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INVESTORS' AND TRADERS' INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES
1926 $=100$
"Investors"" and "Traders"" weighted index numbers of seaurity prices, computed by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics on the base of $1926=100$, were as follows for the week ending June 20th.

The "Investors"" index of industrial common stocks was 259.5 for the week ending June 20th, as compared with 256.2 for the previous week.

The "Traders"" index of prices of the twenty-five best selling industrial and public utility comron stocks, on the Montreal and Toronto Exchanges, was 983.8 for the week ending June 20th, as compared with 953.0 for the previous week.

The "Investors!" index of domestic utility common stocks was 142.8 for the week ending June 20 th, as compared with 141.0 for the previous moek.

The "Investors" index of common stocks of companies located abroad in Which Canadians are heavily intercstod tas 164.6 for the weok onding June 20th, as compared with 162.4 for the previous weck.

The "Investors'" index for all threc groups of comon stocks combined Was 199.9 for the week ending June 20th, as compared rith 197.4 for the previous reok.

Average meekly prices more higher for trenty and lower for five of the twenty-five stocks. Brazilian rose from $\$ 54.6$ to $\$ 58.2$. International Nickel from $\$ 47.8$ to $\$ 49.4$, Shavinigan from $\$ 76.6$ to $\$ 80.0$. Dominion Bridge from $\$ 99.5$ to $\$ 103.0$, Porror Corporation from $\$ 97.6$ to $\$ 101.5$. Standard Stcol from $\$ 60.8$ to $\$ 71.5$, consolidatcd Mining and Smelting from $\$ 385.1$ to $\$ 399.9$, National Brewories from $\$ 128.2$ to $\$ 132.7$, Montreal Light, Heat and Powor from $\$ 110.7$ to $\$ 112.0$ and National Steel Car from $\$ 99.3$ to $\$ 103.6$. Walkers "Nor" fell from $\$ 20.1$ to $\$ 18.8$.

Sales were higher for twenty and lower for five stocks. Brazilian went up from 27.300 to 111,200, International Nickel from 53,900 to 107,200, Shawinigan from 7,400 to 17.300, Dominion Bridge from 2,800 to 7,300, Power Corporation from 1,800 to 5,900, Ford "A" from 2,900 to 8,700. National Breweries from 500 to 2,400, Consolidated Mining and Smelting from 400 to 1,000 and Canada Power and Paper from 1,000 to 5.300. Nontreal Light, Heat and Power fell from 14,200 to 8,000 , Cockshutt plow Co. from 7,400 to 1,900, Massey Harris from 7,600 to 4,200 and Nalkers "Ner" from 25,800 to 18,900 .


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