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CAR LOADINGS

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Car loadings for the week ended June 22 increased in the western division to 21,796 cars from 14,582 cars for the corresponding week last year and in the eastern division to 37,604 cars from 30,784 cars, raising the total to 59,400 cars, the heaviest for this time of the year for the past decade. The index number rose to 99.9 from 95.6 for the previous week and 76.3 for last year when loadings amounted to 45,566 cars.

Grain was heavier than a year ago by 5,904 cars, mostly in the western division, live stock increased by 198 cars, coal by 224 cars, coke by 127 cars, lumber by 324 cars, pulpwood by 1,063 cars and pulp and paper by 1,442 cars, both of the last two groups were light in 1939. Other forest products declined by 566 cars but ore was up by 629 cars, merchandise by 792 cars and miscellaneous by 3,697 cars.

INDEX NUMBERS

(Adjusted for seasonal variations and holidays)

Average, 1926 = 100.

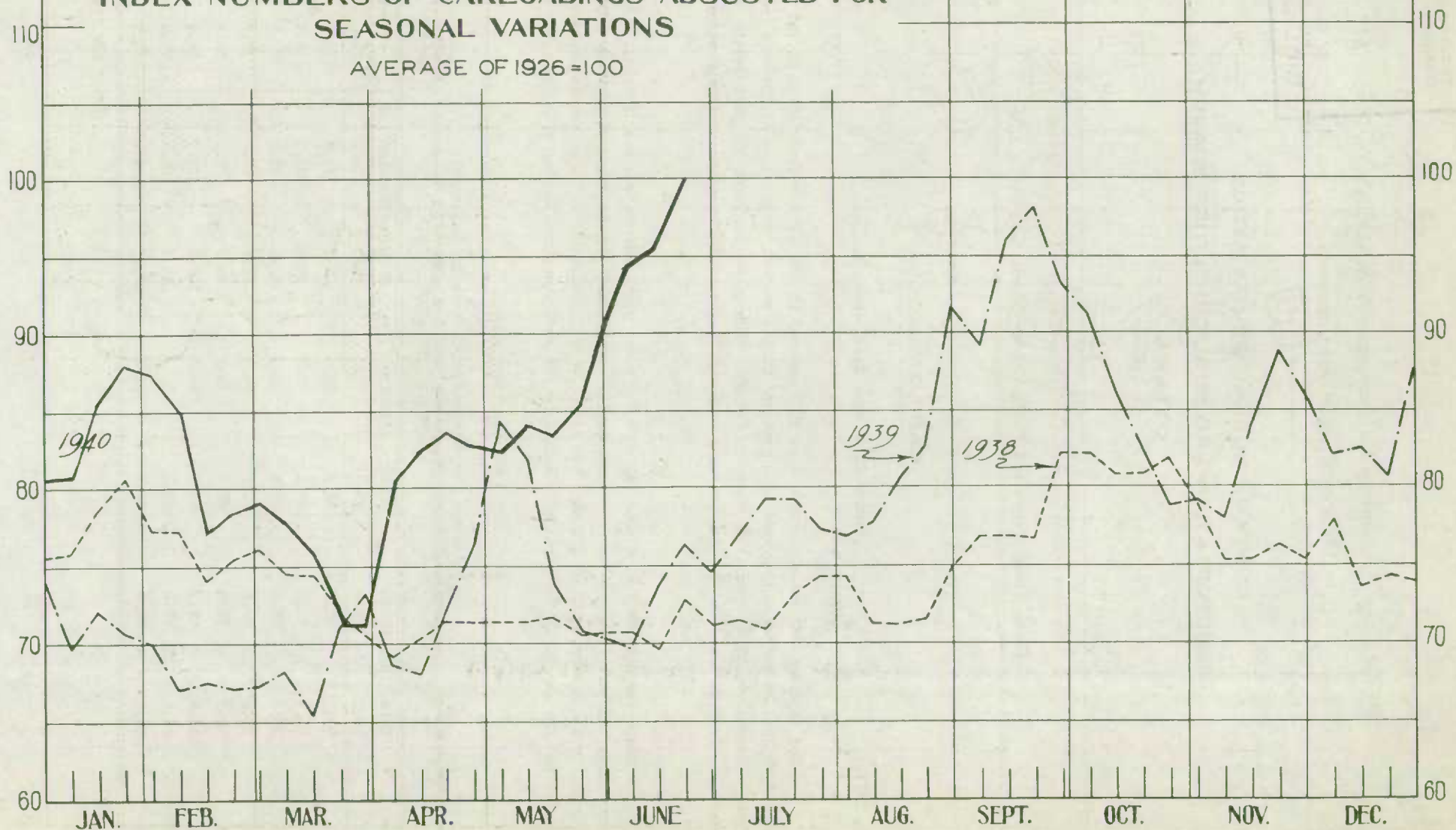
Week	Total for Canada		Eastern Division		Western Division		Merchandise	
	1940	1939	1940	1939	1940	1939	1940	1939
18	82.1	84.5	84.3	83.0	86.0	96.9	78.9	75.0
19	83.9	81.8	88.5	77.9	82.3	98.8	79.4	73.4
20	83.2	75.8	87.1	70.3	82.5	89.2	78.6	71.1
21	85.2	70.9	89.5	70.9	82.4	77.2	79.9	71.1
22	90.5	70.4	91.1	72.2	96.9	72.2	76.9	72.6
23	93.6	69.7	92.8	69.2	103.5	76.7	78.4	71.8
24	95.6	73.8	85.1	67.4	118.6	85.1	78.0	72.5
25	99.9	76.3	84.6	69.3	131.7	88.1	78.2	73.5

