# THE STOCK MARKET

A British Victory Wanted to Lift up Prices.

## THE WEEK'S SALES WERE 91,500

Firm - Winnipeg is Firmer - Inquiry for Boundary Stocks.

drums, waiting for a financial breeze or gale to move it. The sales continue to be limited. Stock brokers, when asked when the market will be lively again, invariably say that there will be no great change for the better until the British gain some decided advantage in South Africa, and it is settled beyond a doubt that their forces can corner the Boers. Then prices will advance with rapidity, and the market will be better than ever. The sales for the week ending last evening were 91,500, against 83,750 for the previous week. The les by days were as follows:

Thursday	12,000
Friday	No sales
	29,000
	4,500
	21,000
Wednesday	
Total	91,000

market, was the partial closing down of

			Cariboo (Camp McKinney) 80  Minnehaha 15  Waterloo 104  Smuggler 134  Old Ironsides 51 00  Rathmullen 83  Rathmullen 34  Morrison 54  Morrison 54  Winnibez 28  Athabasca 30 28  Dardanelles 9 7  Roble Five 9  Rambler-Cariboo 52  Wonderful \$30 00  Sardanelles 9 7  Roble Five 9  Rambler-Cariboo 52  Wonderful \$30 00  Sardanelles 9 7  Republic \$100 95  Wonderful \$30 00  Sardanelles \$30 00  Republic \$100 95  Wonderful \$30 00  Sardanelles \$30 00  Sardanelles \$30 00  Sardanelles 9 7  Roble Five 9  Rambler-Cariboo 52  Wonderful \$30 00  Sardanelles \$	ation here, and it has been found necessary to send out after another one, which it is expected will arrive within the next few days. Unless some new and unexpected difficulty comes up, they will be able to turn on the stream in the huge dume within the next 60 days, at about which time it is expected that everything will be ready to begin operations at the smelter power house, and it is likely that the big plant itself will be able to start up by the time the dam is finished.  EAST KOOTENAY.  Work to be Resumed on Several Properties—Progress on the St. Eugene.  The Chickamon Stone is now in shape to extract ore, in fact there is a large amount of shipping ore now on the dump. At the head of quartz creek, a tributary of Bull river, is the Star group, upon which work will shortly be resumed and the mine thoroughly exploited.  The Golden Five, located seven years ago, is a promising property of which great things are expected. When the work now being done is completed, it is believed that shipping ore will be encountered. Some rich ore was taken from the property several years ago.  On Tracy and Lewis creeks there are a number of claims which bid fair to become producers this year. On the dump of the Estella there is considerable ore of a shipping grade. The John L., Minnie M. and Tiger will probably join the procession this year.  The machinery which will be installed on the Dupont and Big Chief, on Boulder creek, is sufficient evidence, to the outsider, that the properties are regarded as of great yalue, in fact the mines are now	and Mackenzie, adjoins the townsite on the north, as does the Oro Denoro on the west. The embryo town of Denoro, unlike most new places, already has excellent transportation facilities, or at least is at the mercy of two branches of that great railroad octopus, the Canadian Pacific, as both the Phoenix branch and the B. C. mine spur pass within 400 feet of the new town. Ross Thompson, the ubiquitous, with a few of his associates in the Oro Denoro, are the controlling spirits in this new venture, and although (a portion of the new town was recently surveyed by N. F. Townsend of Rossland) the lots are net on the market, it has been learned that numerous reservations for lots have been made. Ross Thompson has a keen eye for the location of a town, and his many friends throughout the Boundary are beginning to believe that he has in his hands a future Rossland in Denoro, particularly, in view of the recent strike at the B. C. Already the Columbia Telephone company has completed a line into the new town, and communication with the outside world may be had as soon as the instruments arrive and can be put in position.  The stimulating effect caused by the strike in the B. C. and the satisfactory development of the Oro Denoro at this writing can hardly be minimized. In all directions development forces are being increased, and claim owners, encouraged by the condition of the camp, are commencing development, and already in a least three properties have good strike	keep American goods out, and over so percent of the goods and merchandise consumed in this section are today bought in Canada.  "Be it resolved, that we heartily endorse the application for the Kettle River Railway, and request and instruct that a representative of this board appear before the railway committee as representing the people of this city and urge upon the railway committee and the government to grant said charter, and we further instruct the secretary to send a copy of this resolution to Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Hon. A. G. Blair and Hewitt Bostock, M. P., and request their hearty co-operation in support of this bill."  MADE A SAVING.  Arbitrators Make Their Award on Land Expropriated.  Grand Forks, B. C., Feb. 6.—Judge Spinks and his fellow arbitrators today made their award in connection with the expropriation of certain lands up the north fork of Kettle river, resulting from the erection of a dam across the river for the Grand Forks smelter. The corporation, in accordance with an agreement with the smelter company, will assume all the costs and expenses.  Thos. Hardy was awarded \$30 per acre and \$600 for timber; Thos. Newby, \$31 per acre; Len Newby, \$25 per acre. The total amount to be paid by the city will approximate \$14,000, as compared with claims aggregating \$40,620. Thus a considerable saving will be effected.  The counsel were L. P. Eckstein, representing the city; J. A. Macdonald of Rossland, for the smelter company, and Chris Pringle and J. P. McLeod for the land	A <sub>1</sub> co m Si Ca
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at 51c., 500 at 51 1-2c.; Peoria, 2000 at 1 3-4c.; American Eagle (pooled) 5000 at 4c.; White Bear, 5000 at 3c.; Okanogan, 1500 at 5 1-2c., 3000 at 6c., 3000 at 6 1-2c.; Rathmullen, 2000 at 5 1-4c.; Giant, 2030 at 7 3-4c.; Baker City, 2006 at 1-4c.

