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WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF 20 MINING STOCKS
(1926=100)

The weighted index number of twenty mining stocks computed by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics on the base 1926=100 was 102.9 for the week ending December 21st, as compared with 105.2 for the previous week.

Eleven gold stocks fell from 100.0 to 98.4, four gold-copper stocks from 136.1 to 131.4, and five silver and miscellaneous stocks from 35.9 to 36.0.

Among the gold stocks weekly average prices behaved as follows: Dome declined from \$32.68 to \$32.22, Hollinger from \$11.48 to \$11.05, Lake Shore from \$44.07 to \$43.75, McIntyre from \$38.21 to \$38.13, Premier from \$1.05 to \$1.03, Teck-Hughes from \$5.71 to \$5.65 and Wright-Hargreaves from \$6.59 to \$6.43. Coniarum rose from 82¢ to 89¢ and Sylvanite from \$1.17 to \$1.19.

Average weekly prices were lower for two and higher for one of the gold-copper stocks. Hudson Bay dropped from \$9.21 to \$8.73 and Noranda from \$34.64 to \$33.57 while Sherritt-Gordon mounted from 86¢ to 83¢.

In the silver and miscellaneous group, Castle-Trethewey fell from 54¢ to 52¢, Mining Corporation from \$1.61 to \$1.53 and Nipissing from \$2.42 to \$2.30. Coniagas rose from \$1.21 to \$1.40.

INDEX NUMBERS OF TWENTY MINING STOCKS
1926=100

	Gold 11	Copper 4	Silver and Miscellaneous 5	Total Index 20
x1928 - High	137.2	344.3	128.4	138.6
Low	75.4	106.7	64.1	107.3
x1929 - High	89.7	340.5	88.2	127.9
Low	52.7	170.9	49.6	72.6
x1930 - High	66.7	218.4	50.7	88.3
Low	53.3	62.3	23.5	56.7
x1931 - High	79.5	114.5	46.5	85.4
Low	54.4	52.8	26.5	54.8
x1932 - High	63.1	87.1	29.8	64.8
Low	48.5	44.9	14.7	46.8
<u>1932</u>				
November	58.1	76.5	23.6	60.9
December	62.7	70.9	21.9	63.1
<u>1933</u>				
January	66.8	74.7	26.5	67.1
February	74.7	84.7	28.1	75.3
March	66.6	81.5	26.5	68.4
April	72.9	88.6	28.0	74.5
May	84.5	116.2	36.5	89.6
June	97.5	135.8	45.8	104.1
July	99.7	141.6	46.5	106.9
August	100.5	144.1	40.3	107.4
September	107.3	148.6	42.3	113.4
October	108.6	139.3	39.9	112.2
November	105.2	137.3	40.6	109.4
Week ending October 5th	111.9	148.7	42.2	116.7
" " " 12th	111.0	143.9	41.6	115.0
" " " 19th	102.2	131.9	37.7	105.8
" " " 26th	106.2	133.2	38.4	109.1
" " November 2nd	111.5	138.9	39.5	114.3
" " " 9th	107.9	137.7	42.3	111.5
" " " 16th	109.0	139.4	42.4	112.7
" " " 23rd	103.5	138.1	39.8	108.3
" " " 30th	100.3	133.9	38.0	105.0
" " December 7th	103.2	135.7	37.4	107.5
" " " 14th	100.0	136.1	36.9	105.2
" " " 21st	98.4	131.4	36.0	102.9

x Weekly figures.

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