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## COMRODITIES

Following a short reaction in the socund half of October, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics veekly intox of wholesale jriecs again moved upwara from $\mathrm{T}_{2} .4$ to 72.9 , betweon the firat and third wniks of Noreuber. The index for tho fourth week weas also 72.9 as comprod $\pi i t h 71.2$ fur the corresponding poriod of 1934 . Price movements for basic conmoditios were inclined to be erratic duning jovember. Grain markets were weaker for the fiust ten doys, ard then strongthoned modemately. Eogs after romaining firm at relativoly high levels for the first hell of the month, subsequently lost practically all of gains made ocarlior in october: Cottle were tirm, but hog prices declined in the final week. Sharp increases for iat cutton offset an equally procipitate reaction in ram silk. Rubber was stcady: as woro mevals in the non-ferrous group.

The November monthiy wholesale price index was 72.7 as compared with 73.1 for October.

## COST OF LIVTNG

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics cost of living inciex rose from 80.4 in October to 80.6 in November. The corresponding figure for November, 1934; was 79.3. An index for foods rose from 72.4 to 73.2 , highor prices for egas, jutten, cheese, and flour influencing the index more than decliner for meate and coffoo. Seasonal advances in coal and cole causca the fucl index to move up from 86.5 to 87.0 .

## SECURITIES

Common stock prices continued to show unusual strengih during November, and the advance which cormenced early in October, moved forward withou's intermaption. Prices for industrials outstripped earlier peaks of the z'ecovery movenent, and averaged higher: than at any time since May 1930. A price indey for industrials was 173.2 for the weok of November 28, as compared with 126.3 for the corresponding wook of 1934. Utilitics have shown a much weaker response to market stimali, but an indoz for this group has moved upward gradually from 44.2 in the second wook of Octobor to 52.4 for the final week of Novamber. This level ropresonts the highest point reached for 1935, but it is still relatively low when compared with recorde fo: pirecoding years.

High grade bond $y$ ields fluctuated narrowly throughout November, as indicated by the Bureau's Dominion of Canada long-term bond yield index which moved between 74.1 and 75.7 . During October this indox had fallon steadily from 83.8 in tho first weok to 75.6 in the final week.

## FORE IGN EXCHANGE

Actual exchange fluctuetions during lNovember mere of sidell proportions, bu屯 outward signs of equilibrium were bolied by furthor hoavy gold shipments to the United States. Practically all of these came from France, and they wore accompanied by repeated increasos in the official bank discount rate which reached 6 p.c. on November 26. French gold shipmunts in the past three months have approximated $\$ 500,000,000$. Quotations on tho Italian lira wore pleced upon puroly or nominal basis in tho lattor part of the month, but a news intimation on November 29 , indjcated that the internal price of gold in Italy had been advanced by 25 p.c. The $£$ sterling at Hontreal advancod gradually from $\$ 4.9700$ on November 1, to $\$ 4.9880$ on November 30 . The premiun on New York funds remained close to $11 / \mathrm{g} \mathrm{p.c}$.

SUMMARY OF IM ORTANT COMMODITY MARSETS: THEAT AND OTHER GRIINS: Wheat prices at Winnipeg drifted gradually downward during the first two reeks of November. Continental European buying was at an unusuolly low obb, roported to bo duo in part to uncortainty regarding the disposition of Canadian holdings, and to a more favourablo outlook in the Argentine. Steady pressure from Australlan wheat existed during this period. Buying interest improved in the third week, and markets were influenced also by the revised Canadian crop estimate which was reduced by $16,570,000$ bushels. From November 23 to the
ond of the month, markets again declined with European importers' interest less active following the earlior period of buying.

| Descriptions (Basis Fort William and Port Arthur cash, per bushel | $\begin{gathered} 1934 \\ \text { Novermber } \\ \text { Average } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \frac{1935}{} \\ & \text { october } \\ & \text { iverage } \end{aligned}$ | $1935$ <br> November <br> Average |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| No.l Wanitoba Northern Theat | $\begin{gathered} \phi \\ 79.6 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \phi \\ 90.8 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \phi \\ 8.7 \end{gathered}$ |
| No. 2 C.W. Oo.ts .......... | 44.2 | 34.0 | 31.9 |
| No.? C.w. Rye | 55.9 | 42.2 | 41.1 |
| No. 3 C.in. Earley | 51.9 | 33.9 | 33.3 |
| No.i C.lii. Flaz | 134.2 | 141.2 | 141.2 |

FLOUR AND MIIIBD PRODUCTS: The wealer tendency in wheat prices reacted unfavourably vpon trade in flour. Export unsiness was disappointing, and the approach of tho holiday season $\nabla a s$ fult in domustic markets in the latter part of the month. Both flour and rollcd oats wore reduc od in price, the formor reac ing to the wheat market: and the latter afiectec by larger supolios of lor grado whect available for feed. This has lessoned requitionents of oats for that furpose

| Desctiptions | $\frac{1934}{\text { Noverioer }} 15$ | $\frac{\frac{1935}{\text { October }}}{} 15$ | $\frac{1935}{\text { November }} 15$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Flour, No. 1 patent, Manitoba, ofr berrel | \$ | \$ | \$ |
| at kiontreal | 5.140 | 5.80 | 5.70 |
| Rolled Oats, Toronto, per 90 pound bag | 3.00 | 2.85 | 2.70 |
| Oatmeal, Toronto, per 98 pound bag | 3.30 | 3.14 | 2.97 |

SUGAR: The raw sugar market at New York was dopressed during November by the uncertain fate of the A.A.A. processing tax on sugar. Prices sagged badly in the lattor half of the month when an injunction was issued by the United Statos Supremo Couri in the A.A.A. rice growers caso tomooarily restraining the collection of the tar. The release of bondod sugars in excoss of quota allocations to relieve the possibility of a shortage of actuals also excrtcd a doprossing offect upon the mariet.

| Descriptions | $\begin{aligned} & \frac{1934}{\text { November }} 15 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \frac{1935}{\text { October }} 15 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \frac{1235}{\text { Novermber }} 15 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Granulated Sugar, standard per cwt. Montreal. | 4.90 | 4.71 | $4.71$ |
| Yellow Sugar, No. 1 per cwt., Montreal ....... | 4.61 | 4.42 | 4.42 |
| B.W.I. Sugar, per crit., Montrsal | 1.71 | 1.97 | 1.90 |

RUBBER! The moeting of the Intcrnational Rubber Regulation Committee on Docomber 3, resulted in an extcnsim of 60 p.c. production quotas for the first half of 1936, and the granting of an additional 57,000 tons for 1936 to Dutch interests. Rapid increases in Dutch native production in the nast few months were a major factor in the granting of this additional allowance. The interpretation of this news in some circles was bearish, since the continuanco of curront rates of consumption would result in only moderato decrcases in world stocks, if quotas romain e.s announced.


