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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 350.1 last week as compared with 333.8 for the week ending May 28th.

The weighted index number of the volume of stocks traded rose from 79.3 to 107.1 and that for the total value of stocks traded from 264.7 to 374.9.

Average prices were higher for eighteen of the twenty-five stocks and lower for seven. Brazilian rose from \$146.4 to \$152.3, International Nickel from \$66.9 to \$72.6, Massey-Harris from \$37.9 to \$40.5, Canadian Industrial Alcohol from \$30.7 to \$72.6, Shawinigan from \$86.9 to \$90.5, Quebec Power from \$293.2 to \$302.2 and Wayagamack from \$55.6 to \$59.6.

Sales were greater for nineteen and smaller for six stocks. Massey-Harris were up from 57,200 to 130,800, International Nickel from 80,300 to 117,900, Shawinigan from 5,700 to 30,100, Canadian Industrial Alcohol from 42,700 to 72,900, Quebec Power 800 to 3,100 and Winnines Electric 2,700 to 10,300. Abitibi fell off from 11,500 to 3,300 and Brazilian from 80,300 to 77,700.

> Index Numbers of Frices, 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.

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|-------------------|------------|----------|-------|----------------|
| Date | | Prices | Sales | Values |
| | | | | |
| January 1925 | | 100. | 100. | 100. |
| January 1926 | Third week | 152.1 | 59.0 | 89.7 |
| February | -11 | 172.8 | 196.8 | 340.1 |
| March | 11 | 164.7 | 76.7 | 126.3 |
| April | ti . | 159.5 | 54.0 | 86.1 |
| May | 18 | 164.1 | 37.9 | 62.2 |
| June | tī | 174.3 | 67.0 | 116.8 |
| July | 11 | 179.9 | 44.9 | 80.8 |
| August | 11 | 199.2 | 153.4 | 305.6 |
| September | 11 | 215.3 | 103.1 | 222.0 |
| October | ** | 8.405 | 63.7 | 130.4 |
| November | 18 | 212.9 | 57.9 | 123.3 |
| December | ti ti | 229.3 | 82.0 | 188.0 |
| January 1927 | 11 | - 282.8 | 61.9 | - 137.9 |
| February | 18 | 249.4 | 48.3 | 120.5 |
| March | 19 | 265.3 | 50.5 | 134.0 |
| April | 11 | 302.0 | 53.9 | 177.9 |
| Week ending May 7 | | 714.0 | 80.6 | 253.1 |
| 11 11 11 1 | | 317.6 | 65.4 | 207.7 |
| | lst | 321.0 | 49.6 | 159.2 264.7 |
| | 8th | 333.8 | 79.3 | 374.9 |
| " June | 4th | 350 . 1. | 107.1 | 2/7.9 |
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