Monday's Sales Okanogan, 500 at 5 1-2c., 1,000 at 6c., Winnipeg, 3.000 at 25c. Tuesday's Sales.

Giant, 1,000 at 8c.; Okanogan, 2,000 at 5c., 1000 at 6c.; Peoria, 5000 at 1 34c.; Morrison, 2500 at 5c., 1000 at 5 1-4c., 5000 at 5c.; Rathmullen, 4000 at 5 1-2c.

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GRAND FORKS INTELLIENCE. Mining Development in the Boundary Creek District.

The principal event of the week, and the mine is being carried steadily forward, acreage to fruit growing, gardening and game was fast and interesting. The Ross and everything gotten in readiness for general farming. The ranch is one of the mine is being carried steadily forward, acreage to fruit growing, gardening and general farming. The ranch is one of the mine is being carried steadily forward, acreage to fruit growing, gardening and general farming. The ranch is one of the mine is being carried steadily forward, acreage to fruit growing, gardening and general farming. The ranch is one of the mine is being carried steadily forward, acreage to fruit growing, gardening and general farming. The ranch is one of the mine is being carried steadily forward, acreage to fruit growing, gardening and game was fast and interesting. The Ross for general farming the mine is being carried steadily forward, acreage to fruit growing, gardening and game was fast and interesting. The Ross for general farming the mine is being carried steadily forward, and everything gotten in readiness for general farming. The ranch is one of the mine is being carried steadily forward, and everything gotten in readiness for general farming. The ranch is one of the mine is being carried steadily forward, and everything gotten in readiness for general farming.

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AN IMMENSE STRIKE MADE IN THE B. C. MINE.

the Oro Denoro to Be a Great Prop-Development, It Is Thought, Will Prove erty-A New Townsite.

an immense body of practically solid chalcopyrite ore on the 250 foot level of the B C mine has easily added to the B C mine the B ruary 3.- | Special. ]-The recent strike of Winnipeg, 1000 at 28c.; Rathmullen, 500 at 5 1-2c.; Rambler-Cariboo, 500 at 51c.; Tamarac, 1000 at 8 1-4c.; Giant, 2000 at 8 8., 2500 at 7 1-2c., 1000 at 7 1-2c., 500 at 7 1-2c.; Morrison, 5000 at 5 5c.; Okanogan, and procaims the B. C. the "Le Roi" of The Twenty-One is the property of the Boundary-Lardeau Mining company.