IIVESTOCK: Prices of cattle werc Fell maintained during the first half of Novambor, dospite the fact that offerings consisted mainly of poorly finished grades. As the volume of sal os continuod moderate, an upcum was recorded at most centres mith the trade supported chiofly by domestic domand. Calves, hogs and lambs wero generally hi gher. Following advices from tho United Kingdom, indicative of loror bacon prices, hog markets in Canada moved downward in the latter part of Novomber.

|  | 1934 | 1935. | 1935 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Descriptions | Wovember | October | November |
|  | Average | Averege | Average |
| Steers, grod and choice over 1050 pounds | \$ |  | \$ |
| per cwt. at Ioronto | 4.78 | 6.01 | 5.80 |
| Winnipes | 3.45 | 4.44 | 4.74 |
| Calves, good voal, por cwt. at Toronto | 6.62 | 8.56 | 8.97 |
| Winnipog | 4.76 | 5.88 | 6.18 |


| 1934 | 1935 | 1935 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| November | october | November |
| Averace | Avorage | Average |
| \$ | \$ | + |
| 7.89 | 8.94 | 7.99 |
| 6.80 | 7.92 | 7.16 |
| 6.73 | 7.06 | 7.73 |
| 5.58 | 5.82 | 6.68 |

EGGS: The genorally firm position which characterised egg markets in the opening days of November gave way to an casier tone as the month ended. Weather conditions mere largely rcsponsible for this change. In the west, production during the first threo wecks was roduced to almost winter levels and deliverics of fresh supplies slowed up. Later, prices cased as the meathar moderated, and offerings in eastern areas increas od while demand was roported insufficiont to take care of marketings. Cold storage holdings were reported by the Agricultural Branch of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at $6,458,100$ dozon on November 1. This represented a decrease of about 39 p.c. from stocks on November 1, 1934, and 31 p.c. from those on the first of the provious monih.

Descriptions
Tggs, Grade "A" Large yer dozen at

1934
Novamber Average $\begin{array}{llll}\text { Montreal.. } & 44.0 & 40.3 & 43.5 \\ \text { Toronto .. } & 41.4 & 39.4 & 42.5\end{array}$

1935
october Averase $\phi$ 35.2

1935
November Average 44.0
41.4 43.5 vancouver.
31.3 37.8

BUTTER: Good demand and active trading charlacterizod butter markets in November. Current fresh recoipts at most major contres wore reportod light and clearances were readily made. Stocks of creamery butter in cold storage were shown by the Agricultural Branch of the Dominion Eureau of Statistics at 47.474,219 pounds on November 1 or about $13 \mathrm{p} \cdot \mathrm{c}$. less than holdings on October 1.


COTMON: Following the release of the latest United States governmont crop estimate on Novomber 8, both spot and nearby futures advanced in the Now York market, and thereafter hovered around the $12 \phi$ level. The forecast of $11,141,000$ bales was about 200,000 bales less than trade oxpoctations. Demand was said to have been well maintained, although unconfirmed roports credited the pool with the liquidation of about 100,000 bales. World mill takings of American cotton for the four weeks ended November 29, totalled $1,212,000$ bales as compared with $1,424,000$ bales in the previous four weeks. Visible supplies rose from $6,112,000$ bales on November 1 , to $6,836,000$ bales on the 29th.

|  | 1934 | 1935 | 1935 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Descriptions | November | October | November |
|  | Average | Average | Avorage |
| Haw cotton, upland middling at New York, | $\phi$ | $\dagger$ | $\dagger$ |
| per pound (Canadian funds) | 12.2 | 11.3 | 12.1 |

SIIK: Silk futures wore roported sharply lonor. but spot prices in the Now York market of fored steady resistance to somewhat boarish statistics. United States consumption figures of 47,937 for October, were about 3,000 bal es less than general forecasts, and considerable liquidation followed their publication. No 3izeable gain was shown in the Japan into-sight movement.

| Descriptions | $\begin{aligned} & \frac{1934}{\text { November }} 15 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \frac{1935}{\text { October } 15} \end{aligned}$ | $\frac{\frac{1935}{\text { November }} 15}{}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Raw silk, per pound, New York basis, Canadian funds. | \$ | \$ | \$ |
| Special grand, XX, $85 \mathrm{p} \cdot \mathrm{c}$. $20-22$ denicrs. | 1.26 | 2.15 | 2.25 |
| Grand, XX, 83 p.c., 13-15 deniers | 1.39 | 2.28 | 2.29 |

TOOL: Canadian wool prices reflectod the strongth in overscas markets and moved upward in November. Domestic and foreign buying improved while dealors' stocks of wool and tops werc roported low. Exports of raw wool roso from $1,181,568$ pounds in September to $1,342,173$ pounds in the following month.
Doscriptions
Raw wiool por pound in quantities of

$\frac{\frac{1235}{00 t \sigma t i n e r} 15}{\phi}$
1035
$\frac{\text { November }}{6} 15$ 20;000 pounds, or more, f.o.b. Weston Eastern, brigat, lox, madium $3 / 8$ blood stapla or 50 :s ........... blood siapla or 58's .. 60's ...........
15.0
16.0
18.0
Weatern senin-bright meaiura or
blcod sieplo or 58 's $\cdots 60^{\prime}$ 's

LUMBEP AND TMBEER: prices rmained firm and a considerable volumo of business
 mente and rajl tiude for promet delivery incroased. Export demand from the Unitiod
$K$ inegom was well sustajned despite the recent rise in freight ratos. Motal pianks and bocids exported from canzda rose fion $122,4: 3 \mathrm{M}$ bd.ft. in Sopionbor to $238,118 \mathrm{M}$ bd.ft. in october.

| Doscriptions (Frice | Inder Nambers | 1926-1.00) | $\frac{1934}{\text { No }}$ | $\frac{1935}{c t o b e r}$ | $\begin{gathered} \frac{1935}{} \\ \text { november } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Wrate pine lusuer |  |  | 87.9 | 87.5 | 87.5 |
| Spruce lumber |  |  | 74.2 | 69.7 | 69.7 |
| Fir lumber |  |  | 81.6 | 75.1 | 76.3 |
| cader tumber |  |  | 66.0 | 88.4 | 89.9 |

IRON AND STEEL: A general expension in businoss and stordy pricos featurod the iron and stael industry. Stoel mills fore roported as having maintaned high production rates whils foundries making castings ricrked at noarly capacity schedules. Therc was a decided improvement ir demand for stocl sheets \#ith somo plants unalle to fill orters promptly, Sales of merchent pig iron continued to incroase.


COPPER: Nerrow fluctuations were recorded in the United States export price of copper which rose, with slight interruption, f:om $8.70 \phi$ on November l, to $8.72 \frac{1}{3}$ per pound on tho 30 th. A gain in worla apparent consumption from 133,100 tons in Soptomber to 164,500 tons in October was said to have had ?ittlo influence on the market as favourable consumption figures had been gencrelly anticipatod. Visible supplies of refined metal declined from 53?, 600 tons in Scptember to 496,500 tons in October, although production of primary and secondary gradcs had increased by 17.900 tons during the same interval.

