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New York, Feb. 26.—President Wilson's message to Congress regarding authority to arm American ships, and recommend- ing other means for the protection of the country's merchant marine, was the out- standing incident of today's dull and pro- spective market.

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HOLLINGER OUTPUT DECREASED FURTHER

Cut in Dividend Disbursement Will Leave Comfortable Monthly Surplus.

The wisdom of the course decided upon by the Hollinger directors with regard to the cutting of the dividend in half is demonstrated by the four weekly report to the shareholders sent out yesterday.

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THE DOMINION BANK

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of three per cent. has been declared upon the paid-up Capital Stock of this Institution for the Quarter ending 31st March, 1917, being at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum, and that the same will be payable at the Head Office of the Bank and its Branches on and after Monday, the 2nd day of April, 1917, to shareholders of record of 20th March, 1917.

Record of Yesterday's Markets

Table with columns: TORONTO STOCKS, STANDARD STOCK EXCHANGE, and various stock names and prices.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Table with columns: J. P. Bickell & Co., Standard Bank Building, Toronto, report fluctuations in New York Stocks.

TORONTO SALES

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close, Sales, and various commodity names.

MONEY RATES

Table with columns: Bank of England, 4 1/2 per cent.

STANDARD SALES

Table with columns: Gold, Open, High, Low, Close, Sales, and various commodity names.

DULL DAY IN MONTREAL

Heron & Co. report: Montreal, Feb. 26.—This was another dull day on the local exchange, some trading in U. S. Steel being the only feature.

COBALT ORE SHIPMENTS

Cobalt ore shipments for the week ending February 23rd, 1917.

LONDON METALS

London, Feb. 26.—Spot copper 130 1/2.

UNEVENTFUL MART IN MINE STOCKS

Pete Lake Fairly Active and Firm—Trading Professional in Tone.

Moderately active trading of a distinctly professional tone characterized the mining market yesterday, with transactions a little above the hundred thousand share mark.

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HERON & CO.

Members Toronto Stock Exchange. STOCKS, BONDS, MINING SHARES, GRAIN, UNLISTED SECURITIES.

MARK HARRIS & CO.

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Utmost in Service

With the general range of prices apparently on bottom, authentic news from the mines of Porcupine and Cobalt is of inestimable value to those seeking success in this market.

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Member Standard Stock and Mining Exchange. Direct Wire to New York.

TEMISKAMING SHAREHOLDERS

We strongly advise shareholders to get full information from the Directors of the Temiskaming Mining Company regarding terms of the proposed Kirkland Lake deal, before giving proxies to interests opposing the plan.

J. A. MCCAUSLAND & CO., STOCK BROKERS

12 KING ST. E. TORONTO.

BUY BUTTE-DETROIT

WM. L. CREDEN, E.M., Managing Director. General Manager Davis-Daly Copper Company; Consulting Engineer Butte & Superior Mining Company.

J. T. EASTWOOD

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oil stocks

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CAFERRON & COMPANY

225 South La Salle Street CHICAGO

LONDON STOCK MARKET

London, Feb. 26.—The distribution of the American mail caused a readjustment of money rates today.

GEO. O. MERSON & CO.

Chartered Accountants. 807 LUMSDEN BUILDING

WM. A. LEE & SON

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Investment Yields

At present prices high-grade Porcupine and Cobalt securities return from 6 to 37 per cent., and thereby offer an unusually attractive investment opportunity.

F. C. SUTHERLAND & CO.

Members Standard Stock Exchange. 10-12 King St. East - - Toronto, Ont.

BOSTON-MAINE RECEIVERSHIP

Boston, Feb. 25.—The receivership of the Boston and Maine Railroad was made permanent by the federal district court today.

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