

FINANCIAL NEWS-CLOSING NEW
MANY ISSUES PRESENT STRONG $\quad$ New York Stocks
TONE ON NEW YORK EXCHANGE
Professional Element Furnished Complete Surprise in Character of Market-Speculative Activities Conce
trated in Specialties-Tobacco Stocks Active


| Tax Exempt Bonds |
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| One of the foremost Statisticians and Financial Writers has made an analysis and comparison ness of Tax Free and Taxable Bonds. |
| We will be glad to uend a copy of the above upon request. <br> We advise the purchase of |
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TRADE ON THE LOCAL EXCHANGE IS ACTIVE; MARKET TONE STRONG

Electric Storage Battery and General Asphalt Continue Center of Attraction-Latter Makes Big Gain. Remainder of List Uninteresting

| High Points in Today's Financial News <br> An irregular tone at the opening on the New York Stock Exchange is followed by decided strength, many issues joining in the upward movement. Trade on the local exchange is active, with the Asphalts and Electric Storage Battery continuing their advance. Business on the curb is in fairly large proportions. Dullness to the point of semistagnation characterizes busineas in the forelgn exchange market. Cotton is lower. Corn market is erratic. Commercial bar silver is unchanged. |
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