## Description

Copper, electrolytic, domestic, per 100 pound, carlots: fo.b. Montreel .....
> $\frac{1934}{\text { Norember }}$ Avcrage
7.26

9.54

1935
November
Averege

IIN: Marked scarcity of tin for prompt and nearby delivery was quoted at the chiof sustaining market factor. Prices moved forward, although norld visible suppiles, including the Eastern carryover, advanced from 12,597 long tons in Septerber to 15,242 long tons in October.
$\frac{1934}{\text { Noverber }} 15$
$\frac{15}{6}$


2035 November 15
Description
55.5
56.0
57.0

BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION MATERTALS, 1913-100
See page 8 for tiose data on the base 1926 : 100

|  | $: \frac{1934}{\text { Nov. }}$ | $: \frac{1935}{J u 1 y}$ | Aug. | Sopt. | Oct. | Nov. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Building and Construction Materials | 124.8 | 126.5 | 126.7 | 226.9 | 126.4 | 126.7 |
| Lumber | 112.0 | 112.5 | 112.1 | 125.4 | 113.2 | 113.9 |
| Painters Matcrials | 136.6 | 134.0 | 133.1 | 1.17 .9 | 121.0 | 121.0 |
| Miscollancous | 134.3 | 1.31 .4 | 131.5 | 131.8 | 132.4 | 132.1 |

## SUMAAEY FABLES OF INDEX NUGBERS <br> ( $1926=100$ )

(Indexes for 1935 are subject to $f$ inal revision)

|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { No. of } \\ & \text { Price } \\ & \text { Series: } \end{aligned}$ | Yearly Average: 1934 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nov. } \\ & 1933_{4} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Sept. } \\ & 1935 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Oct. } \\ & 1935 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nov. } \\ & 1935 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Index 567 Conmodities | 567 | 71.6 | 71.1 | 72.3 | 73.1 | 72.7 |
| CI.ASS ITIED ACCORDING TO TEBIR |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Chime coironent materials |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Vegetable products (grains, fruits, eic ) | 135 | 66.6 |  |  |  |  |
| II. Animals end Their Products | 76 | 67.2 | 66.7 | 72.0 | $\begin{aligned} & 68.5 \\ & 73.5 \end{aligned}$ | $72.9$ |
| 1II. Zibres, Textiles and Textile Products | 85 | 72.9 | 71.3 | 68.8 | 69.2 | 69.6 |
| IV. Wocd, Wood Products and Papur | 49 | 65.3 | 64.9 | 65.0 | 64.8 | 65.2 |
| Iron ent Tis Products | 44 | 87.0 | 86.7 | 87.1 | 87.1 | 87.2 |
| vI. Non-F'errous Motils and Their | 18 | 64.3 | 63.1 | 71.1 | 73.6 | 73.3 |
| vil. Non-Metallic Minc:als and Their |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\mathrm{F}=$ oducts | 83 | 56.0 | 86.0 | 35.2 | 85.0 | 85.0 |
| VIII. Chemicals and Aliiod products | 77 | \%1.2 | 30.3 | 76.9 | 77.4 | 77.4 |
| ${ }^{\text {T. E Consuruers' Goods }}$ | 236 | 74.1 | 73.1 | 73.3 | 74.2 | 74.1 |
| Focds, Buverayes and Tobacco | 126 | 69.7 | 63.4 | 70.7 | 72.5 | 72.2 |
| Othor Consumers ' Goods | 110 | 77.0 | 76.2 | 75.0 | 75.3 | 75.4 |
| II. Producers ' Goods | 402 | 67.5 | 67.9 | 70.2 | 70.6 | 69.6 |
| Froducers ' Equipment | 24 | 88.9 | 69.4 | 89.3 | 89.7 | 89.6 |
| producers' Materials | 375 | 65.5 | 65.5 | 63.0 | 63.5 | 67.1 |
| Building \& Construction Materials | S 111 | \%2. 5 | 51.3 | 82.5 | 82.2 | 82.4 |
| Manufacturers' Materials | 267 | 62.6 | 62.7 | 65.5 | 66.2 | 64.8 |
| INDEX NUMBERS OF CONiKODITIES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Raw and Partly Manufactured | 245 | 63.5 | 64.3 | 67.2 | 68.0 | 67.5 |
| Total Fully and Chiefly Manufactured | 322 | 73.4 | 72.4 | 72.4 | 73.4 | 72.9 |
| I. Articles of Farm Origin (Domestic and Foreign) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A. Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| (a) Raw ond partly manufactured | 95 | 54.2 | 55.1 | 57.2 | 58.3 | 57.0 |
| (b) Tully and chiefly manufactured | 91 | 73.9 | 73.0 | 71.7 | 72.7 | 71.8 |
| (c) Total | 186 | 64.8 | 64.7 | 65.0 | 66.1 | 65.0 |
| B. Animal |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| (a) Raw and partly manufacturod | 46 | 66.0 | 67.9 | 73.3 | 74.4 | 74.3 |
| (b) Fully and chiofly manufactured | 59 | 69.8 | 67.7 | 71.0 | 73.5 | 72.7 |
| (c) Total | 105 | 68.2 | 67.8 | 72.0 | 73.4 | 73.4 |
| c. Canadian Farm Products |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| (1) Field (grains, etc.) |  |  |  |  |  | 57.8 |
| (2) Animal | 18 | 67.7 | 70.4 | 75.5 | 76.7 | 77.1 |
| (3) Total | 70 | 59.0 | 61.2 | 64.7 | 65.8 | 50 |
| II. Articles of Marine Origin |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| (a) Raw and partly manufactured |  | 60.3 | 65.9 | 66.0 | 65.6 | 00.0 |
| (b) Fully and chiefly manufactured | 11 | 75.1 | 77.7 | 69.7 | 68.4 | 70.7 |
| (c) Total | 16 | 71.1 | 74.5 | 68.7 | 67.6 | 67.8 |
| III. Articles of Forest Origin |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| (a) Raw and partly manufactured | 37 | 76.3 | 75.2 | 75.4 | 74.4 |  |
| (b) Fully and chiefly manufactured | 20 | 56.1 | 55.9 | 56.2 | 56.5 | 56.5 |
| (c) Total | 57 | 65.5 | 64.9 | 65.1 | 64.8 | 65.3 |
| articlos of Minoral Origin |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| (a) Raw and partly manuf actured | 62 | 77.5 | 77.6 | 80.4 | 81.4 | 81.4 |
| (b) Fully and chiefly manufactured | 141 | 86.0 | 85.5 | 84.7 | 84.5 | 84.5 |
| (c) Total | 203 | 82.2 | 82.0 | 82.8 | 83.1 | 83.1 |

## INDEX NUMBERS OF COMODITIIS

(Classified According to Uhief Component Vaterials)
(1926=100)
(Indexes for 1935 are subject to final revision)

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## INDEX NUMBYPS OF COMNODITIES

