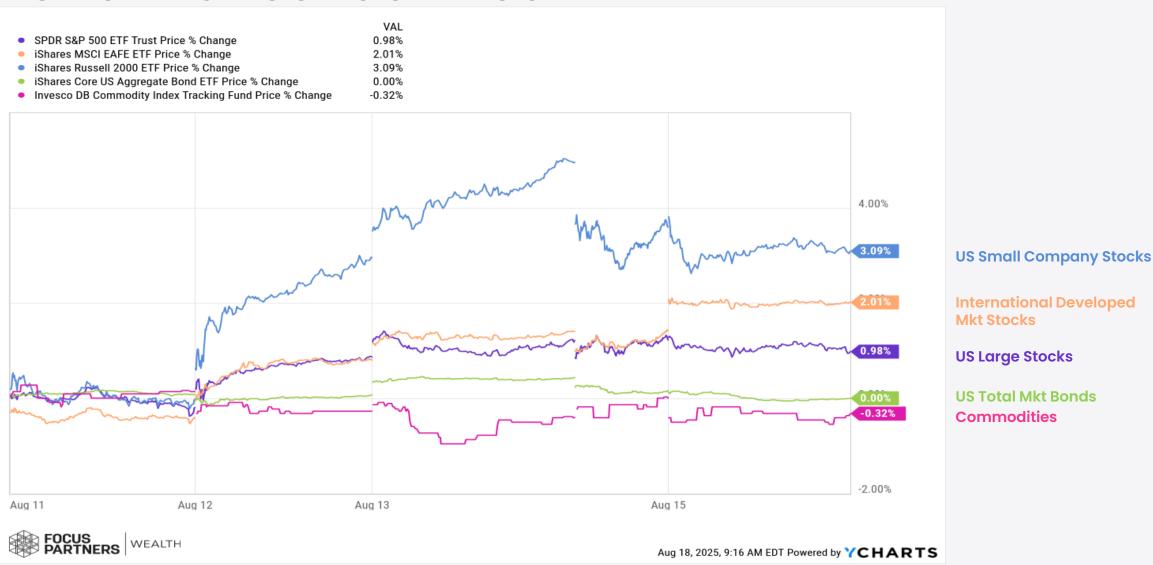


Two-Minute Market Focus

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Performance Last Week



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Chart #1: Accelerating US IPO Activity

Initial Public Offerings Completed Between Jan. 1, 2020 and June 30, 2025

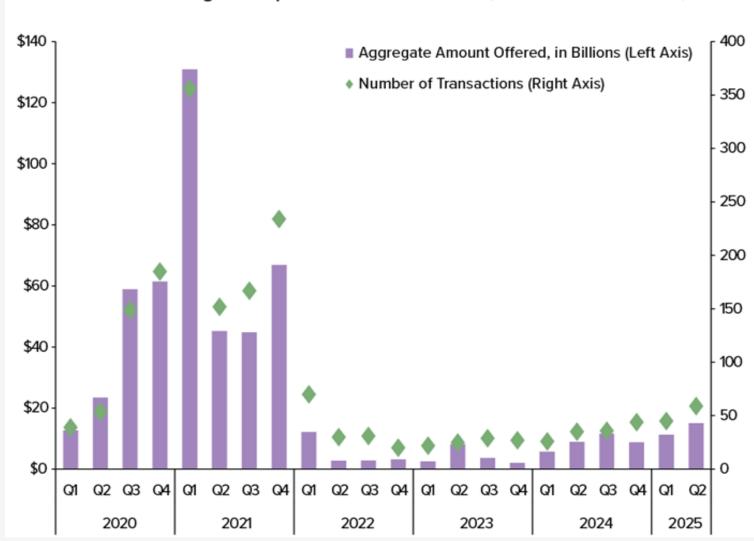
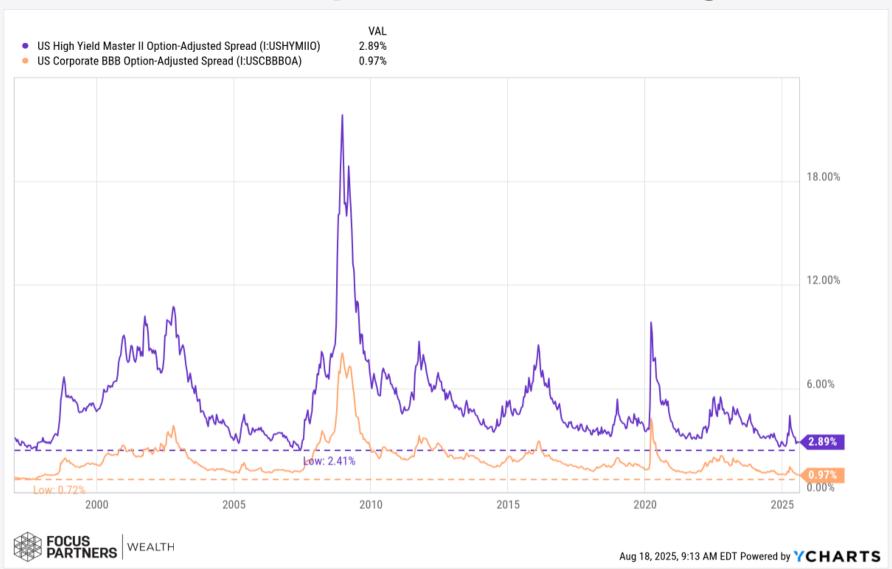




