

As advertised, a longer gap than usual to next deadline as I am confirmed to be away in't Far East for 3 weeks from mid-September as mentioned last time. Meanwhile, this time - three games end! Jeff Edmunds wins two from Mike Ruffhead and Graham Lee wins another 1856.

Maybe Graham will lose the new 1856 that starts after 1856V22 on page 8. His opponents are David Hooton, Ian Pendlebury & Stephen Webb. And given that those three games have finished this time I have also started an 1830 with George Lucas, Mike Ruffhead, Tony Sait, John Shelley & Don Smith after the 18EUI23 report on page 10.

The 18xx games are in order of starting (identifier order) except that 1856N23 is on page 5 after the 1829G22 report. And that's about it - not a lot of time available right now so no change there ...

**OUTPOST M7**

**ROUND 8**

The only competition was for the Orbital Lab, although nobody doubted who would get it.

**Player Action**

- Mick Auctioned an Orbital Lab for 73. Chris joined at 74 and Jeff at 75. Chris got it for 92 (o:3 w:{7},5,7,10,30,30)
- Mick Bought one Water Factory (o:2,5 w:4,9)
- Mick Bought one Population Unit (o:5 w:5)
- Dane Auctioned a Warehouse got it for 25 (o:4,4,5 w:6,6)
- Lyndon Bought one Water Factory (o:2 w:8,10)
- Sharon Auctioned an Ecoplants and got it for 30 (w:30)
- Sharon Bought three Population Units (o:2,4 t:9)
- Mike Bought one Titanium Factory (o:1,2 w:6,7,7 t:7)
- John Bought one Titanium Factory (w:5,6,9 t:10)
- Chris Passed
- Jeff Auctioned a Robots and got it for 50 (w:30,30) plus a free Robot
- Jeff Bought one Water Factory (w:4,7,9)

Pos	Player	Factories	Operators	Colony Cards	Production	Total	VPs
1	Sharon	2o,4w,1t	8p (8,0)	HE, Nod, Eco	3o,1W,1t	(49,10)	16 (85)
2	Dane	2o,5w	7p (8,0)	DL, WH, Nod	2o,2w,2W	(80,15)	11 (65)
3	Mick	2o,6w	8p (8,0)	WH, Nod	2o,4w,2W	(94,15)	11 (50)
4	Jeff	2o,6w	5p,1r (5,5)	WH, Rob	8w	(56,15)	10 (75)
5	John	2o,4w,2t	5p (8,0)	HE, Nod	1o,4w,2t	(51,10)	10 (55)
6	Mike	2o,3w,2t	5p (8,0)	HE, Nod	3w,2t	(41,10)	10 (55)
7	Chris	2o,4w	5p (5,0)	WH, OL	2o,1w,1W,1m	(60,15)	9 (75)
8	Lyndon	2o,5w	5p (5,0)	DL, DL, DL, DL	5w,1W	(65,10)	9 (60)

On Offer	Item	Count	Notes	Item	Count	Notes
	Warehouse	1	(none left)	Robots	0	(4 more)
	Heavy Equipment	2	(none left)	Laboratory	1	(4 more)
	Scientists	1	(4 more)	Ecoplants	0	(4 more)
	Orbital Lab	1	(3 more)	Outpost	2	(3 more)

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OUTPOST M7 : EXPERT : STANDARD CARDS : PHASE 2

PHASE 3 AT 30 VPS

NEXT - ROUND 9

WAITING	Game	Players
	1829 South	Tony O, Andy M, Mike R
	1829 North	George L, Jeff E, David H
	1830	Empty
	1835	Don S, George L, Tony B
	1856	Empty
	1870	Stephen W, Don S, David H
	18EU	Stephen W, Don S, Mike R
	RAILWAY RIVALS	Tony B, Mike R, John W
	OUTPOST	Ian P

**DEADLINE**

**FRIDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER, 2007**

**ROB THOMASSON**

205 TOLCARNE DRIVE, PINNER, MIDDLESEX HA5 2DN

The SP ran for \$370 last time and not \$330 as reported - Mike's cash adjusted. David Hooton kindly takes over Martin's position for this last round - the bank breaks as the FW pays dividends in the last run of OR15 and the game is over. Jeff wins clearly and comments are welcome for next time (Mike's are on file).

## Operating Round 15

	Dir	Lay(s)	[Rep]	Base	Run	Pay	Quote	Credit	Trains	Notes
MP	JE				300	Y	350B	531	6	
SSW	JE	16:G14:4	[8]		450	Y	200C	94	10	
TP	MR	146:K4:6	[143]		300	Y	180B	186	6	
SLSF	DS	23:L21:1	[9]		580	Y	160E	0	12	
SP	MR	5:L11:4			390	Y	160C	104	10	\$60 Tile Lay
GMO	DS	29:I12:2	[8]		320	Y	140B	106	6	
IC	MB	28:K2:4	[8]		420	Y	120D	26	8	
ATSF	MB				430	Y	110D	220	8	
MKT	MB				430	Y	90E	449	8	
FW	MR	23:M12:3	[9]		550	Y	40H	0	12	