Cleassified According to Purpose for which used, 1926 w 100.
(Indexes for 1935 are subject to final revision)


|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Average: } \\ & : 1926 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Yearly } \\ & : \text { Average } \\ & 1934 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nov. } \\ & : 1934 \end{aligned}$ | oct． 1935 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Nov. } \\ & 1935 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CATS |  | \＄ | \＄ | \＄ | \＄ |  |
| Ft．Wiliam and Pt．Arthur basis | Bush． | .548 | ． 386 | ． 442 | ． 340 | 319 |
| WHEAT No．1 Man．Northern， Pt．William and Pt．Arthur basis | Bush． | 1.495 | ． 748 | .796 | ． 908 | 857 |
| Flour，First Patent，2－98＇s Jute |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Toronio |  | 8.821 | 5.500 | 5.500 | 5.800 |  |
| ＋SITGAR，Br．West Indies，Montreal | Cwt． |  | 1.973 | 1.713 | 1.968 | 1.901 |
| SUGQR，granulated， Nontreal | Cwt． | 5.958 | $5 \cdot 557$ | 4.895 | 4.705 | 4.705 |
| $\therefore$ RUBIMER Ceylon，ribbed，smoked sheets， f．o b，Nerl Yorl： | Lb． | ． 488 | ． 128 | ． 127 | ． 129 | 133 |
| CAITLE Steers，Good over 1050 lbs． Toronto | Crt． | 7.330 | $5 \cdot 506$ | 4.780 | 6.010 | 5.800 |
| HDGS：Becun， Toronte | Cwt． | 13.320 | 8.608 | 7.890 | 8.940 | 7.990 |
| BEEF HIDES，Packer Hides，native steers Toronso | Lb． | ． 135 | ． 094 | ． 103 | .153 | ． 153 |
| gTDES：Pacien crops，NO．I．\＆II．f．o．b． Distributing points | Lb． | － | ． 305 | ． 290 | .340 | .360 |
| BOX SIDES B， ushaire： | Ft． | ． 263 | ． 206 | ． 200 | ． 240 | 240 |
| BUMTER，Crcarsery，finest prints， Montreal | Lb． | － 390 | .243 | ． 222 | .263 | 274 |
| CHEESE．Canadian，old，large， Montreal | Lb． | ． 227 | ． 154 | ． 150 | ． 150 | .150 |
| EGGS，Grade＂Li＂Large， Hontreal | Doz． | － | ． 315 | ． 440 | ． 403 | ． 435 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { COTTON. rem } 1^{\prime \prime}-11 / 16^{\prime \prime} \text {, } \\ & \text { Hamilitor. } \end{aligned}$ | Lb． | ． 194 | .138 | ． 135 | ． 133 | .145 |
| COTTON YARNS． 10 ＇s whito，single Hasiery cons：Mili | Lb． | ． 368 | ． 303 | ． 310 | ． 275 | ． 290 |
| BLEACHED KLINMLITTIE， 4.50 yds ．to 2 b ．f．o．b．works | Lb． | ． 717 | ． 481 | .489 | ． 473 | ． 473 |
| GINGHMM，dross， $6.50-7.75 \mathrm{y}$ ds．to 1 b ． Montreal | Lb． | 1.036 | ． 959 | .959 | .797 | 797 |
| whik，rew，special grand XX 85 p．c． Ner York，13－1．5 deniers |  | － | 1.536 | 1.512 | 2.337 | 2.337 |
| WOOH，eastorn bright， $1 / 4$ blood，domest Toronto | ic， Lb． | － 306 | ． 181 | .140 | ． 160 | 180 |
| Wool，wastern range，semi－bright $\frac{1}{2}$ blcod，comestic，Toronto | Lb． | ． 316 | ． 199 | .150 | ． 180 | ． 190 |
| PUIP：Efoundwood，No．l f，o b．Mill | Ton | 29.670 | 20.896 | 20.081 | 19.027 | 20.653 |
| PjG MON，Malleablo，f．0．b．plant，Groter | ss Ton | 22.830 | 19.000 | 19.000 | 19.000 | 19.000 |
| Snu Kin | Lbs． | 2.450 | 2.250 | 2.250 | 2.250 | 2.250 |
| COEPRR，Ilectrolytic，domestic， Mon trea？ | Cwt． | 15.767 | 8.220 | 7.264 | 9.540 | 9.413 |
| LEAD，COMEsíic，f．o．b．carlots Mintreai | Cwt． | 8.154 | 3.409 | 3.214 | 4.716 | 4.740 |
| TMJ WGOIS，Straits，f．o．b． ？？oronto | Lb． | ． 669 | ． 569 | .555 | ． 560 | ． 570 |
| 23MC．Domonvic，f．o．b．carlots Mort： E ？？ | Cwt． | ร． 825 | 4.059 | 3.627 | 4.467 | 4.490 |
| COAL，Anthrecito，Toronto， fo．be cerilote | Oss Tor | 13.560 | 12.117 | 12.454 | 12.340 | 12.340 |
| CuAL，Bituminous，N．S． 2Un－つデーmine | Ton | 6.083 | 5.250 | 5.250 | 5.250 | 5.250 |
| GASOLENE： Itcronco | Gal． | ． 253 | .163 | ． 150 | ． 150 | ． 150 |
| EUKPRURIC AUTD $66^{\circ}$ Beame rownto | Ton | 14.000 | 16.000 | 16.000 | 16.000 | 16.000 |

[^0]－For month of nearest dalivery when spot quotations not available．





| 100 | Raw Cotton |
| :---: | :---: |
| 80 | 80 |
| 60 | 60 |
| 40 | 40 |
| 20 | 20 |


| 120 | Cotton Hosiery Yarn andí Thread 120 |
| :---: | :---: |
| 100 | 100 |
| 80 | - $8 \theta$ |
| 60 | 60 |
| 40 | 40 |




INDEX NUMBERS OF RETAIL PRICES, RMNTS, AND COSTS OF SERVICES IN CANADA, NOVEMBER, 1935. (Calculations based on prices for the first of each month)

The index number of retail prices,rents, and costs of servicus, on the base 1926=100, rose from 80.4 in October to 50.6 in November, duc to higher prices for foods and fuel.

An index for retail prices alone, including foods, coal, coke, clothing, housghold requirements, otc., moved up from 75.6 to 76.0 . Whon foods were removed from this index it was 78.7 in November as compared $\nabla$ ith 78.6 in October.

For 46 food items an index rose from 72.4 to 73.2 , increases for eggs, butter, cheese, tea, and flour, influencing the indox more than declines in meats, granulated sugar, and coffec. A substantial scasonal advance occurrod in the price of cges, Grado "A" eggs being up from $35.8 \phi$ to $41.5 \phi$ per dozon, whilc an averace of grade "B" and Grade "C" oggs was $33.4 \phi$ in November as against $30.1 \phi$ for the previous month. Oreamory buttor rose from $27.1 \phi$ to $25.6 \phi$ and cairy butter form $23.5 \phi$ to $24.9 \phi$ per pound. Cheose averaged $20.5 \phi$ por pound in November and $19.9 \phi$ in october. Toa nored up from $51.8 \phi$ to $52.3 \phi$ por pound, while flour at $3.5 \$$ per pourci was frac ionally higher. Meat prices declined as follows: Sirloin beef from 23.4 to 22.54 , shoulder beef from $12.7 \phi$ to $12.3 \phi$, mutton from $20.3 \phi$ to $19.9 \phi$, fresk pork from $22.7 \phi$ to $21.9 \phi$, bacon from $31.8 \phi$ to $31.2 \phi$, and cooked ham from $53.5 \phi$ to $52.4 \phi$ per pound. Granulated sugar at $6.2 \phi$ par pound was down one-tenth of a cent, while coffor at $36.6 \phi$ por pound averaged half a cent lower.

The fuel and lighting index advanced from 86.5 to 87.0 . A rise in the coal sub-index from 87.2 to 88.1 , and in that for coke from $8 j .4$ to 84.7 were mainly responsible for the upward movement.

