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

Irregularly higher prices prevailed on Canadian stock markets during the week and the general index for 112 common stocks mounted from 118.1 for the week of June 18 to 119.7 for June 25. This is the highest level the index has attained since the week of April 23. The comparative index for 1935 was 95.5. In the Industrial section five of the eight sub-groups were higher, the exceptions being Iron and Steel, Food and Allied Products and Beverages. Accordingly, this index advanced from 189.3 for June 18 to 192.1 for June 25. For the week ending June 27, 1935, the Industrial index was 142.6. Among Industrial stocks to attract attention were Western Grocers, Ogilvie, International Nickel, Page-Horsely, British American Oil and Canadian Dredge and Dry Dock. Twenty-three Utilities made a fractional gain counterbalancing the loss of the previous week. The index was 53.2 for the week ending June 25 as compared with 52.7 for the preceding week and 44.6 for the corresponding week last year. Two of the sub-groups were higher while Telephone and Telegraph suffered the first set-back since the week of May 28.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES AND TOTAL SALES OF MARKET LEADERS x.

| | PRICES | | | SALES | | |
|------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | 1936 June 25 | 1936 June 18 | 1935 June 27 | 1936 June 25 | 1936 June 18 | 1935 June 27 |
| Bathurst Power & Paper | 14.2 | 13.9 | 5.6 | 6,437 | 1,967 | 210 |
| Bell Telephone | 148.1 | 149.0 | 127.0 | 586 | 608 | 683 |
| Brazilian | 13.0 | 12.5 | 8.9 | 16,232 | 8,584 | 3,420 |
| British American Oil | 25.4 | 23.9 | 15.6 | 19,419 | 10,516 | 9,344 |
| British Columbia Power "A" | 29.9 | 29.6 | 24.1 | 1,085 | 1,206 | 1,192 |
| Canadian Car & Foundry | 7.3 | 7.1 | 7.5 | 3,130 | 8,623 | 1,915 |
| Canadian Celanese | 29.0 | 28.6 | 24.0 | 1,238 | 3,195 | 1,255 |
| Canadian Dredge & Dry Dock | 48.6 | 47.1 | 23.5 | 1,102 | 455 | 330 |
| Canadian Ind. Alcohol "A" | 7.2 | 7.7 | 8.5 | 4,820 | 5,505 | 2,280 |
| Canadian Pacific Railway | 12.6 | 12.4 | 10.4 | 8,348 | 5,156 | 2,817 |
| Consolidated Smelters | 55.2 | 55.7 | 164.3 | 2,970 | 4,666 | 1,100 |
| Consumers Gas | 202.8 | 202.2 | 188.6 | 156 | 74 | 58 |
| Distillers Corp.-Seagrams | 22.5 | 22.5 | 17.9 | 1,035 | 5,755 | 1,640 |
| Electrolux Corporation | 23.1 | 23.0 | - | 1,155 | 235 | - |
| Ford "A" | 20.4 | 21.6 | 26.7 | 3,136 | 4,277 | 7,208 |
| Hollinger | 15.9 | 15.7 | 15.1 | 2,315 | 3,212 | 2,620 |
| Imperial Tobacco | 14.0 | 14.0 | 13.2 | 4,322 | 2,898 | 6,815 |
| International Nickel | 50.3 | 48.5 | 27.8 | 54,712 | 42,347 | 16,521 |
| Loblaw | 19.8 | 19.7 | 18.5 | 2,683 | 3,577 | 2,150 |
| Montreal Light, Heat & Power | 30.9 | 30.7 | 29.0 | 4,030 | 7,501 | 5,646 |
| Moore | 37.9 | 37.2 | 23.0 | 647 | 519 | 925 |
| National Breweries | 45.0 | 44.8 | 34.8 | 1,785 | 3,039 | 2,335 |
| Noranda | 58.5 | 58.6 | - | 3,395 | 3,669 | - |
| Steel of Canada | 64.3 | 63.4 | 48.9 | 1,030 | 2,790 | 1,020 |
| Walkers | 28.8 | 28.6 | 24.1 | 1,199 | 2,623 | 2,395 |
| Total Sales | | | | 146,967 | 132,997 | 73,879 |

X As shown by Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchange Sheets.

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices remained unchanged at 117.4 for the week ending June 26. This level is the highest reached during the period covered by the index which extends back to 1919. Trading during the week was quiet with comparatively few changes in price.

