## THE STOCK MARKET

## SMALLER THAN PREVIOUS WEEK

Dear Trail is Firmer Than Ever and is

The stock market for the week ending "last evening was not quite as lively as it sion prevails among the brokers that the slump has reached its lowest depths, and from now on stocks should commence to go up gradually till they reach antebellum prices. They base this opinion up-on the fact that the Bank of England has reduced its rate of discount, and therefore, money is easier in all of the larger financial centers, and as a consequence there will be more stock dealing. The brokers are unanimous on one point, that a decisive and comprehensive victory on would result in almost immediately restor-ing the tone of the market. This opinion ong shares or not.

One effect of the lull in investments is

that about the only shares that are handled are of the better class, and which are of character which are reasonably certain Shares like those of the Rambler-Cariboo company, which is paying a regular divi-dend of one per cent per month; or like the Tamarao, which has large reserves of ore in sight; the War Eagle, Republic and Centre Star, which are regular dividend-payers; the Okanogan, which is having its regular cleanups every month, the Giant, which has good prospects; the Waterloo, which is turning out gold bricks every month; the Winning out gold orices every month; the Winning and Oro Denoro, which have pienty of ore in sight, are now handled in preference to those of companies whose future is to a certain extent problematical. This should be a lesson to the investor to only put his money in the better class of companies, or in those whose properties, even though simost wholly or only partially developed, give promise of becoming valuable, for the Morrison, 2,000 at 5c.; King, 1,000 at reason that the shares of this kind hold 21c.; Giant, 5,000 at 7 34c.; Rathmullen, their own fairly in the worst kind of hulls

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Thursday	30,000
Friday	29,500
Saturday	No sales
Monday	
Tuesday	14,000
Wednesday'	27,000
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The sales for the previous week were \$14,250. Thus the sales for the past week 1750 less than for the week before This is quite a falling off.

Waterloo is moving a little, and 10 was bid for it and 12 asked yesterday. The cleanups from the five-stamp mill are satisfactory, and an addition is to be made five stamps, and this should largely increase the output of gold, and enable the

the termer, about 21

peg during he week. One broker reported that he had sold 12,000 shares outside of the board. Shipments have been comnced from the Winnipeg, and are to kept up. On the board yesterday 27

cents. This company will pay another dividend on the 1st of February of one cent per share. This announcement was sent out by the company in the dividend checks, which were mailed on the 1st of this month to the shareholders. narac is fairly firm and is worth

Deer Park fell on to 3-4 of a cent when it was known that the property had been that down, but upon the announcement that the company had purchased the Hungryman group it railied to from

Evening Star is holding its own and is worth about 8 cents. The good returns received from a carload of ore sent from this mine to the smelter should prove en-couraging to the stockholders. Okanogau is firmer than it has been,

and there were sales yesterday at from 5 1-2 to 6 1-4 cents. The recent clean-up and the very able and hopeful report made on the property of the company by Mr. Frank D. Howe should give increased confidence to the holders of these shares

as to the future of this property.

Giant is one of the stiffest shares on list. It is worth from 7 3-4 to 8 1-4 cents. The work of crosscutting toward the vein on the 50 and 100-foot levels is in

progress and within a short time there should be some important developments.

Montreal Gold kields, which owns the control of the Gertrude, is a little stiffer than it has been on account of the hinding of ore in the Gertrude On the board years of the standard of the should be t berday 9 was asked and 7 bid for 16. Ger trude is worth about the same as Mon-treal Gold Fields on account of the same re find.

Monte Christe is building its own at

from 6 to 6 1-2 cents, notwithstanding the fact that it has been temporarily shut

Novelty is selling for 2 1-2 cents. Whenever this stock is offered below a certain figure it is picked up, and the opinion is prevalent that certain parties are endeav-oring to purchase all the loose Novelty there is on the market.

On the local board yesterday for War Eagle \$2.70 was asked and \$2.53 bid. It was down considerably lower than this and is climbing up again.

o (Camp McKinney) ... Si

Thursday's Sales.

