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Index Numbers of Security Prices, Sales and Values January 1925 = 100

The weighted index number of the 25 best selling industrial and public utility common stocks on the Montreal and Toronto Exchanges, computed by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, rose from 209.3 for the week ending Movember 6th, to 212.0 last week.

The weighted index number of the volume of stocks traded fell from 44.1 to 42.3 and that for the total value of stocks traded from 92.3 to 89.7 for the same period.

Prices were higher for sixteen of the twenty-five stocks included. The Shawinigan average was up from 246.8 to 261.8 dollars, Laurentide from \$106.8 to \$108.4, Quebec Power from \$161.4 to \$168.0, Wayagamack from \$105.5 to \$108.3, and Asbestos from \$24.0 to \$24.7. Brazilian declined from \$108.7 to \$107.9, Smelters from \$234.5 to \$234.4 and Montreal Light, Heat and Power from \$74.3 to \$73.6.

Sales were greater for fifteen and smaller for ten stocks but the declines outweighed the increases in importance. Abitibi rose from 2,300 to 6,600, B.C. Fishing from 400 to 4,400, Smelters from 2,900 to 3,900, Laurentide from 2,500 to 6,300, Montreal Light, Heat and Power from 9,000 to 12,000, Breweries from 300 to 2,900, Quebec Power from 700 to 2,500, Shavinigan from 3,100 to 7,000 and Spanish River from 200 to 1,900. Brazilian dropped from 35,000 to 14,000, Asbestos from 24,000 to 3,200, Mackay from 3,100 to 700 and Winnipeg Electric from 4,500 to 2,200.

> Index Numbers of Prices, Sales and Values of Industrial and Public Utility Common Stocks, January 1925 = 100.

1.- Weighted index numbers of the prices of the 25 best selling Industrial and Public Utility Common Stocks, on the Montreal and Toronto Exchanges. Column Column 11 .- Weighted index numbers of the volume of shares sold. Column 111 .- Index numbers of the total money value of the stocks included in 1 and

2 above.

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Date	1	11	111
	Prices	Sales	Values
January, 1925	100.	100.	100.
February	108.9	64.0	69.7
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April	108.6	37.9	41.2
May			
	109.9	81.9	90.0
June	106.1	60.5	64.2
July	111.8	74.3	83.1
August	123.2	111.7	137.6
September	132.6	91.2	121.1
October	147.8	157.1	231.3
November	145.7	74.4	108.4
December	150.4	117.7	177.0
January, 1926	163.2	103.6	169.1
February	182.9		316.8
March		173.2	
	171.1	160.3	276.3
April	171.4	67.7	116.0
May	171.0	66.5	113.7
June	179.4	76.0	127.4
July	1.62.9	66.7	122.0
August	193.3	187.1	372.9
September	211.3	112.9	238.5
October	206.4	128.2	264.6
1st week October, 1926	213.8	111.0	237.5
2nd " " "	201.5	115.1	235.4
3rd " " "	204.8	63.7	130.4
4th " " "	209.3	44:1	92.3
1st " November, "	212.0	42.3	
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