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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 Deminion Bureau of Statistics, again rose 71 points being 282.7 last week as compared with 275.2 for the week ending April 2nd.

The weighted index number of the volume of stocks traded fell from 75.7 to 58.5 and that for the total value of stocks traded from 208.3 to 165.4.

Average prices were higher for twenty-three and lower for two of the twentyfive stocks included. Massey-Harris rose from \$122.4 to \$133.3, Brazilian from \$131.5 to \$132.5, Smelters from \$260.2 to \$261.8, International Nickel from \$41.6 to \$45.4, Shawinigan from \$74.8 to \$81.4, Industrial Alcohol from \$25.9 to \$27.5 and Quebec Power from \$239.0 to \$244.9. Laurentide dropped from \$104.6 to \$102.9.

Sales were greater for fourteen and smaller for eleven stocks but the declines outweighed, the increases in importance, Brazilian decreased from 58,100 to 15,800, Smelters from 19,700 to 10,200, Dominion Bridge from 7,500 to 1,600, Canada Cement from 7,500 to 3,700, Massey-Harris from 15,200 to 11,200, Laurentide from 8,200 to 4,300, National Breweries from 7,200 to 5,300 and Dominion Glass from 3,400 to 2,300, Sales of International Nickel increased from 8,400 to 39,300, Montreal Light. Heat and Hower from 3,700 to 18,700 Shawinigan from 4,600 to 21,000, B.C. Fish from 1,600 to 8,300, Winnipeg Electric from 1,100 to 6,700, Industrial Alcohol from 7,100 to 24,000, Abitibi from 1200 to 3800, Seagram from 5,300 to 13,200 and Quebec Power from 3,300 to 3,800.

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 Column 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. Dota

Date	1	11	111
January, 1925 July	Prices 100. 111.8	Sales 100. 74.3	Values 100. 83.1
August September	123.2	111.7	137.5
October November	147.8	157.1	121.1 231.3
December Jamuary, 1926	145.7 150.4	74.4 117.7	108.4
February March	163.2 182.9	103.6 173.2	169.1 316.8
April May	171.1 171.4	160.3	226.3
June	171.0 179.4	66.5	113.7
July August	182.9 199.3	66.7	122.0
September October	211.3 206.4	112.9	238.5
November December	208.0	84.6	175.9
January, 1927 February	212.5	95.3	226.0
March 5th.		88.9 103.8	199.6
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