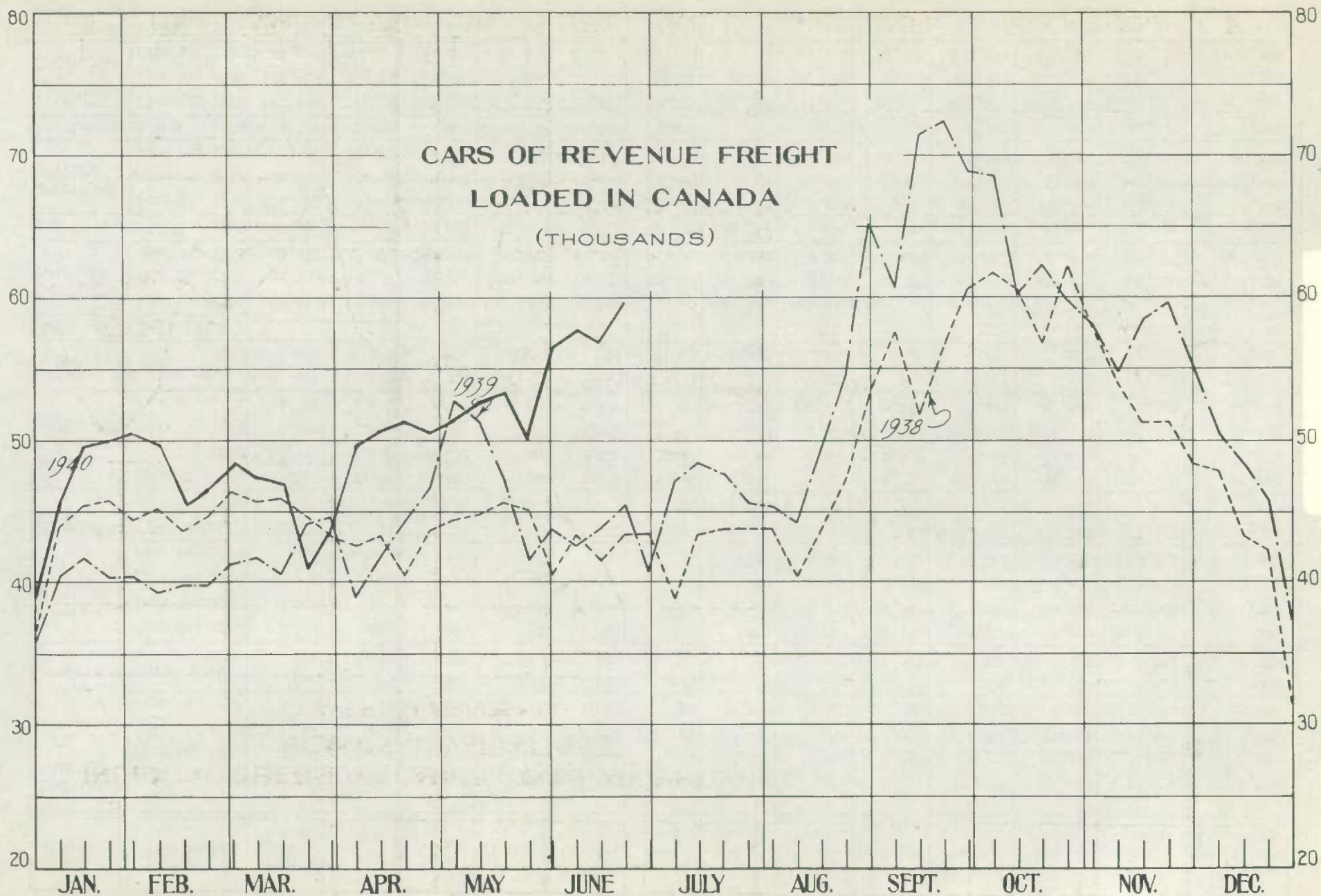
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Price per year \$1.50.

