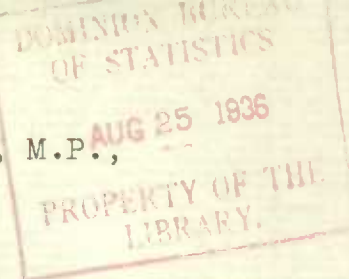


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WEIGHTED PRICE INDEX NUMBERS OF 23 MINING STOCKS
(1926 = 100)

The general index of mining issues declined from 158.5 for the week of August 13 to 158.1 for the week of August 20, when recessions in the gold group were a greater influence than gains in the base metals. The index for the week of August 22, 1935, was 115.1.

Notable advances were registered for Lake Shore, Siscoe and Wright-Hargreaves, but prices for more than two-thirds of the gold stocks were lower and caused the index to decline for the third successive week. The index fell from 132.9 for the week of August 13 to 132.0 for the following week. The comparative figure for last year was 105.3.

Base metals index came to the fore again, a new high level being reached by this index, due chiefly to Noranda which averaged \$63.97. This index was 266.4 for the week of August 20, as compared with 264.6 for the preceding week, and 156.4 for the corresponding week in 1935.

Appearing below is a table of weekly average prices, as compiled by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics for the weeks of August 20 and 13, 1936, and August 22, 1935.

<u>GOLD</u>	1936	1936	1935
	<u>August 20</u>	<u>August 13</u>	<u>August 22</u>
	\$	\$	\$
Beattie	1.43	1.46	(1)
Bralorne	7.30	7.64	4.99
Central Patricia	4.14	4.22	(1)
Dome	55.03	56.04	36.97
God's Lake	1.13	1.19	(1)
Hollinger	14.49	14.82	13.40
Howey	.81	.78	.73
Kirkland Lake	.60	.58	.36
Lake Shore	57.67	57.38	49.73
Little Long Lac	6.02	6.07	(1)
Macassa	4.33	4.52	1.37
McIntyre	41.78	41.82	35.66
Pickle Crow	7.05	7.15	(1)
Pioneer	7.72	7.83	9.59
Reno	1.24	1.26	.99
San Antonio	1.96	2.08	3.35
Siscoe	4.53	4.36	2.64
Sylvanite	3.39	3.36	2.09
Teck-Hughes	5.96	6.01	3.85
Wright-Hargreaves	7.94	7.88	7.20
 <u>BASE METALS</u>			
Falconbridge	9.01	8.94	4.11
Hudson Bay	25.82	26.13	15.35
Noranda	63.97	62.98	38.60

(1) Not in index during 1935.

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

Number of Stocks	Gold	Base Metals	Total Index
1936	20	3	23
x1928 ~ High	137.2	322.2	138.6
Low	75.4	105.7	107.3
x1929 ~ High	89.7	318.0	127.9
Low	52.7	157.3	72.6
x1930 ~ High	66.7	203.1	88.3
Low	53.3	56.4	56.7
x1931 ~ High	79.5	108.3	85.4
Low	54.4	49.9	54.8
x1932 ~ High	63.1	82.3	64.8
Low	48.5	42.5	46.8
x1933 ~ High	111.9	144.1	116.7
Low	64.9	68.2	65.1
x1934 ~ High	140.1	167.6	143.3
Low	103.1	125.0	107.3
x1935 ~ High	131.2	211.7	136.7
Low	104.7	128.6	114.9
1935			
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
1936			
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
July	134.4	254.1	157.6
<u>Weekly Index Numbers</u>			
1935			
Week ending August 22nd	105.3	156.4	115.1
1936			
Week ending July 9th	134.2	243.2	155.3
" " " 16th	132.9	247.4	155.1
" " " 23rd	134.6	260.5	159.0
" " " 30th	136.0	265.2	161.0
" " Aug. 6th	135.1	265.5	160.4
" " " 13th	132.9	264.6	158.5
" " " 20th	132.0	266.4	158.1

x Weekly figures.

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