

BETHLEHEM STEEL BOOM IS HERE ADVANCED AGAIN IN MINE SHARES

Made a Net Gain of Sixteen Points on Wall Street.

LIST WAS IRREGULAR GOLD STOCKS LEAD

Bears Active and There Were Signs of Heavy Profit-Taking.

NEW YORK, April 12.—Irregularly, but based upon reaction towards the close, was the dominant note of today's stock market.

Other leaders, like Union Pacific, Reading and some of the dividend-paying shares, failed to attract high quotations.

ALASKAN CENTRAL HAS BEEN SOLD

United States Government Takes It Over From Inret-national Assets.

After months of negotiation the United States Government has purchased the Alaskan Central Railroad for \$150,000,000.

BIG FRAUD ALLEGED IN SALE OF BONDS

More Than Five Million Dollars Involved—Eight Men Indicted.

CHICAGO, April 12.—Indictments against John Farrow, Jr., and his brother, Charles Farrow, and six other men, charged with misusing the sale of securities amounting to \$5,000,000 in a Colorado irrigation deal, were announced today by the United States district attorney's office here.

WHEAT MARKET CLOSED HIGHER

Bulls Had Advantage in the Chicago Pit Thruout the Day.

ICE IS CLEARING OUT Way is Open to Grain Fleets Thru Straits of Mackinaw.

CHICAGO, April 12.—Bulls had the advantage today in wheat. Exporters were buying for new crop futures, and it was apparent that cargoes of the old crop wheat were moving freely over the Great Lakes.

STANDARD BOARD OF TRADE

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern \$1.16 1/2; lake ports, No. 1, \$1.09 1/2; No. 2, \$1.07 1/2.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C. W. 69 1/2; No. 3 C. W. 67 1/2; track, bay ports; No. 1 feed, 67 1/2; sample, 69 1/2.

BRAZILIAN EARNINGS

Total gross earnings... \$5,797,500 \$5,785,027 \$ 12,472

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RECORD OF YESTERDAY'S MARKETS

Table with columns: TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE, Bid, Ask, and various stock symbols like Alcan, B.C. Electric, etc.

NEW YORK STOCKS

California lemons have advanced, and now selling at \$3.50 to \$4 per case, the Mexican lemons at \$1.50 to \$1.80 per half-box.

WHEAT UNCHANGED

Dull on St. Lawrence Market—Only One Load of Hay.

STANDARD SALES

Op. High. Low. Cl. Shares. Apex 2 1/2 2 3/4 2 1/4 2 1/2

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET

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Yes. Last wk. Last yr. Minneapolis 148 200 215

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Ahead of the Advance

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