## Final Cash Flow

	Start	OR15	End	Value	%	Certs	Max 16
Jeff Edmunds	2,574	770	3,344	7,644	33.2	16 - 17	
Mike Ruffhead	1,271	1,121	2,392	5,512	24.0	15 - 23	
David Smith	1,414	773	2,187	5,037	21.9	16 - 16	
Martin Butcher	1,941	800	2,741	4,801	20.9	16 - 16	

Portfolios	ATSF	FW	GMO	IC	MP	MKT	SP	SSW	SLSF	TP
Mike Ruffhead	1	9P	1	-	-	1	5P	1	1	7P
Jeff Edmunds	-	1	1	1	6P	-	-	7P	2	1
David Smith	1	-	6P	1	1	1	-	1	6P	1
Martin Butcher *	6P	-	1	6P	-	6P	-	-	-	-
Quote	110D	40H	140B	120D	350B	90E	160C	200C	160E	180B

1870X20 : STANDARD GAME : PHASE 8 : BANK - BROKEN

WON BY JEFF FROM MIKE

A couple of quick bases plus the placement of the crucial 29 tile to needed to expand westwards in the north then its pay and run. A second victory for Jeff ahead of Mike. Comments printed next time.

Lays : OR15 - C&O 8:G13:4 (\$120), B&O 29:E13:5, CPR 7:B12:5, PRR 9:F14:1, NYNH 41:C19:4.

Bases : OR15 - C&O at D14 (\$100), B&O at E11 (\$100).

Runs : OR15 - C&O 390. Else C&O 300, B&O 250, CPR 250, NYC 340, PRR 300, B&M 160, Erie 270, NYNH 200.

Final Quote - C&O 280B, B&O 275A, CPR 170C, NYC 155C, PRR 120D, B&M 110D, Erie 90E, NYNH 68H.

## Final Cash Flow

	Start	OR15	OR16	OR17	End	Value	%	Certs	Max 13
Jeff Edmunds	1,868	589	535	535	3,527	6,787	28.2	17 - 17	
Mike Ruffhead	1,864	456	447	447	3,214	6,182	25.7	14 - 14	
John Shelley	1,534	407	398	398	2,737	5,550	23.0	14 - 14	
Tony Sait	567	459	441	441	1,908	4,151	17.2	14 - 14	
Mark Stretch	13	178	178	178	547	1,413	5.9	8 - 8	

Portfolios	PRR	NYC	CPR	B&O	C&O	Erie	NYNH	B&M
Mark Stretch	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	5P
Mike Ruffhead *	-	5P	6P	3	1	-	1	-
Jeff Edmunds	2	-	-	2	6P	5P	5P	-
John Shelley	2	2	2	5P	1	1	1	1
Tony Sait	6P	3	2	-	2	1	1	-
Quote	120D	155C	170C	275A	280B	90E	68H	110D

1830H21 : STANDARD GAME : PHASE 6 : BANK - BROKEN

WON BY JEFF FROM MIKE

And a third game finishes ... this time with a bankruptcy as Graham pushes through the trains to put the BBG needing more cash for a diesel than Mark could raise. Any comments received printed next time.

**Operating Round 12**

	Dir	Lay	[Rep]	Base	Run	Pay	Quote	Credit	Trains	Notes
GW	TS	9:H9:3			210	Y	125E	105	5	
WGB	JS	14:H15:2	[57]		190	Y	125B	299	5	
CGR	GL	125:L13:2	[15]	F17	600	N	110A	236	+6	A B
CV	GL	126:F15:1	[121]		470	N	90E	240	5 (4) +D	C D
CA	DS	8:C16:3			180	Y	100B	214	6	
BBG	MH						70G	935		E

**Notes**  
 A \$100 to the Bank for a garrison  
 B \$700 to the Bank for a 6 Train  
 C \$750+4 Train to the Bank for a Diesel  
 D Diesel purchase starts Phase 6  
 E Mark Hancock is bankrupt - sold 2 TGB and 1 BBG

**Cash Flow**                      **Start**      **OR12**              **End**                      **Value**      **%**                      **Certs Max 15**

Graham Lee	1,280	19	1,299	2,424	33.3	9.5 - 9.5
John Shelley	344	132	476	1,836	25.2	9.0 - 9.0
Tony Sait	361	105	466	1,681	23.1	10.5 - 10.5
Don Smith	202	108	310	1,130	15.5	6.0 - 6.0
Mark Hancock	368	-368	0	210	2.9	2.0 - 2.0

Portfolios	BBG	CA	CV	GW	TGB	THB	WR	WGB	CGR
Mark Hancock	3P	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tony Sait	-	-	1	5P	6P	-	-	-	1
Graham Lee	-	-	6P	-	2	-	-	1	3P
Don Smith *	-	6P	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
John Shelley	-	1	1	-	-	-	2P	6P	2
Quote	70G	100B	90E	125E	65F	-	100A	125B	110A

1856N21 : STANDARD GAME : PHASE 6 : BANK - \$7,404

ANOTHER 1856 WIN FOR GRAHAM

This issue I realised that there was an error on my 1870 map. Hexes (or hexags if you're Francis Tresham) A16 and A18 were interchanged - A16 is really the one with the double small station and the \$40 river.