The index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields likewise remained the same at 66.2. The average yield of the six issues used in computing this index continued at 3.24.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Amos and Company Limited)

| | <u>1928</u> | <u>1929</u> | <u>1930</u> | <u>1931</u> | <u>1932</u> | <u>1933</u> | <u>1934</u> | <u>1935</u> | <u>1936</u> |
|-----------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| January | 106.0 | 101.4 | 99.0 | 103.1 | 94.1 | 103.3 | 104.6 | 115.9 | 113.6 |
| February | 105.6 | 101.0 | 99.3 | 103.1 | 94.9 | 103.4 | 105.4 | 114.2 | 115.0 |
| March | 105.4 | 99.2 | 99.9 | 103.7 | 96.4 | 102.1 | 107.9 | 115.0 | 115.5 |
| April | 105.3 | 100.0 | 100.5 | 104.5 | 96.2 | 102.9 | 109.4 | 114.5 | 115.7 |
| May | 105.3 | 100.0 | 100.9 | 105.0 | 96.3 | 103.8 | 110.3 | 115.2 | 115.9 |
| June | 103.5 | 98.3 | 101.0 | 105.4 | 94.6 | 104.9 | 110.4 | 114.2 | - |
| July | 102.9 | 98.3 | 101.2 | 105.3 | 97.0 | 104.8 | 111.1 | 114.5 | - |
| August | 102.1 | 99.3 | 102.1 | 105.3 | 101.0 | 105.6 | 112.3 | 114.8 | - |
| September | 102.3 | 99.0 | 103.0 | 102.1 | 101.8 | 105.7 | 112.6 | 110.9 | - |
| October | 102.0 | 98.2 | 103.2 | 98.1 | 103.8 | 105.0 | 111.1 | 110.2 | - |
| November | 102.2 | 98.7 | 103.2 | 97.4 | 102.6 | 104.2 | 112.2 | 112.5 | - |
| December | 101.7 | 99.4 | 103.1 | 95.5 | 101.2 | 103.6 | 115.2 | 112.5 | - |

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1936.
(From data issued by A.E. Amos and Company Limited)

| | <u>1928</u> | <u>1929</u> | <u>1930</u> | <u>1931</u> | <u>1932</u> | <u>1933</u> | <u>1934</u> | <u>1935</u> | <u>1936</u> |
|-----------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| January | 89.2 | 97.3 | 102.1 | 93.9 | 112.7 | 96.3 | 93.2 | 70.9 | 72.4 |
| February | 89.5 | 98.3 | 101.4 | 93.6 | 112.2 | 96.0 | 91.0 | 73.2 | 70.8 |
| March | 90.1 | 102.3 | 101.1 | 91.9 | 109.1 | 97.7 | 86.1 | 71.4 | 69.9 |
| April | 90.3 | 100.9 | 99.3 | 90.0 | 109.8 | 96.6 | 83.8 | 72.2 | 69.5 |
| May | 89.5 | 100.2 | 98.4 | 89.3 | 109.3 | 95.0 | 81.8 | 71.4 | 68.8 |
| 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 | 93.9 | 95.5 | 98.7 | 92.4 | 77.2 | 79.8 | - |
| October | 96.2 | 103.7 | 93.6 | 105.2 | 96.2 | 93.5 | 79.3 | 78.9 | - |
| November | 95.9 | 103.3 | 93.6 | 107.7 | 98.5 | 94.3 | 77.2 | 74.5 | - |
| December | 97.1 | 101.4 | 93.9 | 111.7 | 99.4 | 95.1 | 71.3 | 75.5 | - |

WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS^x 1936.

| <u>Date</u> | | <u>Prices</u> | <u>Yields</u> |
|-------------|----|---------------|---------------|
| March | 6 | 115.5 | 70.0 |
| | 13 | 115.4 | 70.2 |
| | 20 | 115.2 | 70.4 |
| | 27 | 115.9 | 69.2 |
| April | 3 | 115.6 | 69.7 |
| | 10 | 115.7 | 69.7 |
| | 17 | 115.7 | 69.7 |
| | 24 | 115.7 | 69.1 |
| May | 1 | 115.7 | 69.2 |
| | 8 | 115.9 | 68.9 |
| | 15 | 116.1 | 68.6 |
| | 22 | 115.8 | 69.0 |
| | 29 | 115.9 | 68.8 |
| June | 5 | 116.1 | 68.5 |
| | 12 | 116.7 | 67.4 |
| | 19 | 117.4 | 66.2 |
| | 26 | 117.4 | 66.2 |

x 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.

