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INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES, AUGUST 1934.
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of wholesale prices on the base 1926=100 rose from 72.0 in July to 72.3 in August. 98 quotations were lower, 89 were higher, while 580 remained unchanged.

Vegetable Products advanced from 68.5 to 69.9, gains for barley, corn, flax, oats, rye, wheat and flour and milled products influencing the index more than losses for peas, sugar and potatoes. Animal Products at 65.6 were the same as in the previous month, advances for calves, hides, cured meats and eggs counterbalancing declines for steers, hogs, lambs, and leather. Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products fell from 73.9 to 73.6 owing chiefly to lower quotations for raw jute, silk and wool, worsted cloth yarns and woollen cloth. Wood, Wood Products and Paper moved down from 65.8 to 65.5, because of easier quotations for fir timber and flooring and cedar lumber. Iron and its Products declined from 87.1 to 87.0 due mainly to reductions in the price of scrap iron. Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products dropped from 63.2 to 63.0, reduced quotations for copper, copper sheets and bars, tin and zinc outweighing gains for antimony, lead and silver. Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products were unchanged at 36.1. Chemicals and Allied Products were 81.7 in August as against 81.8 in July, chiefly because of easier prices for dynamite and shellac.

Consumers' Goods at 73.9 were the same as in the previous month. Foods, beverages and tobacco declined from 69.2 to 68.9 largely because of lower prices for fresh meats and sugar. Other consumers' goods rose from 77.0 to 77.2, chiefly as a result of higher quotations for tires and tubes and pure silk hosiery.

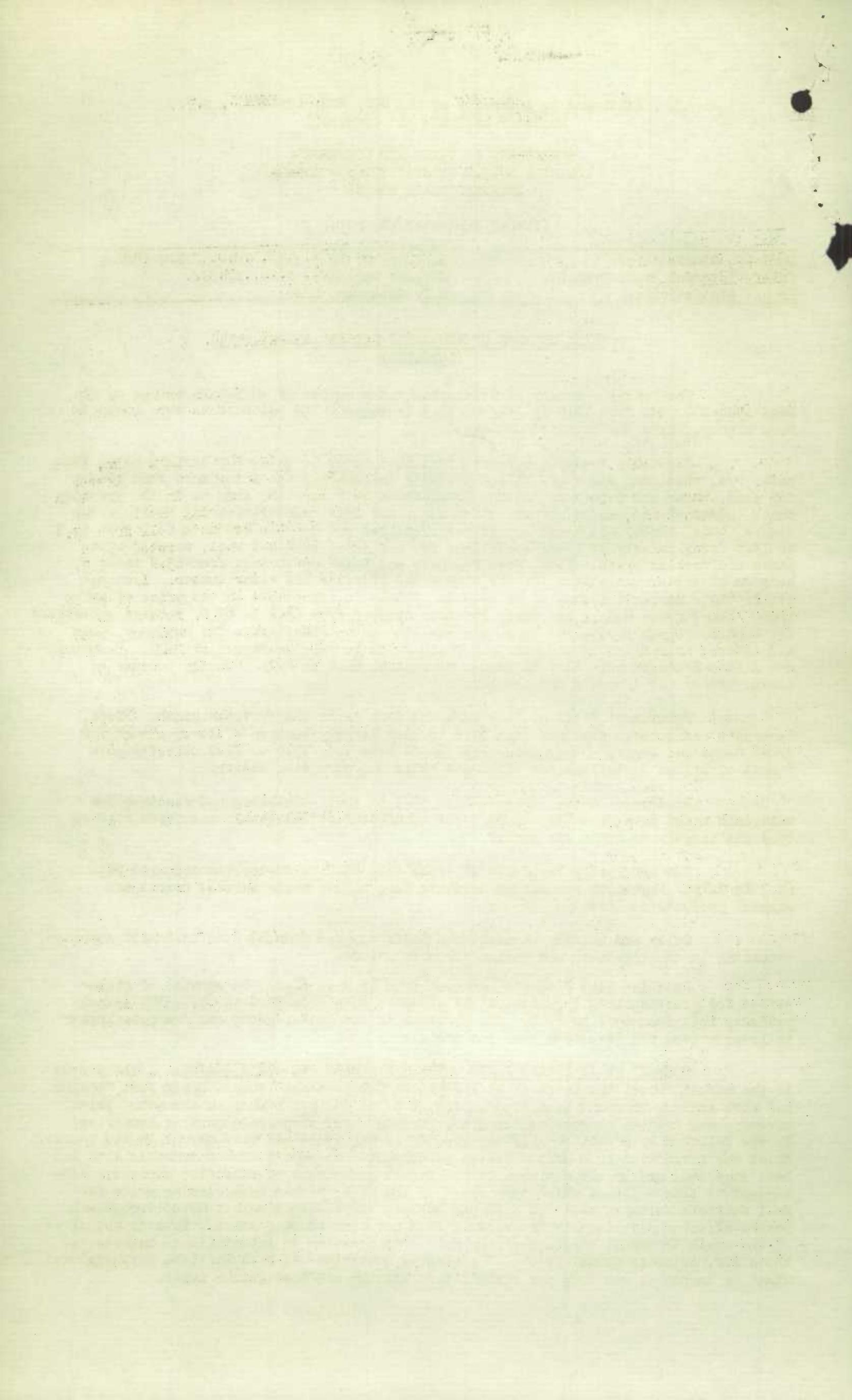
Producers' Goods advanced from 69.3 to 70.1. Building and construction materials moved down from 83.3 to 83.0 but manufacturers' materials rose from 64.2 to 65.3 due largely to gains for grains.

Raw and Partly Manufactured Goods were 65.2 in August, as compared with 64.7 in July. Vegetable and marine products were higher while animal, forest and mineral products declined.

Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Goods changed from 73.2 to 73.6 with advances occurring in the vegetable and marine products groups.

Canadian Farm Products advanced from 60.0 to 61.6. On account of higher prices for practically all grains, field products rose from 57.8 to 60.7, but animal products fell from 63.7 to 63.1. The decrease in the latter group was due principally to lower prices for livestock, and raw wool.

SUMMARY OF IMPORTANT PRICE MOVEMENTS: WHEAT AND OTHER GRAINS: A sharp rise in the market caused the price of No.1 Manitoba Northern cash wheat, basis Fort William and Port Arthur, to mount from 87½¢ on August 1, to 94¢ per bushel on the 9th. This movement was related to growing concern regarding short crops in exporting countries. It was followed by a decline slightly greater in magnitude and more abrupt in its course, which was influenced by a United States government crop report more favourable than had been expected, and by the decision of the French government to subsidize exports. Subsequent to this reaction which terminated on the 11th, with a cash closing price for No.1 Manitoba Northern wheat at 86½¢ per bushel, the Winnipeg market moved irregularly lower, affected considerably by pressure from new crop hedging sales. Towards the close of the month Broomhall stated that the main consideration in international markets was the c.i.f. price of actual wheat. The closing quotation of No.1 Manitoba Northern cash wheat on August 31 was 80¾¢ per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis.



| | 1933 August | 1934 July | 1934 August |
|---|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| | Average | Average | Average |
| Descriptions (Basis Ft. William and Pt. Arthur cash per bushel) | | | |
| No. 1 Manitoba Northern Wheat | 73.4¢ | 82.0¢ | 86.0¢ |
| No. 2 C.W. Oats | 38.9 | 38.8 | 43.6 |
| No. 1 C.W. Flax | 141.0 | 159.8 | 162.7 |
| No. 2 C.W. Rye | 52.0 | 57.9 | 65.7 |
| No. 3 C.W. Barley | 44.3 | 45.9 | 56.6 |

MILLED PRODUCTS: The market for flour was unstable at the beginning of August in eastern Canada, with competition reported to be unusually keen. Conditions improved moderately, however, and a fair volume of business for limited quantities developed. Better export business from the Orient was mentioned on the west coast. Price advances in the first half of the month were subsequently lost.

| Descriptions | 1933 August 15 | 1934 July 15 | 1934 August 15 |
|--|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Flour, No. 1 patent Manitoba, per barrel | \$5.40 | \$5.80 | \$6.00 |
| Rolled Oats, Toronto, per 93 pound bag | 3.20 | 3.05 | 3.10 |
| Oatmeal, Toronto, per 93 pound bag | 3.53 | 3.35 | 3.41 |

SUGAR: Anticipation of a further increase in the Cuban preference on raw sugar was considered to be chiefly responsible for firmness in futures at New York during the early part of August. There was no accompanying improvement in demand for actuals, however, and prices fell back 10 points to 1.72¢ per pound for Cuban raws 56° centrifugal during the third week. A second and more pronounced rise occurred in the closing days of the month when it was made known that the duty on Cuban raws would be reduced on September 4, from 2.5¢ to 0.9¢ per pound. The month-end advance in prices was not so great as might have been expected, however, judged on the basis of European markets.

| Descriptions | 1933 August 15 | 1934 July 15 | 1934 August 15 |
|--|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Granulated Sugar, standard, Montreal, per cwt. | \$6.47 | \$5.18 | \$5.09 |
| Yellow Sugar, No. 2, Montreal, per cwt. | 6.18 | 4.90 | 4.80 |

COFFEE: The possibility of damage from unfavourable weather stimulated active buying in coffee futures at New York during the first half of August. The statistical position of coffee has continued to improve and renewed affirmations come from Brazil that the National Coffee Department would strive to complete its destruction program in the next two months. Prices became easier in the final week with interest in trading less pronounced.

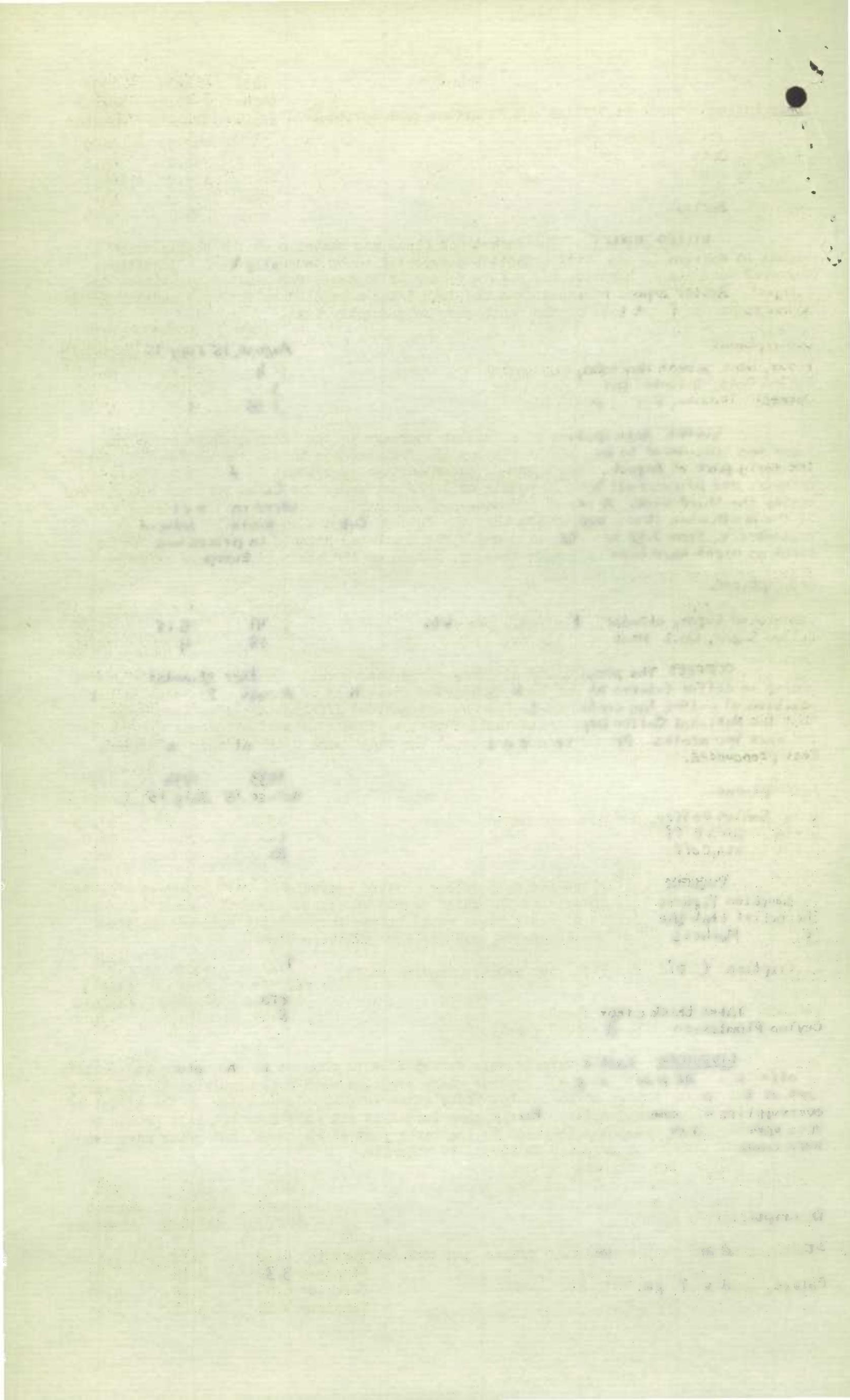
| Descriptions | 1933 August 15 | 1934 July 15 | 1934 August 15 |
|---|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Green Santos Coffee, Toronto, per pound | 18.0¢ | 17.0¢ | 17.0¢ |
| Green Jamaica Coffee, " " " | 16.0 | 16.0 | 16.0 |
| Green Bogota, Coffee, " " " | 20.0 | 22.0 | 22.0 |

RUBBER: Quotations for spot rubber mounted appreciably during August. Current consumption figures were lower, and the chief source of market strength seemed to be in the belief that the effects of restriction would become increasingly apparent as time went on. Markets in London, Singapore, and New York all were firm.

| Descriptions (Basis, New York, per pound, Canadian Funds) | 1933 August | 1934 July | 1934 August |
|---|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| | Average | Average | Average |
| Standard latex thick crepe sheets | 8.6¢ | 16.0¢ | 16.6¢ |
| Ceylon Plantation, ribbed smoked sheets | 7.5 | 14.4 | 15.1 |

LIVESTOCK: Cattle markets were susceptible to changes in the volume and quality of offerings. At practically all centres where supplies were well regulated in the early part of the month, prices advanced, but these gains were wiped out later by the advent of oversupplies of common quality. Fairly good demand at all points caused calf prices to move upward. Hogs and lambs declined in the early part of the month but price advances were common latterly as supplies continued to moderate.

| Descriptions | 1933 August | 1934 July | 1934 August | |
|---|----------------|--------------|----------------|------|
| | Average | Average | Average | |
| | \$ | \$ | \$ | |
| Steers, good and choice over 1050 pounds, per cwt. at Toronto | 4.70 | 5.38 | 5.38 | |
| | Winnipeg | 3.39 | 4.15 | 3.83 |
| Calves, good veal, per cwt. at | 6.04 | 4.82 | 5.65 | |
| | Winnipeg | 4.21 | 3.61 | 4.15 |



| <u>Descriptions</u> | | 1933 August Average | 1934 July Average | 1934 August Average |
|--------------------------------------|----------|---------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|
| | | \$ | \$ | \$ |
| Hogs, bacon, per cwt. at | Montreal | 6.65 | 9.37 | 8.75 |
| | Toronto | 6.61 | 9.25 | 8.63 |
| | Winnipeg | 5.84 | 8.27 | 7.74 |
| Lambs, good handyweight, per cwt. at | Montreal | 5.61 | 6.87 | 5.70 |
| | Toronto | 6.34 | 7.54 | 6.35 |
| | Winnipeg | 5.05 | 5.55 | 4.96 |

BUTTER: During the first half of the month, butter markets were comparatively quiet, with buyers filling only their immediate needs. As the month progressed, prices became firmer while offerings continued light and supplies were kept well cleared. Cold storage holdings of creamery butter on August 1, were reported by the Agricultural Branch of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at 41,641,390, or approximately 21 p.c. higher than a year ago, and 70 p.c. greater than on the first of the previous month.

| <u>Descriptions</u> | | 1933 August Average | 1934 July Average | 1934 August Average |
|--|-----------|---------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|
| | | ¢ | ¢ | ¢ |
| Jobbing price of No.1 creamery prints, per lb. | | | | |
| at Montreal | 21.3 | 20.9 | 20.9 | |
| Toronto | 22.4 | 21.6 | 21.7 | |
| | 1933 | 1934 | 1934 | |
| | August 15 | July 15 | August 15 | |
| | ¢ | ¢ | ¢ | |
| Finest creamery prints, per lb., at Winnipeg | 22.0 | 20.0 | 19.0 | |

EGGS: Quotations for eggs moved upward slightly during August. Production continued to decline and weather conditions contributed to a still further reduction in the supply of top grades. Storage holdings as reported by the Agricultural Branch of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at 13,771,713 dozen on August 1, were about 7 p.c. greater than on the first of the preceding month.

| <u>Descriptions</u> | | x 1933 August Average | 1934 July Average | 1934 August Average |
|--------------------------------------|----------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|
| | | ¢ | ¢ | ¢ |
| Eggs, Grade "A" Large, per dozen, at | Montreal | 23.9 | 25.3 | 26.1 |
| | Toronto | 21.6 | 22.9 | 23.9 |
| | Winnipeg | 17.1 | 20.7 | 21.3 |

x Eggs, fresh extras.

COTTON: A sharp upward movement was reported in cotton prices on the release of the United States government crop estimate of August 1, at 9,195,000 bales, which was about 200,000 bales less than had been generally expected. This was followed by a decline ascribed largely to reports of partial relief from drought conditions, the uncertainty regarding loans to cotton farmers, and lower export demand. Domestic consumption was also curtailed by the prospects of a general strike in the textile industry but prices were steadied somewhat by continued buying on the part of the Federal government for relief purposes. World visible supplies of American cotton fell from 5,273,000 bales on August 3 to 5,113,000 bales on the 31. Forwardings to mills of the world declined from 720,000 bales for the four weeks ended August 3 to 566,000 bales in the following four week interval.

| <u>Descriptions</u> | | 1933 August Average | 1934 July Average | 1934 August Average |
|---|--|---------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|
| | | ¢ | ¢ | ¢ |
| Raw cotton, upland middling at New York, per lb., (Canadian funds) | | 10.2 | 12.7 | 13.1 |

WOOL: Domestic wool markets were reported quiet throughout August and prices declined still further as dealers liquidated part of their holdings. Although some manufacturers took advantage of lower quotations to replenish stocks, buying in general was on a limited scale.

| <u>Descriptions</u> | | 1933 August 15 | 1934 July 15 | 1934 August 15 |
|--|------|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| | | ¢ | ¢ | ¢ |
| Raw wool, per lb. in quantities of 20,000 lbs. or more f.o.b. Weston. | | | | |
| Eastern, bright, low, medium or $\frac{1}{4}$ blood staple | 16.5 | 16.5 | 15.0 | |

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| <u>Descriptions</u> | 1933 August 15 | 1934 July 15 | 1934 August 15 |
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| • • stern, range, semi-bright, fine, medium or $\frac{1}{2}$ blood staple | 19.5 | 18.0 | 16.0 |
|--|------|------|------|

SILK: The decline in raw silk prices in the New York market was ascribed principally to reports of large stocks on hand together with curtailed activity on the part of broadsilk mills in the United States. Imports into the United States during July averaged about 26 p.c. higher than in June and amounted to 39,241 bales.

| <u>Descriptions</u> | 1934 July 15 | 1934 August 15 |
|--|-----------------|-------------------|
| Raw silk, per pound, New York basis | \$ | \$ |
| 13-15 deniers 85 p.c. special grand XX | 1.41 | 1.36 |
| 20-22 deniers 85 p.c. special grand XX | 1.23 | 1.19 |

LUMBER AND TIMBER: Market conditions remained about the same as in the previous month. In the east, little export business was reported as both demand and prices continued low. In western sections, rail shipments showed some improvement and the volume of exports was fairly well maintained due in part to increased shipments of British Columbia lumber to the Orient during the tie up of shipping facilities on the United States west coast. Exports of boards and planks advanced from 123,750 M bd.ft. in June to 140,000 M bd.ft. in July.

| <u>Descriptions</u> | 1933 August 15 | 1934 July 15 | 1934 August 15 |
|--|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Fir, No.1 common, 3" x 4" to 4"x 12", 12' - 40' per M bd.ft. f.o.b. mill | 15.00 | 19.00 | 18.00 |
| Cedar boards, No.1 common, 1" x 8" - 10" per M bd.ft. f.o.b. mill | 14.00 | 16.00 | 15.00 |

IRON AND STEEL: Only minor price changes were recorded amongst iron and steel products. The volume of business was fairly well maintained in nearly all lines except construction and railways. Orders for small spot tonnages predominated.

| <u>Descriptions</u> | 1933 August 15 | 1934 July 15 | 1934 August 15 |
|--|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Scrap, machinery, cast iron, per net ton delivered at Canadian foundry - | \$ | \$ | \$ |
| No.1 | 8.00 | 10.00 | 9.50 |
| No.2 | 6.00 | 7.00 | 6.50 |

COPPER: No change was reported in the price situation in the United States market and copper was quoted at 9¢ per pound, delivered Connecticut Valley basis, throughout August. Sales in the United States were said to be of small proportions, and it was estimated that consumers had sufficient supplies purchased to meet requirements till mid October. World visible supplies of refined metal were calculated at 496,700 tons at the end of July. This was about 5,400 tons less than stocks at the end of June.

Quotations in European markets advanced during the early part of the month, but declined latterly influenced by keen competition and reports of more severe German import regulations. The official closing buyers' price of electrolytic copper at London on August 15, was 6.99¢ (Canadian funds) per pound.

BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS - 1933-100

See page 8 for these data on the base 1926-100

1933 1934

| | Aug. | Feb. | Mar. | Apr. | May | June | July | Aug. |
|-------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Building and Construction Materials | 120.4 | 125.5 | 125.5 | 126.7 | 127.0 | 128.2 | 127.0 | 126.5 |
| Lumber | 110.9 | 112.9 | 113.2 | 114.5 | 114.9 | 117.5 | 116.0 | 115.1 |
| Painters' Materials | 124.3 | 134.4 | 134.4 | 139.2 | 139.9 | 139.7 | 139.0 | 138.1 |
| Miscellaneous | 132.4 | 156.2 | 135.9 | 136.1 | 136.3 | 136.3 | 135.4 | 135.4 |



SUMMARY TABLES OF INDEX NUMBERS
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(Indexes for 1934 are subject to final revision)

| | No. of Price Series | Aug. 1933 | Yearly Average 1933 | June 1934 | July 1934 | Aug. 1934 |
|---|----------------------------------|--------------|---------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Total Index 567 Commodities | 567 | 69.5 | 67.1 | 72.1 | 72.0 | 72.3 |
| INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMODITIES | | | | | | |
| CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO THEIR CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIALS | | | | | | |
| I. Vegetable Products (grains, fruits, etc.) | 135 | 65.9 | 59.3 | 67.4 | 68.5 | 69.9 |
| II. Animals and Their Products | 76 | 59.7 | 59.4 | 66.6 | 65.6 | 65.6 |
| III. Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products | 85 | 71.2 | 69.7 | 74.7 | 73.9 | 73.6 |
| IV. Wood, Wood Products and Paper | 49 | 63.2 | 62.8 | 66.3 | 65.8 | 65.5 |
| V. Iron and Its Products | 44 | 85.4 | 85.4 | 87.5 | 87.1 | 87.0 |
| VI. Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products | 18 | 68.0 | 64.3 | 64.1 | 63.2 | 63.0 |
| VII. Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products | 83 | 83.3 | 84.4 | 85.6 | 86.1 | 86.1 |
| VIII. Chemicals and Allied Products | 77 | 81.6 | 81.3 | 82.0 | 81.8 | 81.7 |
| INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMODITIES | | | | | | |
| CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE | | | | | | |
| I. Consumers' Goods | 236 | 72.1 | 71.1 | 74.3 | 73.9 | 73.9 |
| Foods, Beverages and Tobacco | 126 | 66.6 | 63.8 | 69.5 | 69.2 | 68.9 |
| Other Consumers' Goods | 110 | 75.9 | 76.0 | 77.5 | 77.0 | 77.2 |
| II. Producers' Goods | 402 | 66.8 | 63.1 | 69.0 | 69.3 | 70.1 |
| Producers' Equipment | 24 | 84.9 | 86.0 | 89.2 | 89.6 | 89.6 |
| Producers' Materials | 378 | 64.8 | 60.5 | 66.7 | 67.0 | 67.9 |
| Building & Construction Materials | 111 | 80.7 | 78.3 | 84.1 | 83.3 | 83.0 |
| Manufacturers' Materials | 267 | 62.1 | 57.5 | 63.7 | 64.2 | 65.3 |
| INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMODITIES | | | | | | |
| CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN | | | | | | |
| Total Raw and Partly Manufactured | 245 | 60.9 | 56.6 | 64.5 | 64.7 | 65.3 |
| Total Fully and Chiefly Manufactured | 322 | 71.7 | 70.2 | 73.1 | 73.2 | 73.6 |
| I. Articles of Farm Origin (Domestic and Foreign) | | | | | | |
| A. Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.) | | | | | | |
| (a) Raw and partly manufactured | 95 | 53.5 | 45.3 | 56.3 | 58.1 | 60.1 |
| (b) Fully and chiefly manufactured | 91 | 75.0 | 71.2 | 73.1 | 73.9 | 74.4 |
| (c) Total | 186 | 65.1 | 59.3 | 65.3 | 66.6 | 67.8 |
| B. Animal | | | | | | |
| (a) Raw and partly manufactured | 46 | 59.9 | 59.0 | 65.3 | 63.2 | 61.8 |
| (b) Fully and chiefly manufactured | 59 | 63.3 | 62.5 | 69.9 | 69.3 | 70.5 |
| (c) Total | 105 | 61.8 | 61.0 | 67.9 | 66.7 | 66.7 |
| C. Canadian Farm Products | | | | | | |
| (1) Field (grains, etc.) | 52 | 55.1 | 45.8 | 55.5 | 57.8 | 60.7 |
| (2) Animal | 18 | 60.6 | 59.6 | 65.6 | 63.7 | 63.1 |
| (3) Total | 70 | 57.2 | 51.0 | 59.3 | 60.0 | 61.6 |
| II. Articles of Marine Origin | | | | | | |
| (a) Raw and partly manufactured | 5 | 59.2 | 56.2 | 58.7 | 54.3 | 60.4 |
| (b) Fully and chiefly manufactured | 11 | 67.7 | 65.4 | 73.0 | 74.2 | 74.5 |
| (c) Total | 16 | 65.4 | 62.9 | 69.1 | 68.8 | 70.7 |
| III. Articles of Forest Origin | | | | | | |
| (a) Raw and partly manufactured | 37 | 72.8 | 69.7 | 78.1 | 77.2 | 76.5 |
| (b) Fully and chiefly manufactured | 20 | 55.3 | 57.2 | 56.4 | 56.0 | 56.0 |
| (c) Total | 57 | 63.5 | 63.0 | 66.5 | 65.9 | 65.6 |
| IV. Articles of Mineral Origin | | | | | | |
| (a) Raw and partly manufactured | 62 | 75.0 | 75.6 | 77.3 | 77.5 | 77.4 |
| (b) Fully and chiefly manufactured | 141 | 84.7 | 84.6 | 86.0 | 85.9 | 85.7 |
| (c) Total | 203 | 80.4 | 80.6 | 82.1 | 82.1 | 82.0 |

