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## INVESTCEN: INDEX NCNEERS OF SECURITY PFICES

 $1926=100$The "Investors": weighted inder numbers of security prices, computed by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics on the base 1926=100, were as follows for the week ending November 2nd.

The "Investore"" index of industrial common stocks was 89.2 for the week ending November 2nd, as compared with 86 . 1 for the previous week.

The "Investors1" index of demestic utility common stocks was 39.4 for the week ending November 2nd, as compared with 39.1 for the previous week.

The "Investors!" index of common stocks of companies located abroad in which Canadians are heavily interestea mas 64.9 for the week ending November 2nd, as compared with 62.9 for the previous week.

The "Investors1" index for all three greuns of common stocks combined was 64.5 for the week ending November 2nd, as compared with 62.7 for the previous week.

Average weekly prices were higher for eighteen and lower for seven of the twenty-five best selfing stocks on the Montreal and Toronto Exchanges. Walkers rose from $\$ 35.1$ to $\$ 39.5$, Canadian Industrial Alcohol "A" from $\$ 13.1$ to $\$ 15.9$, Consolidated Mining and Smelting from $\$ 115.3$ to $\$ 127.8$, International Nickel from $\$ 18.7$ to $\$ 19.4$, Canadian Industrial Alcohol "B" from $\$ 11.4$ to $\$ 14.0$, Hollinger from $\$ 10.3$ to $\$ 10.7$, C.F.R. from $\$ 12.7$ to $\$ 13.0$ ard Fore "All from $\$ 10.4$ to $\$ 10.9$, Standard Steel fell from $\$ 10.4$ to $\$ 10.0$, Teston Ita., from $\$ 46.9$ to $\$ 5.6$ and British Columbia Power "A" from $\$ 22.8$ to $\$ 21.8$.

Sales were lower for twenty-three and higher for two stocks. Walke rs declined from 68,300 to 29: 800, International lifickel from 60,500 to 25,200 , Consclidated Mining and Smelting from 6,800 to 3,400 , Canadian Industrial Alcohol "A" from 40,600 to 21,200, Montreal Light, Heat and Power from 7,200 to 2, 400 , Frazilian from 18,400 to 9,600, Standard Steel from 8,900 to 2, 000 , National Freweries from 4,000 tc 1,200 and Bell Telephone from 900 to 500. Canada Northern Power mounted from 200 to 700 .


