FINANCIAL NEWS-CLOSING NEW YORK AND PHILADELPHIA STOCK QUOTATIONS


NEW YORK MARKET SHOWS GOOD
BUYING POWER AND PRICES GAIN NEW YORK STOCK SALES


## Opportunity

## BANKS' PROFITS SOAR

Local National Institutions
port Big Gain in Deposits




STOCK TRADING TELLS MATERIAL REACTION OF CLIQUE OPERATIONS IN OUTSIDE MARKET





UPWARD MOVEMENT
IN COTTON CONTINUES
 Largely Responsible for Ad
vance-Old Style Active
Philadelphia Stocks


| LOCAL STOCK TRADING IS DULL; CHANGES SMALL FOR HOME ISSUES |  |
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| Steel Common and Baldwin Make Substantial Gains and Lake Superior Follows Leader-Bond Trading Shows Improvement |  |
| Stock tranisactions on the Philadelphia Exchange today were small and with few exceptions, changes in prices were unlifportant. United Staten Steel common was the active leader and it developed good strength, ad-vancing more than 1 point, with the price again close to par near the close, while Lake Superior Corporation, on a small turnover, reflected the Baldwin Loctmotive continued in demand and was forced up nearly 2 |  |
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| quarterly dividend from $\$ 1.50$ to $\$ 1$ had been expected and therefore cauesd <br> no nurprise on the Street. No sales of this issue appeared on the local board, but in New York it was slightly higher virtually throughout the |  |
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| and uninteresting. Brill ylelded $1 / 2$ and Union Traction gained the samg <br> amount, while storage Battery lost a trine. Bond trading was broader than it has been for a long time, but price |  |
| changes were small. Third Liberty 41/4s were in demand and made a fair advance. |  |
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| the capital sebck from $\$ 600,000$ to $\$ 1,000,000$. Stockholders of record April 1 whide given the priviloge of subscrine to each six shares now held.share in the proportion of four new shares |  |
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| Of the proceeds of the new stock, $\$ 25$ per share will be applied to sur$\$ 50$ each on June 10 and July 10 .$\qquad$ |  |
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## UNITED STATES

 GOVERNMENT
## LIBERTY LOAN BONDS

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| 31/2\% | 1932 | 1947 | 3.60\% | .55\% |
|  | 1932 | 1947 | 4.55\% | 4.32\% |
| 4 \% | 1927 | 1942 | 4.95\% | 4.45\% |
| 41/4\% | 1932 | 1947 | 4.82\% | 4.60\% |
| 41/4\% | 1927 | 1942 | 5.19 | 4.70\% |
| 41/4\% | 1933 | 1938 | 4.86\% ${ }^{\text { }}$ | 4.75\% |
| 41/4\% |  | 1928 |  | 4.85\% |

GULL information regarding the tax FEATURES OF THE LIBERTY LIOAN BOND
ISSUES WILL BE FURNISHED UPON REQUEST

MONTGOMERY \& CO

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Liberty Loans
all issues
BOUGHT AND SOLD ON COMMISSION AT

## West \& CO.

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## The <br> Elimination of Chance

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