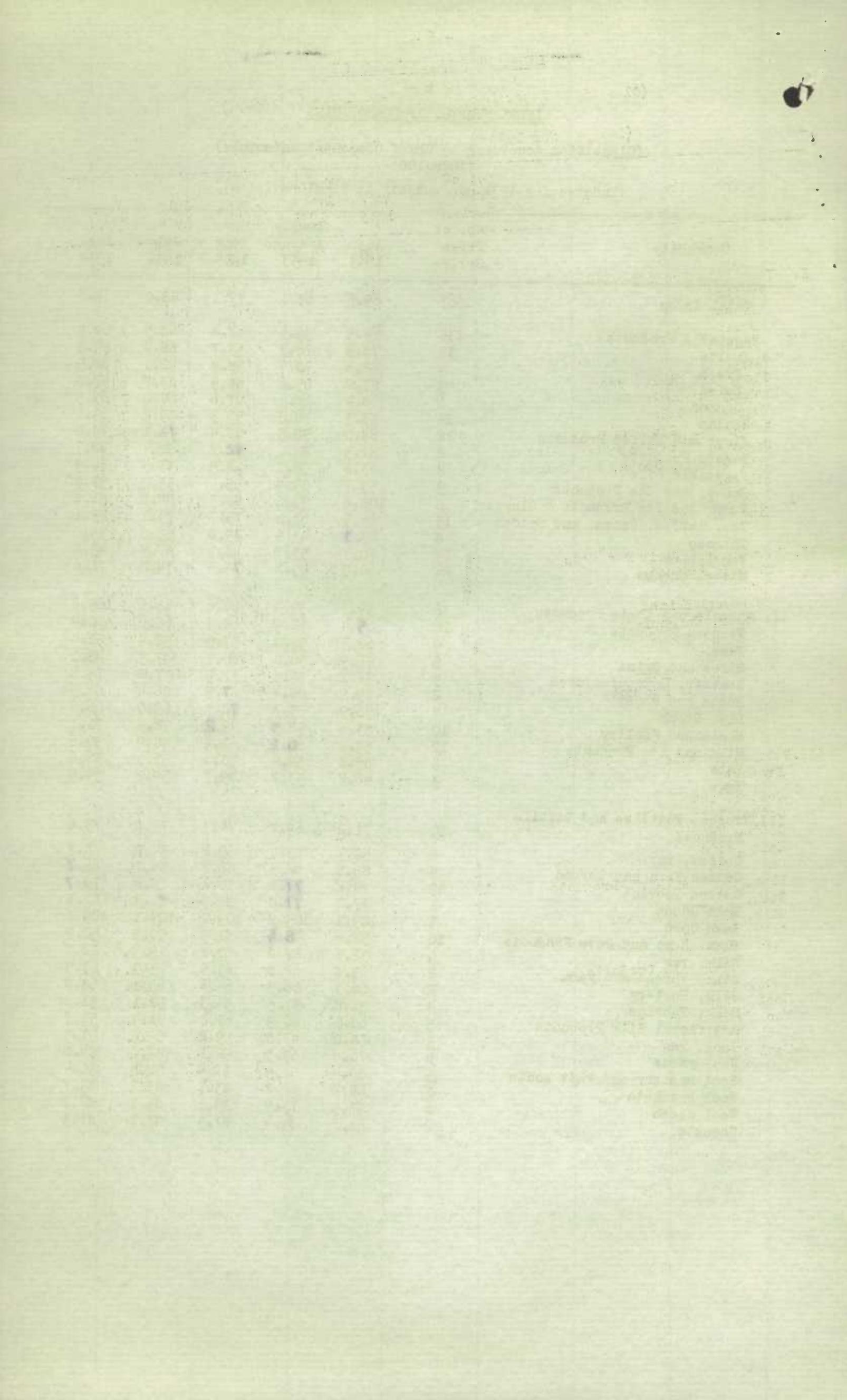


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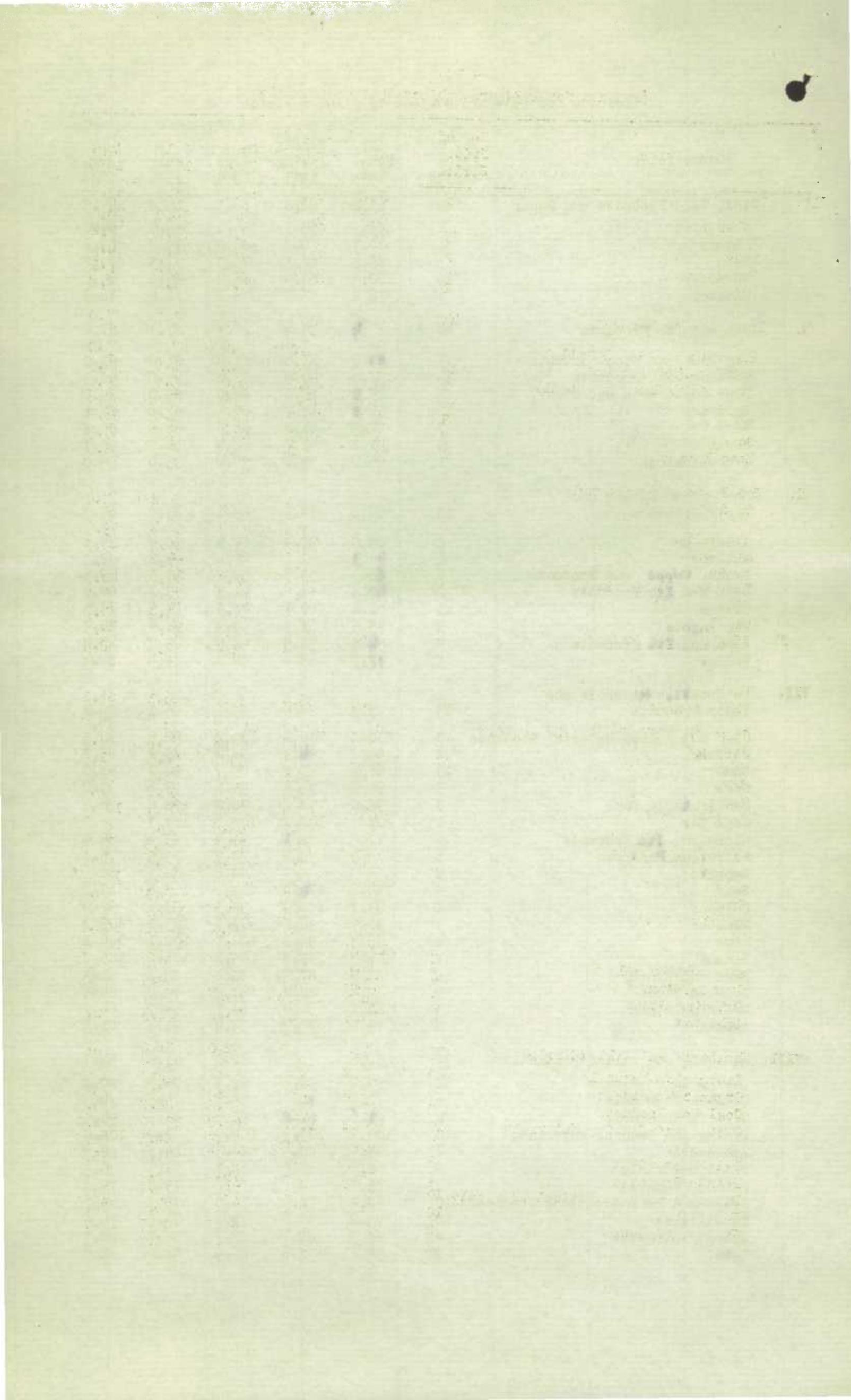
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| Commodity | No. of Price Series | Aug. 1933 | Yearly Average 1933 | June 1934 | July 1934 | Aug. 1934 |
|--|---------------------------|--------------|---------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Total Index | 567 | 69.5 | 67.1 | 72.1 | 72.0 | 72.3 |
| I. Vegetable Products | 135 | 65.9 | 59.3 | 67.4 | 68.5 | 69.9 |
| Fruits | 15 | 78.9 | 76.7 | 93.7 | 88.4 | 85.8 |
| Fresh | 4 | 82.6 | 78.7 | 98.9 | 92.1 | 88.5 |
| Dried | 5 | 87.2 | 85.6 | 88.9 | 87.8 | 87.3 |
| Canned | 6 | 68.4 | 68.7 | 67.6 | 67.0 | 67.5 |
| Grains | 23 | 53.3 | 44.3 | 56.3 | 59.2 | 63.1 |
| Flour and Milled Products | 12 | 64.0 | 58.3 | 68.4 | 71.1 | 73.0 |
| Bakery Products | 2 | 81.5 | 81.7 | 82.7 | 82.7 | 82.7 |
| Vegetable Oils | 8 | 63.8 | 56.1 | 54.5 | 53.4 | 54.9 |
| Rubber and Its Products | 9 | 53.7 | 53.4 | 55.5 | 55.9 | 57.5 |
| Sugar and Its Products & Glucose | 8 | 108.6 | 97.8 | 88.3 | 88.2 | 86.5 |
| Tea, Coffee, Cocoa, and Spices | 15 | 65.5 | 63.6 | 73.1 | 73.1 | 73.1 |
| Tobacco | 8 | 43.1 | 43.4 | 39.0 | 39.0 | 39.0 |
| Vegetables | 13 | 70.7 | 53.7 | 48.7 | 47.2 | 43.4 |
| Miscellaneous | 22 | 60.5 | 59.2 | 75.5 | 74.0 | 71.6 |
| II. Animals and Their Products | 76 | 59.7 | 59.4 | 66.6 | 65.6 | 65.6 |
| Fishery Products | 16 | 65.4 | 62.9 | 68.9 | 68.6 | 70.4 |
| Furs | 9 | 62.3 | 55.7 | 57.0 | 52.4 | 52.4 |
| Hides and Skins | 6 | 86.9 | 56.4 | 60.1 | 47.3 | 48.1 |
| Leather, Unmanufactured | 9 | 86.1 | 79.3 | 77.5 | 77.5 | 75.4 |
| Boots and Shoes | 2 | 89.9 | 89.4 | 87.5 | 86.4 | 86.5 |
| Live Stock | 4 | 56.9 | 55.3 | 72.7 | 69.0 | 66.6 |
| Meats and Poultry | 10 | 53.6 | 52.5 | 72.2 | 72.8 | 71.1 |
| Milk and Its Products | 12 | 58.8 | 60.2 | 61.9 | 58.9 | 59.6 |
| Fats | 5 | 55.8 | 54.4 | 50.4 | 51.1 | 56.6 |
| Eggs | 3 | 46.2 | 53.2 | 49.7 | 54.2 | 54.5 |
| III. Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products | 85 | 71.2 | 69.7 | 74.7 | 73.9 | 73.6 |
| Cotton, raw | 2 | 58.3 | 53.7 | 59.2 | 74.0 | 73.7 |
| Cotton Yarn and Thread | 5 | 86.6 | 82.3 | 85.1 | 86.1 | 86.2 |
| Cotton Fabrics | 19 | 78.2 | 77.6 | 78.6 | 78.6 | 78.7 |
| Knit Goods | 3 | 77.8 | 77.8 | 81.3 | 81.3 | 81.3 |
| Sash Cord | 1 | 109.1 | 105.2 | 109.1 | 109.1 | 109.1 |
| Flax, Hemp and Jute Products | 10 | 52.0 | 48.4 | 51.5 | 50.9 | 50.7 |
| Silk, raw | 9 | 32.6 | 28.2 | 20.1 | 19.3 | 18.7 |
| Silk, thread and yarn | 2 | 63.9 | 62.8 | 63.9 | 63.9 | 63.9 |
| Silk, Hosiery | 2 | 66.3 | 66.5 | 65.6 | 65.6 | 65.9 |
| Silk, Fabrics | 4 | 51.8 | 51.5 | 51.3 | 51.3 | 51.3 |
| Artificial Silk Products | 5 | 60.1 | 60.9 | 61.0 | 51.7 | 51.7 |
| Wool, raw | 3 | 58.0 | 47.0 | 59.2 | 55.5 | 51.5 |
| Wool yarns | 6 | 70.6 | 69.3 | 92.2 | 87.0 | 84.0 |
| Wool hosiery and knit goods | 5 | 80.4 | 81.5 | 91.4 | 91.4 | 91.4 |
| Wool blankets | 1 | 68.4 | 67.7 | 83.7 | 83.7 | 83.7 |
| Wool cloth | 6 | 77.5 | 73.9 | 89.1 | 84.1 | 82.7 |
| Carpets | 2 | 81.7 | 85.4 | 87.3 | 87.3 | 87.3 |



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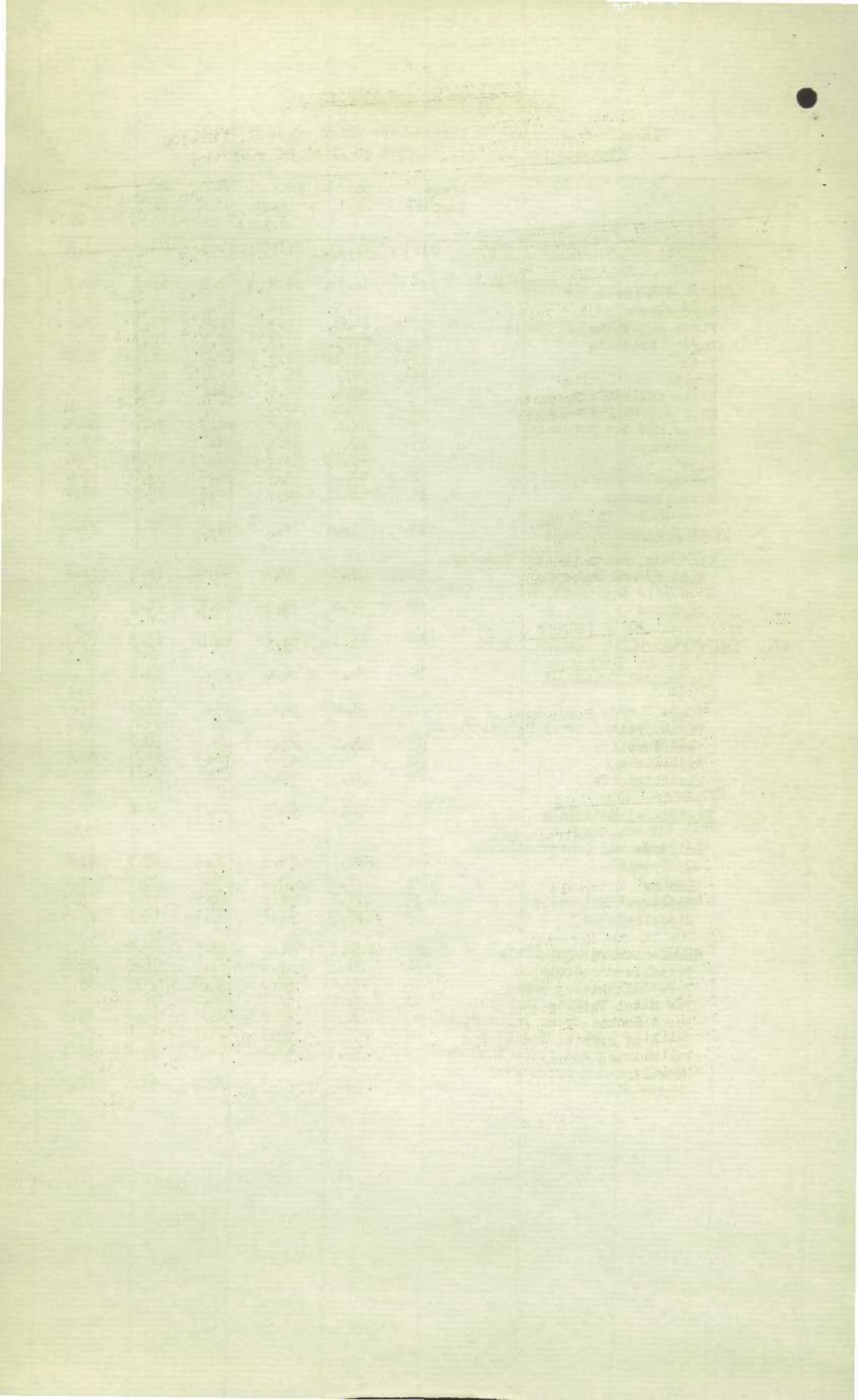
| Commodities | No. of Series | Yearly Average | | | | Aug. 1934 |
|---|------------------|-------------------|-------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | | Aug. 1933 | 1933 | June 1934 | July 1934 | |
| IV. Wood, Wood Products and Paper | 49 | 63.2 | 62.8 | 66.3 | 65.8 | 65.5 |
| Newsprint | 2 | 53.3 | 55.3 | 54.0 | 54.0 | 54.0 |
| Lumber | 33 | 74.7 | 70.8 | 80.3 | 79.8 | 79.2 |
| Pulp | 5 | 63.5 | 67.3 | 71.3 | 71.3 | 70.2 |
| Furniture | 10 | 62.5 | 65.9 | 66.4 | 65.1 | 65.1 |
| Matches | 1 | 76.2 | 75.2 | 76.2 | 76.2 | 76.2 |
| V. Iron and Its Products | 44 | 85.4 | 85.4 | 87.5 | 87.1 | 87.0 |
| Pig Iron and Steel Billets | 3 | 81.7 | 83.0 | 83.0 | 83.0 | 83.0 |
| Rolling Mill Products | 14 | 91.0 | 90.9 | 91.1 | 91.0 | 90.9 |
| Pipe (Cast Iron and Steel) | 2 | 89.0 | 89.0 | 89.0 | 89.0 | 89.0 |
| Hardware | 16 | 86.8 | 86.7 | 87.4 | 87.6 | 87.6 |
| Wire | 5 | 81.5 | 81.8 | 86.5 | 86.3 | 86.8 |
| Scrap | 5 | 41.2 | 40.7 | 61.4 | 56.5 | 55.3 |
| Miscellaneous | 1 | 95.0 | 95.0 | 95.0 | 95.0 | 95.0 |
| VI. Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products | 16 | 66.0 | 64.3 | 64.1 | 63.2 | 63.0 |
| Aluminium | 2 | 89.8 | 92.4 | 80.4 | 80.4 | 79.6 |
| Antimony | 1 | 44.3 | 41.1 | 45.2 | 45.8 | 49.3 |
| Brass, Copper and Products | 6 | 65.4 | 53.3 | 59.8 | 57.3 | 55.6 |
| Lead and Its Products | 2 | 48.4 | 46.2 | 41.5 | 40.7 | 40.9 |
| Silver | 1 | 61.8 | 60.7 | 72.3 | 73.9 | 77.3 |
| Tin Ingots | 2 | 75.5 | 63.3 | 79.9 | 81.4 | 80.3 |
| Zinc and Its Products | 2 | 54.5 | 52.9 | 55.5 | 43.7 | 43.4 |
| Solder | 1 | 77.2 | 65.4 | 82.4 | 82.4 | 82.4 |
| VII. Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products | 83 | 83.3 | 84.4 | 85.6 | 86.1 | 86.1 |
| Clay and Allied Material Products | 10 | 100.6 | 100.2 | 100.2 | 92.5 | 92.5 |
| Pottery | 2 | 86.7 | 84.2 | 88.2 | 88.2 | 88.2 |
| Coal | 13 | 85.4 | 87.5 | 89.7 | 90.7 | 91.0 |
| Coke | 5 | 94.0 | 94.2 | 93.6 | 93.6 | 93.2 |
| Manufactured Gas | 3 | 98.0 | 98.0 | 98.0 | 98.0 | 98.0 |
| Coal Tar | 1 | 107.7 | 107.7 | 107.7 | 107.7 | 107.7 |
| Glass and Its Products | 6 | 77.5 | 75.1 | 83.4 | 83.4 | 83.4 |
| Petroleum Products | 6 | 74.0 | 74.8 | 75.5 | 75.5 | 75.0 |
| Asphalt | 2 | - | - | 88.6 | 88.6 | 88.6 |
| Salt | 4 | 114.6 | 114.4 | 113.6 | 113.6 | 113.6 |
| Sulphur | 1 | 97.7 | 100.9 | 93.3 | 93.1 | 92.0 |
| Plaster | 3 | 98.9 | 98.1 | 103.1 | 103.1 | 103.1 |
| Lime | 4 | 96.5 | 94.8 | 102.1 | 102.1 | 102.1 |
| Cement | 1 | 105.5 | 105.5 | 105.2 | 105.2 | 105.2 |
| Sand and Gravel | 8 | 88.5 | 87.3 | 88.8 | 88.8 | 91.4 |
| Crushed Stone | 3 | 71.4 | 75.2 | 80.5 | 84.3 | 84.8 |
| Building Stone | 3 | 64.7 | 54.4 | 64.7 | 64.7 | 64.7 |
| Asbestos | 8 | 73.5 | 72.7 | 73.8 | 81.3 | 81.3 |
| VIII. Chemicals and Allied Products | 77 | 81.6 | 81.3 | 82.0 | 81.8 | 81.7 |
| Inorganic Chemicals | 22 | 90.2 | 90.2 | 89.5 | 89.4 | 89.2 |
| Organic Chemicals | 6 | 72.9 | 72.7 | 74.5 | 74.5 | 74.5 |
| Coal Tar Products | 2 | 91.6 | 92.2 | 90.5 | 88.2 | 90.5 |
| Dyeing and Tanning Materials | 10 | 105.2 | 103.5 | 108.0 | 108.0 | 108.0 |
| Explosives | 2 | 85.9 | 85.9 | 84.3 | 84.3 | 82.7 |
| Paint Materials | 9 | 68.3 | 68.6 | 71.7 | 71.3 | 70.9 |
| Paints Prepared | 2 | 75.2 | - | 79.8 | 79.8 | 79.8 |
| Drugs and Pharmaceutical Chemicals | 10 | 74.2 | 72.9 | 76.0 | 75.7 | 75.7 |
| Fertilizers | 10 | 75.8 | 73.8 | 75.4 | 74.6 | 74.6 |
| Industrial Gases | 2 | 88.7 | 83.7 | 83.7 | 83.7 | 88.7 |
| Soap | 2 | 92.6 | 92.6 | 88.9 | 88.9 | 88.9 |



INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMODITIES

Classified According to Purpose for which used, 1926=100
(Indexes for 1934 are subject to final revision)

| | Price Series | Aug. 1933 | Yearly Average 1933 | June 1934 | July 1934 | Aug. 1934 |
|--|--------------|-----------|---------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| I. <u>CONSUMERS' GOODS (GROUPS A & B)</u> | 236 | 72.1 | 71.1 | 74.3 | 73.9 | 73.9 |
| A. <u>Foods, Beverages and Tobacco</u> | 126 | 66.6 | 63.8 | 69.5 | 69.2 | 68.9 |
| Beverages | 9 | 67.8 | 66.6 | 76.3 | 76.3 | 76.3 |
| Flour and Milled Products | 12 | 64.0 | 58.3 | 68.4 | 71.1 | 73.0 |
| Bakery Products | 2 | 81.5 | 81.7 | 82.7 | 82.7 | 82.7 |
| Fish | 16 | 65.4 | 62.9 | 68.9 | 68.6 | 70.4 |
| Fruits | 15 | 78.9 | 76.7 | 93.7 | 88.4 | 85.8 |
| Meats and Poultry | 10 | 53.6 | 52.5 | 72.2 | 72.8 | 71.1 |
| Milk and Milk Products | 12 | 58.8 | 60.2 | 61.9 | 58.9 | 59.6 |
| Sugar and Its Products | 8 | 108.6 | 97.8 | 88.3 | 88.2 | 86.5 |
| Vegetables | 13 | 70.7 | 53.7 | 48.7 | 47.2 | 43.4 |
| Eggs | 3 | 46.2 | 53.2 | 49.7 | 54.2 | 54.5 |
| Tobacco | 8 | 43.1 | 43.4 | 39.0 | 39.0 | 39.0 |
| Miscellaneous | 18 | 62.7 | 60.4 | 56.8 | 56.5 | 59.6 |
| B. <u>Other Consumers' Goods</u> | 110 | 75.9 | 76.0 | 77.5 | 77.0 | 77.2 |
| Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Rubbers, Hosiery and Underwear | 52 | 77.0 | 76.2 | 79.2 | 78.0 | 77.8 |
| Household Equipment and Supplies | 58 | 75.0 | 75.9 | 76.2 | 76.3 | 76.8 |
| II. <u>PRODUCERS' GOODS (GROUPS C & D)</u> | 402 | 66.8 | 63.1 | 69.0 | 69.3 | 70.1 |
| C. <u>Producers' Equipment</u> | 24 | 84.9 | 86.0 | 89.2 | 89.6 | 89.6 |
| Tools | 3 | 82.8 | 82.7 | 86.0 | 87.0 | 87.0 |
| Light, Heat & Power Equipment and Supplies | 17 | 85.0 | 86.1 | 89.5 | 90.0 | 90.0 |
| Explosives | 2 | - | 85.9 | 84.3 | 84.3 | 82.7 |
| Miscellaneous | 2 | 83.9 | 83.4 | 84.5 | 84.5 | 84.5 |
| D. <u>Producers' Materials</u> | 378 | 64.8 | 60.5 | 66.7 | 67.0 | 67.9 |
| Building and Construction Materials | 111 | 80.7 | 78.3 | 84.1 | 83.3 | 83.0 |
| Lumber | 33 | 74.7 | 70.8 | 80.8 | 79.8 | 79.2 |
| Painters' Materials | 13 | 71.7 | 66.2 | 76.4 | 76.0 | 75.5 |
| Miscellaneous | 65 | 88.8 | 88.4 | 89.1 | 88.5 | 88.5 |
| Manufacturers' Materials | 267 | 62.1 | 57.5 | 63.7 | 64.2 | 65.3 |
| Textiles and Clothing | 64 | 71.1 | 69.2 | 73.7 | 72.5 | 72.0 |
| Furs and Leather Goods | 24 | 78.0 | 68.0 | 68.0 | 64.7 | 63.7 |
| For Metal Working Industries | 41 | 71.0 | 68.1 | 68.6 | 67.7 | 67.5 |
| For Chemical Using Industries | 43 | 90.0 | 90.0 | 89.8 | 89.7 | 89.5 |
| For Meat Packing Industries | 4 | 56.9 | 55.3 | 72.7 | 69.0 | 66.6 |
| For Milling and Other Industries | 23 | 53.3 | 44.3 | 56.3 | 59.2 | 63.1 |
| Miscellaneous Producers' Materials | 68 | 58.9 | 57.3 | 60.0 | 60.8 | 61.1 |



WHOLESALE PRICES OF IMPORTANT COMMODITIES

| | | Average 1926 | Yearly Average 1933 | June 1934 | July 1934 | Aug. 1934 |
|---|-----------|-----------------|---------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| OATS, No. 2 C.W. | | \$.548 | \$.295 | \$.378 | \$.588 | \$.436 |
| Ft. William and Pt. Arthur basis | Bush. | | | | | |
| WHEAT, No. 1 Men. Northern | Bush. | 1.495 | .610 | .771 | .820 | .860 |
| Ft. William and Pt. Arthur basis | | | | | | |
| FLOUR, First Patent, 2-95's jute | | 8.821 | 5.090 | 5.700 | 5.800 | 6.000 |
| Toronto | | | | | | |
| xSUGAR, raw, 96° Centrifugal, c. & f. | Cwt. | 2.517 | 1.309 | 2.057(a) | 2.027(a) | 1.994(a) |
| New York | | | | | | |
| SUGAR, granulated, | Cwt. | 5.958 | 5.823 | 5.160 | 5.180 | 5.085 |
| Montreal | | | | | | |
| xRUBBER, Ceylon, ribbed, smoked sheets, | Lb. | .488 | .064 | .134 | .144 | .151 |
| f.o.b. New York | | | | | | |
| xRUBBER, Para Upriver, fine, f.o.b. | Lb. | .454 | .086 | .114 | .116 | .114 |
| New York | | | | | | |
| CATTLE, Steers, good over 1050 lbs. | Cwt. | 7.530 | 4.630 | 5.570 | 5.380 | 5.380 |
| Toronto | | | | | | |
| HOGS, Boar, | Cwt. | 13.320 | 5.540 | 9.220 | 9.250 | 8.630 |
| Toronto | | | | | | |
| BEEF HIDES, Hunker hides, native steers | Lb. | .135 | .095 | .090 | .080 | .080 |
| Toronto | | | | | | |
| PACKER CROPS, No. 1 & 11, f.o.b. | Lb. | -- | -- | .300 | .300 | .290 |
| distributing points | | | | | | |
| BOX SIDES B. | Ft. | .263 | .209 | .210 | .210 | .200 |
| Oshawa | | | | | | |
| BUTTER, Creamery, finest prints, | Lb. | .390 | .253 | .229 | .209 | .209 |
| Montreal | | | | | | |
| CHEESE, Canadian, old, large, | Lb. | .227 | .158 | .150 | .150 | .150 |
| Montreal | | | | | | |
| EGGS, Grade "A" Medium | Doz. | -- | -- | .216 | .253 | .261 |
| Montreal | | | | | | |
| COTTON, raw 1" - 1 1/16". | Lb. | .194 | .106 | .136 | .145 | .141 |
| Hamilton | | | | | | |
| COTTON YARNS, 10's white, single | Lb. | .363 | .251 | .300 | .300 | .330 |
| Hosiery cops Mill | | | | | | |
| BLEACHED FLANNELETTE, | | | | | | |
| 4.50 yds., to 1b. f.o.b. works | Lb. | .717 | .475 | .478 | .478 | .478 |
| GINGHAM, dress, 6.50-7.75 yds. to 1b. | Lb. | 1.086 | .975 | .959 | .959 | .959 |
| Montreal | | | | | | |
| SILK, raw, special grand XX 85 p.c. | Lb. | -- | -- | 1.468 | 1.406 | 1.355 |
| New York, 13-15 deniers | | | | | | |
| WOOL, eastern bright, 1/4 blood, domestic | Lb. | .306 | .137 | .175 | .165 | .150 |
| Toronto | | | | | | |
| WOOL, western range, semi-bright 1/2 | Lb. | .316 | .157 | .195 | .180 | .160 |
| blood, domestic, Toronto | | | | | | |
| PULP, groundwood, No. 1 | | | | | | |
| f.o.b. Mill | Ton | 29.670 | 20.428 | 21.500 | 21.030 | 20.436 |
| PIG IRON, Malleable, f.o.b. plant | Gross Ton | 22.830 | 19.000 | 19.000 | 19.000 | 19.000 |
| STEEL, merchant bars, mild, | | | | | | |
| Mill | 100 lbs. | 2.450 | 2.250 | 2.250 | 2.250 | 2.250 |
| COPPER, electrolytic, domestic | Cwt. | 15.767 | 8.684 | 8.579 | 7.989 | 7.641 |
| Montreal | | | | | | |
| LEAD, domestic, f.o.b. carlots | Cwt. | 8.154 | 5.705 | 3.310 | 3.225 | 3.237 |
| Montreal | | | | | | |
| TIN INGOTS, Straits, f.o.b. | Lb. | .669 | .457 | .560 | .573 | .575 |
| Toronto | | | | | | |
| ZINC, domestic, f.o.b. carlots | Cwt. | 8.825 | 4.488 | 4.010 | 3.850 | 3.824 |
| Montreal | | | | | | |
| COAL, Anthracite, Toronto, | | | | | | |
| f.o.b. carlots | Gross Ton | 13.560 | 12.389 | 11.592 | 11.872 | 12.163 |
| COAL, bituminous, N.S. | | | | | | |
| run-of-mine | Ton | 6.083 | 5.250 | 5.250 | 5.250 | 5.250 |
| GASOLINE | | | | | | |
| Toronto | Gal. | .253 | .175 | .155 | .155 | .150 |
| SULPHURIC ACID 66° Decime. | | | | | | |
| Toronto | Net Ton | 14.000 | 16.000 | 16.000 | 16.000 | 16.000 |

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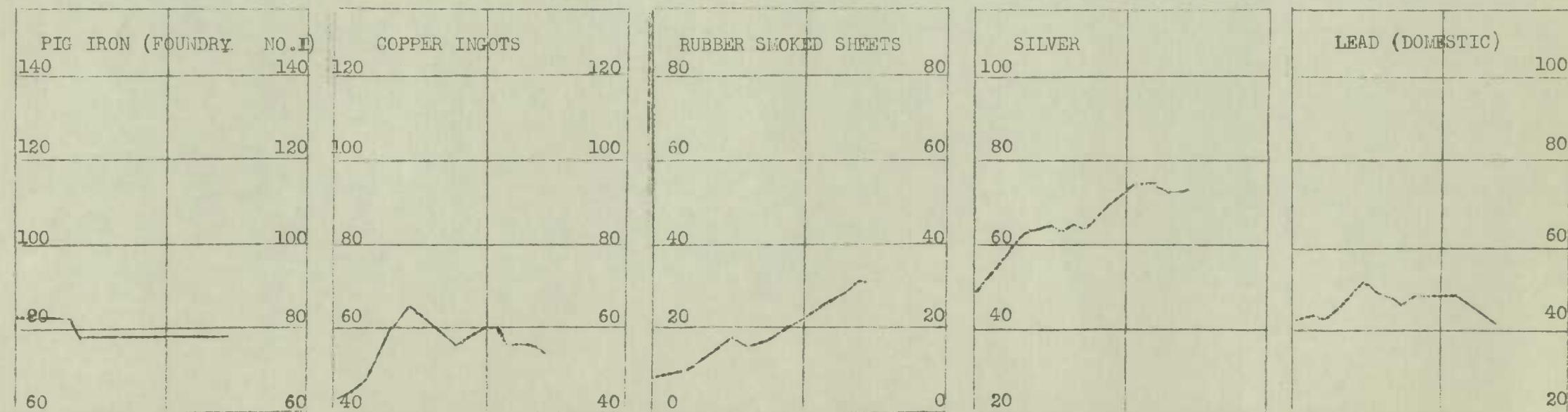
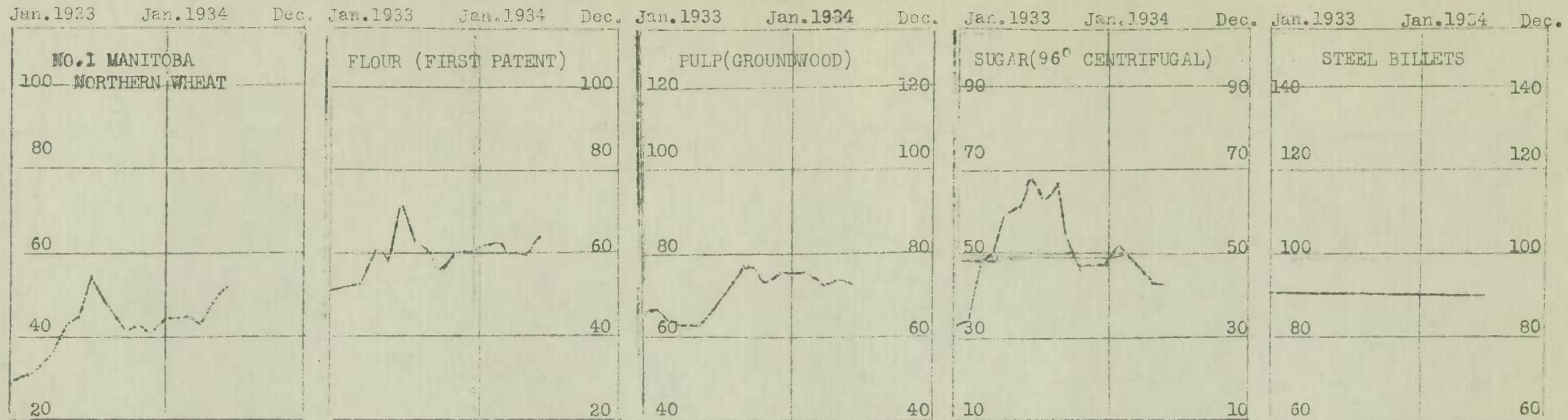
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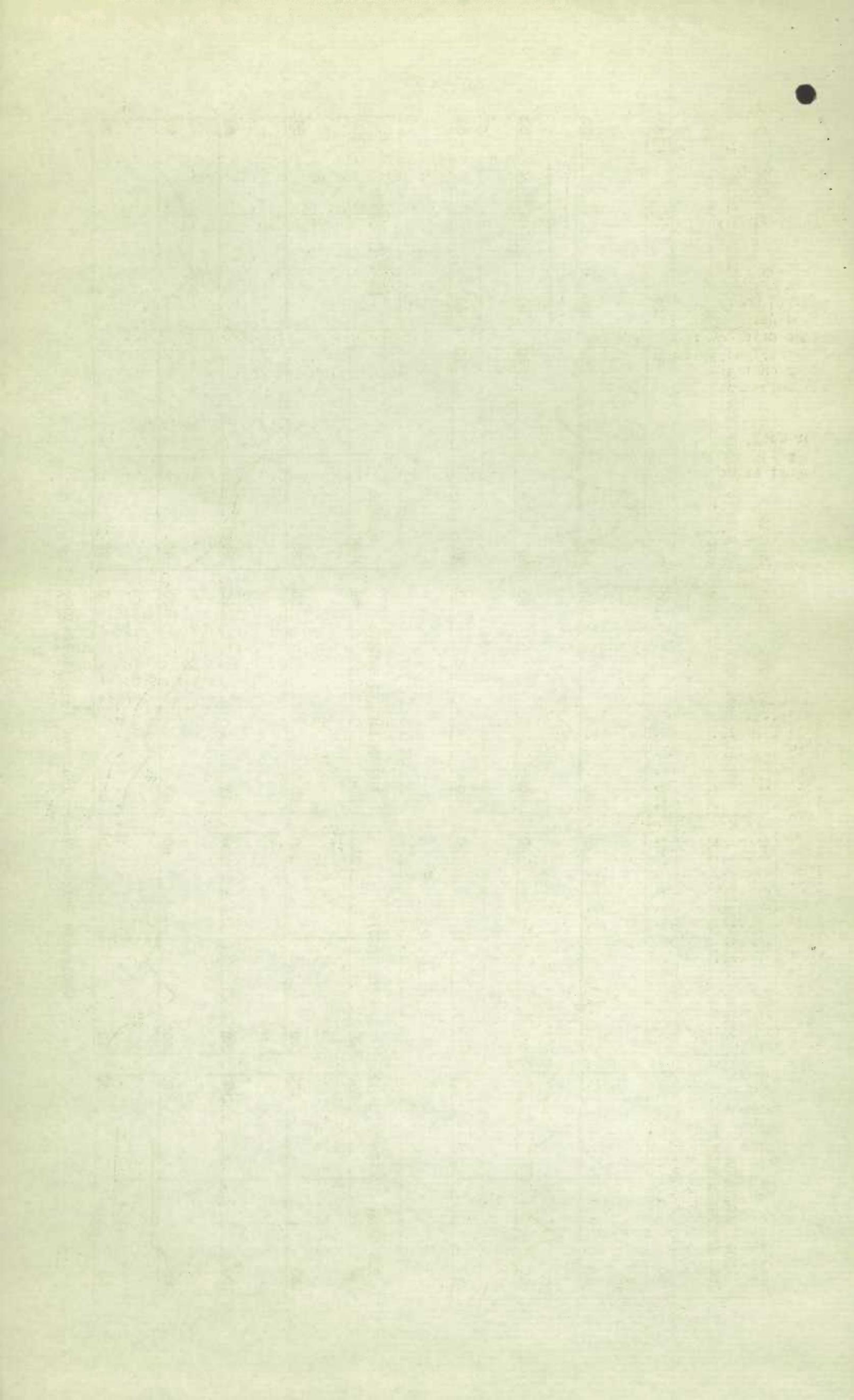
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Wholesale Prices, Years 1933 and 1934 (1926=100)



INDEX NUMBERS OF RETAIL PRICES, RENTS, AND COSTS OF SERVICES IN CANADA, AUGUST, 1934.
(Calculations based on prices for the first of each month)

The index for retail prices, rents, and costs of services rose from 78.4 in July to 78.7 in August, due to increased prices for foods and certain fuels.