2000 at 5 1-2c., 1000 at 5 1-2c.; Royal Gold, the entire Boundary district. This ore and although the drift on the ore has since been extended 53 feet, it is impossible to form any adequate idea of the real extent of this magnificent ore chute. Both walls, the back and floor, are all in ore of the same quality. The ore is a eatuiful mass of close-grained chalcopyrite, and a recent average of many samples taken places the value of the ore at 12 per cent copper and five pounds in gold per ton. The B. C. is essentially a copper mine, and the local management is particularly gratified at the uniform gold value found in the new ore body, as the gold

and the second exclusive affected to be managery mentions and any mentions and the grant of the War Angle and Coatre Second the Seco on the shares of the Boundary Creek Mining to make come left to stay, and at the mining to a cozy home in the country, where they have chosen to reside. The various humber mills are getting ready for the building rush which comes every spring, at which the would se purchase Big Three, but the figures at which the would se purchasers wanted it for are so low that holders refused to rade. On the board 7 is asked and 5 is bid for it.

Evening Star continues quiet and is a been and is revery than it has been notwith took is exposing some good sized bodies of capital into the country during the fact that the development sork is exposing some good sized bodies. Cariboo (Camp McKinney) is stronger than it has been and is quoted at 80 asked.

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will double its population-before next fair of the minute chings. There is not as much trading during the work as there was a short time since in Giant. There was a revival of interest properties of the state of the control of the to extract ore, in fact there is a large not on the market, it has been learned

tinued to develop in such a satisfactory manner that the second payment was anticipated by 10 days, and was made on Saturday last to the original owners through the Merchants Bank of Halifax at Grand Forks. The mine is under the

Last night a first class strike of a fine grained chalcopyrite and pyrrhotite ore body was made in the shaft of the Twenty One, a property lying above the railros

body was struck at a point 250 feet east of the recent strike on the Strawberry of the shaft in a crosscut to the north, of a 60-foot shaft has demonstrated the existence of a solid body of fine-grained iron pyrites nine feet wide. At this the contact yein is well defined, and gives every appearance of continuity.

WILL RAISE FRUITS, ETC.

Several Plats Near Grand Forks Recently Disposed Of.

Grand Forks. B. C., February 3, 1900. Stanley Muir of Grand Forks and Mat-hew Burrell of Grimsby, Ont., have pur-Grand Forks, February 2, 1900.

An entertainment in aid of the Canadian patriotic fund will be held in the Grand opera house on Saturday evening.

Grand Forks, February 2, 1900.

It down in the new ore body, as the gold of the ore in the upper levels was beautiful to the ore in the upper levels was bractically nil.

Development work in other portions of the mine is being carried steadily forward, Grand opera house on Saturday evening.

Grand Forks, February 2, 1900.

It down in the new ore body, as the gold four miles from this city. They purpose establishing a nursery, where fruit, ornative mental shrubs and flowers will be grown.

Development work in other portions of the mine is being carried steadily forward, gardening and grand rush, and almost succeeded in adding another game was characterized by good, clean playing throughout. The ice was in fine condition, and the grand rush, and almost succeeded in adding another game to their score. The game was characterized by good, clean playing throughout. The ice was in fine condition, and the chased 150 acres of John Manly's ranch, best known in the Kettle River valley.

Several other ranches in the city are be, time. ket, was the partial closing down of War Eagle and Centre Star mines.

War Eagle shares, which were selling make a substantial contribution in aid of the Capadian Pacific restricts.

Several other ranches in the city are beyond and shipped to the Trail smelter. At ing cut up into 10-acre plots which will be present the Capadian Pacific restricts.

ROSSEAND TEAM THE WINNER

THE HOCKEY GAME WITH GREEN WOOD LAST EVENING.

The Team From This City Takes Three Goals to Two-A Good, Clean Game Ice in Good Condition.

