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WEIGHTED PRICE INDEX NUMBERS OF 23 MENING STOCKS (1926=100)

Due to irrogularly lower prices for gold stocks the general index for twenty-three mining issues received a set-back of over one point during the past week. The index was 156.8 for the week ending October 15 as compared with 157.9 for the week ending October 8. For the same period last year this index was 119.6.

The gold group lost ground for the third successive week, and the index is now back to early spring levels. It foll from 127.7 for the week of October 8 to 126.1 for the week of October 15 and was 106.8 for the week of October 17, 1935.

Optimism continued in the base metal issues and a further gain was registered for this group. The index rese from 282.7 for the week of October 8 to 283.6 for the week of October 15. The corresponding index last year was 172.6.

Listed bolow is a table of average weekly prices as computed by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics for the weeks ending October 15 and 8, 1936, and October 17, 1935.

GOLD Beattie Bralorne Central Patricia Dome God's Lake Hollinger Howey Kirkland Lake Lake Shore Little Long Lac Macassa McIntyre Pickle Crow Pioneer Reno San Antonio Siscoe Sylvanite Teck-Hughes	1936 October 15 \$ 1.28 8.85 3.84 53.02 80 13.54 69 55.47 6.19 4.52 39.10 6.28 7.44 1.33 1.85 4.38 2.97 5.71	1936 Cctober 8 \$ 1.30 8.70 4.00 54.96 .87 13.58 .72 .55 55.81 6.04 4.41 39.21 6.52 7.78 1.83 4.42 3.08 5.86	1935 October 17 \$ (1) 5.68 (1) 39.72 (1) 13.59 .60 .39 47.46 (1) 2.54 36.66 (1) 9.40 .82 2.52 2.53 2.15 3.96
Wright-Hargreaves BASE METALS	7.71	7.74	₹.38
Falconbridge Hudson Bay Noranda	10.17 29.47 65.08	10.16 29.27 64.96	4.38 18.91 40.94

⁽¹⁾ Not in index during 1935.

INDEX NUMBERS OF TWENTY-THREE MINING STOCKS (1926=100)

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Number of Stocks	Gold	Basc	Total
1936	23	Motals 3	Index 23
x1928 - High	137.2	322.2	138.6
Low x1929 - High	75.4	105.7	107.3
Low	89°7 52°7	318.0 157.3	127.9
x1930 - High Low	66°7 53°3	203.1 56.4	88.3 56.7
x <u>1931</u> - High Low	79 . 5 54 . 4	108 ₃ 3 49•9	85.4 54.8
x <u>1932</u> - High Low	63 . 1 48 . 5	82.3	64.8 46.8
x <u>1933</u> - High Low	111.9	144.1 68.2	116.7 65.1
x <u>1934</u> - High Low	140.1	167.6 125.0	143.3 107.3
x <u>1935</u> - High Low	131.2 104.7	211.7 128.6	136.7 114.9
1935 April	124.5	140.1	128.7
May	121.4	150.2	128.3
June	116.3	153.2	123.0
July	110.1	151.9	117.9
August	106.2	155.4	115.6
September	109.5	159.6	119.1
1936 January	124.8	214.8	142,4
February	130.2	230.4	149.8
March	122.7	232.2	144.2
April	122.8	241.1	145.8
May	128.9	239•2	150.3
June	134.4	246.0	156.1
July	134.4	254.1	157.6
August	132.6	264.0	158.1
September	131.2	267.1	157.6
Weekly Index Numbers			
1935 Week ending October 17th	106.8	172.6	119.6
1936 Week ending September 10th	132.1	260•5	157.0
" " " 17th	131.7	259.9	156.6
" " 24th	131.6	272.6	159.0
" " October 1st	129.3	275.4	157.7
" " 15th	127.7	282•7 283•6	157.9 156.8
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