INDEX NUMBERS OF RETAIL DRICES, RMTS, AND COSAS OT SERVICES, 1913-NOVAMBER, 1235. (1926=102)

N.B. - Rental indexes are calculated in May and October only. Clothing indexes aro calculated for March, June, Soptomber nad December as are cortain sub-indexcs in the Kiscellaneous grouro. Difficulifes in obtaining these data promptly, cause revisions to be often oine or two months late.
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AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF PRINCIPAL ARITCLES OF FOOD IN CANADA GQDE'A.

| Year and Month | Beof Sirloin (Pound) | Beef <br> Chuck (Pound) | Veal <br> Roast (Pound) | Mutton <br> Rcest <br> (pound) | Pork <br> Fresh (P॰und) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Powls } \\ & \text { Sait } \\ & \text { (Pound) } \end{aligned}$ | Bacon <br> Breakfast (Prund) | Tard <br> Pure <br> (Prunct) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Fges } \\ & \text { Fresn } \\ & \text { Grade " } \Lambda^{n} \\ & \text { (Dozer) } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Eggs } \\ & \text { Crade" }{ }^{\prime \prime} \\ & \text { घnd } \\ & \text { Grade } \\ & \text { (Dozent } \end{aligned}$ | Mil.k <br> (Quari) | Butter <br> Dairy (?ound) | Butter <br> Croamery <br> (Pounc) | Cheese (Pound) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1933 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| March | 20.4 | 10.9 | 12.4 | 17.9 | 12.3 | 13.5 | 17.7 | 11.5 | 27.8 | 22.6 | 9.7 | 22.7 | 26.9 | 19.2 |
| ispril | 20.6 | 11.3 | 12.3 | 19.4 | 14.4 | 14.3 | 28.8 | 12.3 | 25.0 | 28.7 | 9.3 | 2.9 | 28.8 | 19.5 |
| Nay | 21.7 | 11.8 | 12,0 | 21.1 | 15. 1 | 14.6 | 19.9 | 12.8 | 19.2 | 15.4 | 9,3 | 24.0 | 27.0 | . 19.8 |
| June | 22.0 | 11.8 | 11.8 | 21.2 | 15.7 | 15.1 | 20.2 | 12.9 | 3.902 | Ir.3 | 9.1 | 20.8 | 23.2 | 19.3 |
| July | $2 ? .1$ | 12.0 | 12,0 | 20.2 | 16.0 | 15.2 | 20.4 | 12.7 | 21.1 | 17.1 | 3.2 | 19.9 | 23.0 | 1504 |
| August | 22.0 | 11.8 | 11.8 | 20.7 | 17.1 | 15.5 | 21.2 | 12.8 | 23.5 | 29.5 | 9.2 | 21.3 | 25.4 | 19.9 |
| September | 21.9 | 11.4 | 11.7 | 13.8 | 1.7.3. | 15.7 | 21.0 | 12.8 | 24.4 | 19.5 | 7.4 | 21.0 | 24.3 | 19.6 |
| Octcber | 21.0 | 11.0 | 11.6 | 17.8 | 17.2 | 16.0 | 21.4 | 13.1 | 29.2 | 22.6 | 2.6 | 21.1 | 24.4 | 15.7 |
| November | 13.9 | 10.6 | 71.5 | 17.2 | 15.8 | 15.7 | 21.] | 13.2 | 37.9 | 27.8 | 9.7 | 2.1 .0 | $2 \pm .3$ | 19.7 |
| December | 19.2 | 10.2 | 31.3 | 17.4 | 15.8 | 25.3 | 21.1 | 13.3 | 44.8 | 30.8 | 8.7 | 22.2 | 25.6 | 29.7 |
| Jantury | 20.0 | 10.5 | 12.2 | 19.0 | 16.6 | 15.7 | 27. 6 | 13.5 | 40.7 | 30.4 | 5.9 | 24.4 | 28.1 | 19.7 |
| Februaly | 21.1 | 11.3 | 12.5 | 20.1 | 19.1 | 18.3 | 248 | 13.5 | 35.3 | 28.4 | 1.0 .0 | 25.7 | 29.7 | 20.1 |
| March | 2.104 | 11.2 | 13.1 | 20.9 | 23.2 | 18.8 | 28.7 | 13.8 | 40.5 | 34.0 | $9: 9$ | 28.3 | 32.5 | 20.3 |
| April | 21.1 | 12.0 | 12.9 | 20.6 | 20.0 | 18.7 | 29.0 | 13.5 | 27.1 | 22.8 | 10.0 | 24.3 | 32.9 | 20.4 |
| May | 22.0 | 12.1 | 12.2 | 22, | 19.6 | 17.9 | 28.7 | 13.1 | 22.3 | 18.5 | 10.0 | 24.5 | 27.8 | 20.1 |
| June | 22.2 | 12.3 | 11.9 | 21.6 | 20.0 | 18.3 | 29.1 | 12. | 22.3 | 7.8 .6 | 9.9 | 22.2 | 25.3 | 19.9 |
| July | 22.5 | 12.2 | 11.9 | 20.9 | 20.9 | 18.8 | 3.10 .1 | 12.6 | 24.8 | 21.1 | 9.9 | 22.0 | 25.1 | 20.0 |
| August | 22.5 | 11.8 | 11.8 | 20.9 | 21.7 | 19.3 | 33.2 | 12.7 | 25.9 | 22.6 | 9.9 | 20,8 | 24.1 | 19.9 |
| September | 21.9 | 11.4 | 11.9 | 19.0 | 21.6 | 19.6 | 35.1 | 13.2 | 27.5 | 23.6 | 10.0 | 2Le0 | 23.9 | 19.9 |
| October | 21.0 | 11.1 | 11.7 | 18.4 | 20.7 | 19.6 | 36.2 | 3.4.5 | 32.6 | 27.2 | 10.1 | 2.1 .8 | 24.6 | 19.8 |
| November | 20.2 | 10.6 | 11.6 | 18.7 | 20.0 | 19.1 | 31.5 | 1405 | 42.4 | 37.7 | 10.6 | 21.7 | 24.4 | 19.6 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { December } \\ & 1935 \end{aligned}$ | 19.3 | 10.3 | 11.06 | 18.8 | ? 01 | 19.1 | 32.7 | 1400 | 41.4 | 31.2 | 10.5 | 22.2 | 25.1 | 19.4 |
| January | 20.0 | 10.8 | 12.1 | 19.8 | 1704 | 19.0 | 32.3 | 14.0 | 37.1 | 29.3 | 10.4 | $22 \times 2$ | 25.5 | 19:4 |
| February | 20,9 | 11.2 | 12.9 | 20.7 | 19.9 | 19.4 | 31.9 | 14.9 | 32.8 | 27.0 | $10 ¢ 4$ | 21503 | 28.0 | 1.9 .7 |
| March | 21.2 | 11, 6 | 12.8 | $20 .!$ | 20.0 | 19,2 | 31.5 | 15.1 | 31.4 | 25.9 | 10.5 | 25.1 | 29.6 | 19.9 |
| April | 22.5 | 12.6 | 12.7 | 21.5 | 20.0 | $19 n 4$ | 31.2 | 15.2 | 24.3 | 20.3 | 10.5 | 24.6 | 28.1 | 20.0 |
| May | 23.7 | 13.4 | 12.6 | 21.6 | 20.4 | 19.6 | 30.3 | 15.2 | 22.0 | 18.6 | 10.5 | 24.9 | 28.6 | 20.2 |
| June | 24.8 | 1sf0 | 12.7 | 21.5 | 21.3 | 19.7 | 30.1 | 15.3 | 22.6 | 18.9 | 10.5 | 23.3 | 26.3 | 20.0 |
| July | 25.1 | 1400 | 12.8 | 21.4 | 22.4 | 20.2 | 30.1 | 15.5 | 2407 | 21.1 | 10.3 | 21.64 | 24.8 | 12.9 |
| August | 25.8 | 13 c 2 | 12.7 | 21.1 | 22.6 | 20.1 | 30.5 | 15.3 | 27.7 | 23.7 | 20.3 | 21.3 | 25.0 | 19.7 |
| Septomber | $2 t_{5}=3$ | 12.8 | 12.9 | 20.2 | 230]. | 20.5 | 31. 6 | 17.2 | 31.2 | $26{ }^{\text {c }}$ | $10 \cdot \underline{ }$ | 21.9 | 25.4 | 19.6 |
| October | $23 \cdot{ }^{\text {c }}$ | 12.7 | 130 | 20.3 | 23. $\%$ | 20.5 | 31,3 | 18.1 | 35.8 | 30.7 | 10.6 | 23.5 | 27.1 | 12.2 |
| November | 22.5 | 12.3 | 13.1 | 79.9 | 21.0 | 20.4 | 31.2 | 18.3 | 41.5 | 33.4 | 10.6 |  | 23.5 | 20.5 |



