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WEIGHTED PRICE INDEX NUMBERS OF 23 MINING STOCKS  
(1926=100)

The price index of twenty-three mining issues registered a fractional gain, placing the index at 143.8 for the week ending April 2, as compared with 143.2 for the previous week. This index was 126.3 for the week of April 4, 1935.

In spite of the fact that most of the gold stocks decreased in price, gains outweighed losses and the index for this group mounted from 121.2 for the week of March 26 to 121.4 for the week of April 2. The index for the corresponding week, last year was 124.1.

Further improvement occurred in base metals prices, the index advancing from 233.5 for the week of March 26 to 236.0 for the week of April 2. The index for the comparable period in 1935 was 139.2.

Appearing below is a table of prices, as computed by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics for the weeks of April 2 and March 26, 1936, and April 4, 1935.

<u>GOLD</u>	<u>1936</u> <u>April 2</u> \$	<u>1936</u> <u>March 26</u> \$	<u>1935</u> <u>April 4</u> \$
Beattie	1.41	1.41	(1)
Bralorne	7.32	7.24	8.18
Central Patricia	3.09	2.89	(1)
Dome	44.56	45.05	38.47
God's Lake	.85	.86	(1)
Hollinger	14.73	14.55	16.73
Howey	.59	.58	.87
Kirkland Lake	.47	.47	.48
Lake Shore	53.77	53.92	56.40
Little Long Lac	6.82	6.75	(1)
Macassa	3.77	3.91	2.12
McIntyre	41.29	41.33	43.53
Pickle Crow	5.93	5.19	(1)
Pioneer	10.28	10.65	10.13
Reno	1.11	1.08	1.43
San Antonio	2.44	2.48	3.74
Siscoe	3.10	3.13	2.91
Sylvanite	2.45	2.46	2.36
Teck-Hughes	4.53	4.65	4.15
Wright-Hargreaves	7.85	7.90	9.10
<u>BASE METALS</u>			
Falconbridge	8.90	9.06	3.68
Hudson Bay	26.13	26.07	12.96
Noranda	51.56	50.40	35.13

(1) Not in index during 1935.

INDEX NUMBERS OF TWENTY-THREE MINING STOCKS  
(1926=100)

Number of Stocks 1936	Gold 20	Base Metals 3	Total Index 23
+1928 - High	137.2	322.2	138.6
Low	75.4	105.7	107.3
+1929 - High	89.7	318.0	127.9
Low	52.7	157.3	72.6
+1930 - High	66.7	203.1	88.3
Low	53.3	56.4	56.7
+1931 - High	79.5	108.3	85.4
Low	54.4	49.9	54.8
+1932 - High	63.1	82.3	64.8
Low	48.5	42.5	46.8
+1933 - High	111.9	144.1	116.7
Low	64.9	68.2	65.1
+1934 - High	140.1	167.6	143.3
Low	103.1	125.0	107.3
+1935 - High	131.2	211.7	136.7
Low	104.7	128.6	114.9
<u>1935</u>			
January	123.2	132.4	124.3
February	123.4	131.2	124.2
March	127.5	135.3	128.2
April	124.5	140.1	128.7
May	121.4	150.2	128.3
June	116.3	153.2	123.0
July	110.1	151.9	117.9
August	106.2	155.4	115.6
September	109.5	159.6	119.1
October	106.3	169.7	118.6
November	111.8	181.9	125.5
December	116.9	201.7	133.6
<u>1936</u>			
January	124.8	214.8	142.4
February	130.2	230.4	149.8
March	122.7	232.2	144.2
<u>Weekly Index Numbers</u>			
<u>1935</u>			
Week ending April 4th	124.1	139.2	126.3
<u>1936</u>			
Week ending March 5th	127.7	234.5	148.6
" " " 12th	123.8	230.9	144.8
" " " 19th	119.6	226.1	140.5
" " " 26th	121.2	233.5	143.2
" " April 2nd	121.4	236.0	143.8

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