Okanogan, 1,000 at 5 3-4c., 4,000 at 6c., at 6 1-4c., 2,500 at 6c.: Republic, 500 at \$1.04; Giant, 2,000, 2,500 at 8c.; Morrison,

5000 at 7 1-2c., 3000 at 7 1-2c.; king, 500 at 19c.; Okanogan, 2000 at 5 3-4c., ..., 400 at 6c., 4000 at 6 1-2c., 3000 at 6 1-2c.; Tamarac, 500 at 8 1-2c.; Rathmullen, 2000 at 6c.

Monday's Sales.

speculative character.

The sales during the past week by days were as follows:

White Bear, 1,000 at 3 1-4c.; Giant, 5,000 at 5 1-2c.; Okanogan, 2,500 at 6 1-2c.; Rathmullen, 500 at 6c.

Giant, 5,000 at 7 3-4c., 5,000 at 8c., 10,000 at 8 1-4c.; Okanogan, 500 at 5 1-9c., 1,000, 2,000 at 6c., 3,000 at 6 1-4c.; Virginia, 500 at 6c.

## J. L. WHITNEY & Co

Mining Brokers. Mining Properties Bought and Sold.

Op-to-date regarding all stocks in
British Columbia and Washington

Write of wire

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ROSSLAND, B. C.

GAMBLERS MUST GO.

Chief Ingram Is on the War Path and

that there were in this city at least 50 men who are of the sporting species. The ukase issued by Mayor Goodeve has determined the ejection of this undesirable element. Of the better known specimens, 15 have already been warned to quit, and four have already done so, and if those who are still remaining do not leave with-in the next 43 hours, they will be prought

scon as they attempt to appear in their usual haunts. Police Ingram is proceed-Rambler Cariboo has sagged a point or ing evidence against the lesser known fry, two lately and is worth from 52 1-2 to 53 will be but few tof these gentry left in the city. Those will remain at their peril.

The Cleveland

Mr W. Y. Williams has just returne from the south, where he has been visiting one of the properties which are owned by several capitalists in Möntreal and Eastern Canada, and which are under the control of Mr. J. P. Graves, manag-ing director. The property visited is the old Cleveland, once famous in the mining annals of the state of Washington. Much silver-lead ore has been shipped thence, but it has been shut down for some con-siderable time. The syndicate represented by Mr. J. P. Graves of Spo now developing and extending this prop-erty, which is now in a condition to ship, but at present is not able to do so because of the state of the roads leading from the mine. There is but little snow, and sleighing is almost impossible. However, the first shipment of the new holders of this mile north of Spokane.

EAGLE DAY.

The Eagles Are Mustering From Spokane and Nelson to Be Present at Carnival.

The Elks for this year have retired in favor of the Eagles, who are pluming their wings and precening their leathers to make a flight to Aerie No. 10 and do the Rossland birds honor on Eagle day during the coming carnival. Mr. D. Inomas has been down to Spokane and thinks that the Spokane aerie will come with a band in attendance, fully fledged. The proceedings for the day will close with a smoker, which is to be held in the Miners' Union hall, and at which the combined talent of Nelson, Spokane and Rossland will endeavor to amuse the guests of the evening.

Mr J H. Goodeve, nephew of the mayor,

FACOMA IS GEITING RICHER

THE CITY OF DESTINY IS FORGING TO THE FRONT.

dition of the City Was Never More Prosperous Vast Strides in Ship-

Mr. John S. Baker, one of the largest allowed transway incorporation and real estate owners in Tacoma, was interviewed today by a representative of The Miner, and speaking of the business and the Dominion, disclaiming, however, any political controls of the Crim of the control of the crim of the control of the crim of th viewed today by a representative of The

marked by its absence. The city itself, Chinese-Japanese clause. Mr. Helmcken dewhite perhaps not so aggressively lively clared to have been again brought for as Seattle or Spokane, is forging steadily ward so that its disallowance might be as Seattle or Spokane, is forging steadily ahead. Not a vacant shop is to be found on the main thoroughtares of the twen. Every business seems to be full and well handled. The lumber trade has grown of the principle of the bill was adjourned on the motion of the principle of the bill was adjourned on the motion of the premier.