An index for retail prices alone was unchanged at 73.2. When foods were removed from this index it was 77.9 for August as compared with 77.8 for July.

For 46 food items the index moved up from 68.4 to 69.3, lower prices for butter, onions and some meats being more than offset by increases for eggs, potatoes, and pork and pork products. Creamery butter averaged 24.1¢ per pound as against 25.1¢ for July. Dairy butter fell from 22.0¢ to 20.8¢ per pound. Onions declined from 6.3¢ to 5.6¢ per pound. Prices of beef and veal were fractionally lower for August. Grade "A" eggs advanced from 24.8¢ to 26.9¢ per dozen, while an average of Grade "B" and Grade "C" variety was 21.1¢ and 22.6¢, respectively, for July and August. Potatoes, with the new crop on the market, rose from 23.1¢ to 25.7¢ per peck. Pork and pork products continued to move upward, increases varying from 0.5¢ per pound for salt pork to 4.1¢ for bacon.

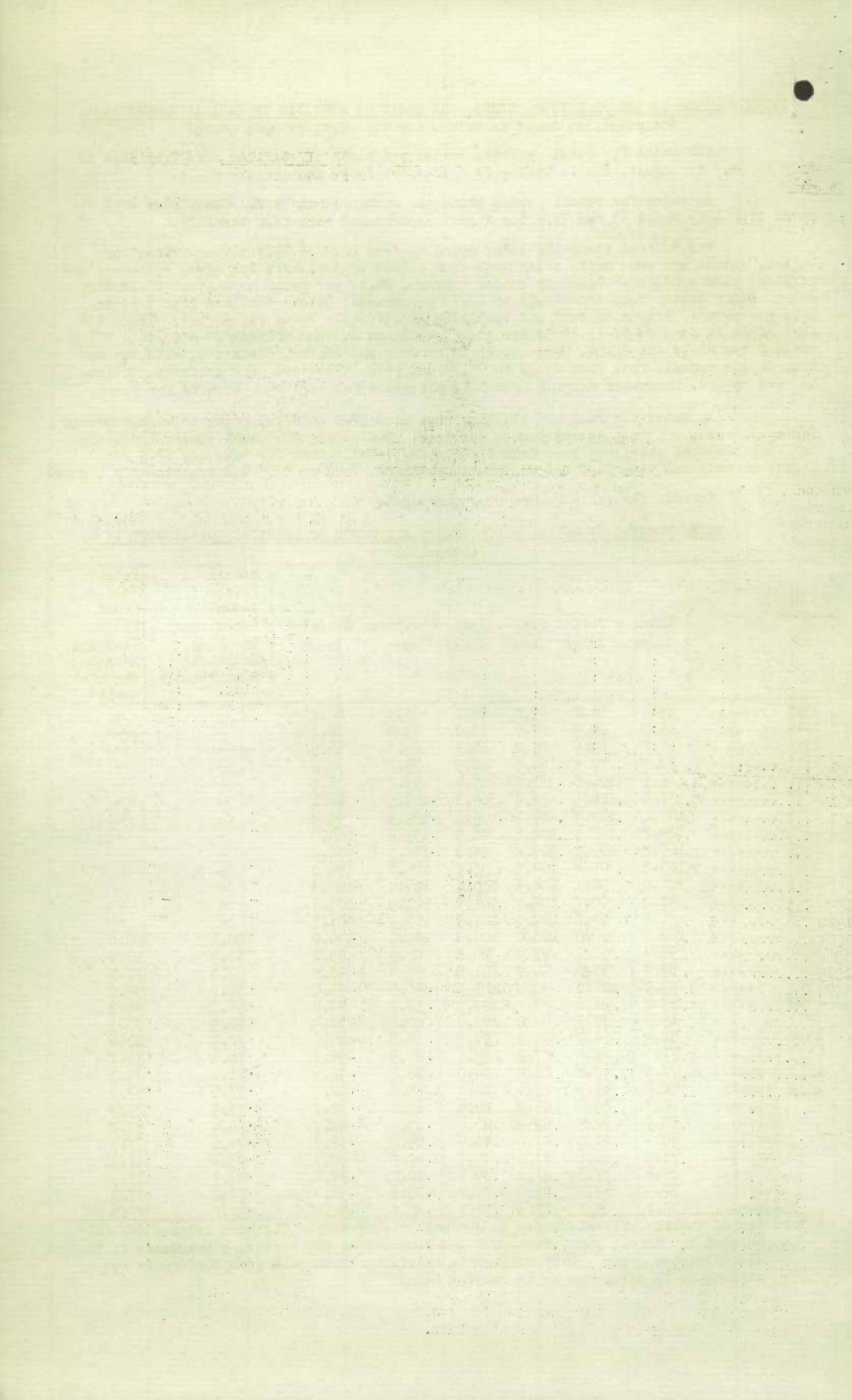
An index for fuel and lighting rose from 87.0 to 87.6, owing to higher prices for coal, coke, and to a lesser degree for wood. Reflecting the usual seasonal advance in price the coal sub-group rose from 87.4 to 88.3, while that for coke was 87.9 for August as compared with 86.8 for the previous month. Wood at 80.5 was fractionally higher.

Indexes for other groups were unchanged.

INDEX NUMBERS OF RETAIL PRICES, RENTS, AND COSTS OF SERVICES, 1913-AUGUST, 1934.
(1926=100)

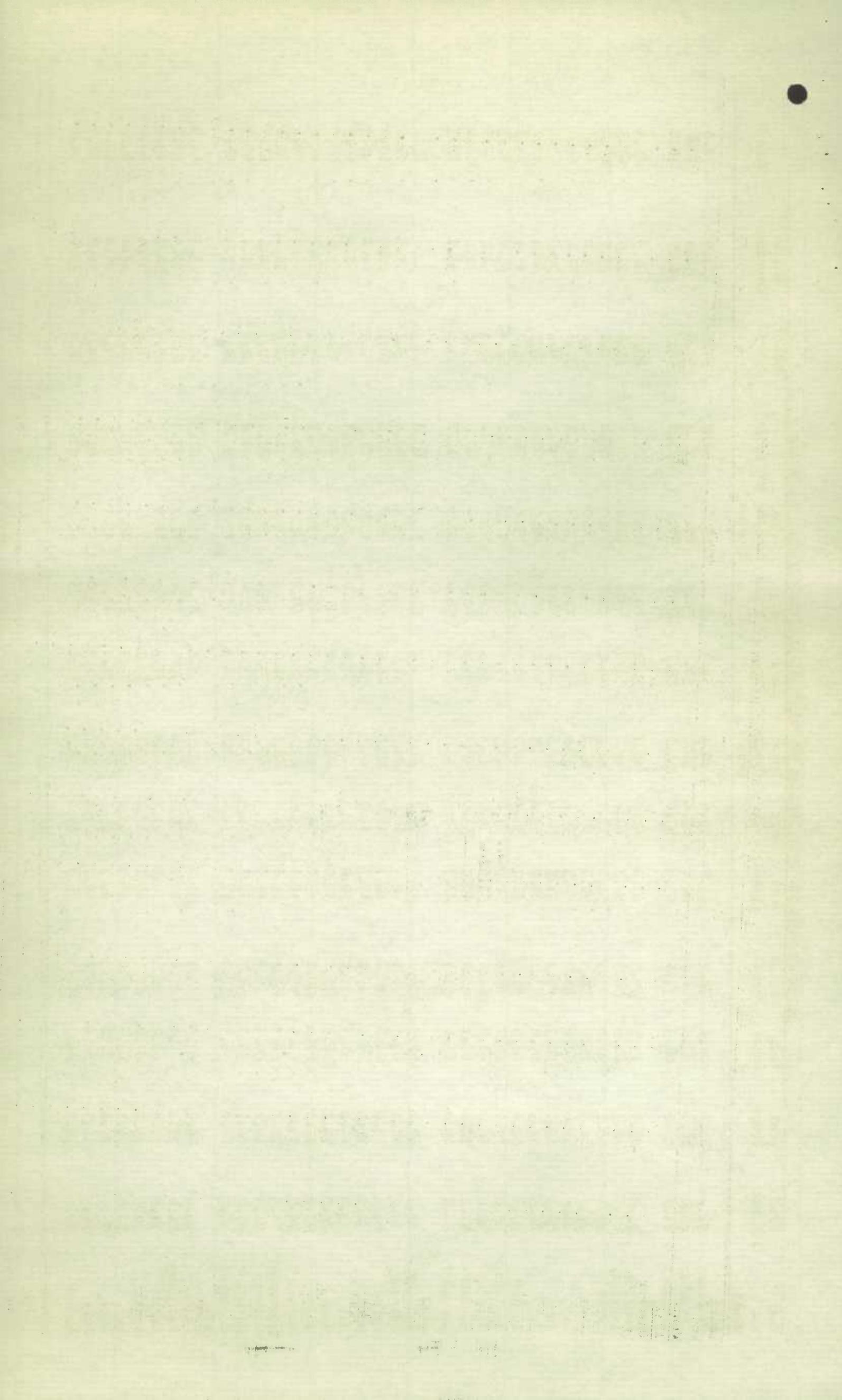
| | Retail Prices | Retail Index | Retail (Foods, Fuel, Clothing, Household Requirements) | Retail Prices | Retail Index | Retail (Fuel, Clothing, Household Requirements) |
|--|------------------|-----------------|--|------------------|-----------------|---|
| : Total : Food : Fuel : Rent: Clothing: Sundries | : | : | : | : | : | : |
| : Index : Index: Index: Index : Index : Index | : | : | : | : | : | : |
| 1913 | 65.4 | 66.2 | 65.8 | 64.1 | 63.3 | 66.2 |
| 1914 | 66.0 | 68.9 | 64.5 | 62.2 | 63.9 | 66.2 |
| 1915 | 67.3 | 69.5 | 63.2 | 60.3 | 69.6 | 66.9 |
| 1916 | 72.5 | 77.5 | 64.5 | 60.9 | 79.7 | 70.2 |
| 1917 | 85.6 | 100.0 | 71.7 | 65.4 | 93.7 | 76.8 |
| 1918 | 97.4 | 114.6 | 78.9 | 69.2 | 109.5 | 86.1 |
| 1919 | 107.2 | 122.5 | 86.2 | 75.6 | 125.9 | 95.4 |
| 1920 | 124.2 | 141.1 | 102.6 | 86.5 | 153.2 | 104.0 |
| 1921 | 109.2 | 107.9 | 109.2 | 94.2 | 124.7 | 106.0 |
| 1922 | 100.0 | 91.4 | 104.6 | 98.1 | 105.7 | 106.0 |
| 1923 | 100.0 | 92.1 | 104.6 | 100.6 | 104.4 | 105.3 |
| 1924 | 98.0 | 90.7 | 102.0 | 101.3 | 101.9 | 103.3 |
| 1925 | 99.3 | 94.7 | 100.0 | 101.3 | 101.9 | 101.3 |
| 1926 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| 1927 | 98.4 | 98.1 | 97.9 | 98.8 | 97.5 | 99.1 |
| 1928 | 98.9 | 98.6 | 96.9 | 101.2 | 97.4 | 98.8 |
| 1929 | 99.9 | 101.0 | 96.4 | 103.3 | 96.9 | 99.0 |
| 1930 | 99.2 | 98.6 | 95.7 | 105.9 | 93.9 | 99.4 |
| 1931 | 89.6 | 77.3 | 94.2 | 103.0 | 82.2 | 97.4 |
| 1932 | 81.4 | 64.3 | 91.4 | 94.7 | 72.8 | 94.6 |
| 1933 | 77.7 | 63.7 | 87.7 | 85.1 | 67.9 | 92.7 |
| 1933 August.. | 78.3 | 67.8 | 86.4 | 84.0 | 66.1 | 92.6 |
| 1934 January. | 78.2 | 67.7 | 87.4 | 80.4 | 69.2 | 92.7 |
| February | 78.7 | 69.4 | 87.2 | 80.4 | 69.2 | 92.7 |
| March .. | 79.9 | 72.9 | 87.4 | 80.4 | 69.9 | 92.9 |
| April .. | 79.4 | 71.0 | 87.8 | 80.4 | 69.9 | 92.9 |
| May | 78.5 | 68.6 | 87.8 | 79.7 | 69.9 | 92.7 |
| June ... | 78.2 | 67.6 | 87.2 | 79.7 | 70.1 | 92.7 |
| July ... | 78.4 | 68.4 | 87.0 | 79.7 | 70.1 | 92.7 |
| August.. | 78.7 | 69.3 | 87.6 | 79.7 | 70.1 | 92.7 |
| | | | | | | 73.2 |
| | | | | | | 77.9 |

N.B. - Rental indexes are calculated in May and October only. Clothing indexes are calculated for March, June, September and December as are certain sub-indexes in the Miscellaneous group. Difficulties in obtaining these data promptly, cause revisions to be often one or two months late.



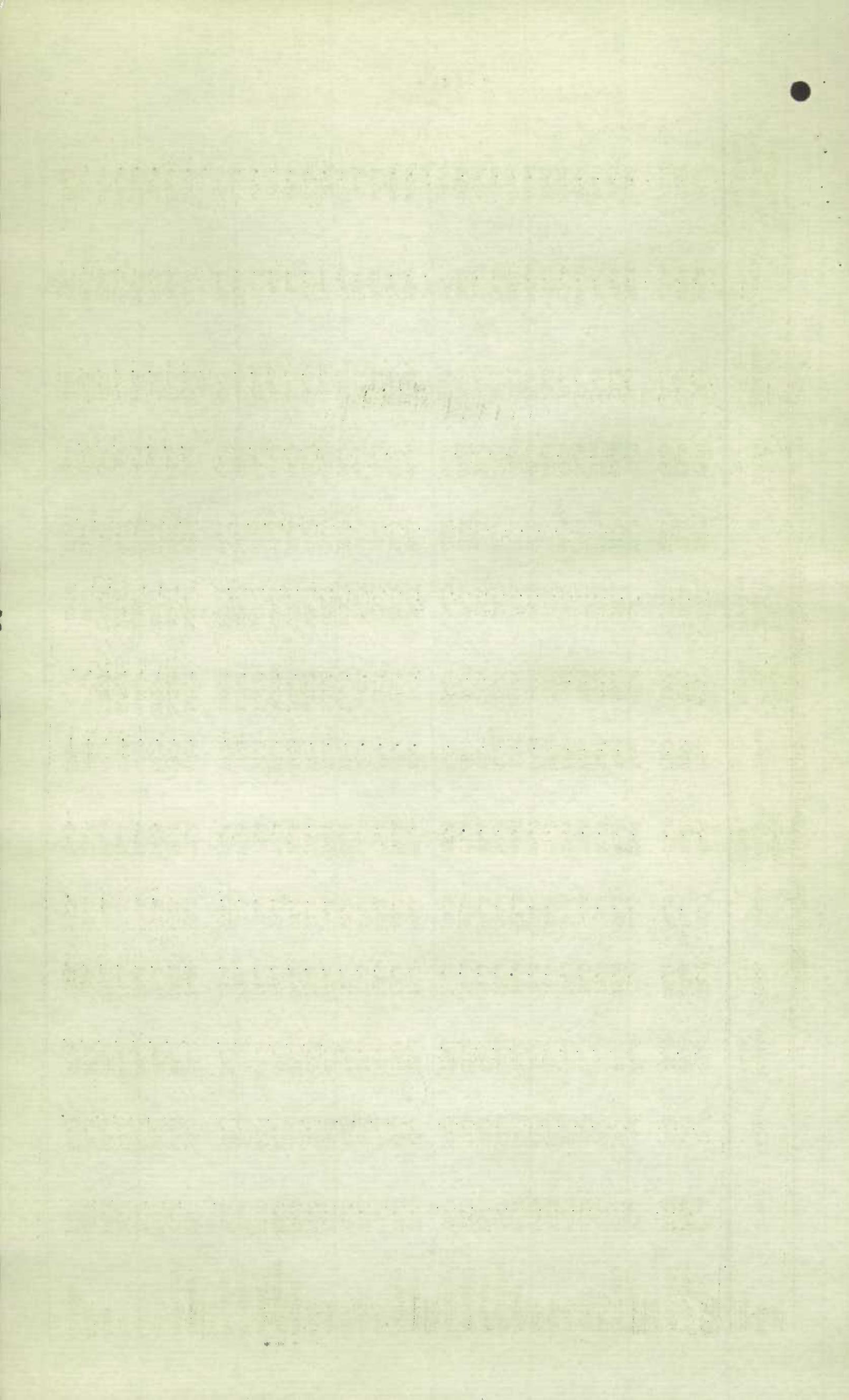
INDEX NUMBERS OF RETAIL PRICES OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD IN CANADA

| Year and Month | Beef Sirloin | Beef Chuck | Veal Roast | Mutton Roast | Pork Fresh | Pork Salt | Bacon Break- fast | Lard Pure | Eggs Fresh | Eggs Cooking & Storage | Milk | Butter Dairy | Butter Creamery | Cheese |
|----------------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|-------------------------|--------------|---------------|------------------------------|------|-----------------|--------------------|--------|
| <u>1931</u> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| October | 92.2 | 88.7 | 84.4 | 78.2 | 65.9 | 70.6 | 60.4 | 54.3 | 69.2 | 69.6 | 90.0 | 57.5 | 59.9 | 72.0 |
| November | 88.8 | 86.3 | 83.3 | 74.5 | 60.6 | 67.4 | 56.0 | 52.7 | 94.9 | 86.4 | 90.0 | 57.0 | 58.6 | 70.8 |
| December | 84.7 | 83.0 | 82.3 | 73.5 | 55.0 | 63.8 | 51.6 | 53.1 | 105.8 | 92.2 | 90.0 | 58.5 | 60.9 | 70.8 |
| <u>1932</u> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 85.0 | 83.6 | 79.7 | 74.5 | 53.0 | 61.6 | 48.1 | 52.2 | 89.3 | 81.9 | 89.2 | 60.2 | 61.5 | 69.5 |
| February | 85.7 | 84.3 | 81.8 | 74.5 | 52.3 | 60.2 | 44.7 | 51.0 | 63.5 | 57.0 | 86.7 | 55.6 | 57.9 | 67.3 |
| March | 86.1 | 86.2 | 81.8 | 75.5 | 51.7 | 57.7 | 42.6 | 48.2 | 70.1 | 64.8 | 85.0 | 50.1 | 53.9 | 67.0 |
| April | 84.7 | 84.3 | 76.0 | 74.5 | 50.7 | 57.0 | 41.2 | 46.9 | 53.0 | 50.0 | 84.2 | 64.0 | 69.8 | 66.7 |
| May | 84.0 | 83.6 | 70.8 | 76.8 | 50.3 | 55.2 | 39.0 | 46.9 | 41.7 | 37.9 | 83.3 | 52.6 | 54.8 | 66.0 |
| June | 86.4 | 83.6 | 70.3 | 76.2 | 49.7 | 54.8 | 38.9 | 46.1 | 41.0 | 37.7 | 81.7 | 48.1 | 50.5 | 65.1 |
| July | 88.1 | 84.3 | 69.8 | 73.2 | 49.7 | 53.8 | 30.9 | 46.1 | 45.9 | 42.2 | 80.0 | 44.0 | 48.3 | 63.2 |
| August | 87.1 | 82.4 | 68.8 | 71.8 | 51.7 | 54.5 | 40.7 | 46.5 | 51.5 | 49.2 | 80.0 | 45.2 | 49.4 | 63.5 |
| September | 85.0 | 79.9 | 68.2 | 68.5 | 52.6 | 53.8 | 43.5 | 49.4 | 54.7 | 51.3 | 80.0 | 51.4 | 55.9 | 62.3 |
| October | 82.0 | 76.0 | 68.8 | 64.8 | 52.0 | 54.8 | 45.4 | 51.4 | 64.7 | 60.1 | 79.2 | 56.5 | 60.2 | 62.9 |
| November | 77.2 | 74.8 | 66.1 | 60.1 | 48.0 | 53.0 | 44.4 | 54.3 | 82.5 | 73.9 | 80.0 | 55.8 | 59.1 | 62.6 |
| December | 70.7 | 68.6 | 63.5 | 55.7 | 42.7 | 50.5 | 43.1 | 52.7 | 96.6 | 80.7 | 81.7 | 55.8 | 57.9 | 62.3 |
| <u>1933</u> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 69.7 | 69.2 | 62.5 | 56.0 | 42.1 | 49.8 | 41.9 | 50.2 | 83.5 | 74.1 | 80.8 | 56.3 | 58.4 | 61.6 |
| February | 70.1 | 68.6 | 63.5 | 58.7 | 40.4 | 48.0 | 40.3 | 47.8 | 61.5 | 56.5 | 80.8 | 55.1 | 57.5 | 61.0 |
| March | 69.4 | 68.6 | 64.6 | 60.1 | 40.7 | 48.4 | 41.0 | 46.9 | 59.4 | 56.8 | 80.8 | 56.0 | 60.2 | 60.4 |
| April | 70.1 | 71.1 | 64.1 | 65.1 | 47.7 | 51.3 | 43.5 | 50.2 | 49.1 | 45.5 | 77.5 | 61.5 | 64.4 | 61.3 |
| May | 73.8 | 74.2 | 62.5 | 70.8 | 50.0 | 52.3 | 46.1 | 52.2 | 41.0 | 38.7 | 77.5 | 59.3 | 60.4 | 62.3 |
| June | 74.8 | 74.2 | 61.5 | 71.1 | 52.0 | 54.1 | 46.8 | 52.7 | 41.0 | 38.4 | 75.8 | 51.4 | 53.5 | 60.7 |
| July | 75.2 | 75.5 | 62.5 | 70.1 | 53.0 | 54.5 | 47.2 | 51.8 | 45.1 | 43.0 | 76.7 | 49.1 | 53.2 | 61.0 |
| August | 74.8 | 74.2 | 61.5 | 69.5 | 56.6 | 55.6 | 49.1 | 52.2 | 50.2 | 49.0 | 76.7 | 52.6 | 56.8 | 62.6 |
| September | 74.5 | 71.7 | 60.9 | 63.1 | 56.6 | 56.3 | 48.6 | 52.2 | 52.1 | 49.0 | 78.3 | 51.9 | 54.4 | 61.6 |
| October | 71.4 | 69.2 | 60.4 | 59.7 | 57.0 | 57.3 | 49.5 | 53.5 | 62.4 | 56.8 | 80.0 | 52.1 | 54.6 | 61.9 |
| November | 67.7 | 66.7 | 59.9 | 57.7 | 52.3 | 56.3 | 48.8 | 53.9 | 81.0 | 69.8 | 80.8 | 51.9 | 54.4 | 61.9 |
| December | 65.3 | 64.2 | 58.9 | 58.4 | 52.3 | 54.8 | 48.8 | 54.3 | 95.7 | 77.4 | 80.8 | 54.8 | 57.3 | 61.9 |
| <u>1934</u> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 68.0 | 66.0 | 63.5 | 63.7 | 55.0 | 56.3 | 50.0 | 55.1 | 87.0 | 76.4 | 82.5 | 60.2 | 63.5 | 61.9 |
| February | 71.8 | 71.1 | 65.1 | 67.4 | 63.2 | 65.6 | 57.4 | 55.1 | 75.4 | 71.3 | 83.3 | 63.5 | 66.4 | 63.2 |
| March | 72.8 | 74.8 | 68.2 | 70.1 | 70.2 | 67.4 | 66.4 | 56.3 | 86.5 | 86.9 | 82.5 | 69.9 | 72.7 | 63.8 |
| April | 72.8 | 75.5 | 67.2 | 69.1 | 68.2 | 67.0 | 67.1 | 55.1 | 57.9 | 57.3 | 83.3 | 72.3 | 73.6 | 64.2 |
| May | 74.8 | 76.1 | 63.5 | 74.2 | 64.9 | 64.2 | 66.4 | 53.5 | 47.6 | 46.5 | 83.3 | 60.5 | 62.2 | 63.2 |
| June | 75.5 | 77.4 | 62.0 | 72.5 | 66.2 | 65.6 | 67.4 | 52.7 | 47.6 | 46.7 | 82.5 | 54.8 | 56.6 | 62.6 |
| July | 76.5 | 76.7 | 62.0 | 70.1 | 69.2 | 67.4 | 72.0 | 51.4 | 53.0 | 53.0 | 82.5 | 54.3 | 56.2 | 62.9 |
| August | 76.2 | 74.2 | 61.5 | 70.1 | 71.9 | 69.2 | 76.9 | 51.8 | 57.5 | 56.8 | 82.5 | 51.4 | 53.9 | 62.6 |



INDEX NUMBERS OF RETAIL PRICES OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD IN CANADA—Con't.

| Year and Month | Bread | Flour | Rolled Oats | Rice | Beans | Apples Evapor- ated | Prunes | Sugar Granu- lated | Sugar Yellow | Tea | Coffee | Potatoes | Vinegar | Weighted Food Index (46 items) |
|----------------------|-------|-------|----------------|------|-------|---------------------------|--------|--------------------------|-----------------|------|--------|----------|---------|--------------------------------------|
| <u>1931</u> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| October | 85.1 | 56.6 | 82.7 | 82.6 | 70.9 | 84.4 | 75.8 | 79.5 | 80.0 | 74.7 | 77.0 | 34.9 | 97.4 | 71.4 |
| November | 85.1 | 54.7 | 79.3 | 80.7 | 65.7 | 83.9 | 77.1 | 79.5 | 80.0 | 73.5 | 75.0 | 31.9 | 97.4 | 71.5 |
| December | 83.8 | 56.6 | 81.0 | 80.7 | 62.0 | 88.4 | 75.2 | 79.5 | 78.7 | 73.1 | 73.5 | 31.9 | 97.4 | 71.2 |
| <u>1932</u> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 85.1 | 58.5 | 81.0 | 79.8 | 60.7 | 83.4 | 74.5 | 78.2 | 78.7 | 71.7 | 72.9 | 31.3 | 98.7 | 69.6 |
| February | 85.1 | 56.6 | 81.0 | 79.8 | 58.2 | 81.9 | 72.6 | 78.2 | 78.7 | 71.5 | 72.4 | 31.9 | 97.4 | 66.5 |
| March | 85.1 | 56.6 | 81.0 | 79.8 | 55.7 | 82.4 | 72.6 | 78.2 | 78.7 | 70.6 | 71.1 | 31.3 | 98.7 | 66.0 |
| April | 83.8 | 56.6 | 81.0 | 78.0 | 54.4 | 79.4 | 70.1 | 76.9 | 77.3 | 70.2 | 71.4 | 30.4 | 100.0 | 65.4 |
| May | 83.8 | 56.6 | 81.0 | 78.9 | 54.4 | 79.9 | 68.8 | 76.9 | 76.0 | 64.4 | 69.6 | 30.1 | 97.4 | 62.9 |
| June | 83.8 | 56.6 | 81.0 | 78.0 | 54.4 | 77.9 | 70.1 | 75.6 | 76.0 | 63.4 | 69.3 | 29.2 | 97.4 | 62.1 |
| July | 77.0 | 54.7 | 82.8 | 78.9 | 54.4 | 78.9 | 69.4 | 75.6 | 76.0 | 62.8 | 68.8 | 29.6 | 97.4 | 61.4 |
| August | 75.7 | 54.7 | 82.8 | 78.0 | 53.2 | 80.0 | 70.1 | 74.4 | 76.0 | 62.2 | 68.0 | 52.4 | 96.1 | 63.5 |
| September | 75.7 | 54.7 | 82.8 | 78.0 | 54.4 | 80.9 | 71.3 | 75.6 | 74.7 | 63.0 | 69.3 | 36.5 | 94.8 | 63.0 |
| October | 75.7 | 54.7 | 82.8 | 77.1 | 54.4 | 78.9 | 68.8 | 74.4 | 76.0 | 62.1 | 67.5 | 34.3 | 93.5 | 63.6 |
| November | 75.7 | 52.8 | 81.0 | 76.1 | 53.2 | 72.4 | 68.2 | 74.4 | 76.0 | 61.1 | 67.3 | 34.3 | 94.8 | 63.9 |
| December | 78.4 | 50.9 | 79.3 | 75.2 | 50.6 | 77.9 | 67.5 | 74.4 | 74.7 | 60.9 | 67.0 | 35.9 | 93.5 | 64.0 |
| <u>1933</u> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 77.0 | 49.1 | 79.3 | 75.2 | 49.4 | 77.4 | 68.8 | 74.4 | 74.7 | 60.3 | 66.8 | 37.7 | 93.5 | 62.8 |
| February | 77.0 | 49.1 | 79.3 | 73.4 | 48.1 | 74.9 | 67.5 | 73.1 | 74.7 | 58.9 | 65.5 | 38.1 | 93.5 | 60.6 |
| March | 75.7 | 49.1 | 77.6 | 73.4 | 48.1 | 73.9 | 68.8 | 71.8 | 73.3 | 57.5 | 64.4 | 38.1 | 90.9 | 60.4 |
| April | 70.3 | 49.1 | 77.6 | 72.5 | 46.8 | 74.4 | 69.4 | 94.9 | 94.7 | 58.4 | 65.2 | 37.9 | 93.5 | 61.3 |
| May | 71.6 | 50.9 | 79.3 | 72.5 | 48.1 | 74.9 | 71.3 | 100.0 | 101.3 | 58.2 | 64.1 | 38.5 | 94.8 | 61.9 |
| June | 75.7 | 54.7 | 81.0 | 72.5 | 50.6 | 74.9 | 72.0 | 101.3 | 102.7 | 56.6 | 63.6 | 41.3 | 94.8 | 62.2 |
| July | 77.0 | 56.6 | 82.8 | 73.4 | 51.9 | 76.4 | 74.5 | 101.3 | 102.7 | 58.3 | 63.9 | 44.2 | 96.1 | 63.2 |
| August | 78.4 | 62.3 | 86.2 | 86.2 | 55.7 | 75.9 | 74.5 | 102.6 | 102.7 | 58.4 | 64.7 | 81.3 | 96.1 | 67.8 |
| September | 82.4 | 62.3 | 86.2 | 74.3 | 55.7 | 77.4 | 76.4 | 102.6 | 104.0 | 59.3 | 65.4 | 56.3 | 94.8 | 65.9 |
| October | 77.0 | 60.4 | 87.9 | 74.3 | 57.0 | 75.4 | 77.1 | 102.6 | 102.7 | 59.3 | 64.7 | 47.4 | 94.8 | 65.4 |
| November | 78.4 | 58.5 | 86.2 | 73.4 | 55.7 | 75.9 | 77.1 | 102.6 | 104.0 | 60.1 | 64.9 | 44.0 | 93.5 | 65.8 |
| December | 75.7 | 58.5 | 86.2 | 73.4 | 55.7 | 76.4 | 77.7 | 102.6 | 102.7 | 61.1 | 63.9 | 42.9 | 93.5 | 66.6 |
| <u>1934</u> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 75.7 | 58.5 | 86.2 | 74.3 | 55.7 | 77.4 | 78.3 | 102.6 | 104.0 | 63.4 | 64.7 | 43.8 | 94.8 | 67.7 |
| February | 75.7 | 58.5 | 86.2 | 74.3 | 55.7 | 76.9 | 79.6 | 102.6 | 102.7 | 66.1 | 64.5 | 46.6 | 94.8 | 69.4 |
| March | 75.7 | 58.5 | 86.2 | 75.2 | 57.0 | 74.9 | 80.9 | 102.6 | 102.7 | 68.2 | 63.6 | 52.4 | 94.8 | 72.9 |
| April | 75.7 | 58.5 | 86.2 | 74.3 | 57.0 | 76.9 | 80.9 | 102.6 | 102.7 | 69.2 | 64.4 | 53.4 | 94.8 | 71.0 |
| May | 75.7 | 58.5 | 84.5 | 74.3 | 57.0 | 75.4 | 80.9 | 101.3 | 102.7 | 69.2 | 63.4 | 51.4 | 93.5 | 68.6 |
| June | 74.3 | 60.4 | 86.2 | 74.3 | 58.2 | 76.4 | 80.9 | 89.7 | 90.7 | 70.9 | 63.2 | 48.2 | 93.5 | 67.6 |
| July | 75.7 | 62.3 | 86.2 | 73.4 | 58.2 | 73.9 | 80.9 | 87.2 | 88.0 | 71.1 | 63.9 | 45.8 | 93.5 | 68.4 |
| August. | 75.7 | 62.3 | 87.9 | 73.4 | 59.5 | 75.9 | 82.2 | 85.9 | 88.0 | 72.5 | 63.4 | 51.0 | 93.5 | 69.3 |



INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCKS

The general index for one hundred and twenty-one common stocks for the month of August was 83.8 as compared with 81.3 for the previous month. Eighty-seven Industrials mounted from 116.6 to 120.1. All sub-groups, with the exception of Pulp and Paper, were higher, Beverages mounting from 86.7 to 91.3, Oils from 153.8 to 158.0, Miscellaneous from 168.9 to 174.7, Iron and Steel from 97.8 to 100.7 and Food and Allied Products from 123.3 to 125.5. Twenty Utilities moved upward from 50.6 to 51.2. In this group, Power and Traction rose from 63.4 to 64.4 and Transportation from 32.9 to 33.4. Six companies located abroad advanced from 93.7 to 100.5. International Petroleum, the Industrial included, mounted from 161.4 to 171.3 and Utilities from 33.6 to 37.6. Eight banks were 73.1 in August as compared with 73.6 in July.