And below it's only OR14 at John's request. Orders on file from all others - used if not replaced. You now have more information, like which companies count against the limit and which company has two 12 trains.

**Operating Round 14**

	Dir	Lay(s)	[Rep]	Base	Run	Pay	Quote	Credit	Trains	Notes
MP	LG	7:I2:3	8:A12:3		580	Y	225C	0	6 6	
MKT	DS	8:A8:4	9:A6:3		320	Y	120D	80	8	
IC	JS	8:J15:4	8:J13:1		400	Y	120A	248	8	A
SP	DS				320	Y	110B	194	8	
GMO	JS	27:I12:1	[7]		490	Y	90E	147	12	
FW	RK	8:B17:4	8:A14:4		390	Y	72F	78	10	B
ATSF	RK	145:H3:2	[141]		510	N	64E	0	12 +6	C
SSW	RK	17:B15:1	[8]		520	H	68E	21	12 +12	D
SLSF	LG	9:I16:3	58:I14:1		450	H	60G	440	10	A
TP	LG				490	H	60F	250	12	

**Notes**  
 A \$60 to Bank for a Tile lay  
 B \$40 to Bank for a Tile lay  
 C \$510 to the SSW for a 6 Train  
 D \$1100 to the Bank for a 12 Train

**Tiles**  
 1/1 2/1 3/3 4/3 5/1 6/2 7/7 8/1 9/0 14/1 15/0 16/2 17/1 18/2 19/1  
 20/2 23/3 24/0 25/3 26/2 27/1 28/2 29/1 39/1 40/2 41/2 42/2 43/1 44/1 45/2  
 46/2 47/1 55/1 56/1 57/5 58/3 63/0 70/2 141/2 142/0 143/1 144/1 145/1 146/0 147/1  
 170/1 171/0 172/0

**Trains** 12/1(\$1,100)

Cash Flow	Start	OR14	End	Value	%	Certs	Max 16
John Shelley	718	867	1,585	3,916	27.2	16 - 22	
Lyndon Gurr	1,507	925	2,432	5,596	38.5	14 - 24	
Don Smith	951	384	1,335	2,715	19.3	10 - 10	
Roger Krueger	472	402	874	2,323	16.4	16 - 16	

Portfolios	ATSF	FW	GMO	IC	MP	MKT	SP	SSW	SLSF	TP
John Shelley	1	1	6P	7P	1	1	1	-	2	4
Lyndon Gurr *	1	1	1	1	8P	1	1	1	6P	6P
Don Smith	-	-	-	-	-	6P	6P	-	-	-
Roger Krueger	6P	6P	-	-	1	-	-	6P	-	-
Bank New	-	2	1	-	-	-	2	3	-	-
Par	82	76	68	82	72	90	90	76	100	90
Bank Pool	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Quote	64E	72F	90E	120A	225C	120D	110B	68E	60G	60F
Redeemed	2	-	2	2	-	1	-	-	2	-
Credit	\$0	\$78	\$147	\$248	\$0	\$80	\$194	\$21	\$440	\$250
Tokens Left	1	1	-	1	-	1	2+D	-	1	1

The OR15 operating order is - MP, MKT, IC, SP, GMO, FW, SSW, ATSF, SLSF, TP - unless changed by SR8.

1870P21 : STANDARD GAME : PHASE 8 : BANK - \$4,336

NEXT TIME - SR8

## 1829G22 / 11

## OR13 & SDR10

The Receiver acted on the basis that the LBSC & GCR would still be in receivership in OR14. In fact they were both returned to public ownership, the SECR was floated and all portfolios were filled to capacity.

### Operating Round 13

	Dir	Lay	[Rep]	Token	Run	Pay	Quote	Credit	Trains	Notes
LNWR	MR	47:K5:2	[20]	J5 - J9	310	Y	180	10	5 3	
GWR	JE	8:F8:5		F8 - G9 !	310	Y	200	80	4 4 3	
Mid	DR	12:M5:4	[5]	M6 - K7 !	270	Y	160	100	4 3	
LSWR	JS	24:C9:6	[9]	E10 - E6	290	Y	76	160	5 3	
GNR	TB	38:J7:1	[12]	K7 - G9 !	90	Y	90	370	3	
LBSC	BP	6:C10:2		C10 - C11	60	N	53	50		A
GER	MR	30:F9:3	[8]	G9 - G10	180	Y	76	360	4 3	
GCR	BP	25:M9:3	[8]	N7 - L6	110	N	38	190		A
L&YR	DR	38:M5:1	[12]	L5 - J6	120	Y	47	0	4	

Notes A Run by the receiver - train rented

Tiles	1/2	2/2	3/2	4/6	5/4	6/3	7/4	8/4	9/9	10/2	12/2	13/3	14/0	15/0	16/1
	17/1	18/1	19/1	20/2	21/1	22/1	23/2	24/3	25/1	26/2	27/2	28/0	29/1	30/0	31/1
	32/1	33/1	34/0	35/0	36/1	37/0	38/0	39/1	40/1	41/2	42/2	43/1	44/1	45/1	46/1
	47/1														

Trains 5/3(£550) then 7/4(£720)

