BUSINESS NOTES

NEWS OF THE PORT

SHIPPING NOTES

The British steamer Aras which sailed in this port on November 27, and the amer Linmore from Portland, steamed o Queenstown for refuge after being hadly aged by heavy storms. The Aras is manded by Captain Maradon, and is ying a cargo og petroleum for S. L. gess to Lough Willey. Strying a "cargo og petroleum for S. L. Birgess to Lough Willey.

The American steamer Lake Bloomington statnaded at Pointe de la Coubre, according to advices from Bordeaux. Heavy seas threaten to break the steamer in two.

Quarantine reports that the tug Theresa stowing a lifeboat containing erew of the Narwesian steamer Nils, previously reported to have been beached after striking the wreck of the British steamer Port Philip.

Cautain John Walsh, representing the syncers of the British steamer Corincian wereked of Brier Islams reports that 100 motorboats had swarmed around the lil-fated whin and the occumnts of the both are and the occupants of the boat are ping the Corinthia, of everything mov-

A wireless report stated that a steamer haw saved the crew of the abandoned British schooner Vancess. The schooner is still coating and a denger to navigation at interest to the 40.5%. The British schooner success from Marystown, N. M. loaded with fish was lost while entering Operts.

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pool. Dec. 18.—Spot cotton was fay with prices firm on the basis dvance of 5 points for middling, tract at 21.22d. Sales were 500 Receipts were 48.300 bales, all a Futures were steady in the

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BONDS

LONDON STOCK MARKET

Base Metal Issues Heavy-Trading Gen-

erally Dull London, Dec. 18.—Base metal shares were heavy on the stock exchange to-day, owing to sharp declines in prices for tin and copper, following the termi-nation of Government control of non-

New York, Dec. 18.—BUTTER—Receipts, 11,216 tube: unchanged, EGGS—Receipts, 8459 cases, Firsts, 6649 67; seconds, 62465c; refrigerator, special marked, 43655c; dirties, 56457c; No. 2 44655c; nearby whites, 70675c; mixed color, 66675c.

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owners by January 1. If Congress did not show a better response to his five-year proposal of Government control and operation. In fact, it was said he remarked he would recommend such action to the President by wireless.

It was also said Mr. McAdoo's remarks were communicated to the standing committee in session here and resuited in the adjournment, which was about the only news of the committee's deliberations given out to the public. It is said in some quarters that the next meeting of the committee, to be held in New York on Friday next, may be thrown open to representatives of the press.

On Government Ownership

opinion that the Administration is more anxious to get the roads off its hands than it is to retain them. He says there is great fear of the political effect on the next presidential election from a dissatisfied labor element in the railroads labor. ranks. He claims that, notwithstanding the fact that the present railroad administration has catered in every conceivable manner to labor, the results have been the reverse of what was intended. and instead of being saled water to enormous concessions and increases in wages amounting in the last year to approximately \$700,000,000, the various brotherhoods are asking for additional property of the p

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New York, Dec. 18.—Refined sugars are unchanged at 90 less 2 per cent for cash. The nenarival of raws continues to keep several refiners out of the market. This condition, however, is expected to be remedied within a few days. Raws are unchanged at 6.055c. The international committee made no purchases on Tuesday,

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THE UNITED EXHIBITORS' ASSOCIATION BELMONT 52D ABOVE MARKET LOCUST 52D AND LOCUST STREETS
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"THE DAWN OF UNDERSTANTING"

PARK RIDGE AVE. & DAUPHIN ST.
Mat. 2:15. Evg. 6:45 to 11,
PRIVATE PEAT (himself) in
"PRIVATE PEAT"

RIVOLI 52D AND SANSOM STS.
WILLIAM S. HART IS
"THE DEVIL'S DOUBLE"

STRAND Gtn. Av. at Venango, E. of Broad

PHILADELPHIA MARKETS

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of the corporation, which had ranged during the last few months from \$7.000, 000 to \$15,000,000.