PREFERRED STOCKS

The index number for twenty-four preferred stocks was 67.3 in August as compared with 68.1 in July. Canadian Celanese fell from 109.1 to 108.2, Canada Cement from 39.3 to 38.0, Canadian Hydro Electric from 70.0 to 65.5, Goodyear from 114.5 to 113.6, Ogilvie Flour Mills from 139.6 to 136.9, Ottawa Light, Heat and Power from 101.¹¹ to 100.1, Simpsons from 70.8 to 69.7, Steel of Canada from 37.1 to 35.8 and Walkers from 15.2 to 14.9. Canada Bread, First Preferred, rose from 27.1 to 28.3, Canadian Car and Foundry from 13.2 to 14.7, Canadian Cottons from 90.5 to 94.2, Canadian General Electric from 60.7 to 62.2 and Maple Leaf from 8.8 to 9.6.

INDEX NUMBERS OF 24 PREFERRED STOCKS

(1926 - 1934)

(1926=100)

| | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | Apr. | May | June | July | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Nov. | Dec. |
|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1926 | 100.4 | 101.4 | 100.9 | 99.6 | 98.3 | 98.7 | 99.1 | 99.4 | 100.0 | 100.2 | 101.0 | 101.4 |
| 1927 | 102.1 | 102.5 | 102.7 | 102.6 | 102.5 | 102.1 | 102.5 | 103.8 | 104.8 | 107.8 | 110.8 | 111.8 |
| 1928 | 111.5 | 110.9 | 109.9 | 111.4 | 111.7 | 111.2 | 110.3 | 107.5 | 107.6 | 106.2 | 104.0 | 107.9 |
| 1929 | 107.4 | 108.1 | 106.8 | 104.3 | 104.3 | 104.8 | 104.8 | 105.6 | 105.1 | 102.9 | 99.8 | 100.4 |
| 1930 | 97.9 | 98.8 | 100.0 | 103.4 | 102.6 | 99.5 | 97.4 | 97.1 | 96.2 | 83.4 | 81.9 | 82.5 |
| 1931 | 83.2 | 83.4 | 84.2 | 78.8 | 75.8 | 72.6 | 72.8 | 69.1 | 64.2 | 63.9 | 66.5 | 63.0 |
| 1932 | 57.2 | 58.8 | 58.0 | 55.4 | 48.4 | 45.2 | 49.5 | 52.9 | 53.4 | 52.9 | 52.2 | 50.2 |
| 1933 | 49.6 | 49.6 | 47.3 | 47.2 | 51.6 | 58.5 | 51.9 | 61.7 | 61.0 | 59.7 | 59.1 | 60.2 |
| 1934 | 64.1 | 66.5 | 67.3 | 68.5 | 68.7 | 68.4 | 63.1 | 67.3 | | | | |

WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF 23 MINING STOCKS

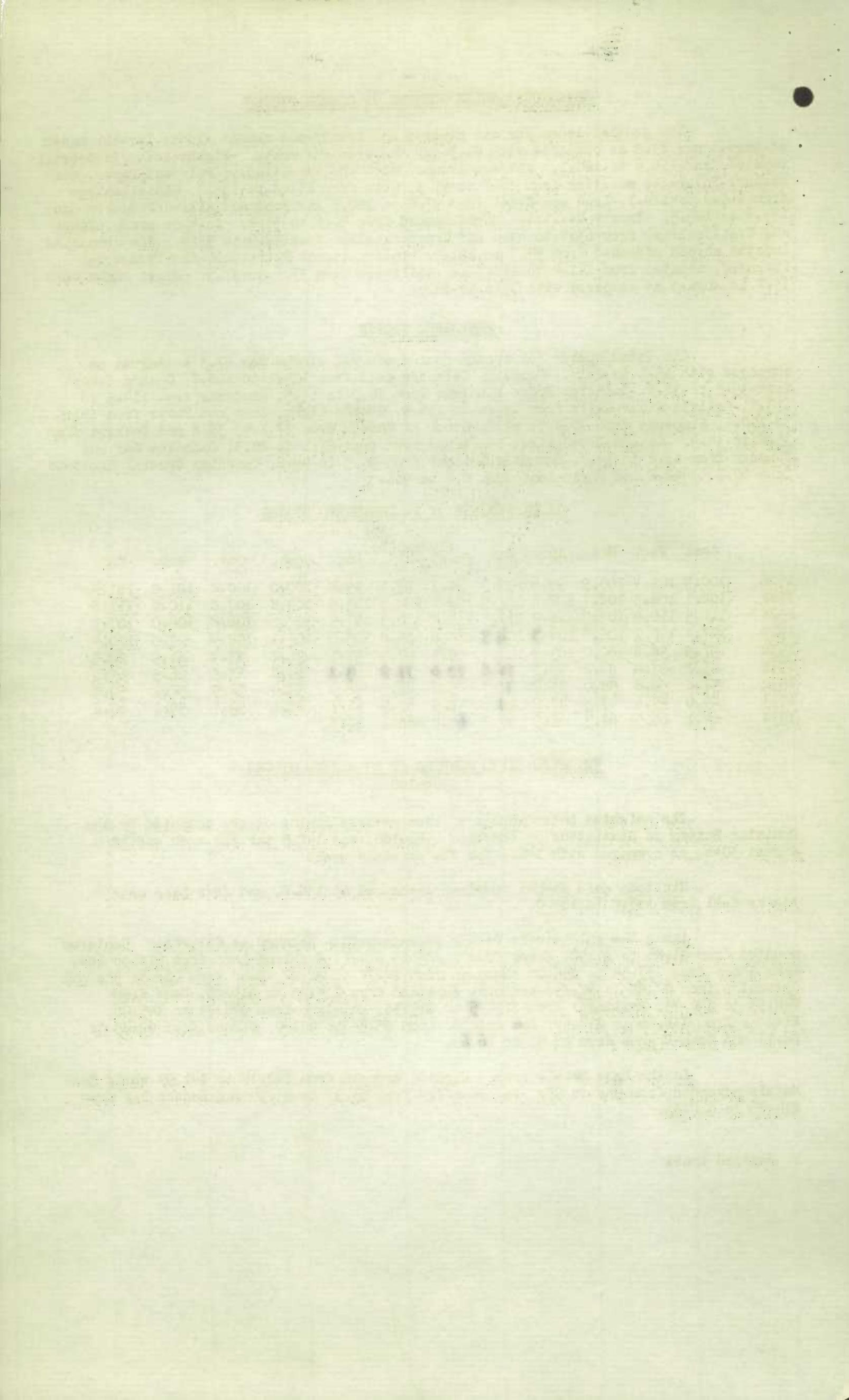
1926=100

The weighted index number of twenty-three mining stocks computed by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics on the base 1926=100, was 142.5 for the week ending August 30th, as compared with 142.5 for the previous week.

Nineteen gold stocks remained unchanged at 138.8, and four base metals stocks fell from 163.2 to 163.0.

Among the gold stocks weekly average prices behaved as follows:- Coniarum mounted from \$1.26 to \$1.42, Howey from \$1.25 to \$1.27, Kirkland Lake from 61¢ to 68¢, Lake Shore from \$53.54 to \$55.08, Macassa from \$2.77 to \$2.82, Renf from 90¢ to 95¢ and Sylvanite from \$2.81 to \$2.89, Bralorne declined from \$14.99 to \$14.96, Dome from \$42.93 to \$42.73, Hollinger from \$19.75 to \$19.35, McIntyre from \$46.79 to \$45.96, Pioneer from \$12.76 to \$12.58, San Antonio from \$5.51 to \$5.40, Siscoe from \$2.75 to \$2.73 and Tech-Hughes from \$6.87 to \$6.69.

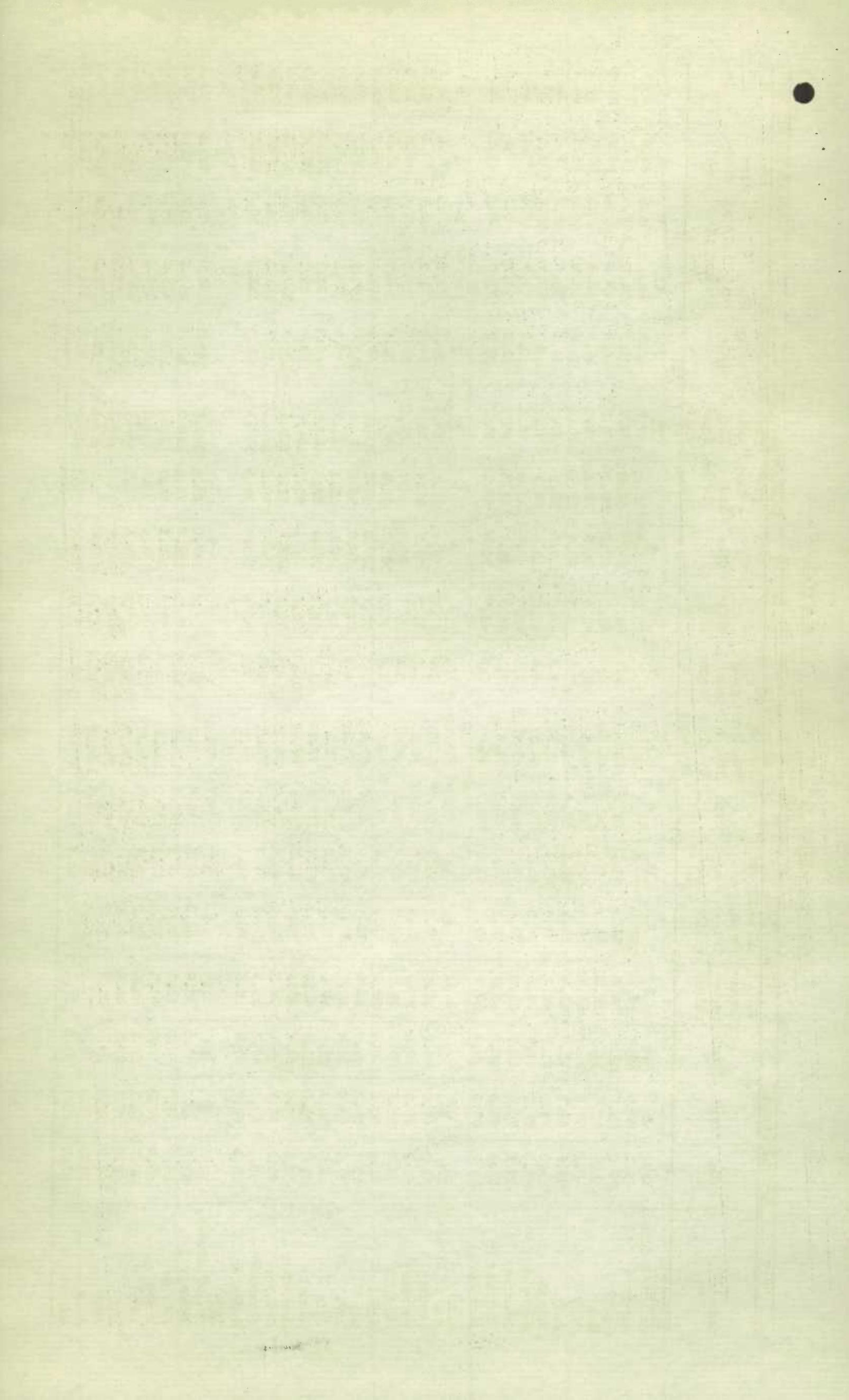
In the base metals group, Noranda dropped from \$42.14 to \$41.93 while Base Metals advanced from 94¢ to 95¢, Falconbridge from \$3.91 to \$3.94 and Hudson Bay from \$14.26 to \$14.33.



INVESTORS' MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCKS

1926 = 100

| Date | General | Banks | UTILITIES | | | | | | INDUSTRIALS | | | | | | | | COMPANIES ABROAD | | |
|---------------|---------|-------|-----------|----------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------|--------------------------------------|----------------|----------|-------|-------------------------|---------------------------|------------|----------------|-------|------------------|----------|--|
| | Total | Total | Total | Transportation | Telephone Telegraph | Power and Trac-tion | Total | Iron & Steel & Iron & Steel Products | Pulp and Paper | Mill-ing | Oils | Tex-tiles and Cloth-ing | Food and Allied Pro-ducts | Bever-ages | Mis-cell-anous | Total | In-dus-trial | Util-ity | |
| 1932 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No. of Stocks | 130 | 8 | 18 | 2 | 2 | 14 | 96 | 19 | 9 | 5 | 4 | 9 | 21 | 8 | 21 | 8 | 1 | 7 | |
| March | 64.1 | 86.0 | 59.8 | 46.2 | 81.1 | 73.6 | 71.5 | 79.2 | 10.1 | 65.5 | 106.8 | 38.3 | 87.8 | 40.3 | 82.4 | 55.8 | 67.0 | 45.7 | |
| April | 54.0 | 85.8 | 48.9 | 34.4 | 68.8 | 63.7 | 58.2 | 62.5 | 9.2 | 63.7 | 87.7 | 32.5 | 83.2 | 36.1 | 62.2 | 47.4 | 59.1 | 37.1 | |
| May | 45.8 | 65.7 | 36.9 | 26.0 | 63.8 | 45.0 | 51.4 | 44.9 | 8.6 | 63.1 | 90.1 | 29.1 | 76.5 | 26.3 | 47.1 | 49.4 | 66.3 | 34.9 | |
| June | 43.2 | 60.5 | 34.9 | 24.7 | 59.6 | 42.7 | 48.3 | 40.5 | 8.4 | 62.6 | 84.8 | 28.3 | 73.0 | 30.2 | 43.3 | 46.5 | 59.6 | 35.1 | |
| July | 49.6 | 67.1 | 41.8 | 31.5 | 59.9 | 51.6 | 56.6 | 51.1 | 7.9 | 38.3 | 97.0 | 28.9 | 81.2 | 35.6 | 55.2 | 49.9 | 65.6 | 36.4 | |
| August | 59.0 | 73.9 | 51.9 | 42.7 | 71.6 | 60.4 | 69.9 | 63.5 | 8.8 | 47.4 | 110.0 | 38.5 | 89.7 | 44.1 | 78.7 | 52.7 | 72.8 | 35.7 | |
| September | 63.0 | 76.1 | 56.9 | 47.6 | 76.3 | 65.9 | 73.8 | 69.1 | 4.4 | 53.0 | 113.0 | 42.3 | 90.8 | 44.1 | 89.2 | 56.5 | 77.6 | 38.7 | |
| October | 54.8 | 74.4 | 49.1 | 39.0 | 73.4 | 57.7 | 63.1 | 55.9 | 3.5 | 49.8 | 97.4 | 38.0 | 86.5 | 40.7 | 73.9 | 47.4 | 64.3 | 33.1 | |
| November | 53.4 | 69.6 | 46.6 | 38.2 | 70.8 | 53.1 | 62.5 | 51.3 | 3.1 | 48.3 | 95.9 | 38.7 | 85.9 | 43.3 | 74.2 | 48.3 | 67.9 | 31.8 | |
| December | 52.2 | 67.6 | 45.7 | 37.9 | 69.1 | 51.3 | 58.9 | 46.0 | 2.8 | 43.7 | 91.8 | 38.2 | 83.7 | 37.7 | 70.8 | 49.6 | 69.9 | 32.3 | |
| 1933 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No. of Stocks | 126 | 8 | 19 | 2 | 2 | 15 | 93 | 19 | 8 | 5 | 4 | 9 | 19 | 8 | 21 | 6 | 1 | 5 | |
| January | 52.9 | 67.8 | 45.9 | 36.6 | 72.2 | 52.4 | 60.7 | 50.8 | 4.0 | 42.0 | 95.7 | 38.1 | 84.4 | 35.1 | 72.6 | 50.2 | 71.2 | 32.1 | |
| February | 49.2 | 66.0 | 40.4 | 28.0 | 65.9 | 50.0 | 58.0 | 46.1 | 5.0 | 41.0 | 89.5 | 35.4 | 82.4 | 34.2 | 71.7 | 48.6 | 70.1 | 29.8 | |
| March | 43.9 | 52.8 | 39.9 | 26.5 | 66.4 | 50.7 | 59.1 | 46.6 | 3.2 | 39.1 | 89.8 | 34.0 | 80.8 | 37.9 | 75.3 | 47.6 | 68.9 | 28.9 | |
| April | 53.8 | 60.3 | 40.4 | 29.3 | 63.4 | 49.2 | 69.7 | 50.6 | 3.8 | 45.9 | 101.7 | 32.9 | 87.8 | 39.9 | 98.2 | 55.5 | 81.3 | 32.8 | |
| May | 66.1 | 65.2 | 49.5 | 38.6 | 72.4 | 58.4 | 88.6 | 68.2 | 5.5 | 63.1 | 127.0 | 48.2 | 108.2 | 66.8 | 119.8 | 67.3 | 93.7 | 44.2 | |
| June | 77.4 | 73.4 | 56.4 | 45.9 | 77.5 | 65.5 | 107.1 | 86.5 | 9.3 | 72.9 | 146.9 | 58.4 | 121.8 | 112.4 | 140.9 | 77.9 | 109.3 | 50.5 | |
| July | 86.5 | 80.4 | 61.5 | 50.0 | 85.5 | 71.2 | 122.3 | 102.3 | 12.3 | 82.1 | 162.5 | 63.4 | 143.3 | 173.7 | 151.1 | 85.8 | 119.2 | 56.6 | |
| August | 81.8 | 76.0 | 56.8 | 43.2 | 85.3 | 67.7 | 117.2 | 95.2 | 11.2 | 79.3 | 153.2 | 62.5 | 130.8 | 160.9 | 150.5 | 81.0 | 115.5 | 50.9 | |
| September | 81.6 | 74.8 | 53.5 | 39.4 | 84.9 | 64.3 | 119.1 | 88.6 | 10.8 | 75.8 | 156.1 | 65.2 | 124.9 | 168.6 | 155.1 | 84.0 | 122.9 | 49.9 | |
| October | 73.3 | 71.7 | 48.5 | 32.5 | 83.0 | 60.4 | 103.6 | 75.7 | 8.9 | 73.6 | 133.6 | 61.6 | 115.1 | 134.8 | 139.0 | 78.6 | 115.5 | 46.3 | |
| November | 76.8 | 68.4 | 47.8 | 31.5 | 84.2 | 59.7 | 113.4 | 78.6 | 8.5 | 72.9 | 155.7 | 60.8 | 118.1 | 135.1 | 151.3 | 83.0 | 129.1 | 42.3 | |
| December | 75.3 | 64.7 | 47.8 | 32.5 | 86.4 | 58.1 | 111.4 | 79.3 | 7.8 | 68.4 | 143.9 | 58.6 | 117.1 | 148.5 | 152.9 | 80.2 | 124.8 | 41.0 | |
| 1934 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No. of Stocks | 121 | 8 | 20 | 2 | 2 | 16 | 87 | 17 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 10 | 18 | 8 | 20 | 6 | 1 | 5 | |
| January | 81.6 | 71.7 | 53.5 | 38.6 | 86.2 | 64.8 | 118.6 | 98.1 | 11.4 | 74.9 | 147.0 | 66.6 | 122.6 | 163.6 | 160.9 | 86.4 | 133.5 | 45.0 | |
| February | 86.5 | 76.7 | 58.0 | 42.1 | 88.8 | 70.9 | 123.8 | 114.6 | 13.6 | 77.1 | 153.7 | 73.3 | 128.2 | 148.5 | 169.0 | 91.9 | 141.6 | 48.3 | |
| March | 88.0 | 76.9 | 58.8 | 43.3 | 90.0 | 71.1 | 128.5 | 113.6 | 13.2 | 77.1 | 152.2 | 76.3 | 129.4 | 141.8 | 189.2 | 89.2 | 140.3 | 44.3 | |
| April | 90.7 | 76.1 | 58.1 | 42.0 | 90.9 | 70.7 | 133.0 | 114.9 | 13.2 | 75.2 | 159.4 | 76.8 | 134.3 | 138.0 | 198.4 | 98.3 | 161.4 | 42.6 | |
| May | 88.6 | 75.2 | 56.7 | 40.2 | 90.0 | 69.7 | 128.0 | 106.9 | 13.8 | 74.3 | 159.0 | 79.1 | 129.9 | 113.8 | 190.5 | 99.3 | 166.4 | 40.0 | |
| June | 87.2 | 72.7 | 54.5 | 37.9 | 90.2 | 67.0 | 126.1 | 104.7 | 12.5 | 74.1 | 161.9 | 77.7 | 128.1 | 113.5 | 182.5 | 101.1 | 175.1 | 35.5 | |
| July | 81.3 | 73.6 | 50.6 | 32.9 | 89.6 | 63.4 | 116.6 | 97.8 | 10.5 | 72.4 | 153.8 | 72.7 | 123.3 | 86.7 | 168.9 | 93.7 | 161.4 | 33.6 | |
| August | 83.8 | 73.1 | 51.2 | 33.4 | 89.4 | 64.4 | 120.1 | 100.7 | 9.9 | 73.2 | 158.0 | 73.1 | 125.5 | 91.3 | 174.7 | 100.5 | 171.3 | 37.6 | |

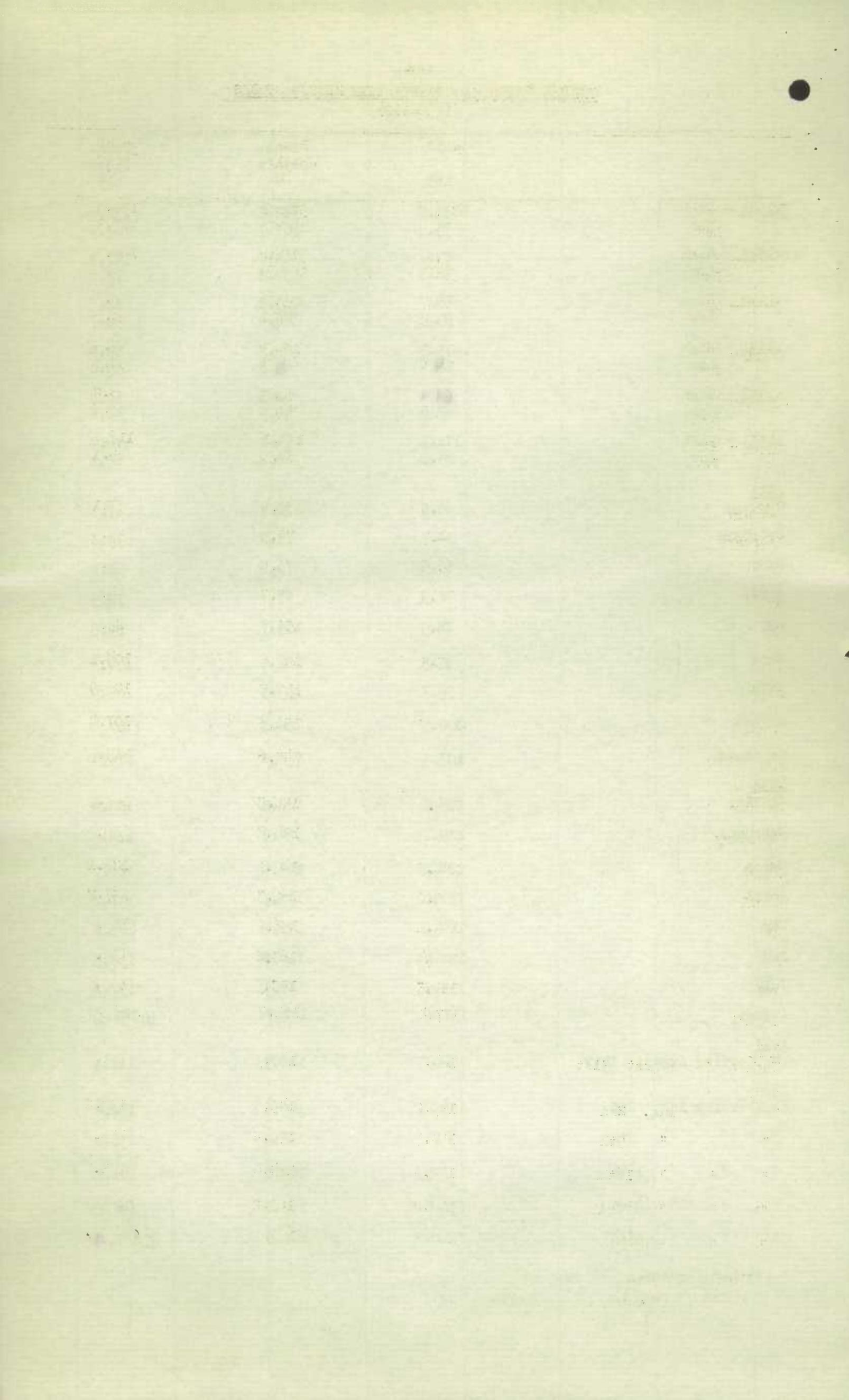


INDEX NUMBERS OF TWENTY-THREE MINING STOCKS
(1926=100)

| | Gold | Base Metals | Total Index |
|-------------------------|-------|-------------|-------------|
| | 19 | 4 | 23 |
| x1928 - High | 137.2 | 322.2 | 138.6 |
| Low | 75.4 | 105.7 | 107.3 |
| x1929 - High | 89.7 | 318.0 | 127.9 |
| Low | 52.7 | 157.3 | 72.6 |
| x1930 - High | 66.7 | 203.1 | 88.3 |
| Low | 53.3 | 56.4 | 56.7 |
| x1931 .. High | 79.5 | 108.3 | 85.4 |
| Low | 54.4 | 49.9 | 54.8 |
| x1932 - High | 63.1 | 82.3 | 64.8 |
| Low | 48.5 | 42.5 | 46.8 |
| x1933 - High | 111.9 | 144.1 | 116.7 |
| Low | 64.9 | 63.2 | 65.1 |
| <u>1933</u> | | | |
| January | 66.8 | 70.4 | 67.1 |
| February | 74.7 | 79.9 | 75.3 |
| March | 66.6 | 76.9 | 68.4 |
| April | 72.9 | 83.7 | 74.5 |
| May | 84.5 | 109.7 | 89.6 |
| June | 97.5 | 128.0 | 104.1 |
| July | 99.7 | 133.5 | 106.9 |
| August | 100.5 | 136.5 | 107.4 |
| September | 107.3 | 140.6 | 113.4 |
| <u>1934</u> | | | |
| January | 104.7 | 128.3 | 108.9 |
| February | 110.1 | 134.2 | 114.1 |
| March | 124.3 | 147.1 | 128.1 |
| April | 132.0 | 162.3 | 137.2 |
| May | 124.2 | 156.5 | 129.8 |
| June | 133.4 | 164.2 | 138.5 |
| July | 133.3 | 158.3 | 137.2 |
| August | 137.4 | 161.7 | # 141.1 |
| <u>1933</u> | | | |
| Week ending August 31st | 104.7 | 140.3 | 111.3 |
| <u>1934</u> | | | |
| Week ending Aug. 2nd | 129.2 | 149.6 | 132.2 |
| " " " 9th | 134.7 | 156.8 | 138.0 |
| " " " 16th | 137.5 | 164.0 | 141.7 |
| " " " 23rd | 138.8 | 163.2 | 142.5 |
| " " " 30th | 138.8 | 163.0 | # 142.4 |

