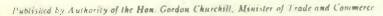
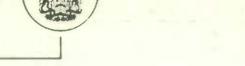
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CREDIT STATISTICS

(Selected Holders)

At July 31, consumer balances outstanding on the books of Sales Finance Companies amounted to an estimated \$779.1 million following a slight net increase (0.3 per cent) since June 30. Their level remained 4.5 per cent below that of July 31, 1957, due to lower extensions and higher total repayments than in July last year.

Consumer credit held by Licensees under the Small Loans Act, which has been increasing by 1 to 2 per cent since March, amounted to an estimated \$386.2 million at July 31, 8.9 per cent above the amount outstanding at the corresponding date last year. Accounts receivable held by Department Stores at July 31 were 5.1 per cent higher.

Retail Instalment Credit, by holder

(Estimated amounts outstanding, in millions of dollars)

	Selected Financial Institutions		Retail Outlets				Total	
41.	Sales	Licensees,	Dept. Stores		Motor	0.1		% Change
	Finance Companies	Small Loans Act	C.S.A.	Other	Vehicle Dealers	Other	Amount	1958/57
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	%
1957 March 31	1,009.9	14.1	149.3	27.1	24.5	227.1	1,452.0	
June 30	1,095.8	14.3	150.3	28.5	27.2	232.1	1,548.2	
September 30 .	1,121.7	14.4	153.3	27.5	26.8	238.0	1,581.7	
December 31	1,067.4	15.2	172.9	36.0	23.4	254.0	1,568.9	
1958 January 31 February 28 March 31 April 30 May 31 June 30 (p) July 31 (p)	1,047.3 1,027.8 1,019.5 1,033.8 1,053.6 1,057.1 1,059.6	15.1 15.4 15.8	169.6 165.1 161.6 161.4 161.7 159.4 157.1	33.5 31.1 30.8 30.5 30.2 29.7 28.9	22.8	238.0	1,487.5	+ 2.4
			1.0					

Note: See footnotes on following pages for explanations of headings used in this summary table.

(p) Preliminary

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Retail Instalment Credit held by Sales Finance Companies

(Estimated extensions, balances outstanding, and repayments, in millions of dollars)

		Commercial Goods							
	-	Other	Total		Commer-		Total		
	Passenger Cars		Amount	% Change 1958/57	cial Vehicles	Other	Amount	% Change 1958/57	
	\$	\$	\$	%	\$	\$	\$	%	
	Value of Contracts Financed								
1958									
April	71.8	14.1	85.9	-1.6	11.6	14.0	25.6	- 9.5	
May	70.3	15.4	85.7	-11.2	13.8	16.1	29.9	-15.1	
June (p)	67.4	14.0	81.4	- 9.5	11.7	14.3	26.0	-19.2	
Second Quarter	209.5	43.5	253.0	- 7.6	37.1	44.4	81.5	-14.7	
July (p)	70.8	15.3	86.1	-10.1	11.2	15.0	26.2	-10.0	
]						
	Balances Outstanding								
1958									
	Lug ¹					1 4			
April 30			760.2	+ 0.4			273.6	- 2.0	
May 31			772.4	- 1.1			281.2	- 2.9	
June 30 (p) .	636.3	140.1	776.4	- 2.5	125.0	155.7	280.7	- 6.4	
July 31 (p).	639.1	140.0	779.1	- 4.5	124.4	156.1	280.5	- 7.3	
						1880			
				1					
			1	Repaym	ents				
1958						1		19.8	
April			73.4	+ 9.2			23.8	+ 6.3	
May			73.5	+ 1.9			22.3	- 9.7	
June (p)			77.4	+ 3.2			26.5		
Second Quarter	180.0	44.3	224.3	+ 4.6	39.0	33.6	72.6	+ 5.2	
July (p)	68.0	15.4	83.4	+ 9.9	11.8	14.6	26.4	(a)	

⁽p) Preliminary

⁽a) No change

(Estimated number of units and value of motor vehicle contracts financed, in thousands of dollars)

