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- 1. Shuffle and equally divide the cards among the players. Keep all cards face down until played. No player is allowed to examine the cards he holds.
- 2. One player begins a speculation by playing a card from the top of the pack face side up upon the table, calling as he does so the name of the stock printed on it. The other players in turn then throw cards from the top of their packs, calling the name on each, until some one throws a card of the same name that began the

speculation. He who thus repeats the first name gathers up the cards played and puts them with his own, that they may be used again. The winner of the speculation is scored one point, and he begins another (played like the first) by laying down another card.

Note.—As an example, let us say that one player begins the speculation by laying down the card "Lake Shore," saying, "I speculate on Lake Shore R. R. stock." The other players continue throwing down cards and calling names until some one throws down a card marked with the name of the same stock. The player who thus repeats the first word of speculation becomes owner of the cards played.

- 3. When a player runs out of cards, he is supplied by the other players.
- 4. Do not commence a speculation with the same stock that began the one previous. If a player throws a card wrong side up upon the table, one point is subtracted from any number of points he may have, as a fine.
- 5. When a player takes a speculation, he is scored one point. The player first obtaining 10 points wins the game.