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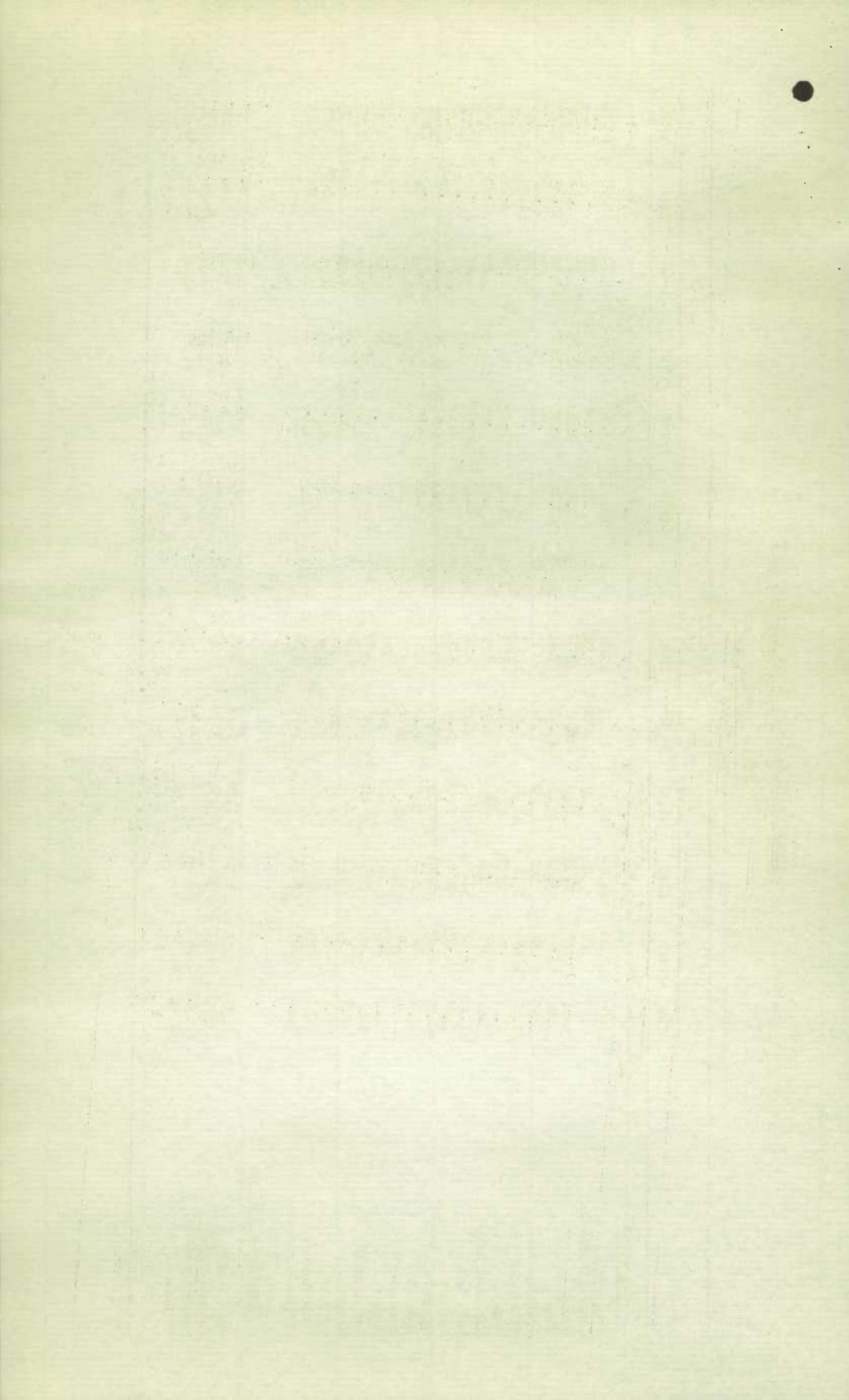
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WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES OF 23 MINING STOCKS

JUNE - AUGUST, 1934

| | J U N E | | | | J U L Y | | | | A U G U S T | | | | |
|--------------------------|---------|-------|-------|-------|---------|-------|-------|-------|-------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | 7th | 14th | 21st | 28th | 5th | 12th | 19th | 26th | 2nd | 9th | 16th | 23rd | 30th |
| <u>Gold Group</u> | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bralorne | 13.80 | 14.40 | 14.77 | 15.01 | 15.13 | 15.42 | 16.34 | 15.83 | 15.78 | 15.84 | 15.62 | 14.99 | 14.96 |
| Central Manitoba | .09 | .08 | .08 | .08 | .08 | .08 | .10 | .10 | .09 | .09 | .09 | .11 | .12 |
| Coniarum | 1.42 | 1.42 | 1.39 | 1.34 | 1.40 | 1.33 | 1.33 | 1.26 | 1.26 | 1.25 | 1.27 | 1.26 | 1.42 |
| Dome | 39.87 | 42.35 | 43.34 | 43.86 | 43.42 | 43.56 | 43.00 | 40.10 | 39.44 | 41.97 | 43.70 | 42.93 | 42.73 |
| Granada | .59 | .62 | .60 | .58 | .57 | .63 | .66 | .59 | .63 | .65 | .62 | .62 | .63 |
| Hollinger | 17.15 | 17.64 | 17.56 | 17.56 | 17.67 | 17.61 | 17.64 | 17.14 | 17.73 | 18.36 | 18.94 | 19.75 | 19.35 |
| Howey | 1.27 | 1.29 | 1.32 | 1.30 | 1.31 | 1.28 | 1.27 | 1.23 | 1.18 | 1.24 | 1.25 | 1.25 | 1.27 |
| Kirkland Lake | .51 | .52 | .51 | .58 | .65 | .62 | .54 | .55 | .53 | .55 | .55 | .61 | .68 |
| Lake Shore | 51.35 | 52.72 | 52.76 | 53.12 | 53.47 | 53.50 | 54.07 | 52.07 | 50.62 | 52.63 | 53.73 | 53.54 | 55.08 |
| Macassa | 2.50 | 2.62 | 2.49 | 2.47 | 2.45 | 2.40 | 2.45 | 2.45 | 2.47 | 2.60 | 2.65 | 2.77 | 2.82 |
| McIntyre | 46.12 | 48.42 | 48.28 | 47.74 | 47.54 | 48.71 | 48.30 | 45.83 | 43.54 | 47.12 | 47.30 | 46.79 | 45.96 |
| Premier | 1.28 | 1.26 | 1.24 | 1.20 | 1.22 | 1.27 | 1.26 | 1.23 | 1.20 | 1.29 | 1.29 | 1.28 | 1.27 |
| Pioneer | 12.99 | 13.61 | 13.64 | 13.36 | 13.40 | 13.23 | 13.26 | 12.30 | 12.14 | 13.00 | 12.92 | 12.76 | 12.58 |
| Reno | .90 | .89 | .83 | .80 | .82 | .88 | .99 | .93 | .89 | .94 | .93 | .90 | .93 |
| San Antonio | 4.61 | 5.21 | 5.12 | 4.98 | 5.15 | 5.21 | 5.87 | 5.37 | 5.37 | 5.51 | 5.58 | 5.54 | 5.40 |
| Siscoe | 2.21 | 2.38 | 2.33 | 2.35 | 2.32 | 2.31 | 2.41 | 2.40 | 2.40 | 2.45 | 2.48 | 2.75 | 2.73 |
| Sylvanite | 2.81 | 2.91 | 2.77 | 2.73 | 2.83 | 2.82 | 2.82 | 2.65 | 2.56 | 2.66 | 2.70 | 2.81 | 2.89 |
| Teck-Hughes | 6.64 | 6.76 | 6.69 | 6.70 | 6.89 | 6.90 | 6.84 | 6.55 | 6.55 | 6.63 | 6.76 | 6.83 | 6.69 |
| Wright-Hargreaves | 9.34 | 9.73 | 9.61 | 9.38 | 9.53 | 9.52 | 9.52 | 9.33 | 8.98 | 9.34 | 9.63 | 9.64 | 9.65 |
| <u>Base Metals Group</u> | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Base Metals | 1.36 | 1.35 | 1.30 | 1.22 | 1.22 | 1.20 | 1.19 | 1.07 | .96 | 1.01 | 1.05 | .94 | .95 |
| Falconbridge | 3.79 | 3.73 | 3.64 | 3.51 | 3.52 | 3.47 | 3.49 | 3.44 | 3.43 | 3.53 | 3.79 | 3.91 | 3.94 |
| Hudson Bay | 12.55 | 13.68 | 13.64 | 13.81 | 13.43 | 13.32 | 13.14 | 12.89 | 12.66 | 13.20 | 13.91 | 14.26 | 14.33 |
| Noranda | 42.91 | 44.34 | 43.53 | 42.92 | 43.19 | 43.61 | 43.25 | 40.62 | 39.21 | 41.26 | 42.90 | 42.14 | 41.93 |



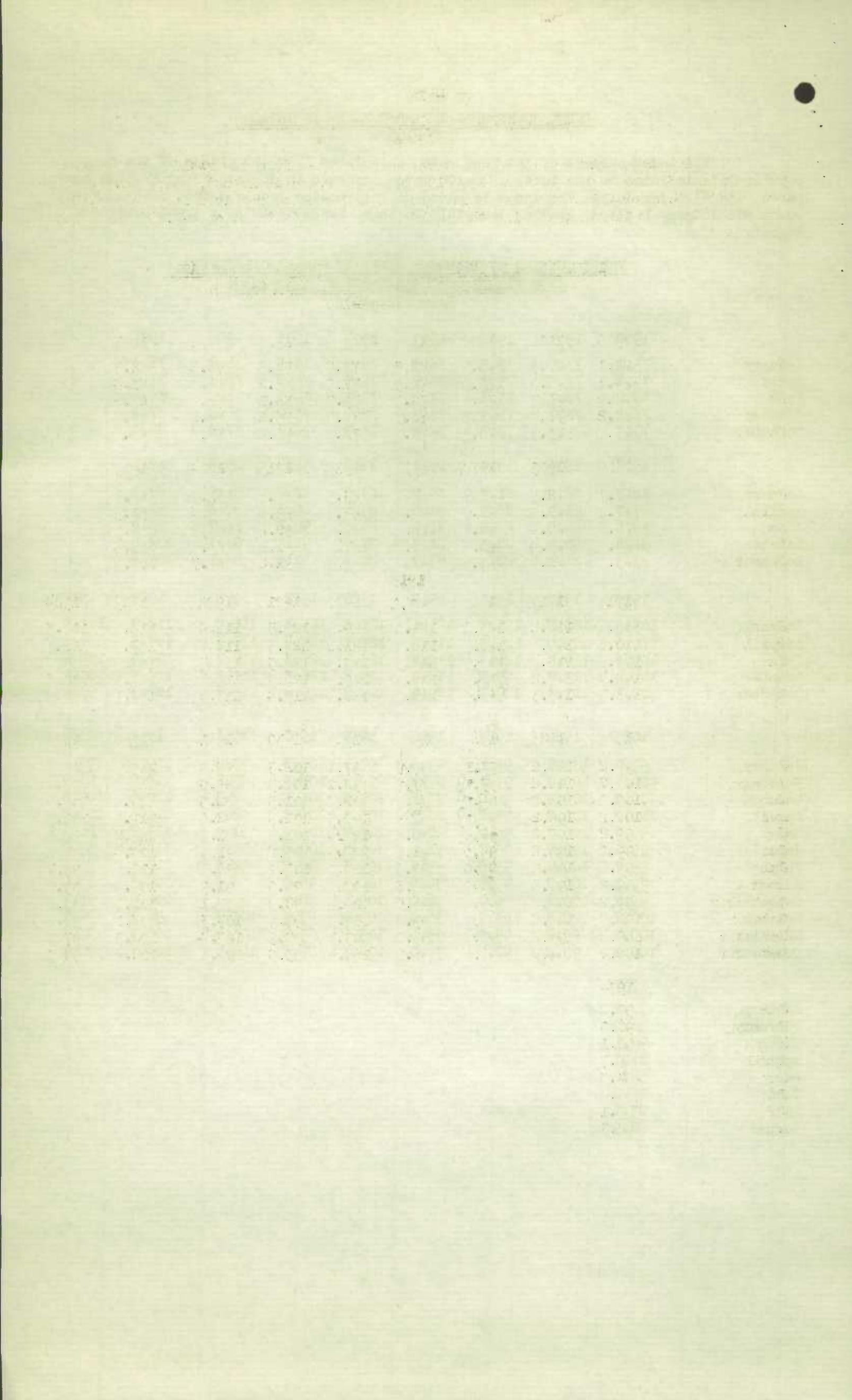
INDEX NUMBERS OF INTEREST RATES IN CANADA
1926=100

The index numbers of interest rates calculated from the yields of the most popular Ontario Bonds on the basis 1926=100 moved downward in August, being 82.3 as compared with 83.1 for July. The index is based on information received from Messrs. Wood, Gundy and Company Limited, showing the yield on these bonds to be on a 3.94% basis for August.

INDEX NUMBERS OF INTEREST RATES IN CANADA CALCULATED
FROM YIELDS OF ONTARIO BONDS, 1900-1934.

Base 1926=100

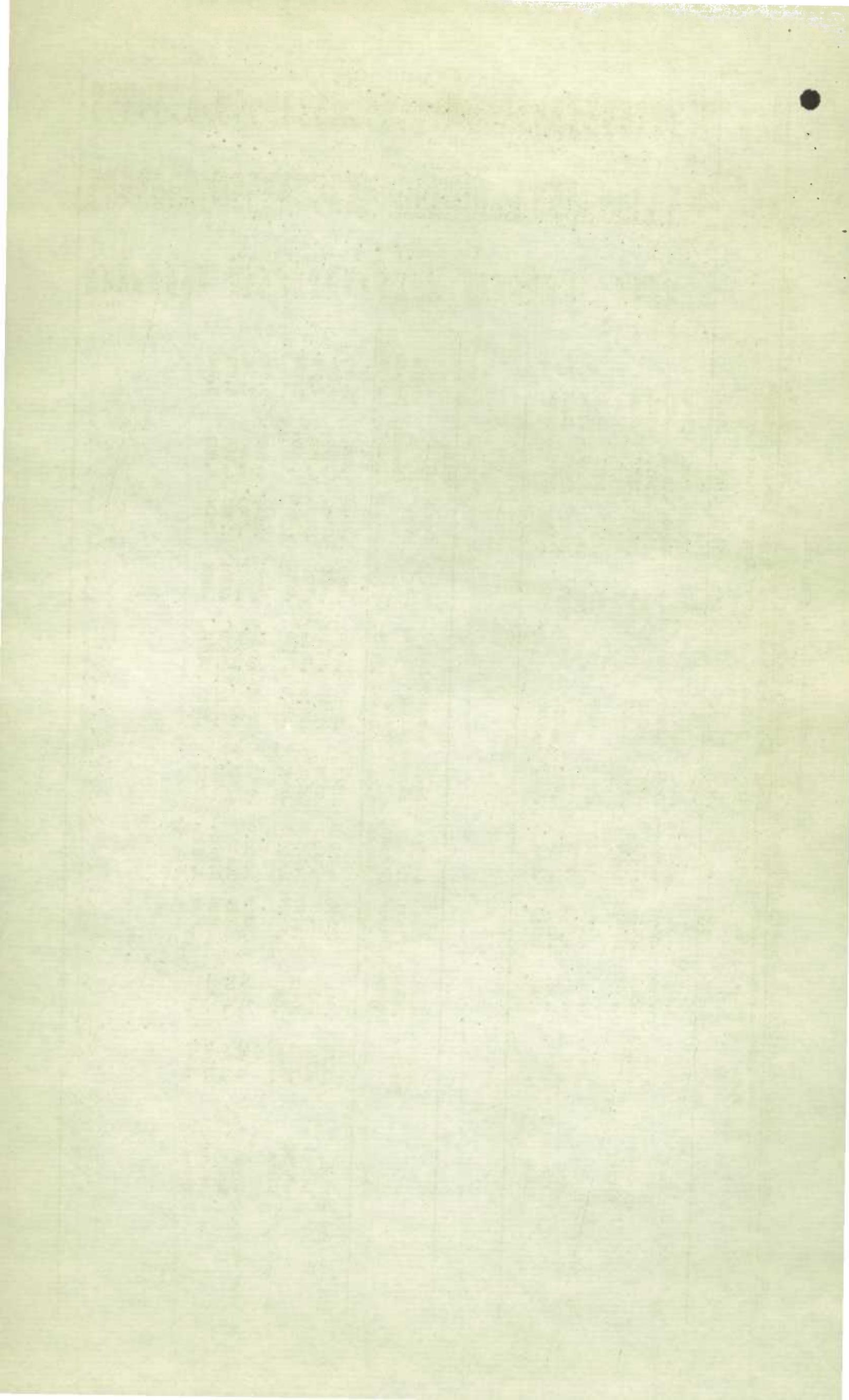
| | 1900 | 1901 | 1902 | 1903 | 1904 | 1905 | 1906 | 1907 |
|-----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| January | 73.1 | 77.9 | 79.3 | 78.5 | 78.5 | 78.5 | 76.2 | 78.3 |
| April | 74.1 | 78.5 | 79.3 | 78.5 | 78.5 | 75.2 | 76.2 | 81.4 |
| June | 75.2 | 78.7 | 79.3 | 78.5 | 79.3 | 74.1 | 76.2 | 85.6 |
| October | 77.2 | 78.7 | 79.3 | 78.5 | 79.3 | 75.2 | 76.8 | 87.7 |
| December | 77.7 | 79.3 | 78.5 | 78.5 | 78.3 | 76.2 | 77.2 | 88.7 |
| | 1908 | 1909 | 1910 | 1911 | 1912 | 1913 | 1914 | 1915 |
| January | 88.7 | 82.5 | 81.4 | 83.5 | 83.5 | 88.7 | 91.9 | 88.7 |
| April | 87.7 | 81.4 | 82.5 | 81.0 | 85.6 | 89.8 | 90.8 | 91.9 |
| June | 86.6 | 80.4 | 82.5 | 81.0 | 86.6 | 90.8 | 88.7 | 93.9 |
| October | 85.6 | 80.4 | 82.5 | 81.4 | 87.7 | 91.9 | 88.7 | 104.4 |
| December | 83.5 | 81.4 | 83.5 | 83.5 | 88.7 | 91.0 | 88.7 | 109.6 |
| | 1916 | 1917 | 1918 | 1919 | 1920 | 1921 | 1922 | 1923 |
| January | 109.6 | 100.2 | 125.3 | 121.1 | 120.0 | 125.3 | 116.9 | 112.7 |
| April | 110.6 | 109.6 | 125.3 | 116.9 | 121.1 | 125.3 | 112.7 | 107.5 |
| June | 109.6 | 114.8 | 126.3 | 112.7 | 125.3 | 126.3 | 112.7 | 107.5 |
| October | 104.4 | 123.2 | 125.3 | 116.9 | 129.4 | 126.3 | 111.7 | 107.9 |
| December | 102.3 | 125.3 | 125.3 | 120.0 | 128.4 | 119.4 | 113.2 | 107.3 |
| | 1925 | 1926 | 1927 | 1928 | 1929 | 1930 | 1931 | 1932 |
| January | 99.2 | 100.2 | 97.1 | 89.8 | 97.1 | 102.3 | 95.0 | 119.8 |
| February | 100.2 | 100.2 | 97.1 | 87.7 | 98.1 | 102.3 | 95.0 | 115.9 |
| March | 100.2 | 100.2 | 96.0 | 88.7 | 101.3 | 101.3 | 92.9 | 110.6 |
| April | 100.2 | 100.2 | 95.2 | 88.7 | 103.3 | 101.3 | 92.9 | 111.3 |
| May | 99.2 | 100.2 | 95.0 | 90.8 | 104.4 | 101.3 | 91.9 | 113.2 |
| June | 99.2 | 100.2 | 95.0 | 91.9 | 103.3 | 100.8 | 91.9 | 114.4 |
| July | 99.2 | 100.2 | 95.0 | 93.9 | 103.3 | 100.2 | 92.9 | 110.6 |
| August | 99.2 | 100.2 | 95.0 | 96.0 | 102.3 | 96.0 | 91.9 | 103.3 |
| September | 99.2 | 100.2 | 95.0 | 96.0 | 104.4 | 92.9 | 97.1 | 101.9 |
| October | 100.2 | 100.2 | 93.9 | 95.0 | 103.3 | 93.9 | 103.3 | 98.1 |
| November | 100.2 | 99.2 | 93.9 | 95.0 | 103.3 | 93.9 | 105.4 | 102.3 |
| December | 100.2 | 99.2 | 90.8 | 96.0 | 102.3 | 93.9 | 108.6 | 102.7 |
| | 1934 | | | | | | | |
| January | 97.2 | | | | | | | |
| February | 96.0 | | | | | | | |
| March | 90.1 | | | | | | | |
| April | 87.7 | | | | | | | |
| May | 84.8 | | | | | | | |
| June | 85.4 | | | | | | | |
| July | 83.1 | | | | | | | |
| August | 82.3 | | | | | | | |



EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS AT MONTREAL, 1934.

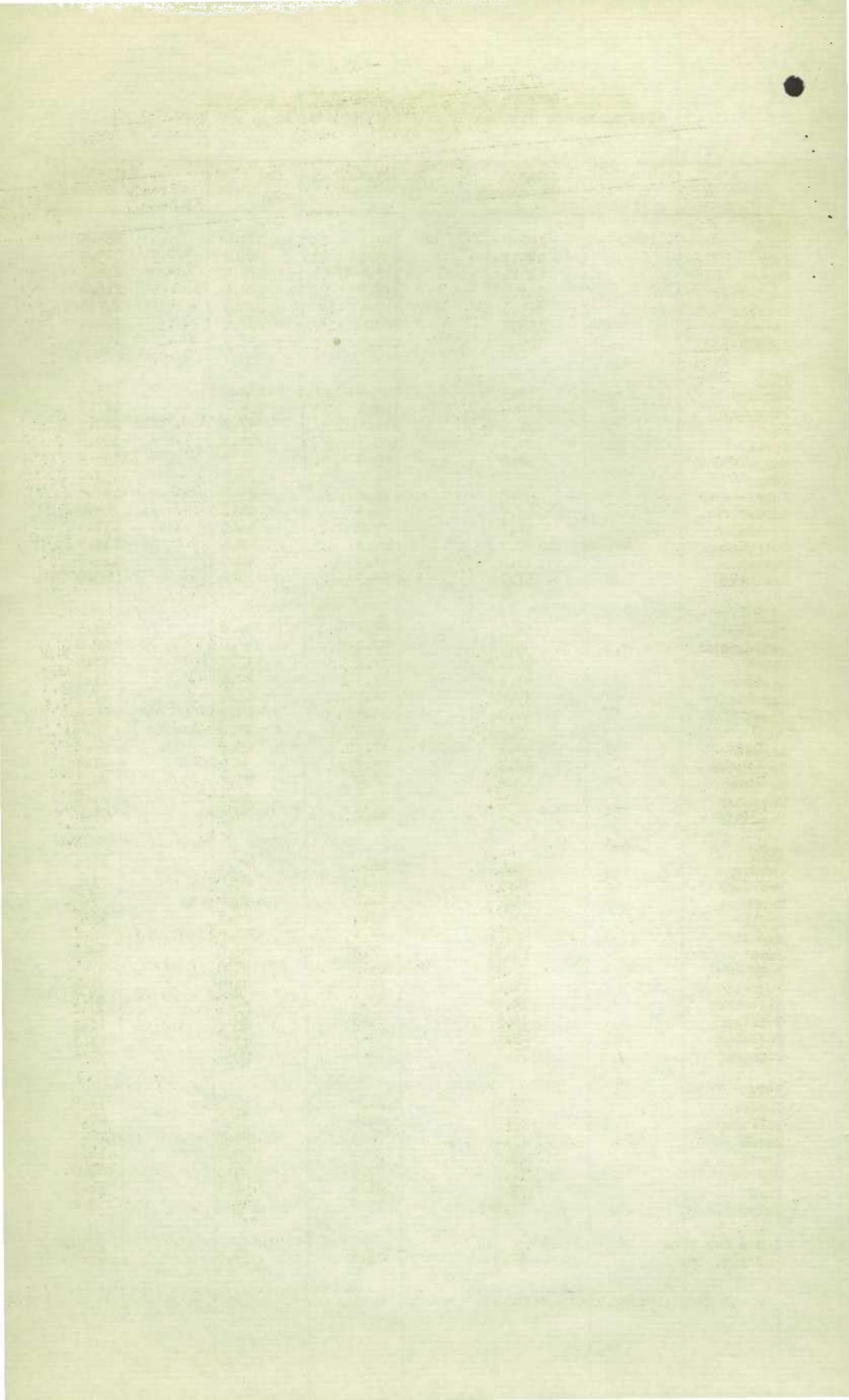
Note: The nominal closing quotations in Canadian funds upon which these averages are based, have been supplied by the Bank of Montreal.

| New York London France Belgium Italy Switzerland Holland Norway Sweden Denmark | | | | | | | | | | | | | | New York | London |
|---|----------|----------|---------------------|--------|---------|---------|-------------|---------|-----------|--------|--------------------|-------------|---------------|--------------------|-------------|
| | | New York | London | France | Belgium | Italy | Switzerland | Holland | Norway | Sweden | Denmark | New York | London | | |
| | | Funds | Ster- ling | Franc | Belgas | Lire | Francs | Guilder | Kroner | Kroner | Kroner | Funds | Ster- ling | | |
| | Montreal | | par 1.00 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1934 - July - | High | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | 1932 | \$ 1932 |
| | Low | .991 | 5.013 | .0655 | .2318 | .0852 | .3230 | .6725 | .2520 | .2585 | .2240 | | | (Monthly Averages) | |
| | Average | .983 | 4.955 | .0649 | .2305 | .0844 | .3207 | .6650 | .2490 | .2555 | .2215 | | | Jan. | 1.173 4.028 |
| | Close | .988 | 4.985 | .0652 | .2311 | .0849 | .3222 | .6696 | .2507 | .2574 | .2229 | | | Feb. | 1.145 3.959 |
| 1934 - August - | High | .984 | 4.980 | .0657 | .2340 | .0856 | .3255 | .6745 | .2503 | .2575 | .2225 | | | Mar. | 1.118 4.064 |
| | Low | .969 | 4.895 | .0649 | .2310 | .0844 | .3210 | .6660 | .2470 | .2535 | .2195 | | | Apr. | 1.112 4.173 |
| | Average | .977 | 4.951 | .0651 | .2320 | .0848 | .3224 | .6685 | .2493 | .2558 | .2216 | | | May | 1.131 4.157 |
| | Close | .980 | 4.895 | .0657 | .2340 | .0856 | .3255 | .6745 | .2470 | .2535 | .2195 | | | June | 1.153 4.205 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | July | 1.148 4.076 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Aug. | 1.142 3.975 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Sept. | 1.108 3.847 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Oct. | 1.096 3.723 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Nov. | 1.148 3.760 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Dec. | 1.154 3.787 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Aver. | 1.136 3.979 |
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| Spain Czechoslovakia Argentina Austria Brazil Germany India Hong Kong Japan Union New Zealand | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Jan. | 3.847 |
| | | Pesetas | Czecho- Slovakia | Argen- | Austra- | Brazil | Germany | India | Hong Kong | Japan | Union of S. Africa | New Zealand | (Pounds) | Feb. | 4.099 |
| | | Kroner | (Paper) | tine | Pesos | Milreis | Reichs- | Rupees | Kong | Yen | Africa | (Pounds) | (Pounds) | Mar. | 4.134 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Apr. | 4.234 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | May | 4.498 |
| 1934 - July - | High | .1360 | .0413 | .2580 | 4.010 | .0862 | .3900 | .3778 | .3784 | .2968 | 5.020 | 4.020 | | June | 4.615 |
| | Low | .1347 | .0410 | .2424 | 3.950 | .0838 | .3791 | .3730 | .3688 | .2944 | 4.950 | 3.970 | | July | 4.931 |
| | Average | .1354 | .0412 | .2470 | 3.980 | .0846 | .3818 | .3754 | .3735 | .2959 | 4.983 | 3.994 | | Aug. | 4.787 |
| | Close | .1347 | .0410 | .2580 | 3.960 | .0860 | .3809 | .3730 | .3692 | .2944 | 4.950 | 3.970 | | Sept. | 4.839 |
| 1934 - August - | High | .1363 | .0414 | .2797 | 3.980 | .0855 | .3929 | .3768 | .3900 | .2960 | 4.980 | 3.990 | | Oct. | 4.787 |
| | Low | .1347 | .0409 | .2555 | 3.910 | .0825 | .3811 | .3684 | .3693 | .2925 | 4.890 | 3.940 | | Nov. | 5.082 |
| | Average | .1352 | .0411 | .2688 | 3.952 | .0842 | .3862 | .3730 | .3804 | .2943 | 4.948 | 3.971 | | Dec. | 5.096 |
| | Close | .1363 | .0414 | .2742 | 3.910 | .0832 | .3911 | .3684 | .3866 | .2936 | 4.890 | 3.940 | | Aver. | 4.586 |
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| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Feb. | 5.078 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Mar. | 5.107 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Apr. | 5.148 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | May | 5.100 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | June | 5.012 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | July | 4.985 |
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MONTHLY INDEXES OF AMERICAN STOCK PRICES, 1930-1934
 Issued by the Standard Statistics Company, Inc., New York.
 (1926=100)

| | Total 421 Stocks | Industrial 351 Stocks | Railroads 33 Stocks | Utilities 37 Stocks |
|-------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| <u>1930</u> | | | | |
| June | 152.8 | 143.1 | 124.5 | 223.5 |
| July | 149.3 | 139.8 | 124.2 | 215.4 |
| August | 147.6 | 138.7 | 121.2 | 212.7 |
| September | 148.8 | 139.3 | 122.6 | 216.4 |
| October | 127.5 | 117.8 | 110.9 | 187.0 |
| November | 116.7 | 108.5 | 102.1 | 167.4 |
| December | 109.4 | 101.9 | 93.5 | 157.9 |
| <u>1931</u> | | | | |
| January | 112.3 | 103.4 | 100.4 | 163.4 |
| February | 119.8 | 110.3 | 104.7 | 177.9 |
| March | 121.6 | 111.8 | 97.2 | 188.9 |
| April | 109.2 | 100.3 | 87.3 | 169.8 |
| May | 98.0 | 89.4 | 76.8 | 156.4 |
| June | 95.1 | 86.5 | 74.0 | 153.0 |
| July | 98.2 | 89.8 | 75.3 | 157.5 |
| August | 95.5 | 88.5 | 66.2 | 154.0 |
| September | 81.7 | 75.8 | 56.1 | 131.9 |
| October | 69.7 | 64.8 | 48.4 | 111.9 |
| November | 71.7 | 67.5 | 46.0 | 114.7 |
| December | 57.7 | 54.3 | 33.0 | 95.6 |
| <u>1932</u> | | | | |
| January | 58.0 | 54.4 | 36.6 | 94.4 |
| February | 56.5 | 52.9 | 34.2 | 92.8 |
| March | 56.8 | 53.8 | 32.1 | 93.4 |
| April | 43.9 | 41.7 | 22.2 | 73.3 |
| May | 39.8 | 38.1 | 17.4 | 67.3 |
| June | 34.0 | 33.5 | 14.1 | 55.0 |
| July | 35.9 | 35.8 | 15.6 | 55.4 |
| August | 53.3 | 51.5 | 29.2 | 84.2 |
| September | 58.2 | 55.8 | 34.5 | 91.4 |
| October | 49.9 | 47.7 | 27.5 | 80.6 |
| November | 47.5 | 45.4 | 25.5 | 77.6 |
| December | 47.4 | 44.8 | 25.7 | 79.6 |
| <u>1933</u> | | | | |
| January | 49.1 | 46.2 | 27.6 | 81.8 |
| February | 44.9 | 42.5 | 26.7 | 73.1 |
| March | 43.2 | 41.6 | 25.6 | 67.0 |
| April | 47.5 | 48.8 | 26.3 | 63.5 |
| May | 62.9 | 65.3 | 37.5 | 79.2 |
| June | 74.9 | 77.3 | 44.0 | 96.9 |
| July | 80.4 | 83.5 | 52.6 | 97.5 |
| August | 75.1 | 78.8 | 49.4 | 87.1 |
| September | 74.8 | 70.7 | 47.2 | 80.1 |
| October | 69.5 | 75.5 | 40.3 | 75.0 |
| November | 69.1 | 76.7 | 38.4 | 70.0 |
| December | 70.4 | 78.8 | 40.3 | 67.3 |
| <u>1934</u> | | | | |
| January | 75.6 | 84.0 | 45.5 | 73.2 |
| February | 80.5 | 86.4 | 50.0 | 80.6 |
| March | 77.1 | 84.9 | 48.7 | 75.3 |
| April | 79.6 | 88.3 | 49.3 | 76.3 |
| May | 71.8 | 79.6 | 43.3 | 59.3 |
| June | 73.5 | 81.4 | 44.1 | 71.9 |
| July | 71.4 | 79.7 | 41.2 | 69.2 |
| Index for week of Aug. 15. | 67.5 | 76.6 | 34.5 | 64.1 |



WORLD PRICE MOVEMENTS, JULY, 1934.
WHOLESALE PRICES

Without the sustaining effect of decidedly higher grain prices, declines in wholesale price indexes for July would have been general. As it was, they outnumbered advances by a slight margin.