### Share Dealing Round 10

\* share from the pool

John Shelley	Mike Ruffhead	Jeff Edmunds	Tony Bromley	David Roffey
+LBSC*	+L&YR	+LNWR*	+LNWR*	+L&YR
+LNWR*	+L&YR	+LNWR*	+LNWR*	+L&YR
+GNR*	+SECR/D	+GCR*	-C&HP, +Hull(315)*	+SECR
+LBSC*	+SECR	+GCR*	~	+SECR
+LBSC*	+SECR	+GCR*	~	+SECR
+LBSC*	+SECR	(S&M),+GCR*	~	+SECR
+LBSC*	+GCR*	+GCR*	~	-SECR/4,+Preston(435)
+LBSC*	~	~	~	+GCR*,+GCR*,+GCR*

Cash Flow	Start	OR13	SDR10	End	Value	%	Certs	Max 17
Jeff Edmunds	551	292	-550	293	2,589	22.9	17 - 17	
Tony Bromley	573	274	-630	217	2,768	24.5	17 - 17	
David Roffey	506	240	-665	81	2,012	17.8	17 - 17	
John Shelley	406	312	-588	130	1,812	16.0	17 - 17	
Mike Ruffhead	350	290	-434	206	2,134	18.9	17 - 17	

Portfolios	Privates	LNWR	GWR	Mid	LSWR	GNR	LBSC	GER	GCR	L&YR	SECR
Jeff E	(S&M)	2	6D	1	1	1	-	2	6D	-	-
Tony B	Hull	2	3	3	-	8D	-	1	-	-	-
David R	C&W, Preston	-	-	5D	-	-	-	1	3	8D	-
John S *	L&M	1	1	-	9D	1	6D	-	-	-	-
Mike R	-	5D	-	1	-	-	-	6D	1	2	5D
Bank New	Holyhead	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Bank Pool	C&HP	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	4
Tokens Left		3	4	3	3	4	3	2	3	1	2

1829G22 : SOUTH GAME, MSK1, PC RULE : PHASE 3 : BANK - £19,073

NEXT TIME - OR14

**1856N23 / 3****OR1 & SR2**

The CPR is floated in SR2 so we stop there. For contemplation. Okay, back on your heads ...

**Operating Round 1**

	Dir	Lay	[Rep]	Base	Run Pay	Quote	Credit	Loan	Trains	Notes
LPS	SW	57:C14:6				70D	215	100	+2	A B
GW	DS	5:F17:1		F17		65E	160	100	+2	A C B
GT	TB	57:P9:5				60F	250	100	+2	A B
CA	GL	6:D17:4				60F	185	100	+2	A B

Notes A Government Loan secured C \$40 to the Bank for a garrison  
B \$100 to the Bank for a 2 Train

Tiles 1/1 2/1 3/3 4/3 5/1 6/1 7/7 8/13 9/13 55/1 56/1 57/2 58/3 69/1  
Trains 2/2(\$100) then 3/5(\$225) 4/4(\$350) 5/3(\$550) 6/2(\$700) D/9(\$1,100)

**Stock Round 2** John Shelley bought the CPR presidency and one more CPR. Par at \$65.

Cash Flow	Start	OR1	SR2	End	Value	%	Certs	Max 13
John Shelley	180	25	-195	10	325	21.6	4 - 4	
Tony Bromley	0	10	0	10	290	19.3	4 - 4	
Stephen Webb	0	15	0	15	295	19.6	3 - 3	
George Lucas	0	20	0	20	300	19.9	3 - 3	
Don Smith	40	10	0	50	295	19.6	3 - 3	

  

Portfolios	Privates	BBG	CA	CPR	CV	GT	GW	LPS	TGB	THB	WR	WGB
John S	FT, SCFTC	-	-	3P	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tony B *	WSR	-	-	-	-	4P	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stephen W	GLSC	-	-	-	-	-	3P	-	-	-	-	-
George L	NFSBC	-	3P	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Don S	TCC	-	-	-	-	-	3P	-	-	-	-	-
Bank New	-	10P	7	7	10P	6	7	7	10P	10P	10P	10P
Par			65	65		65	70	75				
Bank Pool	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Quote			60F	65F		60F	65E	70D				
Credit			\$185	\$195		\$250	\$160	\$215				
Tokens Left		2	2	3	2	3	2	1	1	1	2	1

The OR2 operating order is - LPS, CPR, GW, GT, CA.

The flood gates are opened and not all opportunities to buy a 5 train are taken ...

