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INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES (FIXED LIST OF STOCKS)

JULY, 1927.
Common Stocks

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of 31 industrial common stocks weighted with the quantity of stock outstanding (1913 = 100) fell slightly in July being 294.8 as compared with 296.1 in June. Iron and steel and iron and steel products declined from 216.5 to 213.7, milling stocks fell from 298.9 to 297.4 and the miscellaneous group from 398.5 to 390.6. Pulp and paper stocks rose from 197.5 to 203.5, textile and clothing stocks from 340.6 to 344.6 and food and allied products from 360.7 to 369.7.

Nine bank stocks rose from 119.2 to 122.8.

Ten public utility stocks rose from 107.0 to 108.8. Transportation and telephone stocks were higher while municipal railways and power companies declined.

The combined index for 50 common stocks was 176.1 as compared with 175.2 in June.

PREFERRED STOCKS

The index number for 23 preferred industrial stocks declined from 106.1 to 105.3. Iron and steel, manufactures of iron and steel, milling, foods, and miscellaneous stocks all showed slight declines. Textile and clothing and pulp and paper stocks showed rising tendencies.

BONDS

Sixteen industrial and public service bonds were 111.1 in July as compared with 111.0 in June.

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