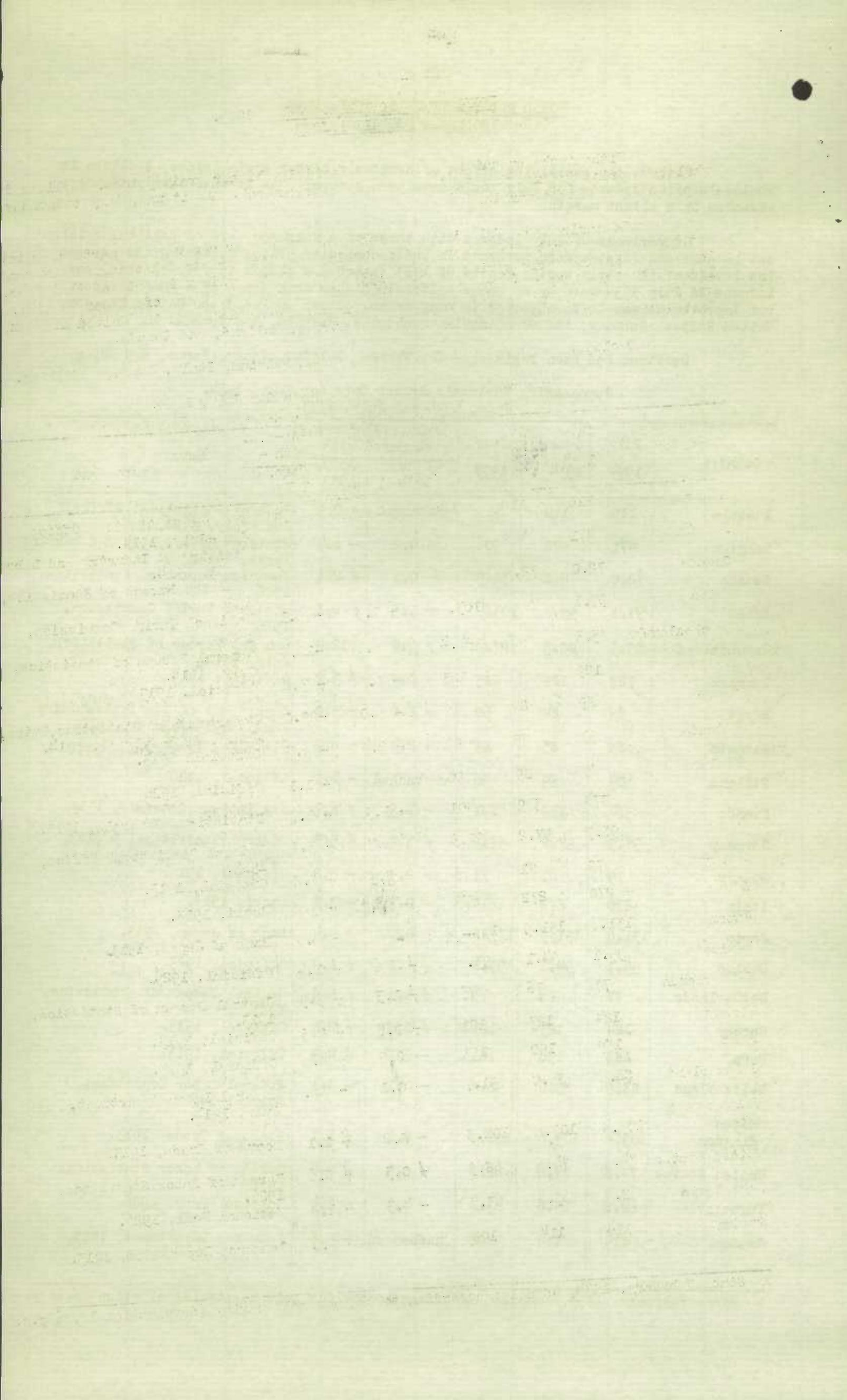
Comparisons of July indexes with those of a year ago were of particular interest because the first upward movement in basic commodity prices following the extreme low levels of the early spring months of 1933, reached a climax in July of that year. Indexes in July 1934 were by no means uniformly higher than those of a year earlier, but improvement was to be observed in many areas. These included the United Kingdom, United States, Germany, the Scandinavian countries, Holland, and Canada.

Declines had been registered for France, Belgium, Italy, Japan, and China.

Comparative Wholesale Prices Data for July, 1934.
June, 1934 and July, 1933.

| Country | July, | June, | July, | July, 1934 or p.c. compared with - | | Source and Base |
|----------------|-------|-------|-------|---------------------------------------|---------------|---|
| | 1934 | 1934 | 1933 | June, 1934 | July, 1933 | |
| Austria | 110 | 110 | 111 | unchanged | - 0.9 | Federal Statistical Office, Jan.-July, 1914. |
| Belgium | 471 | 472 | 506 | - 0.2 | - 6.9 | Ministry of Industry and Labour, April, 1914. |
| Canada | 72.0 | 72.1 | 70.5 | - 0.1 | + 2.1 | Dominion Bureau of Statistics, 1926 |
| China | 97.1 | 95.7 | 103.4 | + 1.5 | - 6.1 | National Tariff Commission, 1926 |
| Czechoslovakia | 85.3 | 80.5 | 97.4 | + 6.0 | -12.4 | General Bureau of Statistics, July, 1914. |
| Denmark | 129 | 128 | 125 | + 0.8 | + 3.2 | Official, 1913 |
| Egypt | 89 | 84 | 69 | + 6.0 | +29.0 | Department of Statistics, Cairo, Jan. 1, 1913-July 31, 1914. |
| Estonia | 83 | 85 | 89 | - 2.4 | - 6.7 | Official, 1913. |
| Finland | 89 | 89 | 90 | unchanged | - 1.1 | Official, 1926 |
| France | 374 | 379 | 401 | - 1.3 | - 6.7 | Statistique Générale, 1913. |
| Germany | 98.9 | 97.2 | 93.9 | + 1.7 | + 5.3 | Federal Statistical Office, 1913. |
| Hungary | 79 | 81 | 73 | - 2.5 | + 8.2 | Official, 1913. |
| Italy | 270 | 272 | 279 | - 0.7 | - 3.2 | Bachi, 1913. |
| Japan | 131.6 | 131.9 | 137.6 | - 0.2 | - 4.4 | Bank of Japan, 1913. |
| Mexico | 95.1 | 94.1 | 93.8 | + 1.1 | + 1.4 | Official, 1929. |
| Netherlands | 77 | 76 | 73 | + 1.3 | + 5.5 | Central Bureau of Statistics, 1913. |
| Norway | 124 | 123 | 121 | + 0.8 | + 2.5 | Official, 1913. |
| Peru | 189 | 190 | 181 | - 0.5 | + 4.4 | Official, 1913. |
| Switzerland | 88.9 | 89.0 | 91.7 | - 0.1 | - 3.1 | Federal Labor Department, July, 1914. |
| United Kingdom | 103.4 | 103.6 | 102.3 | - 0.2 | + 1.1 | Board of Trade, 1913. |
| United States | 74.8 | 74.6 | 68.9 | + 0.3 | + 8.6 | Bureau of Labor Statistics, 1926. |
| Yugoslavia | 62.8 | 65.6 | 63.7 | - 4.3 | - 1.4 | National Bank, 1926. |
| Sweden | 114 | 114 | 108 | unchanged | + 5.6 | Commerce Department, 1913. |

x Since February, 1934, compiled according to the new gold parity (devaluation 16.66 p.c.)



WORLD PRICE MOVEMENTS, JULY, 1934.
COST OF LIVING

Further increases in food prices accounted largely for the predominance of advances among July living cost indexes.

The United Kingdom series advanced due to a five point rise in the food group.

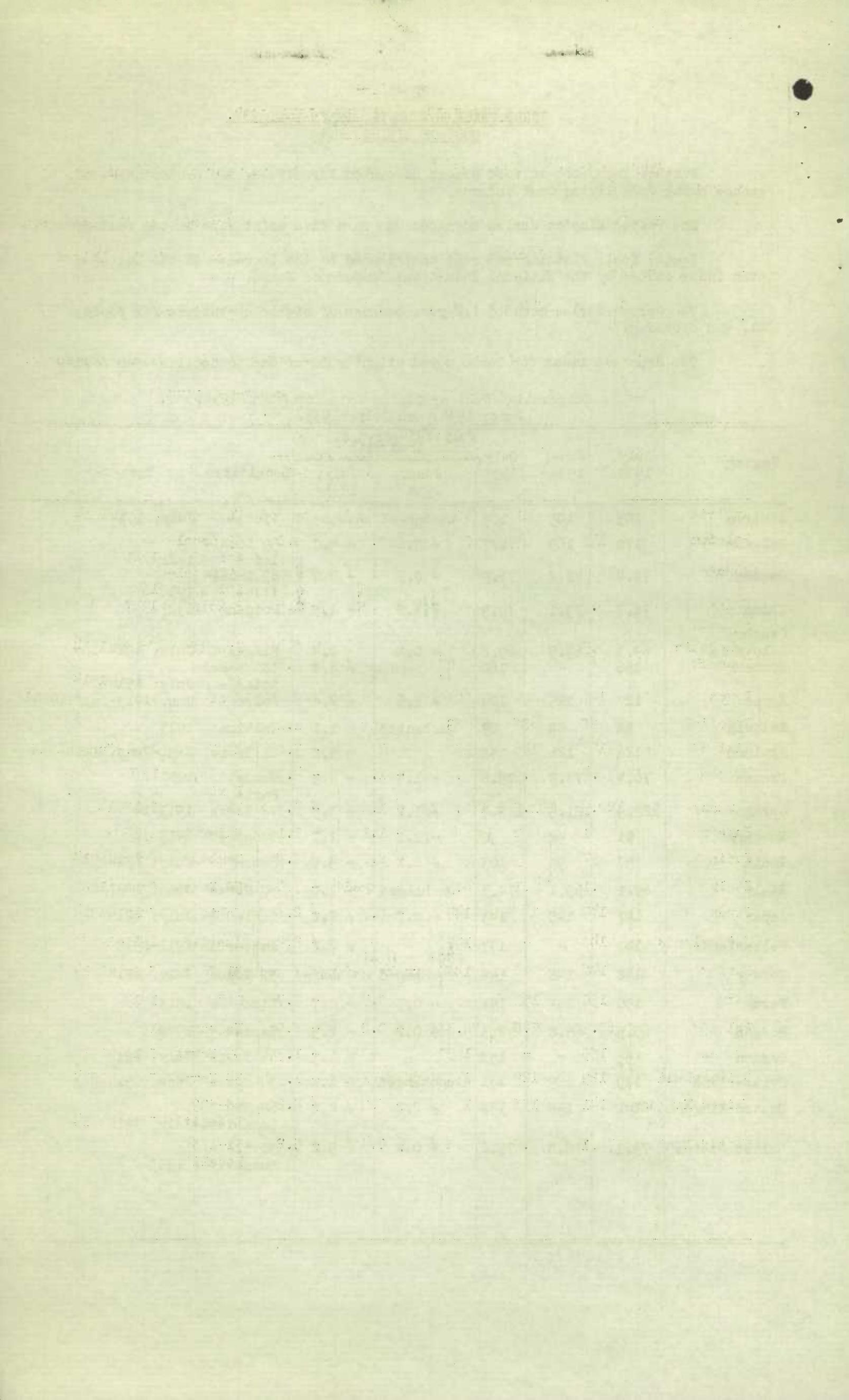
Foods, fuel, clothing and rent contributed to the increase in the United States index issued by the National Industrial Conference Board.

The German series mounted 1.2 p.c. because of higher quotations for foods, fuel, and clothing.

The Japanese index for Tokio moved slightly lower due to declines for foods.

Comparative Cost of Living Data for July, 1934,
June, 1934, and July, 1933.

| Country | July, 1934 | June, 1934 | July, 1933 | July, 1934 or p.c. compared with: | | Localities | Base |
|---------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|---------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| | | | | June, 1934 | July, 1933 | | |
| Austria | 105 | 105 | 105 | unchanged | unchanged | Vienna | July, 1914 |
| Belgium | 170 | 169 | 177 | + 0.6 | - 4.0 | 59 Local- ities | 1921 |
| Canada | 78.4 | 78.2 | 76.9 | + 0.3 | + 2.0 | 69 Local- ities | 1926 |
| China | 78.7 | 75.1 | 79.9 | + 4.8 | - 1.5 | Peiping | 1927 |
| Czecho- slovakia | 69.3 | 69.5 | 69.6 | - 0.3 | - 0.4 | Prague | July, 1914 |
| Denmark | 166 | - | 160 | - | + 3.8 | 100 Local- ities | July, 1914 |
| Egypt | 127 | 125 | 124 | + 1.6 | + 2.4 | Cairo | Jan., 1913-July, 1914 |
| Estonia | 88 | 88 | 89 | unchanged | - 1.1 | Tallinn | 1913 |
| Finland | 126 | 126 | 131 | " | - 3.8 | 21 Towns | Jan.-June, 1914 |
| France | 76.4 | 77.5 | 79.8 | - 1.4 | - 4.3 | Foods, Paris | 1930 |
| Germany | 122.9 | 121.5 | 118.7 | + 1.2 | + 3.5 | 72 Towns | 1913-14 |
| Hungary | 91 | 92 | 90 | - 1.1 | + 1.1 | Budapest | 1913 |
| India | 97 | 95 | 103 | + 2.1 | - 5.8 | Bombay | July, 1914 |
| Italy | 69.1 | 69.1 | 74.3 | unchanged | - 7.0 | 50 Towns | June, 1927 |
| Japan | 147 | 148 | 143 | - 0.7 | + 2.8 | Tokio | July, 1914 |
| Netherlands | 140 | - | 137 | - | + 2.2 | Amsterdam | 1911-1913 |
| Norway | 148 | 148 | 148 | unchanged | unchanged | 31 Towns | July, 1914 |
| Peru | 150 | 151 | 151 | - 0.7 | - 0.7 | Lima | 1913 |
| Poland | 65.9 | 65.8 | 72.3 | + 0.2 | - 8.9 | Warsaw | 1928 |
| Sweden | 155 | - | 153 | - | + 1.3 | 49 Towns | July, 1914 |
| Switzerland | 129 | 129 | 131 | unchanged | - 1.5 | 34 Towns | June, 1914 |
| United Kingdom | 141 | 138 | 138 | + 2.2 | + 2.2 | 68-509 Localities | July, 1914 |
| United States | 79.1 | 78.8 | 75.2 | + 0.4 | + 5.2 | 51-173 Localities | 1923 |

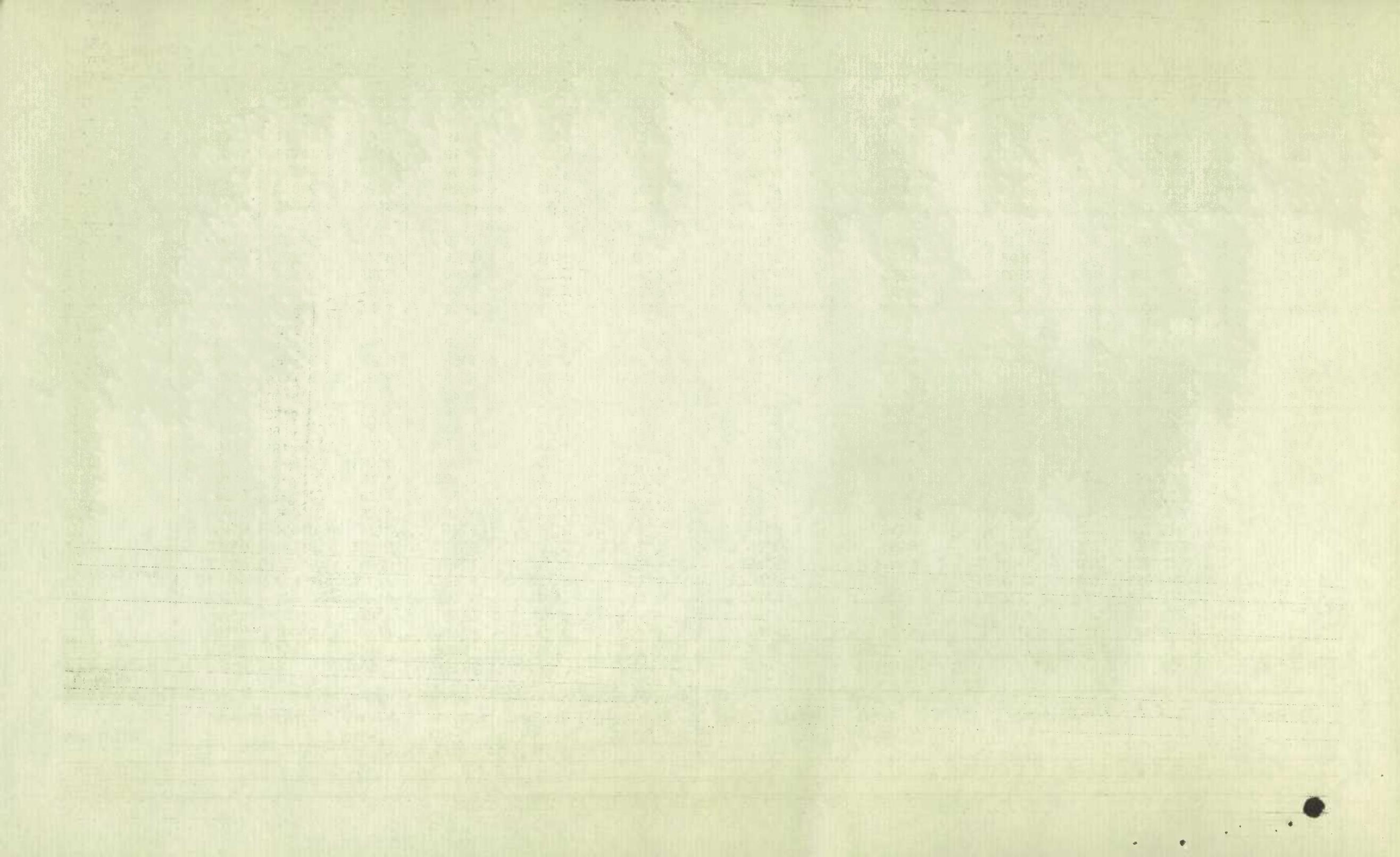


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|--------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|------------|---------------|---------|-----------|---------|
| COUNTRY | Dominion Bureau of Statistics | | Irving Fisher | | | Bureau of Labor Statistics | Bradstreet | | Dun | Annalist | |
| Authority | General Index | Consumers' Goods | Producers' Goods | Raw and Partly Mfd. Goods | Fully and Chiefly Mfd. Goods | | | | | | |
| No. of Commodities | 567 (c) | 204 | 351 | 232 | 276 | 200 | 784(b) | 106 | 200 | 72 Series | |
| Base | 1926 | 1913 | 1926 | 1926 | 1926 | 1926 | 1926 | 1913 | 1913 | 1913 | 1913 |
| 1913 | 64.0 | 100.0 | 61.9 | 67.4 | 63.8 | 64.8 | 69.8 | 9.2115 | 100 | 120.887 | 100 |
| 1914 | 65.5 | 102.3 | 62.7 | 69.7 | 66.5 | 65.5 | 68.1 | 8.9034 | 97 | 122.211 | 101 |
| 1918 | 127.4 | 199.0 | 107.0 | 131.5 | 120.7 | 127.6 | 131.3 | 18.7117 | 203 | 229.220 | 190 |
| 1919 | 134.0 | 209.2 | 118.7 | 139.0 | 131.5 | 132.5 | 138.6 | 18.6642 | 203 | 230.846 | 190 |
| 1920 | 155.9 | 213.5 | 140.0 | 163.1 | 155.7 | 156.8 | 154.4 | 18.8095 | 204 | 248.721 | 205 |
| 1921 | 110.0 | 171.8 | 108.0 | 112.8 | 107.5 | 116.7 | 97.6 | 11.3696 | 123 | 170.451 | 141 |
| 1922 | 97.3 | 152.0 | 95.1 | 99.1 | 94.8 | 100.5 | 96.7 | 12.1185 | 132 | 171.660 | 142 |
| 1923 | 98.0 | 153.0 | 93.7 | 97.8 | 91.1 | 103.1 | 101.1 | 13.4028 | 146 | 189.787 | 157 |
| 1924 | 99.4 | 155.2 | 93.2 | 99.5 | 94.8 | 101.9 | 98.9 | 12.3672 | 140 | 189.322 | 157 |
| 1925 | 102.6 | 160.2 | 97.2 | 104.9 | 100.8 | 103.8 | 105.2 | 13.9445 | 151 | 197.694 | 164 |
| 1926 | 100.0 | 156.2 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | (b) 100.0 | 13.0207 | 141 | 189.398 |
| 1927 | 97.7 | 152.6 | 95.7 | 98.5 | 99.9 | 96.5 | 94.2 | 12.7787 | 139 | 187.092 | 155 |
| 1928 | 96.4 | 150.6 | 95.6 | 96.7 | 97.4 | 95.0 | 97.9 | 13.2823 | 144 | 194.521 | 161 |
| 1929 | 95.6 | 149.3 | 94.7 | 96.3 | 97.5 | 93.0 | 96.3 | 12.6727 | 138 | 191.043 | 158 |
| 1930 | 86.6 | 135.3 | 89.3 | 82.8 | 82.2 | 37.3 | 86.3 | 10.7451 | 117 | 174.453 | 144 |
| 1931 | 72.1 | 112.6 | 76.5 | 67.8 | 61.9 | 74.9 | 71.4 | 8.7604 | 95 | 147.353 | 122 |
| 1932 | 66.7 | 104.2 | 71.3 | 63.1 | 55.0 | 69.8 | 61.6 | 7.0949 | 77 | 134.303 | 111 |
| 1933 | 67.1 | 104.8 | 71.1 | 63.1 | 56.6 | 70.2 | 64.6 | 7.8557 | 85 | 144.661 | 120 |
| 1933 | | | | | | | | (a) | (a) | (a) | (a) |
| August | 69.5 | 108.6 | 72.3 | 67.4 | 60.7 | 71.8 | 70.5 | 9.0095 | 98 | 156.134 | 129 |
| September | 68.9 | 107.6 | 72.3 | 66.3 | 59.9 | 71.6 | 71.2 | 8.9918 | 98 | 160.265 | 133 |
| October | 67.9 | 106.1 | 72.3 | 64.3 | 57.7 | 71.2 | 71.6 | 9.0512 | 98 | 162.632 | 135 |
| November | 68.9 | 107.6 | 72.8 | 65.1 | 58.9 | 71.6 | 71.7 | 8.8480 | 96 | 160.433 | 133 |
| December | 69.0 | 107.8 | 73.3 | 65.1 | 58.8 | 71.9 | 71.7 | 8.8126 | 96 | 159.491 | 132 |
| 1934 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 70.6 | 110.3 | 74.2 | 65.9 | 61.0 | 73.0 | 72.3 | 72.2 | 8.8329 | 96 | 162.309 |
| February | 72.1 | 112.6 | 75.9 | 66.9 | 62.9 | 74.5 | 73.7 | 73.6 | 9.0110 | 98 | 164.530 |
| March | 72.0 | 112.5 | 75.8 | 66.9 | 62.1 | 75.0 | 74.3 | 73.7 | 9.2627 | 101 | 165.026 |
| April | 71.1 | 111.1 | 74.3 | 66.6 | 61.3 | 73.8 | 73.3 | 73.3 | 9.1697 | 100 | 163.415 |
| May | 71.1 | 111.1 | 73.3 | 67.2 | 62.2 | 72.7 | 75.2 | 73.7 | 9.1552 | 99 | 161.331 |
| June | 72.1 | 112.6 | 74.3 | 69.0 | 64.5 | 73.1 | 77.3 | 74.6 | 9.1404 | 99 | 163.985 |
| July | 72.0 | 112.5 | 73.9 | 69.3 | 64.7 | 73.2 | | 74.8 | 9.2351 | 100 | 167.156 |
| August | 72.3 | 112.9 | 73.9 | 70.1 | 65.3 | 73.6 | | 9.3216 | 101 | 167.912 | 139 |

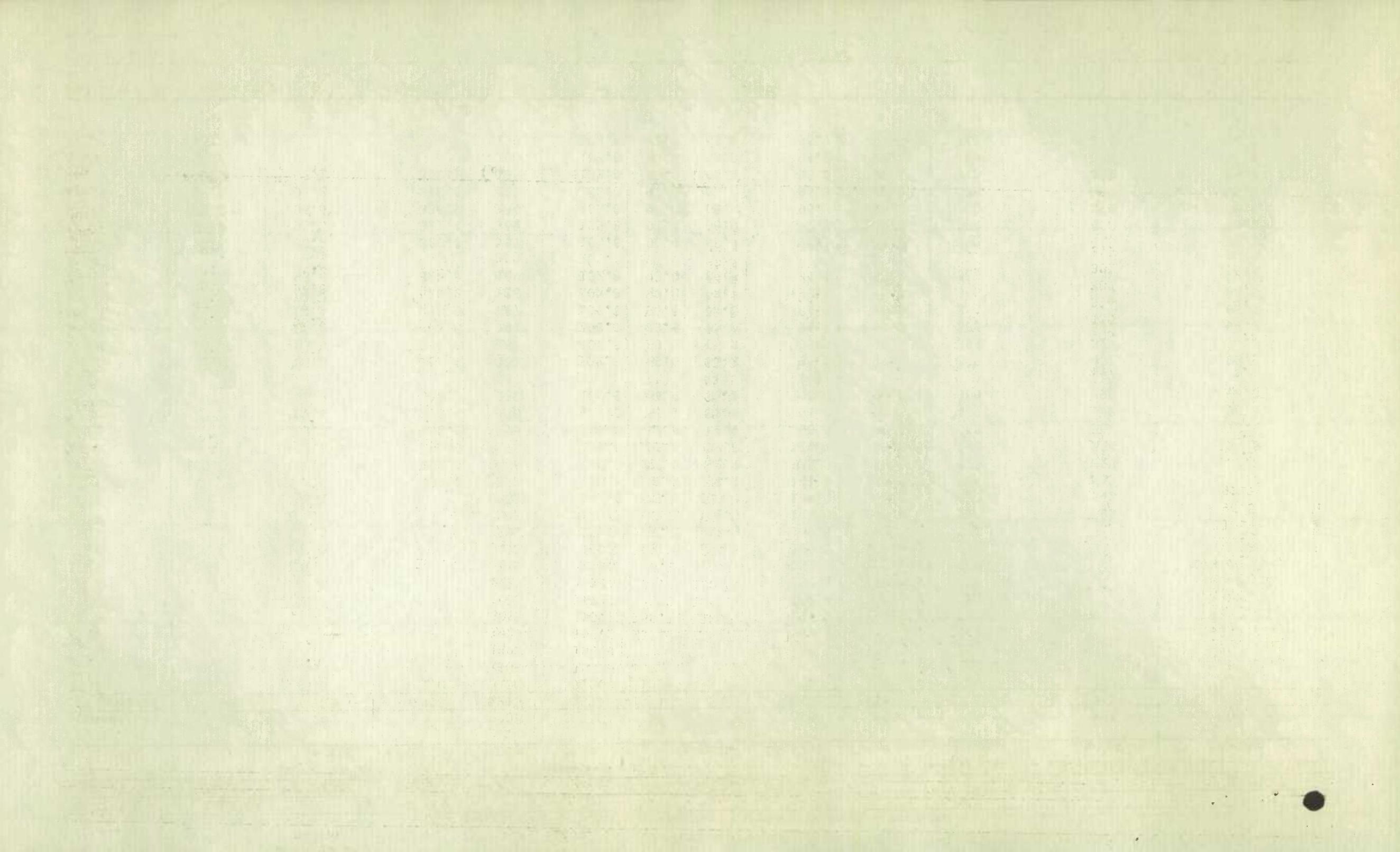
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| | MEXICO | ARGENTINE | CHILE | PERU | Board of Trade | UNITED KINGDOM | | FRANCE | | GERMANY | |
| COUNTRY | Official | Banco de la Nacion | Official | Official | Economist | Statist | Times | Statistique Générale | Statistique Générale | Federal Statistical Office | |
| Authority | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No. of | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Commodities | 32 | 108 | | 58 | 150 | 58 | 58 | 45 | 60 | 45 | 126 |
| Base period | 1929 | 1926 | 1913 | 1913 | 1913 | 1913 | 1927 | 1913 | 1913 | July, 1914 | 1913 |
| 1913 | | 75.5 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | | 100 | 100 | | 100 |
| 1914 | | | 104 | | | | | | 102 | July | 99 |
| 1918 | | | 212 | | | | 226.5 | | 346 | | 208 |
| 1919 | | | 220 | | | | 241.9 | | 364 | | 339 |
| 1920 | | | 239 | 307.3 | | | 295.3 | 251.2(d) | 520 | | 1367 |
| 1921 | | 108.2 | | 205 | 197.2 | | 182.4 | 162.1(d) | 352 | | 1428 |
| 1922 | | 98.5 | | 190 | 158.8 | | 154.1 | 158.6(d) | 334 | | 10059 |
| 1923 | | 101.8 | | 189 | 158.9 | | 151.8 | 169.1(d) | 428 | | 7478700 |
| 1924 | | 109.5 | | 192 | 166.2 | 158.9 | 115.7 | 164.0 | 499 | | 137.3 (a) |
| 1925 | | 110.9 | | 202 | 159.1 | 155.1 | 112.0 | 159.5 | 152.8(d) | 561 | |
| 1926 | | 100.0 | | 203 | 148.1 | 143.2 | 104.0 | 148.0 | 142.1(d) | 718 | 695 |
| 1927 | | 98.1 | | 203 | 141.6 | 137.6 | 100.0 | 144.0 | 141.9(d) | 630 | 642 |
| 1928 | | 98.5 | 192.5 | 192 | 140.3 | 135.1 | 98.1 | 141.2 | 137.5(d) | 634 | 645 |
| 1929 | 100.0 | 96.4 | 192.4 | 186 | 136.5 | 127.2 | 92.4 | 135.3 | 128.8(d) | 623 | 627 |
| 1930 | - | 92.2 | 166.9 | 178 | 119.5 | 106.8 | 77.6 | 114.1 | 103.2(d) | 543 | 554 |
| 1931 | - | 89.0 | 152.2 | 175 | 104.2 | 89.3 | 64.9 | 96.5 | 99.5(d) | 462 | 502 |
| 1932 | - | 89.5 | 230.4 | 170 | 101.6 | 86.1 | 62.6 | 94.0 | 94.3(d) | 407 | 427 |
| 1933 | - | 85.9 | 346.0 | 180 | 100.9 | 86.9 | 63.1 | 93.7 | 98.2(d) | 388 | 398 |
| 1933 | | | (c) | | (b) | (b) | (b) | | | | (b) |
| July | 93.8 | 86.5 | 353.2 | 181 | 102.3 | 89.9 | 65.3 | 96.1 | 97.9 | 397 | 401 |
| August | 92.3 | 85.9 | 355.8 | 182 | 102.5 | 89.7 | 65.2 | 95.5 | 99.5 | 394 | 397 |
| September | 91.8 | 85.0 | 351.5 | 184 | 103.0 | 89.5 | 65.0 | 94.9 | 98.3 | 386 | 397 |
| October | 91.4 | 84.5 | 338.5 | 187 | 102.6 | 88.1 | 64.0 | 94.7 | 98.6 | 384 | 397 |
| November | 91.4 | 84.8 | 330.2 | 186 | 102.8 | 86.8 | 63.1 | 93.3 | 97.6 | 383 | 403 |
| December | 92.8 | 93.6 | 322.0 | 187 | 102.8 | 88.0 | 63.9 | 94.1 | 98.2 | 389 | 407 |
| 1934 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 93.6 | 96.2 | 328.6 | 187 | 104.6 | 90.4 | 65.7 | 97.1 | 101.5 | 388 | 405 |
| February | 94.9 | 95.5 | 331.4 | 187 | 105.3 | 90.6 | 65.9 | 97.1 | 100.8 | 384 | 400 |
| March | 95.2 | 96.6 | 336.9 | 184 | 103.8 | 90.0 | 65.4 | 96.7 | 99.2 | 380 | 394 |
| April | 97.8 | 96.2 | 342.6 | 187 | 102.8 | 90.0 | 65.4 | 95.3 | 98.9 | 378 | 387 |
| May | 95.6 | 97.1 | 343.1 | 188 | 102.4 | 90.0 | 65.4 | 95.4 | 99.1 | 372 | 381 |
| June | 94.1 | | | 190 | 103.6 | 89.9 | 65.3 | 94.9 | 97.6 | 363 | 379 |
| July | 95.1 | | | 189 | 103.4 | 91.0 | 66.2 | 96.9 | 99.6 | 361 | 374 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 98.9 |

