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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 for the sixth consecutive week, being 175.0 last week as compared with 173.1 for the week ending June 5th.

The weighted index number of the volume of stocks traded rose from 39.9 to 66.3 and that for total value of stocks traded from 69.1 to 116.0.

Seventeen stocks moved upward in price while eight had lower averages. Smelters' advance from 212 to 215.5 was most influential. Brazilian rose from 96.9 to 97.9, C.P.R. from 159 to 161.2 and Dominion Bridge from 96.9 to 98.9.

Sales were higher in the case of sixteen stocks and lower for nine. Brazilian and Smelters showed much activity, sales for the former increasing from 11,560 to 30,432 and for the latter from 13,554 to 18,986, sale for Dominion Bridge rose from 140 to 1,520 while those for Laurentide declined from 4,275 to 2,146.

Date	1 Prices	11 Sales	111 Values
January, 1925	100.	100.	100.
February	108.9	64.0	69.7
March	105.7	56.3	59.5
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	132.8	91.2	121.1
October	147.2	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	173.2	316.8
March, "	171.1	160.3	276.3
April, "	171.4	67.7	116.0
May, "	171.0	66.5	113.7
1st. week April, 1926 (April 10th)	165.6	82.8	137.1
2nd " " "	162.9	61.1	99.5
3rd " " "	159.5	54.0	86.1
4th " " "	160.6	39.8	63.9
1st " May, 1926	157.7	70.6	111.3
2nd " " "	162.1	64.2	104.1
3rd " " "	164.1	37.9	62.2
4th " " "	169.7	57.3	97.2
1st " June "	173.1	39.9	69.1
2nd " " "	175.0	66.3	116.0

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