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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
(1925 = 100)

The "Investors'" weighted index numbers of security prices, computed by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics on the base 1925=100, were as follows for the week ending July 5th.

The "Investors'" index for all three groups of common stocks combined was 92.1 for the week ending July 5th, as compared with 93.0 for the previous week.

The "Investors'" index of industrial common stocks was 125.4 for the week ending July 5th, as compared with 126.2 for the previous week.

The "Investors'" index of domestic utility common stocks was 52.1 for the week ending July 5th, as compared with 53.3 for the previous week.

The "Investors'" index of common stocks of companies located abroad in which Canadians are heavily interested was 100.4 for the week ending July 5th, as compared with 100.9 for the previous week.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS

	x Prices			x Sales		
	1934 July 5th	1934 June 28th	1933 July 6th	1934 July 5th	1934 June 28th	1933 July 6th
Bell Telephone	\$ 118.3	\$ 118.6	\$ 103.9	446	818	1,369
Brazilian	8.8	8.7	16.6	5,873	5,968	71,842
B.C. Power "A"	26.3	26.7	26.5	420	1,000	3,721
Building Products	22.0	22.0	18.1	655	250	825
Can. Car & Foundry	7.5	6.3	9.6	2,645	1,885	33,137
Can. Ind. Alcohol "A"	8.4	8.9	10.8	4,295	12,056	30,213
Can. Ind. Alcohol "B"	7.4	7.6	8.2	1,565	3,775	3,035
Can. Northern Power	21.2	20.7	16.1	1,090	568	450
C.P.R.	13.8	14.3	20.3	6,600	4,552	52,494
Cons. Smelters	150.1	149.4	136.6	320	1,143	5,596
Consumers Gas	182.1	182.4	182.9	68	226	64
Dominion Bridge	31.9	31.7	30.6	386	1,508	14,643
Ford "A"	20.2	20.6	14.0	3,254	2,174	8,861
Hollinger	17.7	17.7	9.4	484	3,798	2,580
International Nickel	25.5	25.5	21.2	7,655	19,179	93,461
Loblaw	16.6	16.6	14.6	980	1,335	4,733
Massey-Harris	4.4	4.3	10.3	3,090	2,920	52,569
McCull-Fontenac Oil	13.0	13.1	14.0	760	1,455	11,440
Montreal Light, Heat and Power	34.9	35.9	38.6	3,465	4,982	14,132
National Breweries	27.0	27.6	25.3	447	927	7,432
Shawinigan	19.6	20.2	18.6	1,559	4,542	20,139
Southern Canada Power	14.8	13.7	17.4	1,143	482	605
Steel of Canada	35.4	35.8	29.4	311	813	3,373
Walkers	35.2	36.4	36.1	1,416	2,685	32,488
Weston Ltd.	37.3	37.5	45.8	220	925	830

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

TABLE OF INDEX NUMBERS

	Investors' Index Number of Common Stocks				All
	87 Industrial		26 Public Utility		
	Companies Located in Canada		Companies Located Abroad		
	Industrial	Public Utility			
<u>1926</u>	100	100	100		100
/ <u>1929</u> - High	311.0	163.6	213.3		235.4
Low	194.0	124.8	122.5		155.8
/ <u>1930</u> - High	222.1	142.3	151.8		178.8
Low	112.6	99.8	70.7		100.6
/ <u>1931</u> - High	127.2	115.4	84.4		115.1
Low	68.1	53.8	42.4		58.8
/ <u>1932</u> - High	72.0	59.3	52.9		62.9
Low	44.0	30.5	41.2		38.6
/ <u>1933</u> - High	131.4	64.5	92.0		97.7
Low	56.9	37.3	47.9		49.0
<u>1933</u>					
January	60.7	45.9	50.2		51.9
February	58.0	40.4	48.6		48.1
March	59.1	59.9	47.6		48.2
April	69.7	40.4	55.5		53.9
May	88.6	49.5	67.3		67.1
June	107.1	56.4	77.9		79.0
July	122.3	61.5	85.8		88.4
August	117.2	56.8	81.0		83.6
September	119.1	53.5	84.0		83.5
October	103.6	48.5	78.6		74.5
November	113.4	47.8	83.0		78.8
December	111.4	47.8	80.2		77.5
<u>1934</u>					
January	118.6	53.5	86.4		83.8
February	123.8	58.0	91.9		88.7
March	128.5	58.8	89.2		90.3
April	133.0	58.1	98.3		93.4
May	128.0	56.7	99.3		91.1
June	126.1	54.5	101.1		89.8
Week ending June 7th	125.9	54.7	98.5		93.1
" " " 14th	129.5	55.5	102.9		95.7
" " " 21st	129.4	55.3	107.0		96.3
" " " 28th	126.2	53.3	100.9		93.0
" " July 5th	125.4	52.1	100.4		92.1

Purpose of Investors' Index Numbers

The Investors' Index Numbers measure the trend of values for the Investor who buys a fixed list of stocks and holds them over a long period.

/ Weekly figures.

