

NEW YORK EXCHANGE.

LONDON CABLES SHOW MARKET THERE LITTLE INFLUENCED BY GOOD WAR NEWS — THIRD AV. TAKEN IN HAND BY OTHER FINANCIERS — TWO COMPANIES CHANGE THEIR OFFICES TO NEW YORK FROM CHICAGO — BANK STATEMENT MAKES AN UNFAVORABLE SHOWING — EARNINGS OF ST. PAUL VERY LARGE.

New York, Feb. 17.

The news from South Africa continues to be of a favorable description; it appears that Gen. Roberts' operations for the relief of Kimberly have been successful, and that Gen. Cronje is now in full retreat with 10,000 Boers, pursued by the British.

The London markets, however, do not respond freely to the good news, it having been to some extent offset by Lord Roseberry's Alarmist speech of yesterday, and the preparations that are being made for mobilizing the whole of the British fleet.

Americans are steady at about our parity, with the exception of St. Paul, which shows a slight decline.

It was rumored yesterday, and the rumor was used as a reason for buying stocks, that certain large interests in the Street were interesting themselves in the financing of the floating debt of the 3rd Av. R. R. It is announced that Mr. Olcott, Gen. Louis Fitzgerald and Mr. Coolidge, of Boston, have formed themselves into a protective committee in the interest of the Company's credit. What steps they will take is of course a secret now, but their position in the financial world is so strong that they could undoubtedly make satisfactory arrangements for funding the debt, if unhampered by the directors and stockholders of the Company.

The formal announcement is made that the Nat. St. & Co., T'n Plate Co., and American Steel Hoop Co. have decided to move their offices from Chicago to New York.

Both here and in London the belief exists that to-day's Bank Statement will make an unfavorable showing and that for the future, rates for money are more likely to rise than to fall.

There was a good deal of selling in our market yesterday, on the belief that the Statement would be a bad one.

St. Paul earnings for the second week of February make a most remarkable showing. The gain is \$83,083 over the same week in 1899, and are by far the largest of any second week in February in the history of the Company.

NEW YORK BANK STATEMENT.

Reserve	dec.....	3,881,900
Loans	inc.....	13,684,200
Specie	dec.....	1,296,100
Legal	".....	1,028,000
Deposits	inc.....	6,231,200
Circulation	".....	270,600

STANDARD MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, Feb. 15.

Golden Bear—6000, 10½.
Lone Pine—25,500, 18½.
Cariboo McK.—700, 85½.
Deer Trail—2000, 8½.
Big Three—2500, 5½.
Republic—200, 101, 1000, 102.
Rathmullen—500, 4½.
Morrison—8500, 4½.
Van Ande—250, 5½.
Gold Hills—1000, 4¾. 1000, 5½.
Troubadour (Republic)—25,000, 1¾.

TORONTO MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, Feb. 15.

W.D. King—1000, 16½.
Republic—1000, 97, 1100, 100.
Van Ande—1000, 4¾. 1000, 5. 5000, 5½.
1000, 4½.
Monte Christo—1000, 8½. 5000, 8¾.
White Bear—500, 2¾.
War Eagle—500, 157½.
W.D. Okanogan—10,000, 4¾.
Payne—500, 101.
Rathmullen—500, 5.
Golden Star—2000, 19. 6000, 19½.
Deer Trail Con.—2000, 8½. 500, 9. 2250, 8½.
White Bear—1000, 2¾.
Athabasca—300, 28½.
Lone Pine—6750, 18.
Cariboo McK.—700, 85½.

ROSSLAND EXCHANGE.

Rossland, Feb. 15.

Morrison—2,000, 4½. 1000, 4¾.
Rathmullen—2000, 4¾.
Brandon G. Crown—500, 24.
Okanogan—5000, 4.
Tamarac—500, 6½.

CRIPPLE CREEK MINING STOCKS.

Feb. 16, 1900.

Capital.	Par Value.	Feb. 16, 1900.	Asked
1,500,000	1.00	Acacia	.38½
2,500,000	1.00	Battle Mt'n	.34½
900,000	1.00	Ben Hur	...
		Black Bull	.13
1,500,000	1.00	Bob Lee	.06½
2,000,000	1.00	Croesus	...
2,000,000	1.00	Columb. Victor	.20½
2,000,000	1.00	C. O. Cons	.17
2,000,000	1.00	C. O. & M	.13½
1,250,000	1.00	Dante	.16½
2,000,000	1.00	Damon	.27½
1,250,000	1.00	Elkton	...
1,500,000	1.00	Flower	.04
1,250,000	1.00	Findly	.13½
1,000,000	1.00	Gold Coin	...
3,000,000	1.00	Gold Sovereign	.11
2,000,000	1.00	Gold Stone	...
1,000,000	1.00	Gould	.35½
		Hart	.19½
		Hayden	.02½
1,225,000	1.00	Indepen. T. & M	.59
2,250,000	1.00	Isabella	1.31½
500,000	1.00	Ida May	...
1,250,000	1.00	Jack Pot	.61
1,500,000	1.00	Keystone	.18½
1,500,000	1.00	Kimberly	.11
1,500,000	1.00	Lexington	.22½
1,000,000	1.00	Maton	.26
600,000	1.00	Moon Anchor	.66
1,250,000	1.00	Magnet	...
1,250,000	1.00	Maria A	.04½
		Midway	...
1,000,000	1.00	Mt'n. Beauty	.10½
1,000,000	1.00	Nugget	.21
1,500,000	1.00	New Haven	.09
1,250,000	1.00	Oriole	.05½
2,000,000	1.00	Papoose	...
3,000,000	1.00	Portland	2.39½
1,000,000	1.00	Princess	.05½
		Raven	.89½
1,250,000	1.00	Silver State	.02½
2,000,000	1.00	Pinnacle	...
1,000,000	1.00	Sacramento	...
		Toronto	.54½
		Union	.48½
1,500,000	1.00	Work	.85
		Zenobia	.20½

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