The business of the "shortest day this assion" included the passage of several minor government measures through their second readings, and the introduction of the South African lumber trade.

The coal and wheat business is equal. Partment of mines act.

y brisk, while in shipping the wharves During the day monster petitions were

Of course it also treats other ores, siliceous, of other mines, but merely as fluxes. It is not on the market for oue-

"Formerly many business men of Ta-coma were interested in Rossland prop-erties, and took hold of some and made mines out of them. Strictly speiking they were scarcely mining men, and re-turning, as they have done, to the Sound, they have for the most part sold then interests in this camp. Yet Tacoma as a city is always alive to the doings and to the prosperity of Rossland."

A HAPPY WEDDING.

Michael Gill and Miss Eliza Gibbons Are Locked in the Bonds of Hamen

was performed at the church by Father Covle and the brideemaid was Miss Cib menced from the Winnipeg, and are to the heart structure, they will be broad up before the police magistrate, and problem as asked and 22 12 bid for it.

Athabasca is holding its own very well others of the fractive the police, and will receive their warning as and from 31 to 32 cents is what it brings and several to appear in their warning as and furnished for her on Nickel Plate bons, sister of the bride. After the

> Miss Eliza Gibbons is a very popular member of the Catholic church, where she takes an active part, both as a membe the choir and as a teacher in the Sunday

DISASTER AT MEYERS FALLS.

Magazine in the Mint Tunnel on Gold Hiff Explodes.

Meyers Falls, Wash., Jan. 24.-(Special.) From an unknown cause the magazine in the Mint tunnel on the Gold mill, two hundred feet from the surface, exploded at 11 o'clock today. Usborne, Upper and Nick Beigle, working in the tunnel at the Nick Beigle, working in the tunnel at the time, came near losing tehir lives. They had placed holes in the face of the drift, which they were preparing to blast out. Upper, who had placed his candle under the powder in the magazine to thaw, was standing four feet away when the explosion came. He had his face and neck cut and was bruised badly by flying stones and powder and burned almost beyond recognition. The greatest injury was yond recognition. The greatest injury was to his eyes. It may result in total blindness. Beigle, who was 10 feet away, was bruised about the legs and back. Regainproperty is now ready, and will be dispatched as soon as the roads become less accured a candle and returned to rescue impassable. The Cleveand is situated on the Huckleberry range of hills, about 47 way out on his bands and knees. It was a pitiful sight, both deaf and blind, as they approached the town band in hand. Beigle, the much least burt, was leading his unfortunate comrade. The distance was one mile. Medical attention was ptly received. They are resting easy.

The Weather.

(9 p. m. January 24, 1900). Max., 26; min., 19. Wind, calin, or to nowfall to date, 84.1.

Lieutenant Stockley Captured Washington, Jan. 24.—General Otis to-day cabled the war department from Manila that Lieutenant Stockley, Twenty-irst infantry, has been missing since the 12th instant. He was on reconnoitering duty at Talisay, near San Tomas, Batan gas, and was evidently captured by the insursements.

LOCAL LEGISLATION.

Victoria, B. C., Jan 24 .- (Special.) ust one hour and twenty minutes was he duration of the legislature and sitting oday. Virtually all measures on the

Miner, and speaking of the business and political outlook of the City of Destiny, orities, and urging the importance of the legislation, which is primarily to permit mining companies to make profitable connections, and in consequence the smoky haze arising from the forest fires was child the federal sanction.) The

brisk, while in shipping the wharves are filled with vessels. The Northern Pacific Trans-Uceanic line to Japan and China has doubled its carrying capacity within the past three years. Whereas whereas trade with the Far East, today double that number is not sufficient."

During the day monster petitions were received by Hon. Mr. Hume (from Neslson) and Mr. J. M. Martin (from Rossland), protesting against the repeal of the so-called eight-hous law, while Hon. Mr. Hume also received a strongly patriotic petition from 30 picked men of Ymir, headed by Provincial Constable. W. C.

Ottawa, Jan. 24.—(Special.)—A sub-

ERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

Maggie and Violet mineral claims situate in the Trail Creek mining division of West Kootenay district.

