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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 176.7 for the week ending July 3rd. to 178.4 last week.

The weighted index number of the volume of stocks traded was 65.0 last week as compared with 33.3 in the week ending July 3rd. and that for the total value of stocks traded 116.0 as compared with 58.8.

Eighteen of the twenty-five stocks were higher in price and seven were lower. Brazilian rose from 97.0 to 99.8. B.C. Fishing from 72.4 to 73.9 and Laurentide from 86.7 to 89.4.

Sales were higher for fifteen stocks and lower for ten. There were largely increased sales for Brazilian, Smelters, Montreal Light, Heat and Power, B.C. Fishing, Laurentide a 1 Bell Telephone. Sales for Abitibi, Dominion Textile, Breweries, Quebec Power and Shawinigan showed important decreases.

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

Column 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 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	Prices	Sales	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	7	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		1)15 7		
		145.7	74.4	108.4
December		150.4	117.7	177.0
January, 1926		163.2	103.6	169.1
February, 1926		182.9	173.2	316.8
March "		171.1	160.3	276.3
April "		171.4	67.7	116.0
May n		171.0	66.5	113.7
June "		179.4	76.0	127.4
1st week May	1926	157.7	70.6	
2nd " "	n	162.1	64.2	111.3
3rd " "	n	164.1		62.2
4th " "	n		37.9	
	1926	169.7	57.3	97.2 69.1
2nd " "	11	173.1	39.9	
	11	175.0	66.3	116.0
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7 011		175.3	38.3	67.1
5th " June	, July 3rd 1926	176.7	33.3	53.8
1st " July	1926 (July 10th)	178.4	65.0	116.0
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