Railroad Situation

There was considerable talk in the financial district yesterday over the railroad situation, but no one seemed to have any definite information. One report which was freely circulated was that the standing committee which held sessions here last week behind closed doors will report somewhere this week, probably in Chicago. One banker said he understood the report would be made this week in New York. Some color was given to the news that the standing committee would report at an early date from a statement attributed to Mr. McAdoe, who it was said expressed himself at a meeting of the Senate Interstate Commerce Commission last week as fay. Adoo, who it was said expressed himself at a meeting of the Senate Interstate Commerce Commission last week as fav-oring the return of the roads to private owners by January 1, if Congress did not

A certain banker in this city, who has never approved of the taking over of the railroads by the Government, is of the opinion that the Administration is more and instead of being satisfied with the increases aggregating \$200,000,000
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EDITH ROBERTS in
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GERALDINE FARRAR in
TURN OF THE WHEEL.

SAVOY 1211 MARKET STREET 8 A M. TO MIDNIGHT EARLE WILLIAMS IN THE MAN WHO WOULDN'T TELL." STANLEY MARKET ABOVE 10TH
11:15 A. M. to 11:15 P. M.
"UNDER
FOUR PLAGS" KNICKERBOCKER MARKET AT 40TH

Financial Briefs

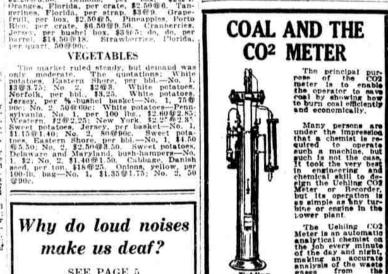
The Penn Seaboard Steel Corporation has offered stockholders of record today the right to subscribe for new stock at \$40 per shar. to extent of 40 per cent of their holdings. The allotment calls for the issue of 35,083 shares, which at \$40 a share would provide \$1.403,520 additional capital. With the issue of new stock there will be outstanding \$72,803 shares.

port on cotton seed and cotton seed products at 10 a. m. tomorrow, covering the period from August 1 to November

The New York subtreasury gained \$154,000 from the banks yesterday, making a cash net gain since Friday of \$5,790,000.

The Donner Steel Company, Inc., has filed a certificate with the Secretary of State of New York, increasing the capital stock from \$11,000,000 to \$13,-

The first consolidated report of American Railway Express for July as filed



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PRINCESS 530 A M to 11:15 P. M
MILDRED HARRIS In
"FOR HUSBANDS ONLY"

REGENT MARKET ST. Below 17TH
11 A M. to 11 P M
MAE ALLISON IN 10 11 P M
"THE TESTING OF MILDRED VANE"

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AT TILLPEROCKEN ST
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sion follows: Total operating revenue \$9.979,987; net operating loss \$1,106,-075; deficit after taxes \$1,234,849.

The stock list committee has today admitted to the unlisted department of the local exchange, Corn Exchange Na-tional Bank warrants. The committee on commission has fixed the minimum commission to be charged on these war rants at 25 cents per share.

Loans to farmers by the Federal farm loan system totaled \$8,079,085 for the month of November, the farm loan board announced today. This sum was admired to \$3228.

Not earnings of Jim Butler Tonopah for November were \$2625, as compared with \$5942 in October.

NEW YORK COFFEE MARKET Net earnings of Tonopah Belmont in November were \$59,638, against 64,594 in October. Preliminary estimates of net earnings of Belmont Surf Inlet were \$35,000, against \$20,242 in October.

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The New York Stock Exchange has admitted to dealings, Texas Company rights.

The Donner Steel Company, Inc., has The Donner Steel Company, Inc., has of the cargo of requisitioned Dutch ships, The sale will take place at 599 and 601 Broadway, New York, at 12:30 o'c'ock.

Increase in Ginned Cotton New York, Dec. 18.—The National Ginners' Association estimates that 10. 215,000 bales of cotton was ginned to December 13, against 10.131,594 bales to the same date last year; 10,838,799 bales in 1916; 19,306,209 hales in 1915,







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