Greenwood, B. C., Feb. 3 .- (Special.)-The first game of hockey played between Rossland and the home team tonight re sulted in a victory for Rossland by 3 to 2. After about seven minutes' play, Greenwood scored first goal, and three minutes later Rossland shot one. Near the end of the first half, Rossland scored again. Both teams showed to about equal advantage at the end of the first half. The second half opened much in Rossland's favor, Greenwood having to play altogether on the defensive. A third goal was shot by Rossland after 12 minutes' play. Then Neill. the Greenwood team seemed to pull together, and carried the puck to Rossland's goal with a rush, shooting again and again without success. A Rossland man was ruled off the ice for two minutes. After Victoria—Alex. Stewart, J. B. Lovell. nearly 25 minutes' play, Greenwood shot a second goal, and till near the end of the game, made the boys in red work hard to protect their goal. The bell rang just as

lons per minute, a 50-horse power boiler and hoist. Thos. Parkinson, president of the company, says the plant will be entarged long before the 400-foot level is

held here on the 5th prox. Mayor Lloyd A. Manly has

the city with a new ladder truck. local fire department already possess steam fire engine, and is otherwise oughly equipped.

PROVINCIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS. Appointments Which Appear in the

Victoria, Feb. 1.-The Official Gaz contains notice of the following appointments as police commissioners: Grand Forks-Wm. B. Davey, Hugh B.

Nelson-W. J. Wilson, Edward Albert Crease.

Revelstoke—Thomas Kilpatrick, Thompson E. L. Taylor. land-John S. Clute, jr., Hector Rossland—John S. Clute, jr., Hector McPherson. Vernon—Alfred Curtis Carew, Frederick Billings. Victoria—Alex. Stewart, John Piercy.

The license commission Columbia-E. Leonard Beer, Joseph H, Simard.
Cumberland-T. E. ...chon, John Rob-Grand Forks-Wm. B. Davey, Hugh Greenwood-James Sutherland, Carj.

McArthur. Kamloops G. Munro, A. J. Taylor. haslo-John D. Moore, r. F. Stephen on. Nanaimo — Charles — arnes, W. Trail Heddle.
New Westminster J. M. McDonald.

Arthur Malins.
Nelson-Wm. Irvine, J. A. Kirkpatrick.
Revelstoke-Wm. Newman, Wm. L. Nettle.

Rossland—A. A. McKenzie, W. F. Mc-

Vancouver-F. R. Stewart, Robert Dewdney-Hector Ferguson of Port Haney, and John Wren of Mission

The new justices of the peace are: Joseph Kilpatrick Johnson and John Baptist Henderson and James Addison

all of Grand Forks.

The notaries public gazetted arc:
Harry John Painter of Vancouve; Wm. George Paxton of Atlin; Henry C. Han-ington, Grand Forks; John David Spence of columbia; Edgar Bloomfield of Valu-couver, and Lister Neville Smith of

Angus Cameron of Gladstone, and Paul Rochussen of Cascade, justices of the peace, to hold small debts courts for Cas-cade and within a radius of 10 miles there-

Tame Session of the House-Want of Con

Victoria, Feb. 2.-(Special.)-Although the want of confidence resolutions in the names of Mr. Turner and Mr. Joseph Martin are still shelved and will be until Mr. Dunsmuir returns to the house, although the estimates were not presented and the government was again obliged to desist from forcing the vote on a second reading of the Coal Mines Regulation bill,

the passage of the pinciple of the liquor license, a corrective bill, the opposition politely refrained from exercising to the full the opportunty to say we told you

their third reading, the supreme court bill, small debts bill and company's bill full court sittings thrice yearly at Vic-toria and Vancouver, and Mr. J. M. mar-tin pointed out that under the present appellate court arrangement it was fre-quently impossible for a Kootenay judge to properly deal with the first instance work in the district of Rossland and Nel-

Helmcken urged that the time had arrived for sittings of the full court in Kootenay, at stated periods, or that in any event a-resident judge should be al-lotted to Kootenay so that prompt dispos-

al of cases mig... be possible.

Joseph Martin denied the necessity for a full court sittings in Kootenay, as yet, but agreed that a resident judge would be supreme court sittings there.

