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

Improvement in gold stock prices was the main influence in raising the general index of mining issues from 154.4 for the week of July 2 to 155.3 for the week of July 9. The index for the comparable week in 1935 was 118.0.

Medium priced gold issues recorded gains of some importance and were responsible for the advance in this group, the index mounting from 132.9 for the week of July 2 to 134.2 for this week. For the week of July 11, last year this index was 110.8.

Lower prices for Falconbridge and Hudson Bay caused the index of base metals to decline for the third consecutive week. The index was 243.2 for the week of July 9, as compared with 243.7 for the preceding week and 150.1 for the corresponding period in 1935.

Appearing below is a table of prices as compiled by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics for the weeks of July 9 and 2, 1936, and July 11, 1935.

<u>GOLD</u>	1936	1936	1935
	<u>July 9</u>	<u>July 2</u>	<u>July 11</u>
	\$	\$	\$
Beattie	1.36	1.34	(1)
Bralorne	7.80	7.88	4.60
Central Patricia	4.02	3.87	(1)
Lomo	55.75	56.43	38.27
God's Lake	1.16	1.12	(1)
Hollinger	15.66	15.69	14.21
Howey	.80	.79	.72
Kirkland Lake	.60	.58	.34
Lake Shore	59.11	58.48	50.88
Little Long Lac	6.38	6.37	(1)
Macassa	4.45	4.41	1.60
McIntyre	43.03	43.45	40.53
Pickle Crow	6.21	6.11	(1)
Pioneer	8.48	8.60	9.67
Reno	1.23	1.19	1.29
San Antonio	2.33	2.37	3.64
Siscoe	3.83	3.62	2.61
Sylvanite	2.98	2.77	2.14
Teck-Hughes	5.78	5.62	4.13
Wright-Hargreaves	8.37	8.16	7.87
<u>BASE METALS</u>			
Falconbridge	8.34	8.38	3.77
Hudson Bay	23.38	23.66	15.01
Noranda	58.38	58.20	36.91

(1) Not in index during 1935.

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

Number of Stocks 1936	Gold	Base Metals	Total Index
	20	3	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	63.2	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
<u>1936</u>			
January	124.8	214.8	142.4
February	130.2	230.4	149.8
March	122.7	232.2	144.2
April	122.8	241.1	145.8
May	128.9	239.2	150.3
June	134.4	246.0	156.1
<u>Weekly Index Numbers</u>			
<u>1935</u>			
Week ending July 11th	110.8	150.1	118.0
<u>1936</u>			
Week ending June 4th	135.0	246.3	156.6
" " " 11th	136.2	246.4	157.6
" " " 18th	135.2	247.1	156.9
" " " 25th	132.8	246.7	154.9
" " July 2nd	132.9	243.7	154.4
" " " 9th	134.2	243.2	155.3

+ Weekly figures.

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