Chart #2: Credit Spreads Grinding Lower



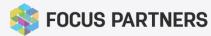
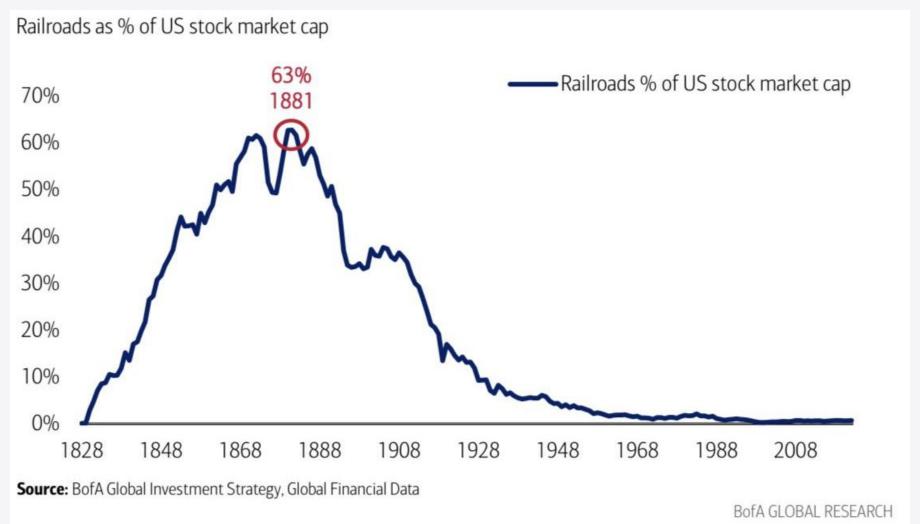


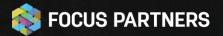
Chart #3: S&P 500 Concentration Issues?

Current Concentration is nowhere close to where railroads were in 1881





Appendix



Correction / Recession Indicators

Market Price Indicators	
Commodities Trend (50 Day Moving Average) ¹	Declining
S&P 500 Trend (200 Day Moving Average) ¹	Advancing
High Yield Credit Spreads (579 bps ave) ²	289
BBB Credit Spreads (172 bps ave) ²	97
Yield Curve 10yr – 3M (175 bps ave) ²	0.03
Yield Curve 10yr -2yr ²	58
NYSE Advance/Decline Line (month/month) ¹	Advancing

Economic Indicators	
Continued Unemployment Claims (mln) ²	1,984
GDP Nowcast (1.5-2.5% ave) ⁵	2.5%
Case-Schiller 20 Mkt HPI (y/y) ⁶	2.74%
US ISM Manufacturing (>50= expansion) ²	48.0
US ISM Services (>50= expansion) ²	50.1
Headline Consumer Price Index (y/y) ²	2.70%
Leading Economic Index (m/m)	-0.1%

Sentiment Indicators	
CNN Fear/Greed Index ³	Greed
AAII % Bulls Sentiment (39% ave) ⁴	29%
Volatility Index (13-19 ave) ¹	15.5
CBOE Total Put/Call Ratio (range = 0.9 to 1.1) ¹	0.79
% S&P 500 Stocks Above the 200 Day Moving Average (40-60 ave) ¹	60%
Total Positive	4 / 19
Total Negative	4 / 19

Sources: (1) Stockcharts.com (!ADLINENYA, \$SPXA200R,), (2) YCharts. (3) CNN.com, (4) American Association of Individual Investors, (5) Atlanta Federal Reserve, (6) YCharts



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