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INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES, SALES AND VALUES  
January 1925=100

The weighted index number of the twenty-five best selling industrial and public utility common stocks on the Montreal and Toronto Exchanges, computed by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, was 544.3 last week as compared with 523.4 for the week ending November 26th.

The weighted index number of the volume of stocks traded rose from 68.3 to 86.5 and that for the total value of stocks traded from 357.5 to 470.8.

Average prices were higher for twenty-four and unchanged for one of the twenty-five stocks. Alberta Pacific Grain went up from \$54.6 to \$57.1, Brazilian from \$213.1 to \$222.7, Dominion Bridge from \$64.4 to \$70.0, Consolidated Smelters from \$256.3 to \$268.3, St. Maurice V. Corporation \$67.4 to \$75.0, International Nickel from \$67.4 to \$69.6, Seagram from \$23.8 to \$26.1, Spanish River from \$135.6 to \$139.6 and Lake of Woods from \$179.1 to \$183.6.

Sales were greater for twenty and lower for five stocks. Consolidated Smelters were up from 7,500 to 19,700, Quebec Power from 3,700 to 21,100, International Nickel from 16,200 to 71,500, Abitibi from 4,600 to 9,500, City Dairy from 1,300 to 3,600, Dominion Stores from 300 to 5,200, Dominion Bridge from 44,300 to 52,500, Seagram from 11,400 to 26,500, Canadian Car and Foundry from 300 to 8,200 and Brazilian from 72,100 to 73,000, National Breweries dropped from 25,700 to 9,700, Winnipeg Electric from 12,900 to 4,900 and Alberta Pacific Grain from 16,100 to 8,000.

Note: This is an index of speculative activity. An index from the long time or investor's point of view is also published by the Bureau monthly, based on a fixed list of stocks.

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

Date		I Prices	II Sales	III Values
January, 1925		100.	100.	100.
January, 1926	Third Week	152.1	59.0	89.7
February	"	172.8	196.8	340.1
March	"	164.7	76.7	126.3
April	"	139.5	54.0	86.1
May	"	164.1	37.9	62.2
June	"	174.3	67.0	116.8
July	"	179.9	44.9	80.8
August	"	199.2	153.4	305.6
September	"	215.3	103.1	222.0
October	"	204.8	63.7	130.4
November	"	212.9	57.9	123.3
December	"	229.3	82.0	188.0
January, 1927	"	222.8	61.9	137.9
February	"	249.4	48.3	120.5
March	"	265.3	50.5	134.0
April	"	302.0	58.9	177.9
May	"	321.0	49.6	159.2
June	"	362.2	75.6	273.8
July	"	354.0	39.5	139.8
August	"	377.2	45.4	171.2
September	"	430.1	92.4	397.4
October	"	472.9	63.5	300.3
Week ending Nov. 5th.		486.8	51.2	249.2
" " " 12th.		490.3	25.4	124.5
" " " 19th.		506.8	76.0	385.2
" " " 26th.		523.4	68.3	357.5
" " Dec. 3rd.		544.3	86.5	470.8



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