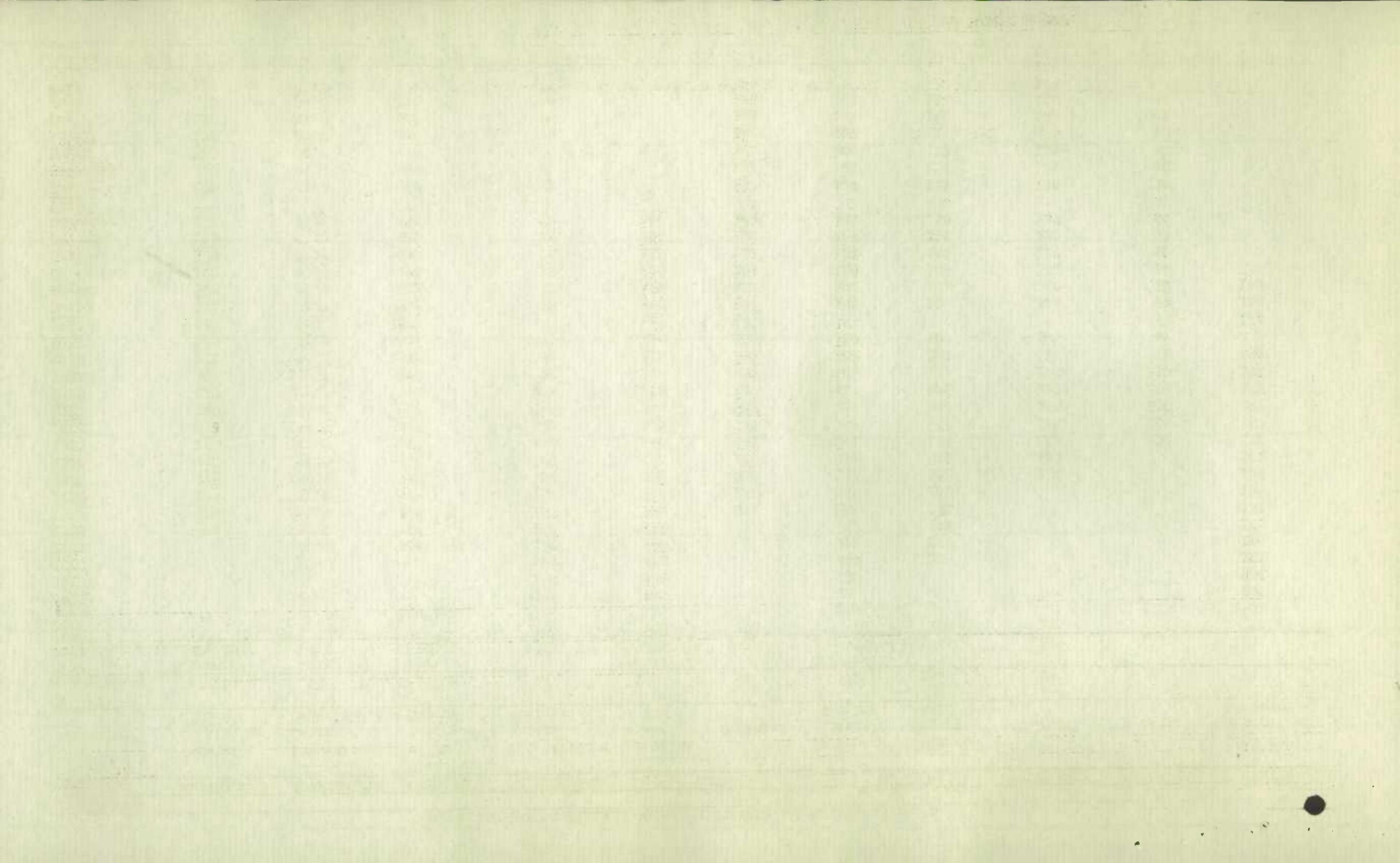
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| | AUSTRIA | SWITZERLAND | BELGIUM | NETHERLANDS | NORWAY | | SWEDEN | | DENMARK | ALDANIA | SPAIN |
| Authority | Federal Statistical Office | Federal Labour Department | Ministry of Industry & Labour | Central Bureau of Statistics | Ekonomisk Revue | Official | Gotabergs Handels Tidning | Commerce Department | Official | Official | Director General of Statistics. |
| No. of Commodities | 47 (b) | 78 | 130 | 48 | 100 | 95 | 47 | 160 | 118 | 23 | 74 |
| Base Period | January-July, 1914 | July, 1914 | April, 1914 | 1913 | Dec. 31/13-June 30/14 | 1913 | July 1/13-June 30/14 | 1913 | 1913 | 1927 | 1913 |
| 1913 | | | | 100 | 100 | 100 | | 100 | 100 | | 100 |
| 1914 | | 100 July | 100 April | | 109 | 115 | 116 | | | | 101 |
| 1918 | | | | | 376 | 345 | 339 | | | | 207 |
| 1919 | | | | | 304 | 322 | 330 | | | | 204 |
| 1920 | | | | | 292 | 382 | 347 | 359 | | | 221 |
| 1921 | | 200.1 | 366 (c) | | 182 | 298 | 211 | 222 | | | 190 |
| 1922 | 99 | 157.9 | 367 | | 160 | 233 | 162 | 173 | | | 176 |
| 1923 | 124 | 169.9 | 497 | | 151 | 233 | 232 | 157 | 163 | | 172 |
| 1924 | 136 | 171.2 | 573 | | 156 | 269 | 268 | 155 | 162 | | 183 |
| 1925 | 136 | 160.5 | 558 | | 155 | 251 | 253 | 157 | 161 | 210 | 188 |
| 1926 | 123 | 144.5 | 744 | | 145 | 196 | 198 | 144 | 149 | 163 | 181 |
| 1927 | 133 | 142.2 | 847 | | 148 | 160 | 167 | 141 | 146 | 153 | 172 |
| 1928 | 130 | 144.6 | 843 | | 149 | 155 | 157 (e) | 144 | 148 | 153 | 167 |
| 1929 | 130 | 141.2 | 851 | | 142 | 148 | 149 | 134 | 140 | 150 | 171 |
| 1930 | 117 | 126.5 | 744 | | 117 | 138 | 137 | 115 | 122 | 130 | 88 |
| 1931 | 109 | 109.7 | 626 | | 97 | 123 | 122 | 105 | 111 | 114 | 90 |
| 1932 | 112 | 96.0 | 532 | | 79 | 125 | 122 | 101 | 109 | 117 | 74 |
| 1933 | 108 | 91.0 | 501 | | 74 | 124 | 122 | 100 | 107 | 125 | 57 |
| 1933 | (d) | (a) | (f) | | (a) | (d) | | | | (a) | (d) |
| July | 111 | 91.7 | 506 | | 73 | 126 | 121 | 103 | 108 | 125 | 55 |
| August | 108 | 90.9 | 501 | | 73 | 126 | 122 | 102 | 108 | 126 | 53 |
| September | 108 | 90.8 | 496 | | 75 | 126 | 123 | 100 | 109 | 128 | 52 |
| October | 109 | 90.7 | 489 | | 75 | 125 | 123 | 101 | 109 | 127 | 52 |
| November | 108 | 91.0 | 485 | | 76 | 124 | 122 | 101 | 110 | 128 | 53 |
| December | 108 | 91.3 | 484 | | 77 | 124 | 122 | 102 | 110 | 129 | 54 |
| 1934 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 109 | 91.8 | 484 | | 79 | | 120 | 104 | 112 | 130 | 52 |
| February | 110 | 91.4 | 483 | | 80 | | 122 | 106 | 112 | 131 | 50 |
| March | 113 | 90.9 | 478 | | 79 | | 122 | 106 | 112 | 129 | 50 |
| April | 112 | 89.6 | 474 | | 79 | | 123 | 107 | 113 | 128 | 50 |
| May | 110 | 89.0 | 470 | | 77 | | 123 | 106 | 113 | 128 | 49 |
| June | 110 | 89.0 | 472 | | 76 | | 123 | 107 | 114 | 128 | 51 |
| July | 110 | 88.9 | 471 | | 77 | | 124 | | | 129 | |

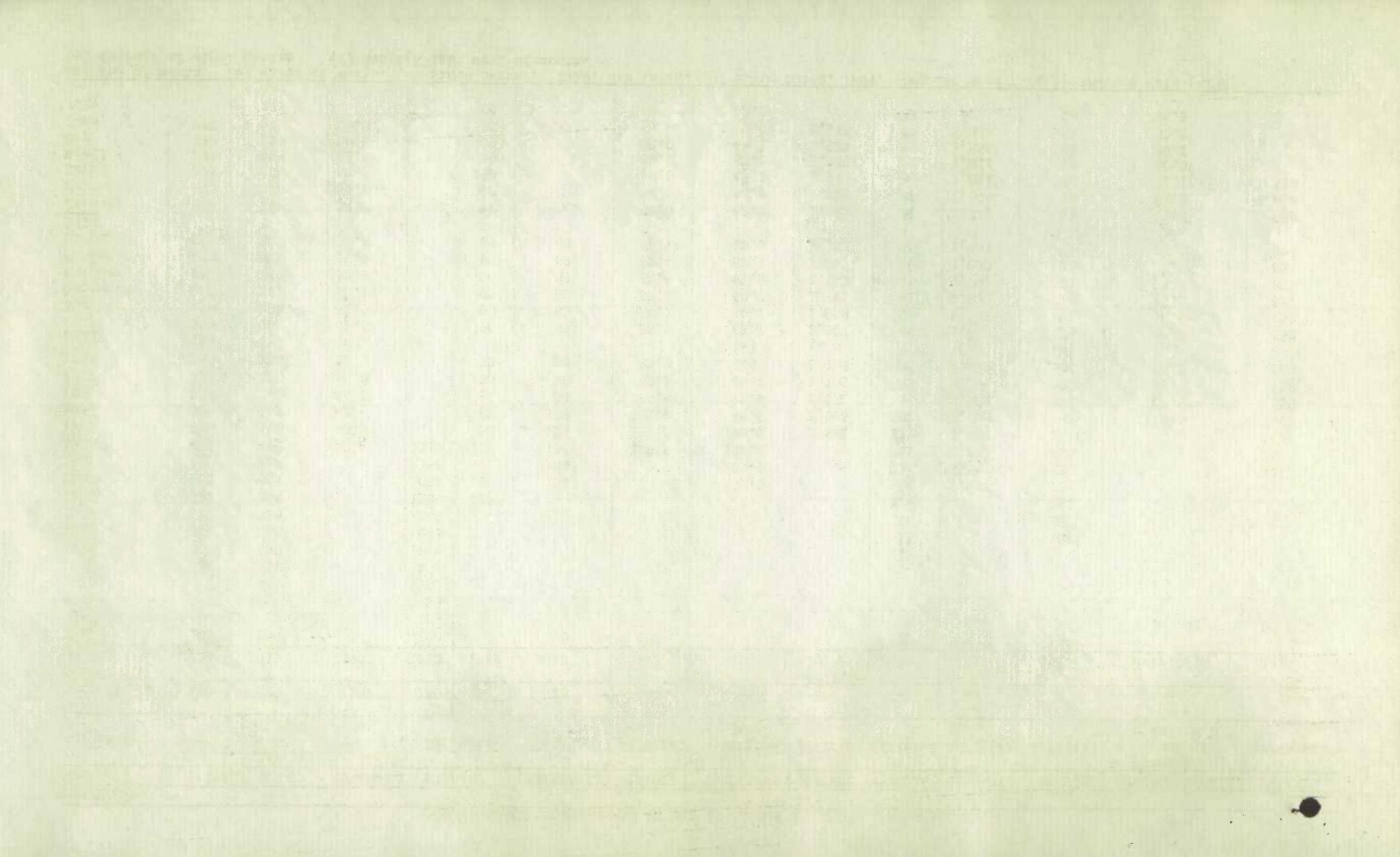
(a) End of month. (b) No. of commodities changed from 42 to 47. (c) Average of 5 mos. (d) Fifteenth of month. (e) New series beginning 1928. (f) Second half of month.



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| CONTINENT | EUROPE | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|--------|---------------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|----------|------------------|----------|-------------------------|----------|----------|------------------------------------|------------|---------------|
| | ITALY | | POLAND | FINLAND | LITHUANIA | LATVIA | YUGOSLAVIA | GREECE | ESTONIA | BULGARIA | HUNGARY | CZECHOSLOVAKIA | TURKEY | |
| Authority | Bachi | Milan Chamber of Commerce | Commerce Reports | Official | Official | Official | National Bank | Official | Official | Official | Official | General Bureau of Statistics | Official | |
| No. of Commodities | 150 | 125 | 233 | 135 | 139 | 88 | 61 | 55 | 60 | 44 | 55 | 52 | 126 | 52 |
| Base Period | 1913 | 1913 | 1928 | 1913 | 1926 | 1913 | 1913 | 1926 | Jan. 1913 July, 1914 | 1913 | 1914 | 1913 | July, 1914 | 1913- 1914 |
| 1913 | 100 | 100 | | 100 | | 100 | 100 | | | 100 | | 100 | | |
| 1914 | | | | 103 | | | | | | | 100 | | | |
| 1919 | | | | 733 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1920 | | | | 1183 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1921 | 531 | 517(e) | | 1263 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1922 | 503 | 529 | | 1219 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1923 | 512 | 536 | | 1095 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1924 | 512 | 554 | | 1100 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1925 | 596 | 646 | | 1129 (d) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1926 | 603 | 654 | | 1083 | 100 | 134 | | 100.0 | | 114 | 2,947 | 124 | | |
| 1927 | 495 | 527 | | 1133 | 101 | 134 | | 103.4 | | 114 | 3,017 | 132 | | 1262 |
| 1928 | 462 | 491 | 100.0 | 1110 | 102 | 134 | 128.6 | 106.2 | | 121 | 3,237 | 135 | | 1296 |
| 1929 | 445 | 481 | 96.3 | | 98 | 129 | 119.9 | 100.6 | 1,811 | 117 | 3,447 | 121(c) | | 1316 |
| 1930 | 383 | 411 | 85.5 | | 90 | 108 | 101.9 | 86.6 | 1,646 | 102 | 2,788 | 96 | 118.6 | 1000 |
| 1931 | 328 | 342 | 74.6 | | 84 | 94 | 84.8 | 72.9 | 1,471 | 91 | 2,332 | 95 | 107.9 | 859 |
| 1932 | 304 | 310 | 65.5 | | 90 | 76 | 85.1 | 65.2 | 1,766 | 83 | 2,071 | 92 | 99.7 | 738 |
| 1933 | 280 | 283 | 59.1 | | 39 | 68 | 83.7 | 64.4 | 1,997 | 85 | 1,821 | 76 | 96.2 | 648 |
| 1933 | (a) | (f) | (a) | | | | | (a) | | | (f) | (a) | (b) | |
| July | 279 | 283 | 60.6 | | 90 | 65 | 83.7 | 63.7 | 2,007 | 89 | 1,845 | 73 | 97.4 | 652 |
| August | 278 | 282 | 57.9 | | 90 | 63 | 84.7 | 60.7 | 2,008 | 91 | 1,795 | 71 | 96.5 | 638 |
| September | 276 | 281 | 58.1 | | 90 | 63 | 83.6 | 60.7 | 1,985 | 91 | 1,839 | 70 | 96.2 | 637 |
| October | 274 | 277 | 57.9 | | 90 | 63 | 82.8 | 61.5 | 1,963 | 90 | 1,798 | 71 | 95.7 | 625 |
| November | 273 | 275 | 57.6 | | 90 | 63 | 82.4 | 63.1 | 1,957 | 89 | 1,830 | 70 | 95.0 | 624 |
| December | 275 | 277 | 57.6 | | 89 | 63 | 82.7 | 62.3 | 1,963 | 89 | 1,793 | 71 | 94.6 | 625 |
| 1934 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 276 | 278 | 57.8 | | 90 | | 84.0 | 62.9 | 1,975 | 88 | 1,742 | 71 | 94.6 | 635 |
| February | 275 | 276 | 57.6 | | 90 | | 84.0 | 63.6 | 1,970 | 89 | 1,844 | 74 | 94.3 | 634 |
| March | 275 | 275 | 57.3 | | 90 | | 83.0 | 63.3 | 1,945 | 88 | 1,818 | 74 | 81.1(d) | 638 |
| April | 273 | 275 | 56.7 | | 89 | | 82.0 | 63.0 | 1,936 | 87 | 1,816 | 75 | 80.8 | |
| May | 273 | 274 | 56.1 | | 89 | | 82.0 | 64.1 | 1,928 | 85 | 1,858 | 83 | 80.2 | |
| June | 272 | 275 | 55.8 | | 89 | | | 65.6 | 1,936 | 85 | 1,853 | 81 | 80.5 | |
| July | 273 | | | | 89 | | | 62.8 | | 83 | | 79 | 85.3 | |

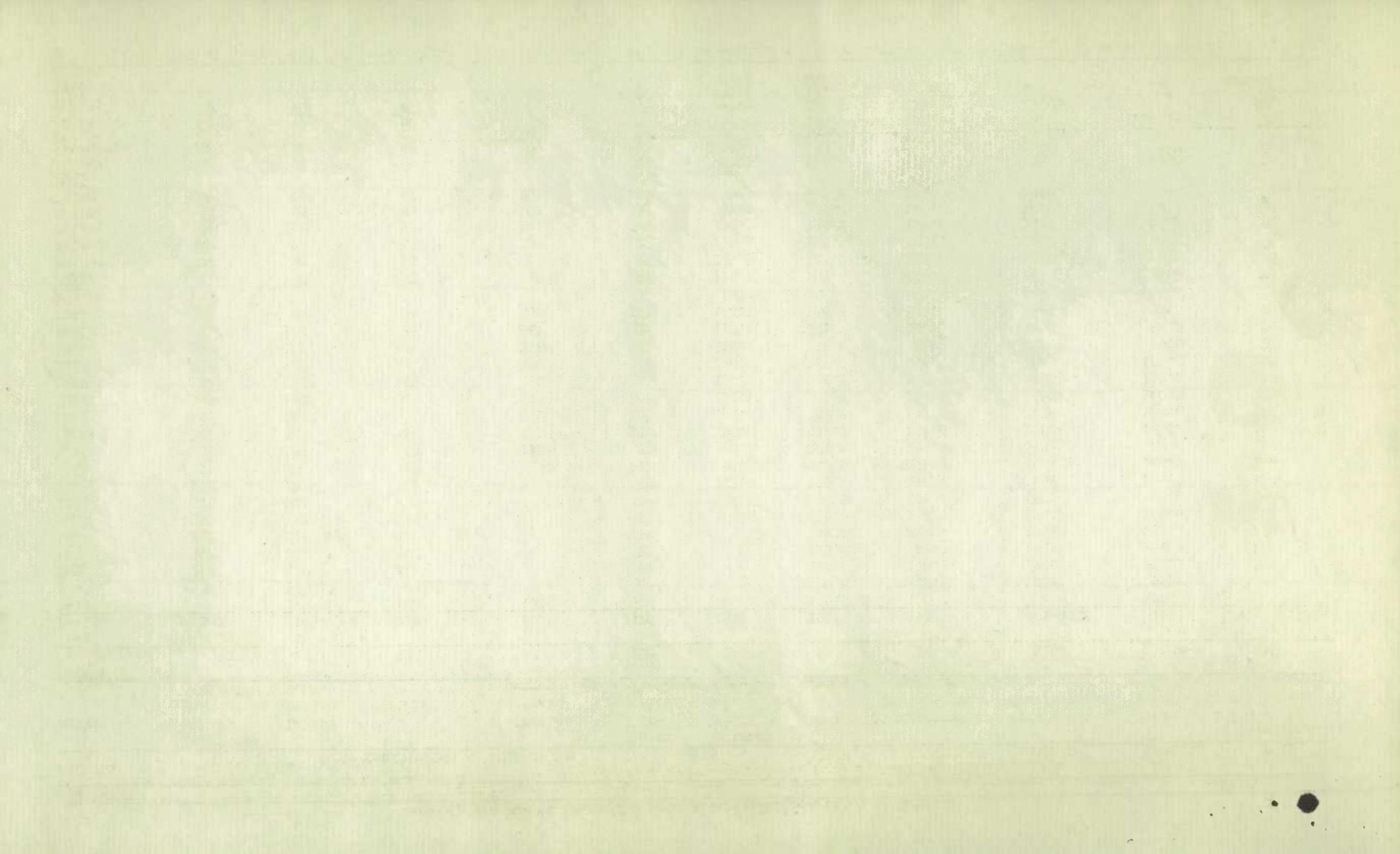
(a) End of month. (b) First of month. (c) Since January, 1929, new index. (d) Since March, 1934, compiled according to the new gold parity.
 (e) Average of eight months. (f) Average last week of month.



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| CONTINENT | ASIA | | | | | | ROMANIA | | | AFRICA | |
|--------------------|--|----------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------------|---|--|---------------------|---|----------------------------|------------------------------------|---|
| | INDIA | | DUTCH EAST INDIES | INDO-CHINA | CHINA | | JAPAN | COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA | NEW ZEALAND | SOUTH AFRICA | EGYPT |
| Authority | Department of Statistics Calcutta | Labour Office Bombay | Official | Statistique Générale Saigon | Ministry of In- dustries North-China | National Tariff Commission Shanghai | Bank of Japan | Commonwealth Statistician Melbourne | Government Statistician | Census and Statistics Office | Depart- ment of Statistics Cairo |
| No. of Commodities | 72 | 43 | 92 | 37 | 100 | 154 | 56 | 92 | 180 | 188 | 23 |
| Base Period | July, 1914 | July, 1914 | 1913 | 1913 | 1926 | 1926 | 1913 | 1913 | 1909-1913 | 1913 | Jan. 1, 1913-July 31, 1914 |
| 1913 | | | 100 | 100 | 68 | | 100.0 | 100.0 | | | 100.0 |
| 1914 | 100(a) | 100(a) | 98(a) | | 67 | | 95.5 | 105.6 | 1053 | | 96.9 |
| 1918 | 178 | 239 | 215 | | 82 | | 195.8 | 177.8 | 1705 | | 153.1 |
| 1919 | 196 | 223 | 248 | | 81 | | 235.9 | 188.9 | 1782 | | 164.8 |
| 1920 | 201 | 216 | 279 | | 89 | | 259.4 | 227.9 | 2092 | | 223.3 |
| 1921 | 178 | 198 | 191 | | 89 | 104.6 | 200.4 | 174.9 | 1942 | | 160.4 |
| 1922 | 176 | 187 | 170 | | 87 | 98.6 | 195.8 | 161.6 | 1665 | | 128.4 |
| 1923 | 172 | 181 | 173 | | 90 | 102.0 | 199.1 | 178.7 | 1598 | | 126.6 |
| 1924 | 173 | 182 | 173 | | 93 | 97.9 | 206.5 | 173.3 | 1634 | | 128.7 |
| 1925 | 159 | 163 | 166 | 132 | 97 | 99.3 | 201.7 | 169.5 | 1627 | | 127.6 |
| 1926 | 148 | 149 | 159 | 131 | 100 | 100.0 | 178.9 | 168.4 | 1553 | | 123.3 |
| 1927 | 148 | 147 | 154 | 142 | 103 | 104.4 | 169.8 | 167.0 | 1478 | | 124.0 |
| 1928 | 145 | 146 | 149 | 144 | 108 | 101.7 | 170.9 | 164.7 | 1492 | | 120.7 |
| 1929 | 141 | 145 | 148 | 150 | 111 | 104.5 | 166.2 | 165.7 | 1488 | | 115.1 |
| 1930 | 116 | 126 | 134 | 150 | 116 | 114.8 | 137.0 | 146.7 | 1449 | | 102.6 |
| 1931 | 96 | 109 | 105 | 128 | 123 | 126.7 | 115.6 | 131.3 | (e) 1346 | | 99.5 |
| 1932 | 91 | 109 | 85 | 117 | 113 | 112.4(d) | 121.7 | 129.7 | | | 97.84 |
| 1933 | 87 | 98 | 74 | 108 | 101 | 103.4 | 135.6 | 129.5 | 1315 | | 91.5 |
| 1933 | (b) | | | | | (c) | | | (c) | | 70 |
| July | 91 | 100 | 72 | 110 | 102 | 103.4 | 137.6 | 133.7 | 1327 | | 95.3 |
| August | 89 | 98 | 71 | 110 | 99 | 101.7 | 136.0 | 134.6 | 1325 | | 68 |
| September | 88 | 98 | 69 | 107 | 97 | 100.4 | 137.8 | 136.1 | 1317 | | 68 |
| October | 88 | 98 | 68 | 106 | 95 | 100.3 | 136.3 | 132.8 | 1317 | | 73 |
| November | 88 | 96 | 68 | 103 | 94 | 99.9 | 135.0 | 130.0 | 1318 | | 75 |
| December | 89 | 95 | 67 | 104 | 93 | 98.4 | 132.6 | 132.0 | 1320 | | 73 |
| 1934 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 90 | 95 | 68 | 104 | 92 | 97.2 | 132.6 | 133.8 | 1336 | 106.0 | 76 |
| February | 89 | 95 | 69 | 103 | 92 | 98.0 | 134.1 | 133.5 | 1339 | - | 79 |
| March | 88 | 93 | 68 | 100 | 91 | 96.6 | 133.7 | 134.1 | 1340 | - | 79 |
| April | 89 | 93 | 68 | 99 | 89 | 94.6 | 133.7 | 135.2 | 1332 | 104.1 | 75 |
| May | 90 | 94 | 67 | 99 | 89 | 94.9 | 133.1 | 133.8 | 1340 | - | 81 |
| June | 90 | | | 99 | 89 | 95.7 | 131.9 | | 1337 | | 84 |
| July | | | | | | 97.1 | 131.6 | | | | 89 |
| August | | | | | | | | | | | |

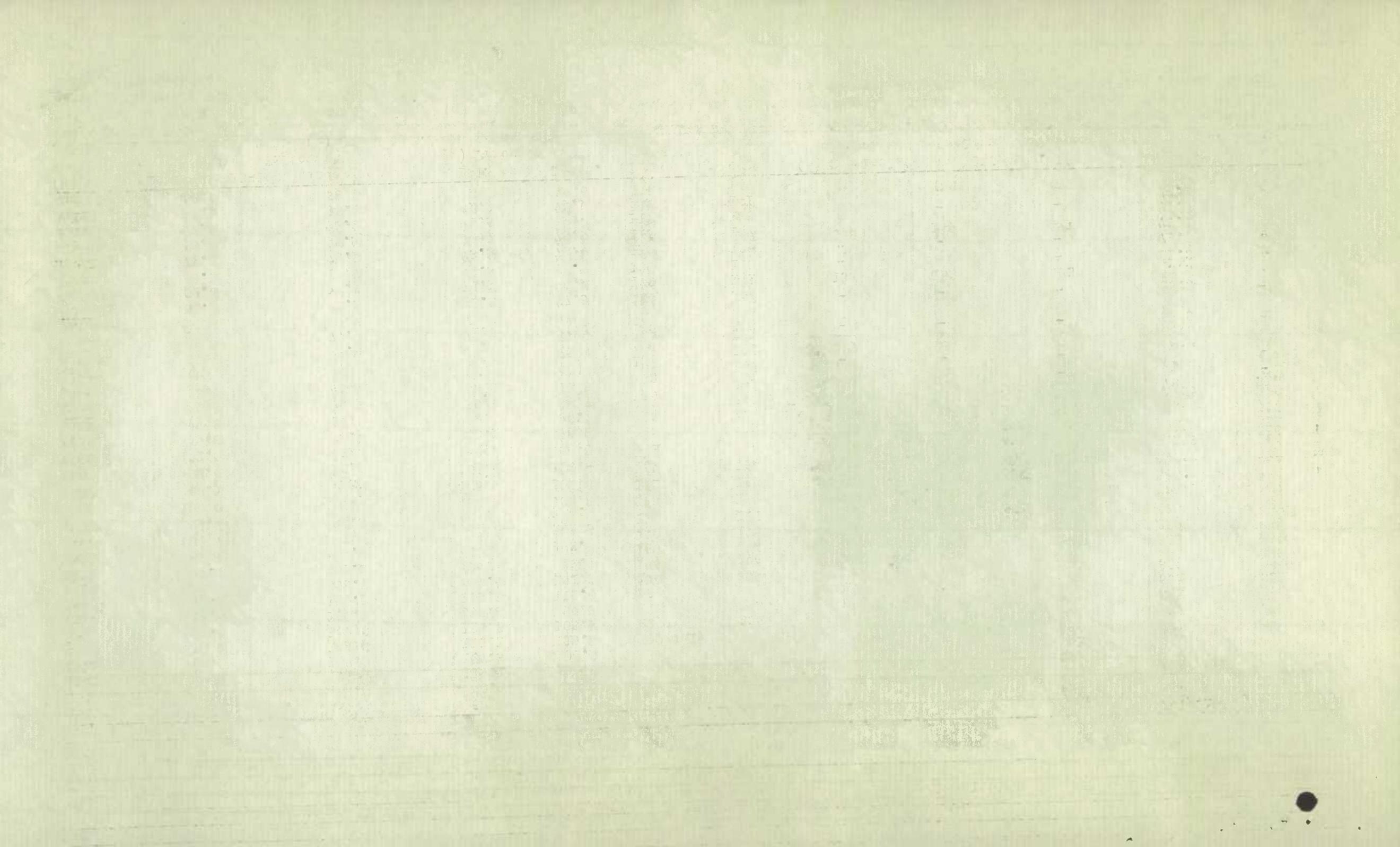
(a) July. (b) End of month. (c) Fifteenth of month. (d) Average for ten months only. (e) Revised since January, 1931. (f) Monthly average.



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| CONTINENT | NORTH AMERICA | | | | EUROPE | | | | | | |
|-------------|-------------------------------|----------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------|-----------|------------|----------|
| | CANADA | | UNITED STATES | | UNITED KINGDOM | | IRISH FREE STATE | | FRANCE | | |
| COUNTRY | Dominion Bureau of Statistics | | Bureau of Labor Statistics | National Industrial Conference | Ministry of Labour | | 105 Towns & Localities | | 300 Towns | Paris | Paris |
| | Foods | Cost of Living | Foods | Board Cost of Living | Foods | Cost of Living | Foods | Cost of Living | | | |
| Base Period | 1926 | 1926 | 1923(a) | 1923 | July, 1914 | | July, 1914 | | | July, 1914 | |
| 1913 | (c) | (c) | 68.4 | | | | | | (g) | (i) | (g) |
| 1914 | 68.9 | 66.0 | 70.0 | 60.2 | 100 July | 100 July | 100 July | 100 July | 100 July | 100 July | 100 July |
| 1918 | 114.6 | 97.4 | 115.1 | 96.4 | | | | | 238 | | |
| 1919 | 122.5 | 107.2 | 127.3 | 104.5 | | | | | 291 | 260 | |
| 1920 | 141.1 | 124.2 | 139.1 | 119.4 | | | | | 386 | 371 | 342 |
| 1921 | 107.9 | 109.2 | 104.8 | 102.7 | 230 | 226 | | | 374 | 337 | 309 |
| 1922 | 91.4 | 100.0 | 96.8 | 97.3 | 176 | 183 | 191 | 188 | 317 | 301 | 296 |
| 1923 | 92.1 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 169 | 174 | 188 | 184 | 349 | 332 | 334 |
| 1924 | 90.7 | 98.0 | 99.8 | 101.5 | 170 | 175 | 190 | 186 | 406 | 380 | 369 |
| 1925 | 94.7 | 99.3 | 107.7 | 103.8 | 171 | 176 | 193 | 190 | 450 | 425 | 400 |
| 1926 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 109.8 | 103.8 | 164 | 172 | 179 | 185 | 571 | 554 | 505 |
| 1927 | 98.1 | 98.4 | 106.4 | 101.6 | 160 | 168 | 170 | 175 | 559 | 556 | 514 |
| 1928 | 98.6 | 98.9 | 105.6 | 100.4 | 157 | 166 | 169 | 174 | 537 | 549 | 519 |
| 1929 | 101.0 | 99.9 | 107.2 | 100.0 | 154 | 164 | 169 | 176 | 609 | 102.2(h) | 556 |
| 1930 | 98.6 | 99.2 | 100.6 | 96.2 | 145 | 158 | 160 | 171 | 609 | 100.0 | 581 |
| 1931 | 77.3 | 89.6 | 83.1 | 86.7 | 130 | 147 | 147 | 161 | 605 | 98.8 | 569 |
| 1932 | 64.3 | 81.4 | 69.9 | 77.7 | 125 | 143 | 141 | 157 | 535 | 87.6 | 526 |
| 1933 | 63.7 | 77.7 | 68.1 | 74.8 | | 143 | 131 | 151 | 501 | | 520 |
| 1933 | (e) | (e) | (f) | (f) | (e) | (e) | (f) | (f) | (b) | (f) | (d) |
| August | 67.8 | 78.3 | 73.0 | 76.9 | 119 | 139 | 129 | 149 | 491 | 78.6 | 516 |
| September | 65.9 | 78.5 | 73.2 | 77.9 | 122 | 141 | - | - | - | 81.9 | - |
| October | 65.4 | 77.6 | 73.4 | 78.0 | 123 | 141 | - | - | - | 83.0 | - |
| November | 65.8 | 77.8 | 73.0 | 77.8 | 126 | 143 | 140 | 156 | 504 | 83.1 | 526 |
| December | 66.6 | 77.9 | 71.7 | 77.3 | 126 | 143 | - | - | - | 83.5 | - |
| 1934 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 67.7 | 78.2 | 72.0 | 77.5 | 124 | 142 | - | - | - | 83.2 | - |
| February | 69.4 | 78.7 | 74.1 | 78.3 | 122 | 141 | 133 | 152 | 493 | 83.5 | 526 |
| March | 72.9 | 79.9 | 74.3 | 78.5 | 120 | 140 | - | - | - | 81.2 | - |
| April | 71.0 | 79.4 | 73.5 | 78.4 | 118 | 139 | - | - | - | 79.0 | - |
| May | 68.6 | 78.5 | 74.1 | 78.6 | 116 | 137 | - | 149 | 471 | 79.1 | 522 |
| June | 67.6 | 78.2 | 74.5 | 78.8 | 117 | 138 | - | - | - | 77.5 | - |
| July | 68.4 | 78.4 | 75.2 | 79.1 | 122 | 141 | - | - | - | 76.4 | - |
| August | 69.3 | 78.7 | | 123 | 142 | | | | | | |

(a) Original base, 1913=100. Index for 1923 on 1913 base, 146.2. (b) Monthly average. (c) Recalculated on 1926 base. (d) Average of quarter.
 (e) First of month. (f) Fifteenth of month. (g) Prior to 1929: 13 commodities, including alcohol and petroleum; corresponding figures for 1929:
 Paris, 611; other towns, 583. (h) Since 1929: 55 foodstuffs; base 1930. (i) 300 towns of more than 10,000 inhabitants, excluding Paris. Since
 1929: 29 foodstuffs.



