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INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES  
(1926=100)

Although steady advance of stock prices during the past month was impeded by profit taking at Montreal and Toronto on Thursday, the general index for 112 common stocks reached 106.7 for the week of November 7, a new high since April 2, 1931. The index was 103.5 for the week of October 31 and 87.1 for the corresponding week last year. 87 Industrials mounted from 159.0 for October 31 to 163.7 for November 7 and all sub-groups with the exception of Iron and Steel were higher. Twenty Utilities were less active than the other groups registering a gain of only 1.8 points and placing the index at 48.2 as compared with 46.4 for the previous week and 47.7 for November 8, 1934. International Petroleum and Brazilian were again responsible for the index for five companies located abroad mounting from 127.2 for October 31 to 130.7 for November 7. The comparative index for 1934 was 109.7.

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS.  
(1926=100)

On November 4 subscription lists for a new issue of Dominion bonds were opened, and closed within a few hours. The loan was greatly over-subscribed and brokers who had applied for large blocks in anticipation of just such a situation were able to meet only a part of the demand. Brisk trading ensued, particularly in the new Dominion 3's. During the latter part of the week, attention was centred on the conversions as they offered a slightly higher return than other Dominion issues. Prices were firm, for offerings were light and quickly absorbed. The yields from Dominion long-term bonds tended downward during the week and showed a range of from 3.77 to 3.27 with an average of 3.50 for the six leading issues used in the index as compared with 3.80 to 3.33 and an average of 3.53 for the previous week. The index declined from 75.7 to 74.8.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS<sup>x</sup>.

	PRICES			SALES		
	1935	1935	1934	1935	1935	1934
	Nov. 7	Oct. 31	Nov. 8	Nov. 7	Oct. 31	Nov. 8
	\$	\$	\$			
American Cyanamid "B"	27.3	26.8	-	2,700	500	-
Bell Telephone	134.0	132.3	124.6	514	644	787
Brazilian	8.1	7.6	11.2	27,486	4,740	5,850
British American Oil	16.1	15.9	14.0	11,532	4,532	1,181
Canadian Dredge & Dry Dock	36.8	34.7	21.4	1,990	1,222	420
Canadian Ind. Alcohol "A"	9.8	9.0	8.7	32,260	28,956	9,906
Canadian Ind. Alcohol "B"	8.1	7.8	7.5	8,996	5,075	1,260
Canadian Pacific Railway	9.5	9.4	11.6	9,639	6,778	8,734
Consolidated Smelters	190.5	191.3	133.1	1,117	2,051	626
Dominion Bridge	32.4	31.0	31.7	3,585	1,569	2,053
Fanny Farmer	11.9	11.3	7.0	12,251	15,550	150
Ford "A"	28.5	30.2	24.0	14,700	18,152	17,552
Goodyear Tire	64.3	64.3	-	1,018	222	-
Imperial Tobacco	13.2	13.1	11.9	5,748	4,805	3,225
International Nickel	33.2	31.7	22.6	69,897	18,160	14,666
Loblaws	17.7	17.3	17.4	5,218	2,564	2,760
Massey-Harris	5.7	4.9	3.3	32,788	4,026	4,731
McColl-Frontenac Oil	13.0	13.1	13.7	5,477	12,260	1,345
Montreal Light, Heat & Power	34.4	32.4	31.0	20,490	4,225	6,147
National Breweries	38.5	37.5	29.3	6,741	3,639	23,431
Power Corporation	10.7	9.1	8.8	10,795	1,448	150
Shawinigan	20.1	18.8	17.5	16,375	5,906	845
Steel of Canada	53.6	52.5	39.8	2,401	1,084	1,405
Union Gas	8.8	7.5	4.3	11,346	2,315	2,980
Walkers	30.6	29.3	26.7	14,163	18,276	15,184
TOTAL SALES				329,247	168,699	125,388

x As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1919-35.  
(1926=100)

	<u>1919</u>	<u>1920</u>	<u>1921</u>	<u>1922</u>	<u>1923</u>	<u>1924</u>	<u>1925</u>	<u>1926</u>	<u>1927</u>
January	117.9	116.7	125.2	115.6	107.0	104.0	100.3	99.9	97.6
February	116.8	117.9	122.3	112.5	104.3	104.2	99.7	99.6	96.5
March	113.5	119.7	123.2	111.7	103.8	104.5	99.8	100.0	97.3
April	111.3	120.9	125.4	111.3	104.0	105.5	100.0	100.1	95.7
May	111.3	122.9	124.0	110.6	104.4	104.9	99.8	100.1	94.6
June	109.7	124.6	125.1	111.8	104.0	104.6	98.5	100.4	95.7
July	111.9	126.6	124.6	111.5	104.0	103.6	99.8	100.0	96.4
August	112.5	128.2	124.7	111.5	104.4	102.5	100.4	100.0	94.7
September	112.7	130.4	124.7	110.7	104.4	101.2	100.4	100.1	95.4
October	113.4	131.8	124.8	111.3	105.7	100.2	100.8	100.1	94.0
November	113.4	134.2	119.4	112.1	106.2	100.2	101.0	100.1	92.8
December	115.4	130.8	116.3	109.6	105.2	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2