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS
1926=100

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INDUSTRIALS

UTILITIES

COMPANIES ABROAD

Number of Securities	Total	INDUSTRIALS								UTILITIES			COMPANIES ABROAD			Grand Total	
		Iron and Steel	Pulp and Paper	Mill-ing	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Bever-ages	Mis-cell-aneous	Total	Trans- port-ation	Tele- phone Tele- graph	Power and Trac- tion	Total	In- dust-rial		Util- ity
1934	37	17	6	4	4	10	18	8	20	20	2	2	16	6	1	5	113
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
x 1929 - High	311.0	383.8	118.2	267.4	416.8	110.1	193.8	201.4	507.2	162.6	160.6	125.6	192.7	213.3	191.5	258.0	235.4
Low	194.0	196.1	73.1	191.9	248.3	74.5	131.8	87.1	247.0	124.8	117.1	108.3	131.1	122.5	117.4	138.1	155.8
x 1930 - High	221.1	231.3	73.4	192.5	296.6	77.2	144.8	95.7	328.8	142.3	138.1	113.7	163.3	151.8	136.4	185.3	173.6
Low	112.6	134.5	22.3	97.9	167.5	56.7	100.2	59.9	133.2	99.8	91.0	99.5	108.4	70.7	72.4	72.7	100.6
x 1931 - High	127.2	146.3	24.6	107.9	186.8	60.6	132.6	77.6	167.2	113.4	106.9	105.6	128.4	84.4	86.7	95.7	115.1
Low	68.1	71.5	9.0	47.8	98.0	40.2	89.9	40.6	80.3	53.8	31.7	81.3	74.6	42.4	51.0	33.6	58.8
x 1932 - High	72.0	75.8	9.0	61.2	110.6	40.2	90.8	48.5	89.9	59.3	48.1	81.1	74.5	52.9	70.1	46.3	62.9
Low	44.0	36.8	1.4	34.9	78.3	24.0	66.5	27.3	39.1	30.5	20.2	52.0	37.5	41.2	50.8	28.5	38.6
x 1933 - High	131.4	106.2	12.4	87.6	168.4	75.1	157.5	241.9	158.6	64.5	53.4	88.5	74.4	92.0	137.1	64.6	97.7
Low	56.9	44.1	2.5	38.0	87.7	30.7	82.3	39.8	66.9	37.3	23.7	62.3	47.7	47.9	67.6	30.3	49.0
1933																	
January	60.7	50.8	4.0	42.0	95.7	38.1	84.4	35.1	72.6	45.9	36.6	72.2	52.4	50.2	71.2	32.1	51.9
February	58.0	46.1	5.0	41.0	89.5	35.4	82.4	34.2	71.7	40.4	28.0	65.9	50.0	48.6	70.1	29.8	48.1
March	59.1	46.6	3.2	39.1	89.8	34.0	80.8	37.9	75.3	39.9	26.5	66.4	50.7	47.6	68.9	28.9	48.2
April	69.7	50.6	3.8	45.9	101.7	32.9	87.8	39.9	98.2	40.4	29.3	63.4	49.2	55.5	81.3	32.8	53.9
May	88.6	68.2	5.5	63.1	127.0	48.2	108.2	66.8	119.8	49.5	38.6	72.4	58.4	67.3	93.7	44.2	67.1
June	107.1	86.5	9.3	72.9	146.9	58.4	121.8	112.4	140.9	56.4	45.9	77.5	65.5	77.9	109.3	50.5	79.0
July	122.3	102.3	12.3	82.1	162.5	63.4	143.3	173.7	151.1	61.5	50.0	85.5	71.2	85.8	119.2	56.6	88.4
1934																	
January	118.6	98.1	11.4	74.9	147.0	66.6	122.6	163.6	160.9	53.5	38.6	86.2	64.8	86.4	133.5	45.0	83.8
February	123.8	114.6	13.6	77.1	153.7	73.3	128.2	148.5	169.0	58.0	42.1	88.8	70.9	91.9	141.6	48.3	88.7
March	128.5	113.6	13.2	77.1	153.2	76.3	129.4	141.8	189.2	58.8	43.3	90.0	71.1	89.2	140.3	44.3	90.3
April	133.0	114.9	13.2	75.2	159.4	76.8	134.3	138.0	198.4	58.1	42.0	90.9	70.7	98.3	161.4	42.6	93.4
May	128.0	106.9	13.8	74.3	159.0	79.1	129.9	113.8	190.5	56.7	40.2	90.0	69.7	99.3	166.4	40.0	91.1
June	126.1	104.7	12.5	74.1	161.9	77.7	128.1	113.5	182.5	54.5	37.9	90.2	67.0	101.1	175.1	35.5	89.8
1933																	
July 6th	121.1	96.0	11.2	76.7	166.1	63.3	134.7	149.2	154.8	61.6	52.3	82.8	69.7	90.5	123.5	62.7	92.4
1934																	
June 7th	125.9	102.7	12.5	74.4	157.9	77.3	134.8	131.4	179.6	54.7	38.6	88.6	68.2	98.5	164.1	39.1	93.1
June 14th	129.5	104.8	12.1	73.5	162.1	78.2	134.4	140.2	185.3	55.5	39.6	89.9	68.8	102.9	172.1	40.1	95.7
June 21st	129.4	105.5	11.7	73.7	164.2	76.8	133.5	135.3	184.4	55.3	39.6	89.7	68.3	107.0	181.4	39.2	96.3
June 28th	126.2	102.7	11.2	73.9	161.1	75.8	131.5	128.1	179.6	53.3	36.8	90.1	66.7	100.9	170.2	37.7	93.0
July 5th	125.4	102.0	10.8	73.8	159.9	74.9	131.1	124.0	179.5	52.1	35.5	89.8	65.4	100.4	169.0	37.9	92.1

x Weekly figures.

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