INDEX NUMBERS OF CARLOADINGS ADJUSTED FOR SEASONAL VARIATIONS

AVERAGE OF 1926 = 100





Division	Week ended	Grain & Grain Products	Live Stock	Coal	Coke	Lumber	Pulp-wood	Pulp and Paper	Other Forest Products	Ore	Merchandise, L.C.L.	Miscellaneous	Total Cars Loaded	Total Cars Rec'd from Connections
EASTERN DIVISION	June 22, 1940	1,995	591	4,808	336	1,792	1,628	2,742	953	1,927	9,752	11,080	37,604	24,739
	June 15, 1940	2,526	615	4,076	317	2,049	1,574	2,505	761	1,738	9,720	10,691	36,572	23,884
	June 8, 1940	3,359	619	4,570	314	2,109	1,604	2,470	842	2,016	9,823	11,081	38,807	23,242
	June 24, 1939	1,733	548	4,609	221	1,685	865	1,508	660	1,600	9,133	8,222	30,784	18,554
Compared with prev. week		- 531	- 24	+ 732	+ 19	- 257	+ 54	+ 237	+ 192	+ 189	+ 32	+ 389	+ 1,032	+ 855
" " 1939		+ 262	+ 43	+ 199	+ 115	+ 107	+ 763	+ 1,234	+ 293	+ 327	+ 619	+ 2,858	+ 6,820	+ 6,185
WESTERN DIVISION	June 22, 1940	8,542	608	609	63	1,021	372	389	944	1,862	3,416	3,970	21,796	1,101
	June 15, 1940	7,518	660	607	71	1,051	283	345	924	1,767	3,375	3,703	20,304	1,089
	June 8, 1940	5,491	590	626	58	1,145	302	343	961	1,933	3,413	3,431	18,293	1,111
	June 24, 1939	2,900	453	584	51	804	72	181	1,603	1,560	3,243	3,131	14,582	1,064
Compared with prev. week		+ 1,024	- 52	+ 2	- 8	- 30	+ 89	+ 44	+ 20	+ 95	+ 41	+ 267	+ 1,492	+ 12
" " 1939		+ 5,642	+ 155	+ 25	+ 12	+ 217	+ 300	+ 208	- 659	+ 302	+ 173	+ 839	+ 7,214	+ 57
TOTAL FOR CANADA	June 22, 1940	10,537	1,199	5,417	399	2,813	2,000	3,131	1,897	3,789	13,168	15,050	59,400	25,840
	June 15, 1940	10,044	1,275	4,683	388	3,100	1,857	2,850	1,685	3,505	13,095	14,394	56,876	24,973
	June 8, 1940	8,850	1,209	5,196	372	3,254	1,906	2,813	1,803	3,949	13,236	14,512	57,100	24,353
	June 24, 1939	4,633	1,001	5,193	272	2,489	937	1,689	2,263	3,160	12,376	11,353	45,366	19,618
Compared with prev. week		+ 493	- 76	+ 734	+ 11	- 287	+ 143	+ 281	+ 212	+ 284	+ 73	+ 656	+ 2,524	+ 867
" " 1939		+ 5,904	+ 198	+ 224	+ 127	+ 324	+ 1,063	+ 1,442	- 366	+ 629	+ 792	+ 3,697	+ 14,034	+ 6,222
CUMULATIVE TOTALS														
EASTERN DIVISION	June 22, 1940	65,646	15,658	95,756	12,027	32,090	34,638	58,368	18,040	40,433	239,294	221,544	831,494	587,301
	June 24, 1939	44,705	14,356	79,326	10,771	24,351	25,613	42,367	13,841	32,757	225,557	187,515	701,159	498,596
	June 25, 1938	41,811	15,682	80,604	9,141	22,658	40,222	39,152	15,961	36,629	234,729	199,972	736,561	493,479
1940 Compared with 1939		+ 20,941	+ 1,302	+ 14,430	+ 1,256	+ 7,739	+ 9,025	+ 16,001	+ 4,199	+ 7,676	+ 13,737	+ 34,029	+ 130,335	+ 88,705
WESTERN DIVISION	June 22, 1940	105,333	18,459	34,779	1,754	20,411	5,034	7,015	26,671	40,387	83,656	68,144	411,643	29,125
	June 24, 1939	80,362	17,383	35,166	1,685	16,083	3,367	5,531	32,344	37,482	79,880	59,727	369,010	23,692
	June 25, 1938	53,766	17,522	34,018	1,683	14,769	13,672	4,804	25,538	36,872	78,849	83,092	364,585	30,230
1940 Compared with 1939		+ 24,971	+ 1,076	- 387	+ 69	+ 4,328	+ 1,667	+ 1,484	- 5,673	+ 2,905	+ 3,776	+ 8,417	+ 42,633	+ 5,433
TOTAL FOR CANADA	June 22, 1940	170,979	34,117	128,535	13,781	52,501	39,672	65,383	44,711	80,820	322,950	289,688	1,243,137	616,426
	June 24, 1939	125,067	31,739	114,492	12,456	40,434	28,980	47,898	46,185	70,239	305,437	247,242	1,070,169	522,288
	June 25, 1938	95,577	33,204	114,622	10,824	37,427	53,894	43,956	41,499	73,501	313,578	283,064	1,101,146	523,709
1940 Compared with 1939		+ 45,912	+ 2,378	+ 14,043	+ 1,325	+ 12,067	+ 10,692	+ 17,485	- 1,474	+ 10,581	+ 17,513	+ 42,446	+ 172,968	+ 94,138

NOTE: 1939 Figures Contain Revisions.