**Operating Round 8**

	Dir	Lay	[Rep]	Base	Run	Pay	Quote	Credit	Trains	Notes
B&O	JW				110	Y	110D	396	3	
C&O	AM	26:H14:3	[9]		110	Y	112A	660	4	
NYC	DS	8:D20:3			130	N	82D	745	3	A B
B&M	DS	53:E23:2					76C	70	+4 +5	E F G H
NYNH	DR	62:G19:4	[54]		120	Y	69G	0	4 +3	I
CPR	DR	58:B20:1			150	Y	69G	8	3 +5	F
Erie	RK	63:H16:1	[15]	H16	180	N	63G	550	4	J
PRR	RK	9:H6:6			80	N	50H	331	3	C D

**Notes**  
 A \$5 from the SVR Private  
 B \$10 from the CStL Private  
 C \$15 from the D&H Private  
 D \$25 from the C&A Private  
 E \$300 to the Bank for a 4 Train  
 F \$450 to the Bank for a 5 Train  
 G 5 Train purchase starts Phase 4  
 H 5 Train purchase closes the Privates  
 I \$435 to the CPR for a 3 Train  
 J \$40 to the Bank for a garrison

**Tiles**

1/0	2/1	3/2	4/2	7/3	8/3	9/5	14/1	15/1	16/1	18/1	19/1	20/1	23/2	24/3
25/0	26/0	27/1	28/1	29/1	39/1	40/1	41/2	42/2	43/2	44/1	45/2	46/2	47/1	53/0
54/1	55/1	56/0	57/4	58/1	59/1	61/2	62/0	63/2	64/1	65/1	66/1	67/1	68/1	69/0
70/1														

**Trains** 5/1(\$450) then 6/2(\$630) D/6(\$1,100)

**Cash Flow**

	Start	OR8	End	Value	%	Certs	Max 13
Don Smith	7	0	7	873	16.7	9 - 9	
Andy Muir	39	89	128	1,193	22.9	9 - 10	
Roger Krueger	18	42	60	619	11.9	6 - 7	
John Webley	18	89	107	1,143	21.9	9 - 10	
David Roffey	136	173	309	1,392	26.7	13 - 13	

**Portfolios**

	PRR	NYC	CPR	B&O	C&O	Erie	NYNH	B&M
Don Smith	-	5P	-	-	-	-	-	6P
Andy Muir *	1	2	-	1	6P	-	1	-
Roger Krueger	2P	-	2	-	-	4P	1	-
John Webley	1	1	-	6P	1	1	1	-
David Roffey	-	1	6P	1	-	1	6P	-
Bank New	1	-	2	-	3	3	-	4
Par	82	90	67	100	100	71	67	82
Bank Pool	5	1	-	2	-	1	1	-
Quote	50H	82D	69G	110D	112A	63G	69G	76C
Tokens Left	3	3	2	-	1	1	1	1

The OR9 operating order is - C&O, B&O, NYC, B&M, NYNH, CPR, Erie, PRR.

1830I22 : STANDARD GAME : PHASE 4 : BANK - \$8,629

NEXT TIME - OR9 & SR7



Some dealing orders were affected by the facts that (a) this is a Half Thompson game - MsE & OIE not available until all WtE, BaE & HeE shares bought and/or (b) HeE shares could not be sold in SR8 as the company has not yet operated. In the end all companies are floated and we are set to run to the post ...

## Operating Round 9

	Dir	Lay	[Rep]	Base	Run	Pay	Quote	Credit	Trains	Notes
B-M	JS	7:K5:2			100	Y		146	2+2	
Mag	JS	20:F20:1	[9]		80	Y		81	2+2	
K-M	TS				140	Y		180	3+3	
B-S	TS							1	(+3)	A
PrE	JW				120	Y	172D	303	3+ 4	B
ByE	MS	8:O9:4			170	Y	154D	93	2+2 2+2 +4	B
SxE	JS	1:117:2			260	Y	114E	403	3+3 3	
BaE	DR	8:J10:2			190	Y	102D	32	4 3	
WtE	TS	26:O11:2	[9]		120	Y	94D	376	3+3 +3	C

Notes A 155M to the WtE for a 3 Train C 1M to the B-S for a 3 Train  
B 360M to the Bank for a 4 Train

Tiles 1/0 2/1 3/2 4/1 5/3 6/2 7/6 8/0 9/4 12/2 13/2 14/0 15/0 16/2 18/1  
19/2 20/1 23/3 24/3 25/3 26/1 27/2 28/2 29/2 55/0 56/0 57/1 58/1 69/2 87/2  
88/1 201/2 202/2 203/2 204/2 205/1 206/0 207/0 208/0 209/0 210/1 211/1 212/1 213/1 214/0  
215/0

Trains 4+4/1(440M) then 5/2(500M) 5+5/1(600M) 6/2(600M) 6+6/4(720M)

## Share Round 8

\* share from the pool

[B-S, Bra, B-M, Mag, Han convert to Prussian]

Mark Stretch	John Webley	Tony Sait	David Roffey	John Shelley
+HeE/10(84)	-ByE/30(462), +PrE/10(154)	+BaE/20(168)	Nationalise BaE/20(252)	+WtE/20(168)
+HeE/10(84)	+PrE/10(154)	+HeE/10(84)	+HeE/10(84)	+ByE*/10(140)
+HeE/10(84)	+HeE/10(84)	-WtE/10(94), +HeE/20(168)	~	+MsE/D(160)
~	+OIE/D(160)	+MsE/20(160)	~	-PrE/5(86),+MsE/20(160)
~	+OIE/20(160)	~	~	-PrE/5(86),+MsE/10(80)
~	+OIE/20(160)	~	~	-WtE/10(90),+MsE/10(80)
~	~	~	~	-ByE/10(140),+MsE/10(80)
~	~	~	~	-WtE/20(176),+MsE/10(80)

