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Dividend Notices. AMERICAN CAN COMPANY. A quarterly dividend of One and One-quarter per cent (1 1/4%) has been declared.

THE TRUST COMPANY OF AMERICA DIVIDEND No. 27, 37 and 42 Wall St., New York, March 16th, 1909.

OFFICE HOMESTEAK MINING CO., MILLS BUILDING, 15 BROAD STREET, New York, March 11, 1909.

OFFICE OF THE NEW YORK STOCK COMPANY, 176 Broadway, New York City, March 16, 1909.

AMERICAN SECURITIES ABROAD. London, March 15, 4 p. m.—The market for American securities was dull and irregular.

FOREIGN MONEY MARKET.—Call money in London, 2 1/2 per cent; open market discount rate for short bills, 2 1/2 per cent.

SECURITIES VALUES SHOW IMPROVEMENT

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE SALES—TUESDAY, MARCH 16, 1909.

Table with columns: Shares sold, Net change, Actual Sales, Closing, Bid, Ask. Lists various stocks like Allis-Chalmers, American Agr. Chemical, American Beet Sugar, etc.

Total sales for the day, 315,515 shares, compared with 622,065 shares for the corresponding day in 1907.

BOND MARKET SALES. INACTIVE STOCKS.

The following were the last actual sales and the closing quotations for stocks in which there were no transactions yesterday on the New York Stock Exchange.

Table with columns: Last Closing, Last Bid, Last Asked. Lists inactive stocks like Adams Ex. Div., A. B. & S., etc.

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS. STOCK PRICES HIGHER.

Transactions in yesterday's stock market were light in volume on a movement of values that generally tended in the direction of higher quotations.

The full report of the country's foreign trade in the month of February, which was received yesterday, shows, as expected, a heavy falling off in the outward movement of merchandise from this country in that time.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.—The foreign exchange market opened firm at a further advance of 3 to 10 points in the London rate.

MONEY MARKET.—Money on call opened at 1 1/2 per cent; highest, 2 per cent; lowest, 1 1/2 per cent.

TRUST AND SURETY COMPANIES. (Reported by Clinton Gilbert, No. 2 Wall St.)

BOSTON STOCKS. (Published by R. L. Day & Co., No. 37 Wall Street)

PHILADELPHIA STOCKS. (Published by Charles D. Jarney & Co., No. 25 Broad St., New York, and No. 122 South 4th St., Philadelphia.)

CHICAGO CLOSING STOCKS. American Can pref. 1 1/2, Quaker Oats pref. 1 1/2, A. South Packing pref. 1 1/2, Swift & Co. pref. 1 1/2, etc.

NEW YORK CITY BONDS. 4 1/2% May 7, 110 1/2, 4 1/2% Nov 7, 109 1/2, 4 1/2% Nov 7, 109 1/2, etc.

GOVERNMENT BONDS. The following shows yesterday's closing quotations for government bonds, compared with Monday's.

EXPORTS OF MERCHANDISE. Week ended March 15, 1909. Total value, \$11,000,000.

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SALE OF \$105,000 COUNTY FUNDING BONDS. The Board of County Commissioners of Lewis and Clark County, Montana, will receive sealed proposals at seven o'clock A. M. at the office of said Board.

OUTSIDE SECURITIES. In the market for outside securities price movements continued to show an irregular tendency.

INDUSTRIAL. The rush of shorts to cover in the closing dealings on the Consolidated Exchange carried United Pacific up to 17 1/2, or 1/2 of a point above the high price touched on the Stock Exchange.

Table with columns: Shares sold, Opening, High, Low, Last. Lists industrial stocks like 400 Ray State Gas, 1200 Manhattan Trans.

Table with columns: Shares sold, Opening, High, Low, Last. Lists mining stocks like 400 Alaska Mines, 2000 Bingham C. S.

STOCKS. 1909 Annual Copper, 60% 68% 60% 68% 60% 68%.

BONDS. \$3,000 Am Steel Ply Co., 95 98 98 98 98.

COLLATERAL TRUST NOTES. Maturity 1908-'22.

NEW YORK AND OTHER GAS SECURITIES. Am L. & T., 144 140, Jackson Gas Co., 86 80.

WHEAT. Sales, bush. Opening, High, Low, Last.

COBALT STOCKS. Almagamated, 50 13 1/2 14 1/2, Merrick Nipissing, 30 30.

FERRY COMPANIES. Bid, Asked. Brooklyn Ferry, 1 1/2, 10th & 23rd St., 30 38.