Prices aivanced on heavy trading curing November and the four groups included in the genemal index showed substantial gains for the month Accoraingly, the general index for 121 common stocl-s mounted from 96.1 for October to 105.8 for November. Eightyseven Inductrials soarod from 152.9 for October to 170.3 for November, all sub-groups being higher with Beverages, Oils and Miscellancous showing pronounced streng th. Although t. wenty Utilitios wore less active than the other groups, a gain of 5.3 points was regisverod after suffering losses for the two previous months. The index was 50.9 for November as compared with 45.6 for October. The advance in the index of five comnanies located abroad from 123.0 for October to 130.8 for November, was creditod to the unusual activity of Brazilian. Jine banks moved upward for the sucond successive month and the index rose frou 38. $\frac{\text { F Por }}{\text { Getuber to }} 75.0 \mathrm{Mo}$ Moveribur.

## WHOMS STMS

The indur momer for monty-five preforred stocks wes 72.5 in November as compared with 53.5 in Uctobor. Canada Cuncnt rosi from 53.0 to 53.4 , Canadian Car and Poundry from 10.6 to 12.0 , Canaian Cottons from 95.5 to 100.0 , Canadian Cannors " $B$ " thom 0.5 to 7.3 , Cendian Fiydro-Electric from 43.3 to 46.7 , Dominion Textile from 139.6 to 146.7 , Lake of the Woods from 87.5 to 170.3 , lioore A from 14.3 .5 to 147.8 , lioore B from 233.4 to 180.5 , Simpson's from 74.1 to 78.0 , Stecl of Canada from 47.2 to 48.2 and Sherwin VAlilans from 101. 3 to 106.9. Cenade Iroad, Pirst Preforred fell from 91.3 to 90.1,

# TNEX NUMBER OF 25 PRTTERRED STOCKS <br> (1925-1935) <br> (1926-100) 

| 1926 | 100.4 | 101.4 | 100.9 | 92.6 | 98.3 | 98.7 | 99.1 | 99.4 | 100.0 | 100.2 | 101.0 | 101.4 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 1927 | 102.1 | 102.5 | 102.7 | 102.6 | 102.5 | 102.1 | 102.5 | 103.8 | 104.8 | 107.8 | 110.8 | 111.8 |
| 1928 | 111.5 | 110.9 | 109.9 | 111.4 | 11.7 | 111.2 | 110.3 | 107.5 | 107.6 | 106.2 | 104.0 | 107.9 |
| 1929 | 107.4 | 108.1 | 106.8 | 104.3 | 104.3 | 104.8 | 104.8 | 105.6 | 105.1 | 102.9 | 99.8 | 100.4 |
| 1.30 | 97.9 | 98.8 | 100.0 | 103.4 | 102.6 | 99.5 | 97.4 | 97.1 | 96.2 | 83.4 | 81.9 | 82.5 |
| 1931 | 83.2 | 83.4 | 84.2 | 78.8 | 73.8 | 72.6 | 71.8 | 69.1 | 64.2 | 63.9 | 66.5 | 63.0 |
| 1932 | 57.2 | 58.8 | 58.0 | 55.4 | 48.4 | 45.2 | 49.5 | 52.9 | 53.4 | 52.9 | 52.2 | 50.2 |
| 1933 | 49.6 | 49.6 | 47.3 | 47.2 | 54.6 | 58.5 | 61.9 | 61.7 | 61.0 | 59.7 | 59.1 | 60.2 |
| 1934 | 64.1 | 66.5 | 67.3 | 68.5 | 68.7 | 68.4 | 68.1 | 67.3 | 67.4 | 69.5 | 70.6 | 71.4 |
| 1935 | 73.5 | 73.8 | 71.2 | 69.2 | 68.4 | 68.4 | 69.6 | 70.9 | 69.2 | 69.5 | 72.5 |  |

## WRETY IUDEX WNOBTHS OF 23 1/INING STOCFS

(1926=100)
A revival of strength in the mining issues featured markets in November, when the general index gradually increased from 119.1 for the final week of October to 129.9 for the week of November 28.

The index for golds for the wook of October 31, was 106.8 and gains were recorded for each of the subsequent weeks, placing this index at 115.6 for the comparable wodk in tovember.

Base metals dominated the general upward movement and the price index for this group wss 138.6 for the fourth week of Novinber as compared with 170.2 for the corresponding woek of October.

Listed below is a table of prices for the weeks ending November 28 and October 81, as compilea 5 y the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

|  | November | October |  | November 28 | October 31 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Drsiome | \$ 5.56 | \$ 5.86 | McIntyre | \$ 39.43 | \$ 35.67 |
| Central Manitoba | . 06 | . 03 | Promier | 1.77 | 1.60 |
| Coniarum | 2.26 | 1.55 | Pioneer | 9.91 | 9.44 |
| Dome | 42.02 | 38.84 | Reno | . 95 | . 81 |
| $G$ ranada | . 21 | . 22 | San Antonic | 3.03 | 2.77 |
| Hollinger | 14.57 | 13.72 | Siscoc | 2.67 | 2.60 |
| Howey | . 61 | . 61 | Sylvanite | 2.38 | 2.23 |
| Kirkland Lake | . 37 | . 36 | Teck-Hughes | 4.46 | 4.11 |
| Lake Shore | 53.01 | 47.22 | W=ight-Hargreaves | 7.71 | 7.12 |
| Kacassa | 2.75 | 2.83 |  |  |  |
|  | BASE METALS |  |  |  |  |
| Base Mctals | . 26 | . 16 | Fudson Bay | 19.99 | 18.29 |
| Palocohriege | 5.34 | $\therefore .4 .3$ | Horamia | 44.08 | 40.78 |


