

MARKET MOVEMENT CONTINUED MIXED

Pool Specialties Again Held the Center of the Speculative Stage

New York, Dec. 27.—The market started out this morning like a house on fire, there being a general resumption of the vigorous buying movement in a number of pool specialties, with quite a few establishing new high records for the year. Speculative enthusiasm, however, soon received a chill in the stiffer opening rate for call money, and therefore early gains were not long maintained.

Commodity Markets

GRAIN MARKET

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Fresh upturn in the value of wheat took place today during the early dealings, higher quotations at Liverpool counting as a bullish factor. Talk was also current that there had been a liberal amount of export business done overnight.

COTTON MARKET

New York, Dec. 27.—New cotton futures market movement was established in a certain measure this morning when May 1924 contracts for the first time were quoted at 20 1/2 points, a first since the latter part of 1922.

NEW YORK COFFEE MARKET

New York, Dec. 27.—The market for coffee futures was irregular with the price of the near month contracts showing a slight advance, while the price of the near month contracts showed a slight decline.

DIVIDENDS DECLARED

Atlantic Coast Line 1 1/2%
Atlantic Fruit 1 1/2%
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STOCK DIVIDENDS

New York, Dec. 27.—The market for stock dividends was irregular with the price of the near month contracts showing a slight advance, while the price of the near month contracts showed a slight decline.

MONEY-LENDING RATES

New York, Dec. 27.—Money on call, both cases and time, was 1 1/2% to 2%.

LONDON METAL MARKET

London, Dec. 27.—The market for London metal was irregular with the price of the near month contracts showing a slight advance, while the price of the near month contracts showed a slight decline.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS

Only Afternoon Report in Philadelphia Quoting Full List

Table with columns for Stock, High, Low, Net Change, Div., and various stock symbols like Ajax Rubber, Alaska Gold Mines, etc.

LEH. NAVIGATION LOCAL FEATURE

Lake Superior Made New Low Record on Income Tax Loss Sales

Lehigh Navigation was the chief attraction of the local market, making a new figure for the current movement at 70. While this quotation was 3 1/2 points under the high of the year, it nevertheless showed a gain of practically 10 points from the bottom price.

Philadelphia Stocks

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BANK CLEARINGS Bank clearing today compared with corresponding date last year 1922 1923

Raw Sugar Active and Steady New Armour Company Chartered New York, Dec. 27.—The certificate for a charter for New Armour & Co. of New York, Inc., has been filed in the office of the Secretary of State.

Prices Easy on Paris Bourse Paris, Dec. 27.—Prices were easy on the bourse today. Three per cent treasury bonds were quoted at 100.00, 100.00, 100.00.

BAR SILVER Bar silver was 1 1/4 higher in London today at 30 1/2.

ABRINK MORE FOR COAL Increasing demand and decreasing supply in the coal region for the winter has led to a rise in the price of the coal.