Where located: About two miles south of Trail creek on Lake mountain, near the bush I was so severally attack. of West Kootenay district.

Where located: About two miles south of Trail creek on Lake mountain, near the Southern Cross mineral claim.

Take notice that I, Kenneth L. Burnet, tagent for John Gloyn, free miner's certificate No. 39485 A), free miner's certificate No. 29146 B, intend, 60 days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining.

Of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in my case that we working in the boush I was so severely attacked with rheumatism that I was hardly able to reach my home. I suffered terribly, and for three months was unable to walk about without crutches. I consulted several doctors, used an electric belt, and the date hereof, to apply to the Mining.

inder section 37, must be co Dated this 10th day of January, A. D.,

KENNETH L. BURNET.

TAX NOTICE.

Rossland Assessment District.

Island, B. C., writes: "I can speak a good word for Dr. Williams" Pink Pills. I have been sick for the past two years Notice is hereby given, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax, and all taxes levied under the and the doctor pronounces my trouble heart weakness. This complaint would Assessment Act, are now due for the year 1900. All of the above named taxes collectible within the Rossland Assessment District are payable at the Government Agent's office, Rossland. Assessed taxes leave me very weak. Sometimes I would lose the use of my hands and arms for ten or fifteen minutes at a time. I have Agent's office, Rossland. Assessed taxes are collectible at the following rates, viz:

If paid on or before the 30th June, wonderfully. In fact I have only had one

Three-fifths of one per cent on real use. I recommend these pills to all who suffer similarly." property.

Two and one-half per cent on assessed One-half of one per cent on personal

property. son as exceeds one thousand dollars, the following rates, viz.: Upon such excess thousand dollars, one per cent; when hexcess is over ten thousand dollars. In anorus us great pleasure to been no return of the trouble. I sincerethousand dollars, one per cent; when hexcess is over ten thousand dollars.

In not more than twenty thousand dollars. such excess is over ten thousand dollars, and not more than twenty thousand doland not more than twenty thousand dollars, one and one-quarter of one per cent, when such excess is over twenty thousand provided with the description of the descrip and dollars, one and one-half of one per

If raid on or after the 1st July, 1900:-

Three per cent on the assessed value of Three-fourths of one per cent on per

nother Day of Routine Work in the ASK YOUR Neighbor.

> There is not a town, not a village, scarce v a settled foot of land from one end of Canada to the other, where Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale Pecal ple have not been used wit 1 beneficial results. Thousands of persons absolutely unknown to us have written letters in praise of this medicine, but there are thousands and tens of thousands of others wao have been cured from whom we have never heard. If you are sick or ailing ask your neighbor, and we are confident you will hear of some hopeless sufferer, some bed-ridden paraly ic. some one in decline, some rheumat c sufferer, some weak and wretched woman or pale and nervelest girl, who has been made well and strong by

## Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

FOR PALE PEOPLE

A HACKING COUGH.

A WEAK HEART.

Mrs. Narcissa J. Robinson, Salt Spring

come on me every few days and would

PREVENT CONSUMPTION.

tive of consumption we know."

RHEUMATISM CURED.

that number is not-sufficient."

"No." in reply to a question from his interviewer, said Mr. Baker, "no, Governor Rogers, Populist as he is, and man of radical opinions as he is deemed, has proved a great success. Any injury to business feared through his elevation to business and the same than the great success. Any injury to business feared through his elevation to business and the same to business feared through his elevation to business and the same to be great was a final to the gubernatorial chair three years since, has proved plantasmal. He will probabily run again this year. Sound he do so he will stand a better show than any other man of bits party, though the Republicans will stand a better show than any other man of bits party, though the Republicans with the British Columb to the gubernatorial chair three years since, has proved plantasmal. He will probabily run again this year. Sound he do so he will stand a better show than any other man of bits party, though the Republicans will stand a better show than any other will will not be year to describe the same than any other will will not be year to describe the same than any other will will not be year to describe the same that the same than the sa

Williams' Pink Pills. She brought back a half dozen boxes and I began to take them. After I had taken four boxes there was a considerable improvement in my condition, and I continued taking them until I had used ten boxes, when my health was fully restored. My case is one of those which substantiates the claim that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure when other medicines fail."