|  | General | UTILITIES |  |  |  |  | INDISTRIALS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | COMPANIES ABROAD |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Date T | Total | Total | Totel\| | Trans-prortotion | Telephone Telegraph! | Power <br> and <br> Trac- <br> tion | Total | Iror is Steel \& Iron \& Steel Products | Pulp and Paper | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Will- } \\ & \text { ing } \end{aligned}$ | Oils | Textiles and Cloth- ing $\qquad$ | Food <br> and <br> Allied <br> Pro- <br> ducts | Beverages | Mis- <br> cell- <br> aneous | Total | In-dustrial | $\begin{gathered} \text { Util- } \\ \text { ity } \end{gathered}$ |
| $\overline{193}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| No. of Stocks | \$ 126 | 8 | 19 | 2 | 2 | 15 | 93 | 19 | 8 | 5 | 4 | 9 | 19 | 8 | 21 | 6 <br> 85 | 1. | 5 |
| July | 86.5 | 80.4 | 51.5 | 50.0 | 85.5 | 71.2 | 122.3 | 102.3 | 12.3 | 82.1 | 162.5 | 63.4 | 143.3 | 173.7 | 151.1 | 85.8 | 119.2 | 56.6 |
| August | 81.8 | 76.0 | 56.8 | 43.2 | 85.3 | 67.7 | 117.2 | 95.2 | 11.2 | 79.3 | 153.2 | 62.5 | 130.8 | 160.9 | 150.5 | 81.0 | 115.5 | 50.9 |
| September | 81.6 | 74.8 | 53.5 | 39.4 | 84.9 | 64.3 | 119.1 | 88.6 | 10.8 | 75.8 | 156.1 | 65.2 | 124.9 | 168.6 | 155.1 | 84.0 | 122.9 | 49.9 |
| October | 73.3 | 71.7 | 48.5 | 32.5 | 83.0 | 60.4 | 103.6 | 75.7 | 8.9 | 73.6 | 133.6 | 61.6 | 115.1 | 134.8 | 139.0 | 78.6 | 115.5 | 46.3 |
| November | 76.8 | 68.4 | 47.8 | 31.5 | 84.2 | 59.7 | 113.4 | 78.6 | 8.5 | 72.9 | 155.7 | 60.8 | 118.1 | 135.1 | 151.3 | 83.0 | 129.1 | 42.3 |
| December | 175.3 | 64.7 | 47.8 | 32.5 | 86.4 | 58.1 | 111.4 | 79.3 | 7.8 | 68.4 | 143.9 | 58.6 | 117.1 | 148.5 | 152.9 | 80.2 | 124.8 | 41.0 |
| $\underline{1934}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| No. of Stocks | 121 | 8 | 20 | 2 | 2 | 16 | 87 | 17 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 10 | 18 | 8 | 20 | 6 | 1 | 5 |
| January | 81.6 | 71.7 | 53.5 | 38.6 | 86.2 | 64.8 | 118.6 | 98.1 | 11.4 | 74.9 | 147.0 | 66.6 | 122.6 | 163.6 | 160.9 | 86.4 | 133.5. | 45.0 |
| February | 86.5 | 76.7 | 58.0 | 42.1 | 88.8 | 70.9 | 123.8 | 114.6 | 13.6 | 77.1 | 153.7 | 73.3 | 128.2 | 148.5 | 169.0 | 91.9 | 141.6 | 48.3 |
| March | 88.0 | 76.9 | 58.8 | 43.3 | 90.0 | 71.1 | 128.5 | 113.6 | 13.2 | 77.1 | 152.2 | 76.3 | 129.4 | 141.8 | 189.2 | 89.2 | 140.3 | 44.3 ¢ |
| April | 90.7 | 76.1 | 58.1 | 42.0 | 90.9 | 70.7 | 133.0 | 114.9 | 13.2 | 75.2 | 159.4 | 76.8 | 134.3 | 138.0 | 198.4 | 98.3 | 161.4 | 42.6 |
| May | 88.6 | 75.2 | 56.7 | 40.2 | 90.0 | 69.7 | 128.0 | 106.9 | 13.8 | 74.3 | 159.0 | 79.1 | 129.9 | 113.8 | 190.5 | 99.3 | 166.4 | ${ }^{4} 0.0$ |
| June | 87.2 | 72.7 | 54.5 | 37.9 | 90.2 | 67.0 | 126.1 | 104.7 | 12.5 | 74.1 | 161.9 | 77.7 | 128.1 | 113.5 | 182.5 | 101.1 | 175.1 | 35.5 |
| July | 81.3 | 73.6 | 50.6 | 32.9 | 89.6 | 63.4 | 116.6 | 97.8 | 10.5 | 72.4 | 153.8 | 72.7 | 123.3 | 86.7 | 168.9 | 93.7 | 161.4 | 33.6 |
| August | 83.8 | 73.1 | 51.2 | 33.4 | 89.4 | 64.4 | 120.1 | 100.7 | 9.9 | 73.2 | 158.0 | 73.1 | 125.5 | 91.3 | 174.7 | 100.5 | 171.3 | 37.6 |
| September | 83.8 | 74.9 | 50.1 | 33.1 | 90.6 | 61.7 | 118.8 | 98.8 | 9.6 | 72.6 | 160.2 | 71.9 | 123.4 | 93.8 | 168.4 | 104.8 | 176.3 | 41.4 |
| October | 85.2 | 76.1 | 49.0 | 31.1 | 92.7 | 60.8 | 122.0 | 107.7 | 9.8 | 68.4 | 169.0 | 74.4 | 126.6 | 89.2 | 168.8 | 108.61 | 183.1 | 42.4 |
| November | 86.0 | 78.3 | 46.5 | 28.6 | 93.7 | 57.5 | 125.3 | 111.4 | 11.0 | 66.0 | 180.8 | 74.3 | 128.1 | $98 \cdot{ }_{6}$ | $16 \leq .6$ | 111.2 | 191.8 | 39.6 |
| December | 86.2 | 79.0 | 47.5 | 29.1 | 97.6 | 58.5 | 125.6 | 119.8 | 11.6 | 71.0 | 177.8 | 74.3 | $130 \cdot 3$ | 93.6 | 166.2 | 109.0 | 187.4 | 39.4 |
| No. of Stocks |  | 9 | 20 | 2 | 2 | 16 | 87 |  |  | 4 |  |  | 19 |  | 21 |  |  | 4 |
| January | 88.6 | 80.1 | 50.4 | 32.1 | 100.3 | 61.3 | 129.7 | 129.4 | 14.0 | 71.5 | 181.5 | 75.8 | 134.2 | 106.8 | 168.6 | 108.0 | 187.4 | 36.9 |
| February | 87.8 | 79.9 | 49.4 | 30.8 | 102.4 | 59.8 | 128.8 | 126.4 | 13.4 | 67.4 | 179.7 | 75.6 | 131.3 | 109.1 | 168.6 | 107.5 | 186.1 | 37.2 |
| March | 84.4 | 76.8 | 45.1 | 25.3 | 100.1 | 56.4 | 125.6 | 117.0 | 11.6 | 56.0 | 176.0 | 74.1 | 126.5 | 101.6 | 168.7 | 104.8 | 184.2 | 32.9 |
| April | 86.4 | 75.0 | 43.8 | 25.8 | 94.8 | 53.9 | 130.8 | 119.4 | 11.1 | 56.9 | 178.6 | 73.1 | 125.1 | 99.6 | 185.1 | 110.2 | 194.7 | 33.4 |
| Way | 93.6 | 73.1 | 44.4 | 27.0 | 95.5 | 53.8 | 144.4 | 121.9 | 10.8 | 59.9 | 211.7 | 70.3 | 127.8 | 102.4 | 200.0 | 125.9 | 224.5 | 35.6 |
| June | 93.8 | 72.0 | 45.01 | 26.5 | 97.6 | 55.3 | 145.2 | 118.6 | 10.5 | 58. ${ }^{\text {2 }}$ | 217.9 | 67.2 | 127.0 | 104.7 | 198.1 | 12.5 | 222.6 | 34.5 |
| July | 92.4 | 71.7 | 45.7 | 25.0 | 98.6 | 56.0 | 143.8 | 122.2 | 10.6 | 57.4 | 210.6 | 66.7 | 128.5 | 116.7 | 195.4 | 119.4 | 214.5 | 31.9 |
| August | 34.7 | 70.6 | 47.7 | 26.7 | 99.9 | 60.8 | 126.1 | 122.1 | 12.0 | 59.3 | 210.0 | 65.5 | 130.1 | 122.9 | 202.0 | 122.7 | 222.5 | 30.1 |
| September | 93.6 | 65.9 | 46.3 | 25.7 | 100.3 | 58.6 | 147.1 | 118.7 | 12.4 | 61.2 | 206.6 | 61.8 | 128.7 | 126.5 | 209.6 | 119.9 | 217.5 | 29.3 |
| October | 96.1 | 68.5 | 45.6 | 23.4 | 100.0 | 59.6 | 152.9 | 123.0 | 12.6 | 60.9 | 215.1 | 63.5 | 134.4 | 133.2 | 217.5 | 123.0 | 224.3 | 28.7 |
| November | 105.8 | 73.0 | 50.9 | 27.9 | 105.1 | 66.1 | 170.3 | 127.8 | 14.6 | 66.9 | 228.7 | 69.0 | 145.7 | $157 \cdot 3$ | 254.4 | $130 \cdot 8$ | 233.6 | 36.7 |



