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WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF 17 MINING STOCKS

The weighted index of seventeen mining stocks, computed by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics on the base 1926-100, was 112.3 for the week ending May 16th as compared with 114.6 for the previous week.

Eleven gold stocks fell from 82.7 to 79.1. Gold copper stocks, represented by Amulet and Noranda, rose from 280.9 to 284.5. Four silver and miscellaneous stocks fell from 75.3 to 74.3.

Among the gold stocks the weekly average prices behaved as follows:- Premier fell from \$1.95 to \$1.78, Dome from \$10.06 to \$9.96, Hollinger from \$7.26 to \$6.49, Lake Shore from \$26.67 to \$26.01, Teck-Hughes from \$9.27 to \$9.10 and Wright-Hargreaves from \$1.76 to \$1.59.

Average weekly prices were higher for one of the gold copper stocks and lower for the other. Noranda rose from \$55.29 to \$56.13 while Amulet declined from \$1.73 to \$1.65.

In the silver and miscellaneous group the average price of Nipissing fell from \$3.13 to \$2.99 and Mining Corporation from \$4.37 to \$4.36.

INDEX NUMBERS OF SEVENTEEN MINING STOCKS

	Gold 11	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	130.0	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 Dec. 6th	78.6	326.3	74.2	118.4
" " " 13th	75.5	290.0	71.3	110.1
" " " 20th	75.4	314.9	71.0	113.9
" " " 27th	77.8	328.7	72.4	118.1
<u>1929</u>				
Week ending Jan. 3rd	86.2	340.5	75.6	126.8
" " " 10th	86.2	338.7	78.1	126.8
" " " 17th	83.9	331.2	79.5	124.0
" " " 24th	85.8	337.4	81.4	126.6
" " " 31st	84.8	325.9	85.2	124.3
" " Feb. 7th	84.4	333.3	87.9	125.4
" " " 14th	83.7	323.6	84.9	123.1
" " " 21st	83.4	316.4	84.0	121.7
" " " 28th	86.2	321.1	84.6	124.7
" " Mar. 7th	89.7	322.3	88.2	127.9
" " " 14th	86.9	310.6	85.3	123.6
" " " 21st	84.0	298.4	81.8	119.2
" " " 28th	78.4	274.5	74.6	110.4
" " Apr. 4th	81.3	269.8	75.3	111.9
" " " 11th	82.6	266.5	74.7	112.3
" " " 18th	83.4	267.8	75.2	113.1
" " " 25th	83.4	266.1	76.2	112.9
" " May 2nd	83.8	265.8	75.4	113.1
" " " 9th	82.7	280.9	75.3	114.6
" " " 16th	79.1	284.5	74.3	112.3

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