	<u>1928</u>	<u>1929</u>	<u>1930</u>	<u>1931</u>	<u>1932</u>	<u>1933</u>	<u>1934</u>	<u>1935</u>
January	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9
February	89.5	93.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2
March	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4
April	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2
May	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4
June	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4
July	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1
August	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6
September	95.2	102.8	95.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8
October	96.2	103.7	95.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	73.9
November	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	-
December	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	-

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, \*1935.  
(1926=100)

June	7	72.3
	14	73.5
	21	73.9
	28	73.4
July	5	73.3
	12	72.4
	19	71.9
	26	71.5
August	2	71.6
	9	71.4
	16	70.3
	23	71.5
	30	73.4
September	6	73.6
	13	75.4
	20	83.4
	27	83.3
October	4	83.8
	11	82.1
	18	77.9
	25	75.6
November	1	75.7
	8	74.8

\* Based upon an average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS

1926=100

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

Number of Securities	INDUSTRIALS									UTILITIES			COMPANIES ABROAD				
	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	Power and Trac- tion	Total	In- dust- rial	Util- ity	Grand/ Total
1935	87	15	6	4	4	10	19	8	21	20	2	2	16	5	1	4	112
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	193.6	201.4	307.2	163.6	160.6	125.6	192.7	213.3	191.5	285.0	235.4
Low	194.0	196.1	73.1	191.9	248.3	74.5	131.8	39.1	247.0	124.3	117.1	108.3	131.1	122.5	117.4	138.1	155.8
x 1931 - High	127.2	146.3	24.6	107.9	186.8	60.6	132.3	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	93.0	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	90.3	48.5	89.9	59.3	48.1	81.1	74.5	52.9	70.1	46.3	62.9
Low	44.0	36.3	1.4	34.3	78.3	24.0	63.5	27.3	39.1	30.5	20.2	52.0	37.5	41.2	50.8	23.5	38.6
x 1933 - High	131.4	106.2	12.4	87.6	168.4	65.1	157.5	241.9	158.6	64.5	53.4	68.5	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	47.0	67.6	30.3	49.0
x 1934 - High	135.4	128.7	13.4	79.5	184.3	78.4	142.4	195.5	198.3	60.3	45.6	98.0	72.8	117.0	196.8	53.2	99.0
Low	113.4	82.8	7.6	63.9	141.8	60.4	122.0	94.7	154.4	45.4	28.5	84.3	57.1	81.6	123.4	35.6	82.8
1934																	
September	118.8	98.8	9.6	72.6	160.2	71.9	123.4	93.8	168.4	50.1	33.1	90.6	61.7	104.8	176.3	41.4	85.7
October	122.0	107.7	9.3	68.4	169.0	74.4	126.6	89.2	168.8	49.0	31.1	92.7	60.8	103.6	183.1	42.4	87.1
November	125.3	111.4	11.0	66.0	180.8	74.3	128.1	98.4	164.6	46.5	28.6	93.7	57.5	111.2	191.8	39.6	87.8
December	125.6	119.8	11.6	71.0	177.8	74.3	130.3	93.6	166.2	47.5	29.1	97.6	58.5	109.0	187.4	39.4	87.9
1935																	
January	129.7	129.4	14.0	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	108.0	187.4	36.9	90.5
February	128.8	126.4	13.4	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	107.5	186.1	37.2	89.6
March	126.6	117.0	11.6	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	104.8	184.2	32.9	86.1
April	130.8	119.4	11.1	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	110.2	194.7	33.4	88.5
May	144.4	121.9	10.8	59.9	211.7	60.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	125.9	224.5	35.6	96.8
June	145.2	118.6	10.5	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	124.5	222.6	34.5	97.1
July	143.8	122.2	10.6	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	195.4	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	119.4	214.5	31.9	95.5
August	146.1	122.1	12.0	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	122.7	222.5	30.1	98.2
September	147.1	118.7	12.4	61.2	206.6	61.8	128.7	126.5	209.6	46.3	25.7	100.3	58.6	119.9	217.5	29.3	97.5
October	152.9	123.0	12.6	60.9	215.1	63.5	134.4	133.2	217.5	45.6	23.4	100.0	59.6	123.0	224.3	28.7	100.0
Weekly Index Numbers																	
November 8, 1934	122.4	109.8	9.8	64.3	174.1	74.8	126.1	95.6	163.1	47.7	29.1	95.1	59.7	109.7	186.8	41.4	87.1
1935																	
October 24th	154.8	125.3	12.6	60.7	218.1	64.6	135.6	132.4	220.7	46.3	24.1	100.7	60.6	125.0	228.3	28.7	101.5
October 31st	159.0	128.6	13.5	61.9	226.7	66.2	137.8	140.4	222.8	46.4	23.6	101.0	61.2	127.2	232.7	28.7	103.5
November 7th	163.7	128.6	13.7	64.6	231.8	69.4	143.2	149.3	230.6	48.2	23.8	102.4	65.0	130.7	238.3	30.5	106.7

x Weekly figures. / Banks not included.

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