INDUSTRIALS

UTILITIES

| Number of Securities | INDUSTRIALS | | | | | | | | | UTILITIES | | | | Grand Total |
|-----------------------------|-------------|----------------|----------------|----------|-------|-----------------------|--------------------------|------------|-----------------|-----------|-------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------|
| | 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 | |
| 1936 | 89 | 15 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 11 | 18 | 8 | 20 | 23 | 2 | 2 | 19 | 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 |
| x 1929 - High | 317.6 | 388.9 | 113.4 | 273.4 | 423.5 | 113.5 | 197.8 | 204.6 | 515.5 | 166.0 | 164.1 | 129.6 | 197.6 | 232.6 |
| Low | 199.3 | 201.6 | 70.9 | 196.6 | 251.4 | 77.5 | 135.1 | 84.1 | 252.7 | 126.7 | 119.0 | 107.7 | 134.8 | 154.7 |
| x 1932 - High | 79.7 | 81.3 | 10.7 | 66.6 | 118.6 | 45.3 | 96.9 | 51.4 | 98.0 | 63.9 | 52.7 | 88.4 | 80.2 | 66.5 |
| Low | 49.3 | 39.8 | 2.8 | 38.5 | 83.6 | 28.0 | 72.1 | 28.5 | 42.0 | 33.1 | 22.7 | 58.0 | 41.1 | 40.9 |
| x 1933 - High | 129.2 | 107.0 | 12.8 | 87.0 | 168.0 | 65.3 | 150.9 | 205.4 | 158.6 | 63.7 | 52.3 | 88.8 | 73.5 | 92.5 |
| Low | 56.0 | 44.4 | 3.0 | 37.7 | 87.6 | 30.8 | 78.8 | 33.8 | 66.9 | 36.9 | 23.2 | 62.4 | 47.1 | 46.3 |
| x 1934 - High | 133.4 | 129.8 | 13.9 | 79.0 | 184.1 | 79.1 | 136.6 | 165.8 | 198.6 | 59.8 | 44.5 | 98.8 | 71.8 | 93.6 |
| Low | 111.8 | 83.1 | 7.8 | 64.3 | 141.6 | 60.6 | 117.0 | 80.5 | 154.7 | 45.5 | 28.1 | 85.0 | 56.3 | 78.2 |
| x 1935 - High | 180.5 | 130.6 | 17.3 | 78.6 | 231.8 | 76.6 | 149.5 | 165.4 | 300.5 | 52.4 | 33.4 | 109.4 | 67.6 | 113.3 |
| Low | 123.7 | 133.6 | 10.3 | 54.0 | 173.1 | 60.1 | 123.5 | 97.1 | 164.4 | 43.5 | 23.3 | 92.9 | 53.2 | 84.7 |
| <u>1935</u> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 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 | 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 | 89.6 |
| March | 125.6 | 117.0 | 11.6 | 56.0 | 176.0 | 74.1 | 126.5 | 101.6 | 168.7 | 45.1 | 25.3 | 100.1 | 56.4 | 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 | 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 | 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 | 97.1 |
| <u>1936</u> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 187.7 | 130.3 | 18.6 | 80.0 | 231.0 | 75.5 | 153.6 | 151.7 | 307.1 | 52.4 | 29.8 | 111.4 | 66.0 | 117.8 |
| February | 200.0 | 140.5 | 20.2 | 84.3 | 246.5 | 74.0 | 158.7 | 151.7 | 331.2 | 57.0 | 35.0 | 112.3 | 71.1 | 126.1 |
| March | 194.8 | 136.5 | 18.5 | 88.7 | 237.3 | 73.1 | 153.0 | 140.1 | 329.7 | 55.5 | 33.3 | 110.4 | 69.7 | 122.8 |
| April | 194.2 | 131.7 | 17.5 | 91.0 | 244.5 | 71.3 | 150.7 | 131.7 | 319.0 | 53.2 | 30.8 | 109.7 | 67.1 | 121.4 |
| May | 187.9 | 125.1 | 16.7 | 87.3 | 234.0 | 68.1 | 145.7 | 131.4 | 313.1 | 52.5 | 30.5 | 109.5 | 65.9 | 117.9 |
| <u>Weekly Index Numbers</u> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| June 27th, 1935 | 142.6 | 121.0 | 10.6 | 56.6 | 210.0 | 65.8 | 126.9 | 104.4 | 196.8 | 44.6 | 26.1 | 97.1 | 55.0 | 95.5 |
| <u>1936</u> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| May 21st | 191.3 | 124.3 | 17.4 | 90.1 | 239.4 | 69.0 | 145.2 | 133.7 | 317.4 | 53.0 | 31.1 | 110.3 | 66.5 | 119.2 |
| May 28th | 189.3 | 123.8 | 16.9 | 83.6 | 234.8 | 68.9 | 145.8 | 128.2 | 318.8 | 52.3 | 31.1 | 108.8 | 65.4 | 117.9 |
| June 4th | 187.6 | 124.0 | 17.1 | 86.3 | 229.9 | 69.4 | 149.1 | 126.1 | 319.2 | 53.0 | 31.6 | 111.1 | 65.9 | 117.4 |
| June 11th | 187.8 | 124.9 | 17.3 | 86.1 | 230.0 | 67.4 | 149.8 | 125.6 | 320.2 | 53.2 | 31.6 | 113.2 | 66.1 | 117.6 |
| June 18th | 189.3 | 125.4 | 17.5 | 86.3 | 229.0 | 66.4 | 149.9 | 128.7 | 327.9 | 52.7 | 31.1 | 113.4 | 65.4 | 118.1 |
| June 25th | 192.1 | 124.4 | 18.2 | 87.4 | 231.4 | 66.7 | 149.7 | 128.1 | 336.8 | 53.2 | 31.6 | 112.7 | 66.2 | 119.7 |

x Weekly figures. / Banks not included.

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