Cash Flow	Start	OR9	SR8	End	Value	%	Certs	Max
Mark Stretch	257	132	-252	137	1,579	18.1	10	12
John Webley	354	129	-410	73	1,829	20.9	12	12
Tony Sait	350	185	-180	355	1,755	20.1	12	12
David Roffey	245	192	-390	47	1,555	17.8	11	13
John Shelley	424	310	-370	364	2,028	23.2	13	14

Portfolios	Privates/Minors	PrE	ByE	SxE	BaE	WtE	HeE	MsE	OIE
Mark Stretch *	-	10/1	60/5	-	-	-	50/4	-	-
John Webley	Ost	55/6	-	10/1	-	-	10/1	-	60/3
Tony Sait	N-F, K-M	5/1	-	10/1	-	60/5	30/2	20/1	-
David Roffey	Pfa	10/1	-	-	100/8	-	10/1	-	-
John Shelley	-	-	-	80/7	-	-	-	80/6	-
Bank New	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40/4
Bank Pool	-	10/2	40/4	-	-	40/3	-	-	-
Quote		172D	140E	124D	110C	84G	86C	84D	80E
Credit		839M	93M	403M	200M	544M	840M	800M	480M
Tokens Left		2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1

The OR10 operating order is - K-M, PrE, ByE, SxE, BaE, HeE, WtE, MsE, OIE.

Moving on smoothly. The LPS reaches its destination and the GT is poised for its destination. One more 4 train bought leaving both the last one, and also the one before last, available ...

## Operating Round 5

	Dir	Lay	[Rep]	Base	Run	Pay	Quote	Credit	Loan	Trains	Notes
CPR	GL	58:N9:6			200	Y	90E	320	500	3 3	A B
GW	DR	9:E16:3			80	N	70F	55	500	3 +4	C B D
LPS	JW				90	Y	75F	134	200	3	
GT	RK	9:M8:3			220	N	40G	240	0	4 3	E

## Operating Round 6

	Dir	Lay	[Rep]	Base	Run	Pay	Quote	Credit	Loan	Trains	Notes
CPR	GL	8:L7:5			200	Y	100E	380	600	3 3	A B
LPS	JW				90	Y	80F	123	200	3	
GW	DR	9:C16:1			160	Y	75F	111	600	4 3	B
GT	RK	27:M8:3	[9]		220	Y	45G	240	0	4 3	

Notes A \$20 from the SCFTC Private D \$350 to the Bank for a 4 Train  
 B Government Loan secured E Government Loan redeemed  
 C LPS reaches its destination

Tiles 1/1 2/1 3/3 4/3 5/1 6/2 7/6 8/11 9/7 14/3 15/3 16/1 17/1 18/1 19/1  
 20/1 23/4 24/4 25/1 26/1 27/0 28/1 29/1 55/1 56/1 57/3 58/1 59/1 69/1 120/0  
 121/1

Trains 4/2(\$350) then 5/3(\$550) 6/2(\$700) D/9(\$1,100)

Cash Flow	Start	OR5	OR6	End	Value	%	Certs	Max 13
John Webley	37	70	70	177	697	19.3	6 - 6	
David Roffey	45	9	89	143	598	16.6	5 - 5	
Graham Lee	43	120	152	315	1,065	29.5	7 - 7	
Lyndon Gurr	3	65	141	209	769	21.3	6 - 8	
Roger Krueger	3	40	106	149	484	13.4	2 - 4	

Portfolios	Privates	BBG	CA	CPR	CV	GT	GW	LPS	TGB	THB	WR	WGB
John Webley	FT	-	-	1	-	-	-	5P	-	-	-	-
David Roffey	-	-	-	-	-	-	5P	1	-	-	-	-
Graham Lee	-	-	-	6P	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
LG TCC, GLSC, NFSBC	-	-	-	1	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-
Roger Krueger *	-	-	-	2	-	3P	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bank New	-	10P	10P	-	10P	5	-	3	10P	10P	10P	10P
Par	-	-	-	65	-	75	70	70	-	-	-	-
Bank Pool	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Quote	-	-	-	100E	-	45G	75F	80F	-	-	-	-
Credit	-	-	-	\$380	-	\$240	\$111	\$123	-	-	-	-
Tokens Left	-	2	2	2	2	3	2	1	1	1	2	1

The OR7 operating order is - CPR, LPS, GW, GT - unless changed by SR5.

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NEXT TIME - SR5

## 1856Z23

## GAMESTART

You are ... in dealing order ... Graham Lee, Ian Pendlebury, David Hooton, Stephen Webb.

You each have \$375 and a will to win. Map and tiles are sent with the Minstrel 304 email. Any queries - just ask. Next time I need orders for the auction of the private companies. We'll take the second part of Stock Round 1 in the adjudication after next.

1856Z23 : STANDARD GAME : PHASE 1

NEXT TIME - SR1 (PRIVATES)



This issue I realised that there was an error on my 1870 map. Hexes (or hexags if you're Francis Tresham) A16 and A18 were interchanged - A16 is really the one with the double small station and the \$40 river.

