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WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF 17 MINING STOCKS

1926 = 100

The weighted index numbers of seventeen<sup>#</sup> mining stocks, computed by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, on the base 1926 = 100, was 118.5 for the week ending March 29th as compared with 119.3 for the week ending March 22nd. All groups experienced slight declines.

Gold-copper stocks, represented by Noranda and Amulet, dropped from 114.7 to 113.0. Eleven gold stocks fell from 120.6 to 120.1. Four silver and miscellaneous stocks declined from 102.7 to 101.3.

Among the gold stocks the average price of Premier rose from \$2.63 to \$2.72, of Vipond Consolidated from 67.7 cents to 82.1 cents, Kirkland Lake from \$2.00 to \$2.03 and Lake Shore from \$23.56 to \$23.85. Dome fell from \$10.51 to \$10.44, Hollinger from \$17.04 to \$16.98, McIntyre from \$27.24 to \$26.79, Sylvanite from \$3.28 to \$3.20, Teck-Hughes from \$8.61 to \$8.53 and Wright-Hargreaves from \$5.08 to \$4.87.

In the gold-coppers the average price of Noranda fell from \$18.32 to \$18.08 and of Amulet from \$3.71 to \$3.63.

In Silver and Miscellaneous stocks Nipissing fell from \$4.80 to \$4.65, Coniagas from \$4.81 to \$4.78 and Mining Corporation from \$3.59 to \$3.55.

# The seventeen stocks include those for which quotations could be secured in 1926 and which are now either (1) mines actually producing, or (2) very near the production stage, or (3) mines which, though not themselves producing, have large interests in mines belonging to the other two classes. In (3) are included Coniagas and Beaver. Duplication is avoided by making allowance in the weighting of Kirkland Lake and Coniaurum for the stock held by Beaver and Coniagas respectively.

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Number of Stocks	Gold 11	Gold Copper 2	Silver and Miscellaneous 4	Total Index 17
<u>1927</u>				
January	113.1	132.3	116.5	116.0
February	120.1	124.6	122.2	120.8
March	119.6	128.9	109.1	120.2
April	118.4	123.4	106.6	118.3
May	122.5	136.5	101.1	123.0
June	118.1	130.4	101.3	118.7
July	121.4	134.7	113.2	122.7
August	125.7	150.0	116.3	128.5
September	134.2	163.6	112.7	137.0
October	139.7	175.2	125.1	143.8
November	139.4	163.3	129.3	142.1
December	136.3	155.5	123.8	138.2
<u>1928</u>				
Week ending-				
January 5th	137.2	153.7	120.0	138.6
" 12th	134.0	146.1	120.6	135.1
" 19th	132.2	143.7	123.9	133.6
" 26th	132.0	141.6	128.4	134.1
February 2nd	127.2	135.9	119.2	128.8
" 9th	126.8	130.0	112.6	127.1
" 16th	120.9	129.4	107.0	122.0
" 23rd	118.1	121.1	101.5	118.2
March 1st	118.1	122.6	101.1	118.3
" 8th	123.2	135.7	103.8	124.5
" 15th	122.9	131.6	104.6	123.7
" 22nd	120.6	114.7	102.7	119.3
" 29th	120.1	113.0	101.3	118.5



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