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| IMDUSTRIAL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | UTILITY |  |  | COMPANIES ABROAD |  |  |  |
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| Number of Securities 1933 | Total <br>  <br> 93 | Iron <br> and <br> Steel <br> 19 | Pulp <br> and <br> Paper <br> 8 | Mi゚ユー <br> ing <br> 5 | Oils | Textiles and Clothing 9 | Food <br> and <br> Allied <br> Products 19 | Bever－ ages 8 | Mis－ <br> cell－ <br> aneous $21$ | Total 19 | Trans－ porta－ tion | Tele－ <br> phone <br> Tele－ <br> graph | Power <br> and <br> Trac－ <br> tion <br> 15 | Total | In－ <br> dust－ <br> rial | Util－ ity | Grand Total 118 |
| 1926 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | $\frac{118}{100.0}$ |
| $\times 1929$－High | 311.0 | 383.8 | 118.2 | 267.4 | 416.8 | 110.1 | 193.8 | 201.4 | 507.2 | 163.6 | 160.6 | 125.6 | 192.7 | 213.3 | 191.5 | 258.0 | 235.1 |
| $\times 1930$－Low | 194.0 | 196.1 | 73.1 | 191.9 | 248.3 | 74.5 | 131.8 | 89.1 | 247.0 | 124.8 | 117.1 | 108.3 | 131.1 | 122.5 | 117.4 | 138.1 | 155.5 |
| $\times 1930$－High | 221．1 | 231.3 | 73.4 | 192.5 | 296.6 | 77.2 | 144.8 | 95.7 | 328.8 | 142.3 | 138.1 | 113.7 | 163.3 | 151.8 | 136.4 | 185.3 | 178.6 |
| $\times 1931-\frac{\text { Low }}{\text { High }}$ | 112.6 | 134.5 | 22.3 | 97.9 | 167.5 | 56.7 | 100.2 | 59.9 | 133.2 | 99.8 | 91.0 | 99.5 | 108.4 | 70.7 | 72.4 | 72.7 | 100.6 |
| $\times 1931$－High | 127.2 | 146.3 | 24.6 | 107.9 | 186.8 | 60.6 | 132.6 | 77.6 | 167.2 | 113.4 | 106.9 | 105.6 | 128.4 | 84.4 | 86.7 | 95.7 | 115.1 |
| $\times 1932$－High | 68.1 | 71.5 | 9.0 | 47.8 | 98.0 | 40.2 | 89.9 | 40.6 | 80.3 | 53.8 | 31.7 | 81.3 | 74.6 | 42，4 | 51.0 | 33.6 | 58.8 |
| $\times 1932$－High | 72.0 | 75.8 | 9.0 | 61.2 | 110.6 | 40.2 | 90.8 | 48.5 | 89.9 | 59.3 | 48.1 | 81.1 | 74.5 | 52.9 | 70.1 | 46.3 | 62.9 |
| 1932 Low | 44.0 | 36.8 | 1.4 | 34.9 | 78.3 | 24.0 | 66.5 | 27.3 | 39．1 | 30.5 | 20.2 | 52.0 | 37.5 | 41.2 | 50.8 | 28.5 | 38.6 |
| September | 73.8 | 69.1 | 4.4 | 53.0 | 113.0 | 42.3 | 90.8 | 44.1 | 89.2 | 56.9 | 47.6 | 76.3 | 65.9 | 56.5 | 77.6 | 38.7 | 62.8 |
| October | 63.1 | 55.9 | 3.5 | 49.8 | 97.4 | 38.0 | 86.5 | 40.7 | 73.9 | 49.1 | 39.0 | 73.4 | 57.7 | 17． | 64.3 | 33.1 | 53 \％ |
| November | 62.5 | 51.3 | 3.1 | 48.3 | 95.9 | 38.7 | 85.9 | 43.3 | 74.2 | 46.6 | 38.2 | 70.8 | 53.1 | 48.3 | 67.9 | 31.8 | 52.6 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { December } \\ & 1933 \end{aligned}$ | 58.4 | 45.5 | 2.5 | 43.3 | 90.8 | 37.6 | 83.0 | 37.1 | 70.1 | 45.1 | 37.4 | 68.3 | 50.8 | 48.9 | 69.1 | 32.0 | 50.5 |