Lyndon buys into the SLSF but George also buys SLSF at the crucial stage so Don does not lose the company. George bought the SLSF because Mike bought a MKT which made space for George to sell an MKT. See?

**Operating Round 3**

	Dir	Layout(s)	[Rep]	Base	Run	Pay	Quote	Credit	Trains	Notes
ATSF	GL	9:E6:2	57:F5:2	F5			68E	380	+2 +2 +3	A B B C D
SLSF	DS	4:I14:1	8:D11:2	H13	70	Y	72G	600	2 2 2	A
MKT	JW	15:B9:3		[6] B9	100	Y	72F	480	2 2	A
FW	MR	6:J3:1	8:I2:2				64F	220	+3 +3	C C E

**Notes**  
 A \$40 to the Bank for a garrison  
 B \$80 to the Bank for a 2 Train  
 C \$180 to the Bank for a 3 Train  
 D 3 Train purchase starts Phase 2  
 E \$100 to Mike R for the SCC

**Tiles**  
 1/1 2/1 3/3 4/5 5/2 6/0 7/9 8/19 9/19 14/4 15/3 16/2 17/2 18/2 19/2  
 20/2 23/4 24/4 25/3 26/2 27/2 28/2 29/2 55/1 56/1 57/2 58/4 141/2 142/2 143/1  
 144/1

**Trains**  
 3/3(\$180) then 4/5(\$300) 5/4(\$450) 6/3(\$630) 8/3(\$800) 10/2(\$950)  
 12/6(\$1,100)

**Stock Round 4**

\* share from the pool

Mike Ruffhead	Don Smith	Lyndon Gurr	John Webley	George Lucas
+ATSF*(68)	+SLSF*(72)	-MKT/3(216),+SLSF*(72)	+FW(68)	~
FW Redeems from Mike R	~	+SLSF*(72)	~	~
+MKT*(64)	~	+SLSF*(72)	~	-MKT(64),+SLSF*(72)
~	~	-SLSF/4(288),+GMO/P(136)	~	-SLSF(64),+ATSF(76)
~	~	+GMO(68)by 4	~	~
~	~	-GMO(68),+FW(68)	[Priority]	

Cash Flow	Start	OR3	SR4	End	Value	%	Certs	Max 13
Lyndon Gurr	62	62	-120	4	568	24.4	7 - 7	
John Webley	32	57	-68	21	445	19.1	6 - 6	
George Lucas	43	10	-20	33	441	18.9	5 - 5	
Mike Ruffhead	0	110	-68	42	494	21.2	6 - 6	
Don Smith	82	36	-72	46	382	16.4	4 - 4	

Portfolios	Privates	ATSF	FW	GMO	IC	MP	MKT	SP	SSW	SLSF	TP
Lyndon Gurr	GRSC, MKT	-	1	5P	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
John Webley *	MRBC	-	1	-	-	-	4P	-	-	1	-
George Lucas	-	6P	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mike Ruffhead	-	1	5P	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Don Smith	GSC	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4P	-
Bank New	-	3	2	4	10P	10P	-	10P	10P	-	10P
Par	-	76	68	68	-	-	72	-	-	100	-
Bank Pool	-	-	-	1	-	-	5	-	-	5	-
Quote	-	68E	64F	64G	-	-	64H	-	-	64I	-
Redeemed	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Credit	-	\$380	\$156	\$680	-	-	\$480	-	-	\$600	-
Tokens Left	-	1+D	1+D	1+D	1+D	2+D	1+D	2+D	1+D	1+D	1+D

The OR4 operating order is - ATSF, SLSF, MKT, GMO, FW.

The NS could only run for £100 in OR3, not £120 as reported (thanks Stephen) - cash and credit adjusted.  
This time dividends are increased and the FS is floated ...

## Operations Round 4

	Dir	Lay	[Rep]	Base	Run	Pay	Quote	Credit	Trains	Notes
1	SW	9:H1:1						0	+3	£1 to NS - 3 train
5	MR							70		
8	DS							1		
10	DR	57:S2:3						0		
NS	SW	576:H3:5	[201]		230	Y	122C	180	3 P	
KKOS	MR	577:S8:2	[201]		160	Y	110D	95	3 P	
SNCF	DR	14:S2:1	[57]		230	Y	110D	234	4 P	
KPEV	DS	581:E10:1			220	Y	100C	214	3 3	

Tiles 3/6 4/3 7/4 8/5 9/9 14/3 15/4 57/5 58/8 80/4 81/4 82/4 83/4 141/5 142/4  
143/2 144/2 201/5 202/5 576/2 577/3 578/3 579/3 580/0 581/0

Trains P/2(£100) 4/3(£300) then 5/3(£500) 6/2(£600) 8/8(£800)

## Stock Round 2

\* share from the pool, # base replaced

Stephen Webb	Don Smith	Mike Ruffhead	David Roffey
+KPEV(100)	+NS(122)	+KKOS(110)	-SNCF(110), +FS/P(200) & Minor 10 for FS #
+KPEV(100)	~	+KPEV(100)	+FS(100) twice

