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WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF 17 MINING STOCKS

1926=100

The weighted index numbers of seventeen mining stocks computed by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics on the base of 1926=100, was 114.5 for the week ending April 26th, as compared with 113.8 for the week ending April 19th.

Gold-copper stocks, represented by Noranda and Amulet, rose from 106.7 to 111.0. Eleven gold stocks rose from 116.1 to 116.3. Four silver and miscellaneous stocks fell from 95.3 to 95.1.

Among the gold stocks the average weekly prices behaved as follows: Premier declined from \$2.32 to \$2.28, Dome from \$10.16 to \$9.28, Hollinger from \$16.23 to \$15.97, McIntyre from \$26.38 to \$26.15 and Kirkland Lake from \$1.94 to \$1.88. Vipord: Consolidated rose from .55 1/5¢ to .60¢, Lake Shore from \$23.17 to \$23.41, Teck-Hughes from \$8.94 to \$9.29 and Wright-Hargreaves from \$4.43 to \$4.57.

Average prices were higher for the gold-copper stocks. Amulet rose from \$3.18 to \$3.32 and Noranda from \$17.32 to \$18.01.

In the silver and miscellaneous group the average price of Beaver declined from \$1.52 to \$1.44. Comiagas rose from \$5.00 to \$5.08 and Mining corporation from \$3.30 to \$3.34.

| Number of Stocks | Gold Gold | | | |
|-----------------------|-----------|----------------|-----------------------------|----------------|
| | | Gold Copper | Silver and Miscellaneous | Total Index |
| 1927 | 11 | 2 | 4 | 17 |
| January | 113.1 | 132.3 | 226 5 | |
| February | 120.1 | 124.6 | 116.5 | 116.0 |
| March | 119.6 | | 122.2 | 120.8 |
| April | 118.4 | 128.9 | 109.1 | 120.2 |
| My | | 123.4 | 106.6 | 118.3 |
| June | 122.5 | 136.5 | 101.1 | 123.0 |
| July | 118.1 | 130.4 | 101.3 | 118.7 |
| | 121.4 | 134.7 | 113.2 | 122.7 |
| August | 125.7 | 150.0 | 116.3 | 128.5 |
| September | 134.2 | 163.6 | 112.7 | 137.0 |
| October | 139.7 | 175.2 | 125.1 | 143.8 |
| November | 139.4 | 163.3 | 129.3 | 142.1 |
| December | 136.3 | 155•5 | 123.8 | 138.2 |
| 1928 Week ending - | | | | |
| January 5th | 137.2 | 153.7 | 120.0 | 138.6 |
| " 12th | 134.0 | 146.1 | 120.6 | 135.1 |
| " 19th | 132.2 | 143.7 | 123.9 | 133.6 |
| " 26th | 132.0 | 141.6 | 128.4 | 134.1 |
| February 2nd | 127.2 | 135.9 | 110.2 | 128.8 |
| " 9th | 136.8 | 130.0 | 112.6 | 127.1 |
| " 16th | 120.9 | 129.4 | 107.0 | 122.0 |
| " 2 3rd | 118.1 | 121.1 | 101.5 | 118.2 |
| March 1st | 118.1 | 122.6 | 101.1 | |
| " 8th | 123.2 | 135.7 | 103.8 | 118.3 |
| " 15th | 122.9 | 131.6 | | 124.5 |
| " 22nd | 120.6 | 114.7 | 104.6 | 123.7 |
| " 29th | 120.1 | 113.0 | 102.7 | 119.3 |
| April 5th | 119.6 | | 101.3 | 118.5 |
| " 12th | 119.6 | 108.1 | 99•8 | 117.1 |
| " 19th | | 110.2 | 100.1 | 117.4 |
| " 26th | 116.1 | 106.7 | 95•3 | 113.8 |
| CO 081 | 136,3 | 111.0 | 95.1 | 114.5 |