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$(76)^{2}+2$
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## MONTHIY INDEX NUMBERS OT LONG-TERM BOND YIEXDS

The monthly index number of Dominion of Canada longoterm bond yields, maintained by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics on the base $1926=100$, doclined from 78.9 for the month of October to 74.5 for the month of November. For the greater part of the month, trading was light and featureless. Yiolds decreased gradually for the first two weeks, but an upturn occurred in the third weok which brought them back to levels on a par with those in tho first week of November. The rise was but of a teraporary nature, however, and the closing days saw a reduction to approximately the low mark of tho month. The avorage yiold of the six leading Dominion issues, used in constructing the index, was 3.47 for November 30 as compared with 3.54 for october 31, and the lowest avorago daily yield for the month was 3.43 .

The index of Province of Ontario bonds receded from 85.4 to 80.8 , and popular Ontario issucs sold on a $3.87 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{c}$. basis during Novembor.

MONTHLY INDEX NUNBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERN BOND YIELDS, 1928-1935.
(1926=100)
(From data issued by A.E. Amos \& Co. Itd.)

|  | $\frac{1928}{}$ | $\underline{1929}$ | $\underline{1930}$ |  | 1931 | 1932 |  | $\underline{1933}$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| January | 89.2 | 97.3 | 102.1 | 93.9 | 112.7 | 96.3 | $\frac{1934}{93.2}$ | $\frac{1935}{70.9}$ |
| Fobruary | 89.5 | 98.3 | 101.4 | 93.6 | 112.2 | 96.0 | 91.0 | 73.2 |
| March | 90.1 | 102.3 | 101.1 | 91.9 | 109.1 | 97.7 | 86.1 | 71.4 |
| April | 90.3 | 100.9 | 99.3 | 90.0 | 109.8 | 96.6 | 83.8 | 72.2 |
| May | 89.5 | 100.2 | 98.4 | 89.3 | 109.3 | 95.0 | 81.8 | 71.4 |
| June | 93.3 | 104.0 | 98.2 | 88.3 | 111.7 | 93.3 | 82.1 | 73.4 |
| July | 94.4 | 104.0 | 98.0 | 88.3 | 107.5 | 93.5 | 80.1 | 72.1 |
| August | 95.9 | 102.0 | 95.9 | 35.3 | 100.5 | 92.2 | 77.8 | 71.6 |
| Scptember | 95.2 | 102.8 | 93.9 | 95.5 | 98.7 | 92.4 | 77.2 | 79.3 |
| October | 96.2 | 103.7 | 93.6 | 105.2 | 96.2 | 93.5 | 79.3 | 78.9 |
| November | 95.9 | 103.3 | 93.6 | 107.7 | 98.5 | 94.3 | 77.2 | 74.5 |
| Docombor | 97.1 | 101.4 | 93.9 | 111.7 | 99.4 | 95.1 | 71.3 | - |

WEEXLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIERDS. X 1935. $(1926=100)$

x Based upon an average of daily figures for the week onding on dates spocifiod.
INDEX NUMBERS CALCULATED FROM YIELDS OF ONTARIO IONG-TERM BONDS 1927-1935.
(Baso 1926=100)
(From data receivod from Wood, Gundy \& Co. Ltd.)

|  | 1927 | 1928 | 1929 | 1930 | 1931 | 1932 | 1933 | 1934 | 1935 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| January | 97.1 | 89.8 | 97.1 | 102.3 | 95.0 | 119.8 | 99.2 | 97.2 | 76.2 |
| February | 97.1 | 87.7 | 98.1 | 102.3 | 95.0 | 115.9 | 98.7 | 96.0 | 78.3 |
| March | 96.0 | 88.7 | 101.3 | 101.3 | 92.9 | 110.6 | 100.0 | 90.1 | 79.5 |
| April | 95.2 | 88.7 | 103.3 | 101.3 | 92.9 | 111.3 | 101.3 | 87.7 | 80.8 |
| May | 95.0 | 90.8 | 104.4 | 101.3 | 91.9 | 113.2 | 98.1 | 84.8 | 78.5 |
| June | 95.0 | 91.9 | 103.3 | 100.8 | 91.9 | 114.4 | 97.1 | 85.4 | 80.4 |
| July | 95.0 | 93.9 | 103.3 | 100.2 | 92.9 | 110.6 | 96.7 | 83.1 | 50.2 |
| August | 95.0 | 96.0 | 102.3 | 96.0 | 91.9 | 103.3 | 95.0 | 82.3 | 79.7 |
| September | 95.0 | 96.0 | 104.4 | 92.9 | 97.1 | 101.9 | 95.8 | \%2.0 | 88.3 |
| October | 93.9 | 95.0 | 103.3 | 93.9 | 103.3 | 98.1 | 34.6 | 32.9 | 85.4 |
| November | 93.9 | 95.0 | 103.3 | 93.9 | 105.4 | 102.3 | 37.3 | 81.0 | 50.8 |
| December | 90.8 | 96.0 | 102.3 | 33.3 | 108.6 | 102.7 | 98.5 | 76.2 | - |

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MONTHLY INDEXES OF ANGR ICAN STOCK PRICES, 1931-1935.
Issued by the Standard Statistics Company, Inc., New York.
(1926=100)



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