

THE LOCAL STOCK MARKET.

THE stock market has now a better tone since the elections are over. Business is going on smoothly, but without excitement.

Crow's Nest shares have been handled to a considerable extent, especially in the West, and the price is held firmly at \$38 to \$39. North Star is a shade weaker and is quoted to-day at \$1.02; Sullivan is shipping and is quoted at 12½.

Winnipeg has been one of the best sellers, the chief demand for this stock being in the West.

Knob Hill has fallen to 45 c., Old Ironsides to 75c. and King to 8c. Shipping has at last commenced in earnest from the Boundary district, which will have a tendency to strengthen Boundary shares.

The Athabasca mill run for May gave returns of \$18,500, and we are informed from Nelson that the June clean-up will exceed \$25,000.

Noble Five has fallen to 13½ and Payne to \$1.

The Le Roi No. 2 was successfully floated in London, and bids have been received in British Columbia from London of £6, which is a premium of £1 per share already, although it is scarcely a month since the company was floated. Iron Mask is quoted at 33, War Eagle at \$1.50 and Centre Star at \$1.50.

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