one hundred feet, thence southerly parallel with Amsterdam (formerly Tenth) Avenue twenty-six feet eleven inches; thence westerly parallel with One Hundred and Eighty-fifth Street one hundred feet to the easterly line of Amsterdam (formerly Tenth) Avenue, and thence northerly along said easterly line of Amsterdam (formerly Tenth) Avenue, and thence northerly Tenth) Avenue twenty-six feet eleven inches to the point or place of beginning—Dated New-York, November 17th, 1898

FRIEDERIC R COUDERT, Jr., Referee.

HOPPIN & BIRRARD, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 7 HOPPIN & BITRARD, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 7 Nassau St., New-York. n18 2awSwW&F&d0

SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW YORK, FANNY MONROE ROBINSON, plaintiff, against LOUIS W DUESING and others, defendants. Action No. 2 fendants.—Action No. 2
In pursuance of a judgment of foreclasoure and snie, duly made and entered in the above entitled action, learing date the 13th day of November, 1898, I, the undersigned, the referes named therein, will sell at public auction, at the New-York Real Estate Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, in the City and County of New-York, on the 18th day of December, 1890, at 12 o clock noon of that day, by William Kennelly, auctioneer, the premises in said judgment mentioned and therein described as follows: said judgment mentioned and therein described as follows:

All that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land, situate, lying, and being in the Twelfth Ward, of the City of New-York, and bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Amsterdam (formerly Tenth) Avenue distant fifty-three feet five inches southerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighty-fifth Street with the easterly line of Amsterdam (formerly Tenth) Avenue; running thence easterly parallel with One Hundred and Eighty-fifth Street one hundred feet, thence southerly parallel with Amsterdam (formerly Tenth) Avenue twenty-six feet six inches, thence westerly again parallel with One Hundred and Eighty-fifth Street one hundred feet to the easterly line of Amsterdam (formerly Tenth) Avenue, and thence northerly along said easterly line of Amsterdam (formerly Tenth) Avenue and thence northerly along said easterly line of Amsterdam (formerly Tenth) Avenue and these six inches eily along and easter) hie ut amaterdam (for-merly Tenth) Avenue twenty-six feet six inches to the point or place of beginning.—Dated New-York, November 17th, 1896. EDWARD D. O'BRIEN, Referce. HOPPIN & BERARD, Attorneys for Plaintiff, T Nassau St. New-York. n18-2aw8wW&F&dD

FURS REPAIRED.

MILLER & BRIGGS, Attorneys for Plaintiff, 82 Nassau Street, New-York City. nig-zawswiapads SEAL GARMENTS REDYED, REPAIRED, OR altered into fashionable capes. Mrs. BARK-ER, 116 West 20th St., New-York; late with Gunther's Sons, 5th Av.

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not, then to the amount of such interest as may be so in arrear. The mortgage provides that these bonds are redeemable at par and accrued interest at any time before maturity, at the option of the company; also that the holders thereof shall be entitled to vote at any meeting of the stockholders of the company, and of the holders

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The following statement is filed with the Stock Exchange of the current assets and liabilities of the Standard Rope and Twine Company, as of Aug 1, 1896; CURRENT ASSETS

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