Cash Flow	Start	OR4	SR2	End	Value	%	Certs	Max 16
Stephen Webb	100	115	-200	15	935	24.4	7 - 7	
Don Smith	65	110	-122	53	755	19.7	6 - 6	
Mike Ruffhead	185	103	-210	78	1,028	26.8	8 - 8	
David Roffey	155	138	-290	3	1,117	29.1	7 - 7	

Portfolios	Minor Cos	SNCB	NS	KBS	KPEV	KKOS	FS	SNCF	DR
Stephen Webb *	1	-	5P	-	2	-	-	-	-
Don Smith	8	-	1	-	5P	-	-	-	-
Mike Ruffhead	5	-	-	-	1	6P	-	1	-
David Roffey	-	-	-	-	-	-	5P	5P	-
Bank New	-	10P	4	10P	2	4	5	3	10P
Bank Pool	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Quote	-	1	122C	1	100C	110D	100C	110D	1
Credit	-	-	302	-	514	205	300	234	-
Tokens Left	-	-	4	-	2	2	4	3	-

The OR5 operating order is - 1, 5, 8, NS, KKOS, SNCF, KPEV, FS.

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NEXT TIME - OR5 & OR6

You are ... in dealing order ...John Shelley, Don Smith, Mike Ruffhead, George Lucas, Tony Sait.

You each have the usual \$480. Next time I need orders for the auction of the private companies. You have all played here many times but if any thoughts arise (that are relevant to this game) then just let me know.

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NEXT TIME - SR1 (PRIVATES)

**ST. PETERSBURG (WITH THE BANQUET) M1**

**ROUND 5 – BUILDINGS**

Mike corrected my Building Round VP counts - thanks - the main beneficiary being Jeff. This time the first Market is bought, and then the second. Jeff buys as many VPs as are allowed using his Pub.

**Buildings Action**

Mike Ruffhead	David Smith	Keith Thomasson	Jeff Edmunds
Buy Library (16)	Buy Hospital (13)	Upgrade Market to Great Palace from Hand (13)	Buy Theatre (20)
Buy Warehouse Manager from Hand (10)	Buy Controller from Hand (14)	~	~
Buy Market (5)	Observatory on Aristocrats - Take Judge into Hand	~	~
Buy Market (4)	~	~	~
Observatory on Aristocrats - Take Author into Hand			[After Scoring] Use Pub to Buy 5 VP (10)

**The Card Rows (Upper Row | Lower Row)**

[Nothing in the Lower Row]



**Cards Bought**

Jeff E	Lumberjack [3-3-0] by 2, Gold Miner [4-3-0] by 2, Fur Trapper [6-3-0] by 2, Ship Builder [7-3-0], Wharf* [12-6-1], Bank [13-5-1], Peterhof* [14-4-2], Library [17-0-5], Winter Palace* [19-2-5], Theatre [20-0-6], Pub [1-2>1], Author [4-1-0], Secretary [12-4-0], Mistress of Ceremonies [18-6-3]
Mike R	Lumberjack [3-3-0] by 2, Gold Miner [4-3-0] by 3, Fur Trapper [6-3-0] by 3, Ship Builder [7-3-0], Pub [1-2>1], Warehouse [2-0-0], Market [5-0-1] by 2, Customs House [8-0-2] by 3, Library [17-0-5], Observatory [6-0-1], Warehouse Manager [10-3-0], Tax Man* [17-1pW-0], Judge [16-5-2], Mistress of Ceremonies [18-6-3]
David S	Lumberjack [3-3-0] by 2, Gold Miner [4-3-0], Shepherd [5-3-0], Fur Trapper [6-3-0], Wharf [12-6-1], Hospital [14-0-4], Hermitage* [11-3-4], St. Isaac's Cathedral* [15-3-3], Observatory [6-0-1], Author [4-1-0], Administrator [7-2-0], Controller [14-4-1], Senator* [12-2-2]
Keith T	Shepherd [5-3-0] by 4, Ship Builder [7-3-0], Firehouse [11-0-3] by 3, Great Palace* [17-1-5], Author [4-1-0]

**Cards In Hand**

\* indicates a Trading (Upgrade) Card

Jeff E	Pope* [6-1-1], Pickpocket [Become Start Player]
Mike R	Author [4-1-0], Weapon Master* [8-4-0], Black Market [Take From Discard Pile]
David S	Secretary [12-4-0], Judge [16-5-2], Patriarch* [16-0-4]

**Summary**

Player	Hand Cap	Rubles	VPs	Income per Phase - Rubles + VPs			Round 5 Starters [Cards Left]
				Workers	Buildings	Aristocrats	
Jeff E	3	20	48	27r + 1v	11r + 19v	11r + 3v	Trading [19]
Mike R	4	9	35	27r + 0v	0r + 13v+1v?	14r+9r + 5v	Buildings [2]
David S	3	19	33	24r + 1v	6r + 11v+1v?	9r + 3v	Aristocrats [7]
Keith T	3	9	40	15r + 0v	1r + 14v	1r + 0v	Workers [1]

**Discard Pile**

Czar & Carpenter [8-3-0], Market [5-0-1], Customs House [8-0-2], Hospital [14-4-0], Library [17-0-5], Academy [23-0-7], Mariinskij-Theater\* [10 A-1], Warehouse Manager [10-3-0], Controller [14-4-1]