

**13.—Weighted Index Numbers of Prices of Mining Stocks, by Month, 1958 to Mid-1962<sup>1</sup>**  
(1935-39=100)

Year and Month	Gold	Base Metals	Composite	Year and Month	Gold	Base Metals	Composite
<b>1958</b>				<b>1960—concluded</b>			
January.....	64.0	154.6	91.5	May.....	67.8	167.2	98.0
February.....	68.3	157.2	95.3	June.....	64.9	167.4	96.0
March.....	67.8	161.7	96.4	July.....	64.7	166.0	95.5
April.....	69.0	155.0	95.2	August.....	71.4	169.9	101.4
May.....	72.5	160.7	99.3	September.....	73.5	173.8	104.0
June.....	73.8	173.3	104.1	October.....	79.9	170.3	107.4
July.....	72.1	174.7	103.2	November.....	81.2	176.9	110.2
August.....	74.3	179.3	106.2	December.....	78.1	178.2	108.5
September.....	73.8	182.0	106.7				
October.....	74.7	205.1	114.4	<b>1961</b>			
November.....	77.9	208.8	117.6	January.....	83.9	188.0	115.5
December.....	80.6	197.5	116.1	February.....	75.9	190.8	110.8
				March.....	72.4	203.6	112.3
<b>1959</b>				April.....	72.1	218.2	116.6
January.....	85.6	211.2	123.7	May.....	73.6	234.4	122.5
February.....	85.7	214.8	124.9	June.....	73.8	232.1	121.9
March.....	86.1	219.4	126.6	July.....	77.2	247.4	129.0
April.....	85.5	201.2	120.6	August.....	85.3	251.5	135.8
May.....	87.0	194.0	119.5	September.....	83.3	241.0	131.2
June.....	87.9	193.4	119.4	October.....	82.5	242.4	131.1
July.....	87.3	196.9	120.6	November.....	86.0	257.6	138.2
August.....	86.1	196.9	119.8	December.....	85.6	262.4	139.3
September.....	82.0	179.2	111.5				
October.....	82.7	179.9	112.2	<b>1962</b>			
November.....	82.6	181.3	112.6	January.....	85.1	263.3	139.3
December.....	82.3	182.8	112.8	February.....	83.2	257.9	136.4
				March.....	82.9	256.4	135.6
<b>1960</b>				April.....	81.5	254.5	134.1
January.....	82.4	187.8	114.4	May.....	88.5	246.4	136.5
February.....	82.0	175.6	110.4	June.....	93.6	226.2	133.9
March.....	82.5	164.4	107.4				
April.....	78.4	166.4	105.1				

<sup>1</sup> See footnote to p. 937.

**Preferred Stocks.**—The index of preferred stocks advanced slowly in 1961, showing a 5.1-p.c. gain from 157.9 in January to 166.0 in December.

**14.—Index Numbers of Preferred Stocks, by Month, 1953 to Mid-1962<sup>1</sup>**

(1935-39=100)

NOTE.—Figures for 1927-45 are given in the 1948-49 Year Book, p. 958, and for 1946-52 in the 1956 edition, p. 1045.

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Yearly Av.
1953.....	161.0	161.6	163.6	161.6	162.9	163.0	163.8	164.3	162.0	161.0	161.6	161.7	162.3
1954.....	162.6	163.6	165.4	168.0	169.7	170.7	171.3	173.0	173.4	174.1	175.4	175.4	170.2
1955.....	175.6	176.0	176.2	175.4	178.1	177.9	179.5	179.9	179.0	179.2	176.6	173.9	177.2
1956.....	175.5	175.3	173.6	171.1	167.7	166.2	167.5	166.1	161.7	158.7	157.0	154.4	168.2
1957.....	155.9	156.4	154.8	153.4	153.1	150.8	150.0	149.4	147.3	146.1	147.6	151.1	151.3
1958.....	154.0	156.4	157.5	158.5	161.6	163.9	162.4	163.4	163.9	162.7	162.7	159.8	160.6
1959.....	158.1	159.5	159.8	160.0	161.9	160.5	160.8	159.2	155.3	151.0	150.1	149.9	157.2
1960.....	149.2	148.7	147.2	146.6	148.9	152.4	155.1	156.4	157.5	157.5	157.3	156.8	152.8
1961.....	157.9	158.2	157.7	159.6	161.4	162.3	163.5	163.4	165.4	167.4	167.2	166.0	162.5
1962 <sup>p</sup> .....	167.8	167.7	168.3	168.9	169.6	165.1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

<sup>1</sup> See footnote to p. 937.