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INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES (FIXED LIST OF STOCKS)

March, 1927

COMMON STOCKS

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number for 31 industrial common stocks, weighted according to the quantity of stock outstanding (1913 = 100) rose 6.3 points in March being 294.0 as compared with 287.7 in February. There were increases in all groups with the exception of pulp and paper stocks which declined from 215.1 to 212.3. Milling stocks were up from 273.6 to 281.6 and textile and clothing stocks from 332.0 to 341.0

Nine bank stocks rose from 114.9 to 115.2.

Ten public utility stocks rose from 101.7 to 106.3. Increases were practically general but the power group were chiefly instrumental in raising the general index, the rise in that group being from 274.8 to 285.3.

The combined index for 50 common stocks rose from 169.9 to 173.4

PREFERRED STOCKS

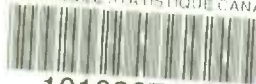
The index number for 23 preferred industrial stocks declined from 104.4 to 103.8. The most important movements were a rise in the food group from 154.8 to 158.0 and a fall in other miscellaneous stocks from 113.2 to 111.9.

BONDS

Sixteen industrial and public service bonds were practically unchanged being 110.4 as compared with 110.3 in February.

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