HAD TO USE CRUTCHES.

Mr. E. J. Dall, Hecla, Man, writes:
"I take pleasure in making known the good results that have followed the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in my case. Three years ago while working in the bush I was so severely attacked with rheumatism that I was hardly able to

ried a number of remedies, but found no benefit. I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and had not used them long before I was fully convinced they were the remedy I needed. My health steadily improved, and my recovery is complete. I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to all who suffer from the pills to all th fer from rheumatism, and would urge that such sufferers should not waste time with other remedies, when they have a sure cure in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

Could hardly hold anything in his hands. We decided to use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. and as a result seven boxes have completely restored his health, and he is Pills, and as a result seven boxes have completely restored his health, and he is now as bright and active as ever he was. that it may benefit some other sufferer

> NERVOUS TROUBLE. Mrs. Jas. Pryce, Glen Adelaide, N. W.
> T. writes: "I suffered very much from
> nervous troubles, being at times so bad
> that I could not sit still in a chair. I took doctor's medicine for months, but it did not do me any good. My husband hen urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and they have done me a world of good, and I can heartily recommend them to all nervous sufferers.

> > A PERMANENT CURE.

Mr. M. Carroll ,of Roland, Man., vrites: "While living at Sydney, Man., I wrote you informing you that your Dr. Williams 'Pink Pills had cured me of rheumatism of twenty-five years" standing, after many other medicines had fail-The Sisters of L'Assumption, Onion ed. I am pleased to again write you and Lake, N. W. T., who are doing a noble say that the cure has been permanent, as work among the Indians of that section, after a lapse of several years there has write: "It affords us great pleasure to been no return of the trouble. I sincere-

each case a cure resulted. We distribute rheumatism and suffered untold agony. I a great many boxes to cure scrofula, conspent a hundred dollars trying to get sumption and anaemia, and always with cured, but with no avail. I was advised the happiest results. We recommend Dr. to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and soon Wour-fifths of one per cent on real prop Williams' Pink Pills as the best preven found relief, and after using them a couple of months they entirely cured me."

Pink colored pills in glass jars, or in any loose form, or

sonal property.

On so much of the income of any nerson as exceeds one thousand dollars, the following rates, vis.: Upon such excess, when the same is not more than ten thousand dollars, one and one-quarter of one per cent; when such excess is over ten thousand dollars, one and one-half of one per cent; when such excess is over twenty thousand dollars, one and one-half of one per cent; when such excess is over twenty thousand dollars, one and three-quarters of one per cent.

Provincial Revenue Tax, 83 per capita. Brockville, Ont., and the Pills will be sent by mail, post puid, at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50.

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**PROGRESS** 

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Mr. D. A. Hofbro

ed, at Greenwood, progress. It is expen reacy to begin active at the furthest. A re Johnson, the manager an assay office, are be Johnson and Mr. Fi in New York consul of the company the

The track of the Lode mine, which is able of the ore for extended. One of t spur should be comp Lode in a few days. near the Mother Lo ranch. Mr. Ross Th

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BRANDON & GO Directors Outline a

of the Brandon & meeting in the Hote wood to discuss the pany generally, and as outlined by Mr. D of ore. Those prese were: President, Ho Rossland; W. J. P. Andrew Kelly, W. A. Macdanald, Q Andrew Rossland, and Georg ing director. Greeny Brandon & Golden pany, under the gui ctor George H. Co the mine. On their of the company, Hon

Greenwood Times repleased with the outle shipping just as soo tained at Hartford steel is laid on the tance of a little ov mine. On the dumps tons of ore immediat ping to the smelter. developed by a main depth of 320 feet, w and 300 feet respec level a crosscut is showing that was ex by the railroad grade feet. From the 150-f tained in the drifts of ore. An upraise a large body of ore ing purposes. At the also driving a cross Winnipeg lode. This gressed a distance of railroad sour is com peg mine we shall be tion to make stead smelter. You can se directors are perfect result of the trip;

an enjoyable time return home more the greatness of the ORE FROM About Three Tons Righ

In the window of

the I. X. L.