	N	lumber of Units	s	Amount of Financing (\$'000)					
	July* 1957	July 1958	% Change 1958/57	July* 1957	July 1958	% Change 1958/57			
			New Passo	enger Cars					
Atlantic Provinces Quebec Ontario Manitoba Saskatchewan Alberta British Columbia ¹	1,273 5,231 7,595 840 803 2,026 1,463	1,155 3,903 6,358 632 624 1,522 1,129	- 9.3 -25.4 -16.3 -24.8 -22.3 -24.9 -22.8	2,694 12,465 16,530 1,866 1,773 4,612 3,436	2,339 9,353 14,159 1,400 1,377 3,497 2,761	-13.2 -25.0 -14.3 -25.0 -22.3 -24.2 -19.6			
Canada	19,231	15,323	-20.3	43,376	34,886	-19.6			
			New Commerc						
Atlantic Provinces Quebec Ontario Manitoba Saskatchewan Alberta British Columbia	254 632 814 117 140 381 295	205 447 626 59 118 246 197	-19.3 -29.3 -23.1 -49.6 -15.7 -35.4 -33.2	752 1,998 2,761 457 501 1,367 1,239	676 1,525 2,056 313 379 772 759	-10.1 -23.7 -25.5 -31.5 -24.4 -43.5 -38.7			
Canada	2,633	1,898	-27.9	9,075	6,480	-28.6			
- 31-			Used Pass	enger Cars					
Atlantic Provinces Quebec Ontario Manitoba Saskatchewan Alberta British Columbia ¹	3,940 9,561 16,385 1,591 1,729 3,786 3,877	3,272 8,836 14,291 1,542 1,741 3,530 3,184	-17.0 - 7.6 -12.8 - 3.1 + 0.7 - 6.8 -17.9	3,311 9,477 15,104 1,464 1,430 3,465 4,033	2,840 9,070 13,973 1,520 1,492 3,467 3,504	-14.2 - 4.3 - 7.5 + 3.8 + 4.3 + 0.1 -13.1			
Canada	40,869	36,396	-10.9	38,284	35,866	- 6.3			
D-1	Used Commercial Vehicles								
Atlantic Provinces Quebec Ontario Manitoba Saskatchewan Alberta British Columbia ¹	736 1,054 1,366 209 276 645 554	550 821 1,033 156 257 568 514	-25.3 -22.1 -24.4 -25.4 -6.9 -11.9 -7.2	580 1,135 1,318 266 221 698 1,095	452 982 1,184 139 216 681 1,042	-22.1 -13.5 -10.2 -47.7 - 2.3 - 2.4 - 4.8			
Canada	4,840	3,899	-19.4	5,313	4,696	-11.6			

Includes Yukon and Northwest Territories.

^{*} Final revision between "new" motor vehicles and "used" motor vehicles separately has not been possible on the basis of the annual survey.

Cash Personal Loans and Instalment Credit held by Companies Licensed under the Small Loans Act?

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(Estimated amounts outstanding, in millions of dollars)

	Cash	Loans		Total		
Name of the state	Small Loans	Large Loans	Instalment * Credit	Amount	% Change 1958/57	
	\$	\$	\$	\$	%	
Balances Outstanding						
1957 - April 30 May 31 June 30 July 31	136.2 149.2 163.3 176.6	198.9 187.0 176.5 163.7	14.1 14.3 14.3 14.4	349.2 350.5 354.1 354.7		
1958 - April 30 May 31 June 30 July 31 (p)	259.2 266.5 274.9 282.8	96.4 93.0 90.1 87.2	15.1 15.4 15.8 16.2	370.7 374.9 380.8 386.2	+ 6.2 + 7.0 + 7.5 + 8.9	

² Including affiliated companies engaged in making cash loans.

³ As of January 1, 1957, cash loans up to \$1,500; prior to that date, loans up to \$500. (Amendment to the Small Loans Act).

A Not included are the instalment balances outstanding on sales financing of those companies licensed under the Small Loans Act which are engaged to a greater extent in sales financing than in extending cash loans. Such balances are included in the Sales Finance Companies' figures.

Accounts Receivable held by Department Stores

		I honor	Total		
C.S.A.*	Other ⁶	Charge Receivables	Amount	% Change 1958/57	
\$	\$	\$	\$	%	
161.4	30.5	39.6	231.5	+ 5.4	
161.7	30.2	40.5	232.4	+ 5.6	
159.4	29.7	39.4	228.5	+ 3.5	
157.1	28.9	37.7	223.7	+ 5.1	
	1.3				
	161.4 161.7 159.4	161.4 30.5 161.7 30.2 159.4 29.7	161.4 30.5 39.6 161.7 30.2 40.5 159.4 29.7 39.4	161.4 30.5 39.6 231.5 161.7 30.2 40.5 232.4 159.4 29.7 39.4 228.5	

Conditional-sale agreements

Other deferred payment plans, such as revolving credit and budgeted charge accounts.