Attorney-General menderson gave assurance that this matter was under consider ation by the government and it was 10000 the wishes of Kootenay and the Boundary neighborhood would be thoroughly met.

Among the public measures in private members hands dealt with during the afternoon was Kellia's now femous hill to

ernoon was Kellie's now famous bill to restrict to "six inches in length on the scalp," the length of hair that may be worn by employes in metalliferous and other mines of British Columbia. 'Inspect its first reading on a very close call a negative having first been recorded out of sheer love of fooling.

McBride's bill to premit of the introduction of automatic machines, on the nickel in the slot principle, was also introduced to the house.

The important resolution of the day wa that offered by Captain Irving and unan mously adopted. It was to the effect that British Columbia is British and w desire the home govenment and the govenment of Canada to know that we, as an

ement of Canada to know that we, as an integral part of the British empire, can be depended upon to assist, both with men and means, to uphold our empire and that the present just war must be brought to a finish at whatever cost, was especially important, as designed to be taken as a censure or repoof to the Dominion of the control of minion government for a pathetic recogn tion of the Dominion's part in the Em The annual meeting of the Sunset Copper company, which is developing the lt also introduced an important statem Sunset claim in the Similkameen, will be from Premier Semlin, which was that he ented to furnish and equip 50 mounted men for the field. "Inasmuch as the government had no evidence that the city of Victoria

had no evidence that the city of Victoria was in a position to carry out such a contract in the event of its acceptance. Victorians hotly resent the declaration as gratuitously impertinent.

Captain Irving also promises further excitement next week, when he will move that, in the opinion of this house, it is a menace to parliamentary institutions for a speaker of the House to attend party-caucuses. The motion is strengthened by caucuses. The motion is strengthened be the understood feeling of Mr. Prenticand one other member of the government side against the principle of practice in volved, from which it is hoped that the government will either be defeated on the McArthur.

Kamloops—G. Munro, A. J. Taylor.
Kaslo—J. D. Moore, E. F. Stephenson.
Nanaimo — Wm. Manson, Thomas vor.

Two Dollars

FROM OTHE

Mining Notes From British Co

**OUIET WEEK IN T** 

can, Ymir, East Koo dery Creek Country Some Districts.

While the latest new district goes to show

well as the Domi pany's properties at reassuring. In the i the owners state that chiefly on account of eight-hour law.

In some districts wa plained of, an unusual ection of the provin week has been an unt mining circles, and wi the closing down refer much news to record. LARDEAU AND

Work Being Pushed on Properties-Si Ed. Bell has return

on Fish creek. He has hiding ore from the ecount of the scarcity impossible to move Andy Daney is push taking out the Cup of

at this time there is ore at the head of the what is wanted, which rather a curious item

view of past seasons.

Mr. Armstrong befor
cently visited the Dunc
and says it looks well. in 70 feet, and indic ors are in good health heir quarters. They ent to last them al push the work vigoro down recently from the 155 feet and the ore with depth. He brou has improved very many 10 feet. He is well ple ent indications, as the very satisfactorily and sults that in his opi me of the leading p

pie, who have just co Primrose property to Westfall, say that the nel is a fine quartz, with high grade mine This tunnel is being of at a depth of 280 fee countered before the tunnel. Mr. Westfall there is in sight above feet of ore and below tween clearly defined is developing nicely. grade, so the manag crease the force, ho ime to be shipping

FROM EAST The Black Bear-Fin Company

L. B. VanDecar has of the other owners group and is now the property, and intend nt with energy as ootenay & Algom was tendered a vote ual meeting for th which he has dischatice, and was hon

e-election. Charles Estmere the Black Bear last cash payment agreed This places the tit the hands of the con sition on a good ba also received word that it will not be name of the proper it will be recorded

The stringing of The traction wire w a few days, and tramway will be in bine, having a capa-been completed at to J. P. Farrell, own mineral claim adjoi valuable find on his ago. At a distance a mile up Campbell branch of the creek vein of quartz and deems to be well d for over 50 feet. It ing some work at a determine the wort. The annual mee