| January | 59.6 | 49.5 | 3.3 | 41.1 | 93.6 | 36.8 | 82.9 | 34.0 | 71.2 | 44.6 | 35.6 | 70.5 | 51．2 | 48.9 | 69.7 | 31.4 | 50.8 |
| February | 56.3 | $4^{4} 4.4$ | 3.6 | 39.7 | 86.5 | 33.6 | 80.2 | 32.6 | 69.7 | 38.6 | 26.8 | 63.6 | 48.3 | 46.6 | 67.8 | 28.7 | 46.6 |
| March | 57.3 | 44.8 | 2.3 | 37.8 | 86.7 | 32.2 | 78.6 | 36.0 | 73.1 | 38.2 | 25.3 | 64.0 | 48.9 | 15.5 | 66.5 | 27.8 | 46.6 |
| April | 67.5 | ${ }_{4} 8.6$ | 2.7 | 44.3 | 98.1 | 31.2 | 85.3 | 37.8 | 95.2 | 38.5 | 27.9 | 61.1 | 47.4 | 53.0 | 78.4 | 32.5 | 52.1 |
| Mey | 85.8 | 65.5 | 3.8 | 60.9 | 122.4 | 45.7 | 105.1 | 63.2 | 116.1 | 47.2 | 36.8 | 69.7 | 56.2 | 64.2 | 90.3 | 42.4 | 64． |
| June | 103.6 | 83.0 | 6.15 | 70.3 | 141.6 | 55.2 | 118.2 | 106.4 | 136.5 | 53.8 | 43.7 | 74.5 | 63.0 | 74.2 | 105.1 | 46.3 | 76.1 |
| July | 118.3 | 98.1 | 8.4 | 79.1 | 156.6 | 60.0 | 139.1 | 164．3 | 146．4 | 58.5 | 47.5 | 82.1 | 68.1 | 81.6 | 114.6 | 54.1 | 85.0 |
| August | 213.3 | 91.2 | 7.6 | 76.4 | 147.6 | 59.1 | 126.8 | 152.1 | 145.8 | 53.9 | 40.9 | 81.8 | 65.1 | 77.1 | 111.0 | 48.6 | 80．3 |
| September | 115.1 | 8ㄴ．8 | 7.3 | 73.0 | 150． | 61.6 | 121.0 | 159．4 | 150.3 | 50.7 | 37.3 | 81.4 | 61.7 | 79.9 | 118.1 | 47.6 | 80.2 |
| Septepber 7th | 102.3 | 80.1 | 1.3 | 64.9 | 141.2 | 47.6 | 112.1 | 149．4 | 132.8 | 47.2 | 34.8 | 71.2 | 55.6 | 69.6 | 101.6 | 43，6 | 7\％．0 |
| September $14 t h$ | 103.9 | 79.1 | 1.2 | $6{ }^{\text {r }}$ ． 8 | 1＊1．7 | 48.4 | 110.9 | 165.0 | 134.3 | 45.6 | 32.8 | 71.1 | 54.3 | 70.0 | 103.1 | 43.1 | 74.0 |
| September 2lst | 103.3 | 78.8 | 1.1 | 63.0 | 139．2 | 48.2 | 110.5 | 159.3 | 137.3 | ${ }^{1} 4.1$ | 30.6 | \％1．7 | 53.3 | 69.3 | 102.0 | 42.7 | 73.0 |
| September 28th | 97.6 | 72.9 | 1.0 | 61.5 | 133.6 | 46.8 | 105．9 | 14.3 .8 | 129.3 | 12.4 | 28.4 | 70.1 | 52.1 | 67.7 | 99.4 | 42.0 | 69.7 |
| October 5th | 96.5 | 71.2 | － 9 | 61.8 | 130.6 | 47.5 | 103.6 | 145.2 | 128.5 | 42.0 | 28.2 | 69.3 | 51.5 | 68.5 | 99.8 |  |  |
| October 12th | 95.2 | 70.6 | － 8 | 61.8 | 126.6 | 46.9 | 103．2 | 148.2 | 127.0 | 41.4 | 27.0 | 69.3 | 51.6 | 68.3 | 101．2 | 43.1 42.4 | $68 .$ |
| October 19th | 86.8 | 6 ＇r． 2 | .7 | 60.4 | $1 \pm .10 .4$ | 45.2 | 97.3 | 131.0 | 276.7 | 39.3 | 24.6 | 68.8 | 49.6 | 63.6 | 94，0 | 38.8 | 63.3 |
| October 26th | 86.1 | 6.3 | － 6 | 61.2 | 116.4 | 48.7 | 98.2 | 113.5 | 116.9 | 39.1 | 24．9 | 68.0 | 48.8 | 62.9 | 91.9 | 39.2 | 62.7 |
| ivovember 2nd | 89.2 | 66.0 | 6 | 61.6 | 119.3 | 44．4 | 99.7 | 124.6 | 121.9 | 39.4 | 25.4 | 68.8 | 48.8 | 64.9 | 96.0 | 39.3 | 64.5 |