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EUROPE

| CONTINENT | EUROPE | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------|--------------------|
| COUNTRY | GERMANY | | BELGIUM | | POLAND | | CZECHOSLOVAKIA | | GREECE | | HUNGARY | | BULGARIA | |
| Nature of Index | Cost of Living 72 Towns | Foods 72 | Cost of Living 72 Towns | Foods 59 Localities | Cost of Living Warsaw | Foods Warsaw | Cost of Living Prague | Foods Prague | Cost of Living 44 Towns | Foods 44 | Cost of Living Budapest | Foods Budapest | Cost of Living 12 (67) | Foods Towns (n) |
| Base Period | 1913/1914 | 1913/1914 | 1921 | 1921 | 1928 | 1928 | July, 1914 | July, 1914 | 1914 | 1914 | 1913 | 1913 | 1914 | 1914 |
| 1913 | | | | | (c) | (c) | (d) | (d) | (m) | | 100 | 100 | | |
| 1914 | | | | | | | 100(g) | 100(g) | 100 | 100 | | | 100 | 100 |
| 1920 | 1065(g) | 1252(g) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1921 | 1250(g) | 1491(g) | 100 | 100 | | | | | 398 | 393 | | | 1,409 | 1,766 |
| 1922 | 5392(g) | 6836(g) | 93 | 90 | | | | | 636 | 632 | | | 1,899 | 2,337 |
| 1923 | 3765100(g) | 4651000(g) | 109 | 106 | | | 692(f) | 769(f) | 1,181 | 1,213 | | | 1,868 | 2,399 |
| 1924 | (a)127.6 | (a)136.3 | 128 | 127 | | | 695 | 787 | 1,235 | 1,271 | 100(j) | 145(j) | 2,057 | 2,705 |
| 1925 | 139.8 | 147.8 | 136 | 137 | | | 724 | 827 | 1,414 | 1,455 | 112 | 132 | 2,339 | 3,024 |
| 1926 | 141.2 | 144.4 | 165 | 171 | | | 716 | 800 | 1,633 | 1,673 | 103 | 155 | 2,871 | 2,813 |
| 1927 | 147.6 | 151.9 | 203 | 208 | 99.5 | | 747 | 850 | 1,790 | 1,843 | 100 | 126 | 2,814 | 2,751 |
| 1928 | 151.7 | 152.3 | 208 | 207 | 100.0 | | 748 | 842 | 1,868 | 1,929 | 118 | 131 | 2,875 | 2,883 |
| 1929 | 153.8 | 154.5 | 220 | 218 | 101.4 | | 744 | 813 | 1,923 | 1,937 | 117 | 124 | 2,941 | 2,992 |
| 1930 | 147.3 | 142.9 | 228 | 209 | 94.4 | 83.7 | 746 | 782 | 1,682 | 1,719 | 106 | 105 | 2,690 | 2,439 |
| 1931 | 135.9 | 127.6 | 204 | 176 | 85.9 | 73.9 | 713 | 712 | 1,671(l) | 1,576(l) | 101 | 96 | 2,329 | 1,913 |
| 1932 | 120.9 | 112.3 | 184 | 150 | 78.2 | 64.9 | 700 | 677 | 1,773 | 1,697 | 98 | 91 | 2,137 | 1,765 |
| 1933 | 118.5 | 109.9 | 182 | | 71.2 | 58.0 | 693 | 657 | 1,903 | 1,857 | 91 | 81 | | 29 |
| 1933 | | (k) | (k) | (b) | (b) | (e) | (e) | | | | (b) | (b) | (h) | (h) |
| July | 118.7 | 110.5 | 177 | 144 | 72.3 | 60.4 | 696 | 662 | 1,886 | 1,837 | 90 | 79 | 1,976 | 1,687 |
| August | 118.4 | 110.2 | 179 | 147 | 68.9 | 55.3 | 689 | 651 | 1,905 | 1,871 | 90 | 78 | 1,970 | 1,673 |
| September | 119.0 | 111.1 | 182 | 151 | 69.7 | 56.0 | 687 | 644 | 1,903 | 1,870 | 89 | 77 | 1,970 | 1,673 |
| October | 119.8 | 112.3 | 183 | 153 | 69.6 | 55.9 | 687 | 644 | 1,907 | 1,855 | 87 | 74 | 1,974 | 1,681 |
| November | 120.4 | 113.4 | 183 | 154 | 69.5 | 55.9 | 688 | 647 | 1,915 | 1,855 | 87 | 72 | 1,950 | 1,706 |
| December | 120.9 | 114.2 | 183 | 154 | 69.9 | 56.5 | 681 | 634 | 1,950 | 1,917 | 88 | 74 | 1,959 | 1,728 |
| 1934 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 120.9 | 114.1 | 181 | 150 | 68.7 | 54.8 | 685 | 635 | 1,949 | 1,898 | 88 | 75 | 1,965 | 1,742 |
| February | 120.7 | 113.8 | 178 | 147 | 68.9 | 55.3 | 680 | 624 | 1,946 | 1,901 | 89 | 76 | 1,977 | 1,773 |
| March | 120.6 | 113.5 | 174 | 141 | 68.3 | 54.6 | 680 | 623 | 1,923 | 1,865 | 89 | 76 | 1,962 | 1,737 |
| April | 120.6 | 113.7 | 171 | - | 68.5 | 55.0 | 679 | 620 | 1,923 | 1,869 | 89 | 76 | 1,949 | 1,703 |
| May | 120.3 | 113.3 | 168 | 132 | 66.7 | 52.6 | 684 | 630 | 1,911 | 1,852 | 91 | 80 | 1,897 | 1,686 |
| June | 121.5 | 115.5 | 169 | 134 | 65.8 | 51.2 | 695 | 653 | 1,916 | | 92 | 80 | 1,894 | |
| July | 122.9 | 115.7 | 170 | 137 | 65.9 | . | 693 | | | | 91 | 79 | | |

(a) Since 1924, new series in Reichsmark prices. (b) Last week of month. (c) New series. (d) Since date of stabilization, gold index. (e) Middle week of month. (f) Average for last seven months. (g) July. (h) Monthly average. (j) December. (k) Fifteenth of month. (l) Prior to 1931: old series: 106 towns. (m) Prior to 1931: excluding clothing and rent. (n) Yearly figures 1921-1930: 65 towns, 1931-32: 67 towns, monthly figures, 12 towns.

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| CONTINENT COUNTRY | R. EUROPE | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|-------------------|
| | ROUMANIA | | YUGOSLAVIA | | ITALY | | AUSTRIA | | SWITZERLAND | | | |
| Nature of Index | Cost of Living 20 Towns | Foods 20 Towns | Cost of Living 3 Towns | Foods 3 Towns | Cost of Living Milan | Foods Milan | Cost of Living 50 Towns | Foods 50 Towns | Cost of Living Vienna | Foods Vienna | Cost of Living 34 Towns | Foods 34 Towns |
| Base Period | 1913 | 1913 | July, 1914 | July, 1914 | Jan.-June 1914 | Jan.-June 1914 | June, 1927 | June, 1927 | July, 1914 | July, 1914 | June, 1914 | June, 1914 |
| 1913 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | | (e) | (e) | | | | | | |
| 1914 | | | 1,000(h) | 1000(h) | | | | | 100(h) | 100(h) | 100(f) | 100(f) |
| 1918 | | | | | | | | | 1.057 | | 204 | 223 |
| 1919 | | | | | | | | | 2.374 | | 222 | 224 |
| 1920 | | | | | | | | | 4.828 | | 224 | 242 |
| 1921 | 1,305(i) | | | | 541 | 559 | | | 15.476(c) | 57.600 | 200 | 213 |
| 1922 | 1,708 | | | | 501 | 515 | | | 480.732 | 539.783 | 164 | 163 |
| 1923 | 2,500 | | | | 494 | 499 | | | 74(a) 1250.108 | 1250.108 | 164 | 165 |
| 1924 | 2,985 | | | | 527 | 528 | | | 88 | 1480.583 | 169 | 172 |
| 1925 | 3,250 | | | | 611 | 622 | | | 97 | 1612.150 | 168 | 169 |
| 1926 | 3,552 | | | | 654 | 655 | | | 103 | 116(a) | 162 | 160 |
| 1927 | 3,855 | | | | 588 | 559 | | | 106 | 119 | 160 | 158 |
| 1928 | 3,964 | | 1,756 | 1,423 | 530 | 517 | 92.2 | 93.7 | 108 | 119 | 161 | 157 |
| 1929 | 4,244 | | 1,819 | 1,446 | 545 | 543 | 93.9 | 96.0 | 111 | 122 | 161 | 156 |
| 1930 | (4,206) | (4,046) | 1,654 | 1,318 | 530 | 519 | 90.7 | 90.6 | 111 | 118 | 158 | 152 |
| 1931 | 3,004(j) | 2,796(j) | 1,523 | 1,202 | 485 | 452 | 81.9 | 79.1 | 106 | 108 | 150 | 141 |
| 1932 | 2,512 | 2,323 | 1,374 | 1,076 | 468 | 431 | 78.1 | 74.4 | 108 | 110 | 138 | 126 |
| 1933 | 2,319 | 2,163 | 1,191 | | 449 | | 74.7 | | 105 | | 131 | 117 |
| 1933 | | (k) | (k) | (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) | (d) | (b) | (b) | (g) | (g) |
| July | 2,282 | 2,138 | 1,153 | 893 | 447 | 402 | 74.3 | 69.8 | 105 | 104 | 131 | 116 |
| August | 2,207 | 2,052 | 1,137 | 865 | 440 | 391 | 73.5 | 68.3 | 105 | 104 | 131 | 116 |
| September | 2,200 | 2,020 | 1,123 | 848 | 446 | 402 | 73.9 | 69.0 | 105 | 104 | 131 | 117 |
| October | 2,232 | 2,063 | 1,110 | 852 | 448 | 405 | 73.9 | 69.1 | 106 | 104 | 131 | 117 |
| November | 2,281 | 2,117 | 1,118 | 880 | 445 | | 73.7 | 68.7 | 105 | 104 | 131 | 117 |
| December | 2,283 | 2,120 | 1,158 | | 450 | | 74.0 | 69.4 | 106 | 104 | 131 | 117 |
| 1934 | . | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 2,257 | 2,097 | 1,128 | | 457 | | 74.8 | 70.8 | 106 | 104 | 131 | 117 |
| February | 2,254 | 2,109 | 1,126 | | 420 | | 74.1 | 69.6 | 105 | 102 | 131 | 116 |
| March | 2,250 | 2,090 | 1,158 | | 448 | | 73.8 | 69.2 | 105 | 101 | 130 | 115 |
| April | 2,206 | - | 1,153 | | 447 | | 73.7 | 69.1 | 105 | 101 | 130 | 115 |
| May | 2,209 | 2,058 | 1,154 | | 424 | | 69.8 | 66.4 | 104 | 100 | 129 | 115 |
| June | | | 1,134 | | 420 | | 69.1 | 65.1 | 105 | 102 | 129 | 115 |
| July | | | | | | | 69.1 | 65.0 | 105 | | 129 | 115 |

(a) Gold index, since 1926, new series. (b) Middle of month. (c) December. (d) Average from 16th of previous month to 15th of current month.

(e) Since 1927, new series. (f) June. (g) Last week of month. (h) July. (i) 1921-1929: 71 towns, excluding rent. (j) Since 1931, new method of calculation. 1930 figures are not comparable with other years. (k) First of following month.

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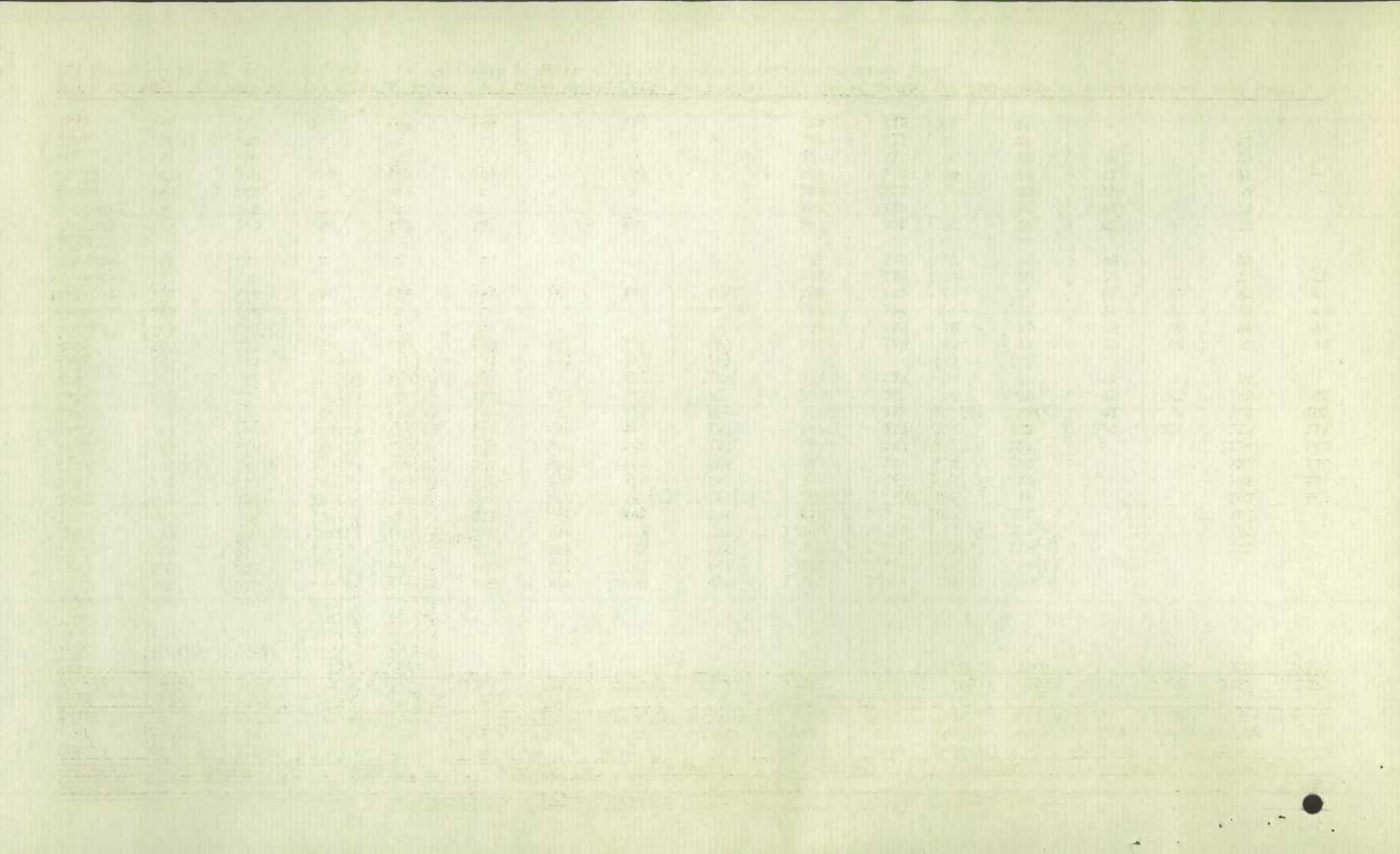
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| CONTINENT | EUROPE | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------|-------------------------|------------|-------------------------|------------|-------------------------------|-------------|--------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------|---------------|---------------------|------------|-------------------------|----------|
| COUNTRY | NORWAY | | SWEDEN | | DENMARK | | NETHERLANDS | | FINLAND | | ESTONIA | | LATVIA | | LITHUANIA | |
| Nature of Index | Cost of Living 31 Towns | Foods 31 | Cost of Living 49 Towns | Foods 49 | Cost of Living 100 Localities | Foods Towns | Cost of Living Amsterdam | Foods Amsterdam | Cost of Living 21 Towns | Foods 21 | Cost of Living Tallinn | Foods Tallinn | Cost of Living Riga | Foods Riga | Cost of Living 84 Towns | Foods 84 |
| Base Period | July, 1914 | July, 1914 | July, 1914 | July, 1914 | July, 1914 | July, 1914 | 1911-13 | 1911-13 | Jan.-June, 1914 | Jan.-June, 1914 | 1913 | 1913 | 1913 | 1930 | 1913 | 1913 |
| 1913 | | (j) | (j) | | | | | | | | 100 | 100 | | | 100 | 100 |
| 1914 | 100(h) | 100(h) | 100(h) | 100(h) | | | | | | | | | | | 100 | 100 |
| 1918 | | | 219(h) | 258(h) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1919 | | | 257(h) | 318(h) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1920 | 300 | 319 | 270(h) | 287(h) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1921 | 277 | 295 | 236(h) | 231(h) | 232 | 227 | 202 | 217 | 1,171 | 1,254 | 85(h) | 104(h) | | | | |
| 1922 | 231 | 231 | 190(h) | 173(h) | 200 | 184 | 182 | 184 | 1,139 | 1,143 | 91(h) | 98(h) | | | | |
| 1923 | 218 | 217 | 174(h) | 158(h) | 206 | 189 | 174 | 171 | 1,147 | 1,079 | 102(h) | 115(h) | | | 110 | |
| 1924 | 239 | 250 | 171(h) | 155(h) | 216 | 204 | 177 | 176 | 1,170 | 1,093 | 94(h) | 106(h) | | | 136 | |
| 1925 | 243 | 256 | 176(h) | 168(h) | 211 | 201 | 179 | 176 | 1,212 | 1,147 | 107 | 118 | | | 151 | |
| 1926 | 206 | 197 | 172(h) | 156(h) | 184 | 160 | 168(c) | 161(c) | 154(f) | 145(f) | 106 | 118 | | | 141 | 146 |
| 1927 | 186 | 173 | 169(h) | 148(h) | 177 | 152 | 168 | 163 | 158 | 146 | 105 | 112 | | | 141 | 145 |
| 1928 | 173(a) | 168(a) | 173(h) | 156(h) | 175 | 150 | 169 | 166 | 161 | 150 | 112 | 120 | | | 137 | 144 |
| 1929 | 166 | 158 | 169(h) | 148(h) | 173 | 148 | 168 | 162 | 160 | 147 | 117 | 126 | | | 134 | 142 |
| 1930 | 161 | 152 | 164(h) | 138(h) | 165 | 136 | 161 | 150 | 147 | 127 | 104 | 103 | 100 | 100 | 115 | 117 |
| 1931 | 153 | 139 | 158(h) | 127(h) | 155 | 120 | 151 | 136 | 135 | 113 | 100(g) | 91(g) | 91 | 89 | 105 | 102 |
| 1932 | 149 | 134 | 156(h) | 124(h) | 155 | 116 | 141 | 119 | 134 | 117 | 94 | 80 | 79 | 75 | 88 | 85 |
| 1933 | 147 | 131 | 153(h) | 120(h) | 161 | | 139 | 119 | 131 | 117 | 88 | 77 | 76 | - | 75 | - |
| 1933 | (i) | (i) | (b) | (b) | (b) | (b) | (b) | (b) | (d) | (d) | (d) | | | | | |
| July | 148 | 132 | 153 | 120 | 160 | 121 | 137 | 117 | 131 | 118 | 89 | 77 | 80 | 86 | 78 | 72 |
| August | 148 | 133 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 132 | 120 | 92 | 81 | 78 | 82 | 76 | 70 |
| September | 148 | 132 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 132 | 120 | 91 | 81 | 76 | 79 | 73 | 68 |
| October | 147 | 132 | 154 | 123 | 163 | 124 | 140 | 121 | 132 | 121 | 89 | 77 | 83 | 83 | 72 | 68 |
| November | 147 | 130 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 131 | 119 | 89 | 78 | 79 | - | 73 | 70 |
| December | 146 | 129 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 129 | 115 | 90 | 79 | 72 | - | 73 | - |
| 1934 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 145 | 128 | 153 | 120 | 163 | - | 143 | - | 127 | 111 | 89 | 78 | 68 | - | 73 | - |
| February | 145 | 128 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 126 | 110 | 89 | 79 | 70 | - | 75 | - |
| March | 145 | 128 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 128 | 113 | 89 | 78 | 70 | - | 76 | - |
| April | 147 | 130 | 153 | 120 | 164 | - | 142 | - | 127 | 111 | 89 | 79 | 71 | - | 75 | - |
| May | 147 | 130 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 127 | 111 | 89 | 79 | 72 | - | 73 | - |
| June | 148 | 132 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 126 | 111 | 88 | 77 | - | - | 73 | - |
| July | 148 | 133 | 155 | 123 | 166 | - | 140 | - | 126 | 112 | 88 | 77 | - | - | - | - |

(a) Since 1928, new series. (b) First of month. (c) Since March, 1926, new series. (d) End of month. (f) Since date of stabilization, gold index.

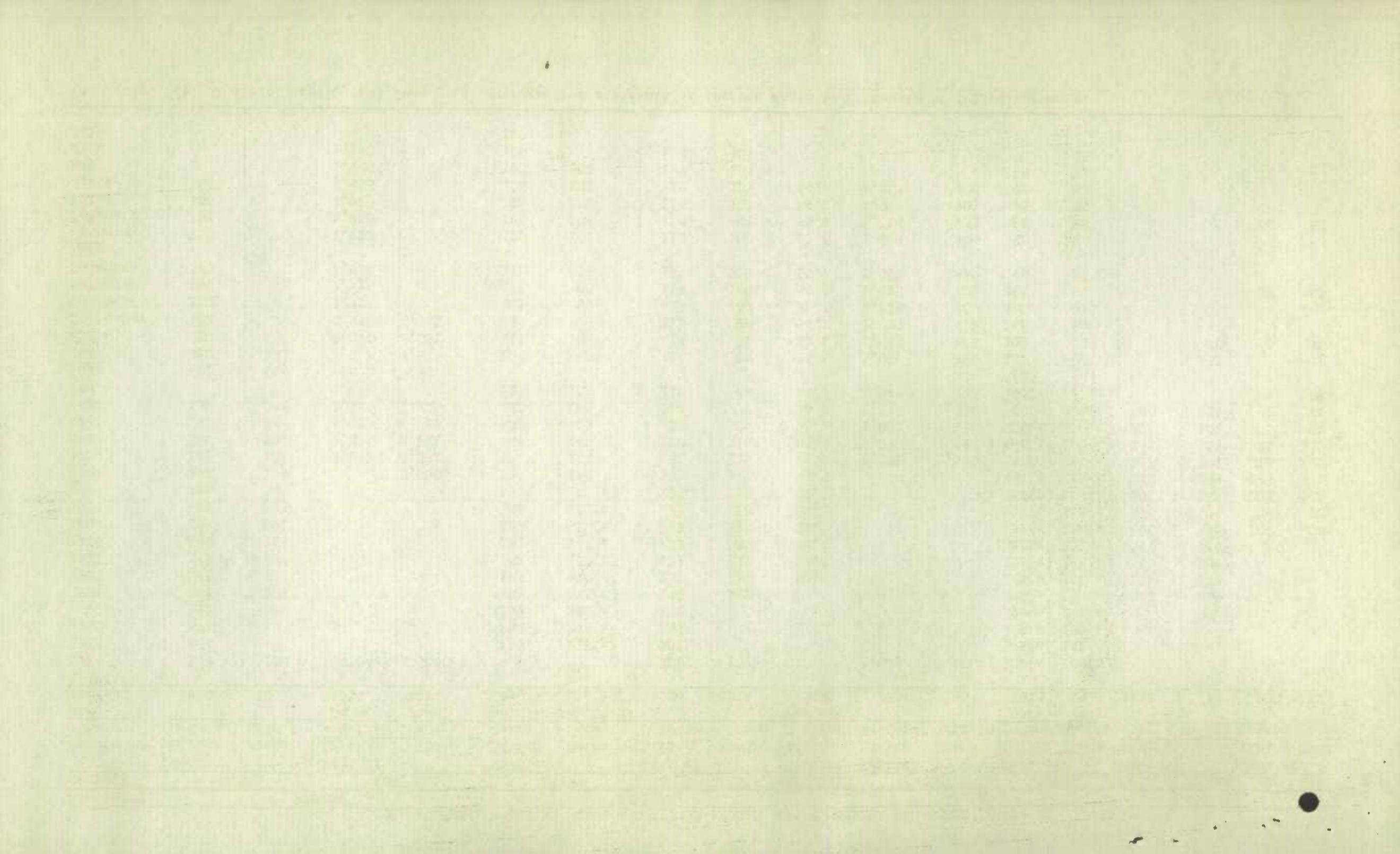
(g) Revised from May, 1931. (h) July. (i) Fifteenth of month. (j) New method of calculation since 1932.



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|-----------------|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------------------|------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------------------|---------------|------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|--------------|-----------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|---------|------------|
| | SPAIN | | PORTUGAL | | EGYPT | | SOUTH AFRICA | | PALESTINE | | TURKEY | | INDIA | | DUTCH E. INDIES | | INDO-CHINA |
| Nature of Index | Cost of Living Madrid | Foods Madrid | Cost of Living Entire Country | Foods | Cost of Living Cairo | Foods Cairo | Cost of Living 9 Towns | Foods 9 Towns | Cost of Living 3 Towns | Foods Istanbul | Cost of Living Istanbul | Foods Bombay | Cost of Living Bombay | Foods Jave & Madura | Cost of Living Saigon | Foods | |
| Base Period | 1914 | 1914 | June, 1914 | June, 1914 | Jan. 1913-July, 1914 | Jan. 1913-July, 1914 | 1914 | 1914 | January, 1922 | 1914 | 1914 | 1914 | July, 1914 | 1914 | 1913 | 1925 | |
| 1913 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 100 | 100 | |
| 1914 | 100 | 100 | 1,000(c) | 1,000(c) | | | 100 | 100 | | 1,000 | 1,000 | 100(a) | 100(a) | | | | |
| 1918 | 154 | | | | 189 | 216(a) | 131 | | | | | 149(a) | 142(a) | | | | |
| 1919 | 174 | | | | 202 | 224(a) | 145 | | | | | 186(a) | 187(a) | | | | |
| 1920 | 190 | | | | 237 | 281(a) | 179 | | | | | 190(a) | 188(a) | | | | |
| 1921 | 189 | 184 | | | 196 | 196(a) | 162 | 145 | | | | 177(a) | 174(a) | 213 | 216 | | |
| 1922 | 181 | 177 | | | 176 | 172(a) | 135 | 119 | 88.2 | | | 165(a) | 160(a) | 173 | 172 | | |
| 1923 | 177 | 174 | | | 162 | 152(a) | 131 | 117 | 76.6 | | | 153(a) | 148(a) | 160 | 158 | | |
| 1924 | 184 | 188 | | | 161 | 148(a) | 133 | 120 | 79.4 | | | 157(a) | 151(a) | 167 | 166 | | |
| 1925 | 189 | 195 | | | 165 | 158(a) | 133 | 120 | 83.8 | | | 157(a) | 152(a) | 166 | 165 | 100 100 | |
| 1926 | 187 | 191 | | | 160 | 158(a) | 131 | 118 | 82.1 | | | 157(a) | 155(a) | 174 | 174 99 | 99 | |
| 1927 | 189 | 196 | | | 153 | 147(a) | 131 | 118 | 77.4 | | | 156(a) | 154(a) | 160 | 158 | 103 103 | |
| 1928 | 176 | 178 | | 3,030 | 152 | 144 | 131 | 117 | 73.7 | | | 147(a) | 143(a) | 148 | 148 | 106 104 | |
| 1929 | 181 | 185 | 2,361 | 2,362 | 151 | 146 | 131 | 115 | 69.4 | 1,381 | 1,555 | 148(a) | 145(a) | 158 | 157 | 113 112 | |
| 1930 | 187 | 194 | 2,243 | 2,241 | 148 | 141 | 128 | 110 | 61.4 | 1,272 | 1,292 | 140(a) | 136(a) | 152 | 152 | 121 117 | |
| 1931 | 196 | 205 | 1,990 | 1,986 | 138 | 123 | 123 | 105 | 55.3 | 1,203 | 1,114 | 108(a) | 100(a) | 106 | 102 | 105 92 | |
| 1932 | 187 | 192 | 1,949 | 1,948 | 132 | 112 | 118 | 96 | 56.6 | 1,172 | 1,030 | 109(a) | 102(a) | 80 | 76 | 92 76 | |
| 1933 | | | 1,948 | | 125 | 101 | 115 | 99 | 54.9 | 1,047 | 924 | 103(a) | 95(a) | | | 85 69 | |
| 1933 | (b) | (b) | (b) | (b) | | | | | | | | (d) | (d) | | | | |
| July | 180 | 181 | 1,932 | 1,935 | 124 | 99 | 114 | 98 | 54.8 | 1,020 | 795 | 103 | 95 | | 61 | | |
| August | 180 | | 2,036 | 2,031 | 124 | 98 | 114 | 97 | 53.4 | 1,022 | 803 | 103 | 94 | | 60 | 86 71 | |
| September | 183 | | 1,958 | 1,961 | 125 | 99 | 115 | 99 | 54.7 | 1,027 | 812 | 102 | 94 | | 60 | | |
| October | 185 | | 1,962 | | 121 | 99 | 116 | 103 | 55.7 | 1,037 | 807 | 100 | 91 | | | 82 63 | |
| November | 180 | | 1,958 | | 122 | 98 | 117 | 105 | 56.0 | 1,035 | 803 | 101 | 92 | | | | |
| December | 179 | | 1,956 | | 122 | 99 | 117 | 105 | 57.7 | 1,053 | 837 | 98 | 88 | | | | |
| 1934 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 183 | | 1,932 | | 123 | 101 | 116 | 104 | 53.6 | 1,087 | 904 | 96 | 86 | | | | |
| February | 187 | | 1,925 | | 124 | 105 | 116 | 104 | 55.9 | 1,074 | 913 | 96 | 85 | | 80 | 62 | |
| March | 186 | | 1,926 | | 125 | 105 | 116 | 104 | 54.2 | 1,059 | 901 | 94 | 84 | | | | |
| April | 186 | | 1,935 | | 124 | 102 | 117 | 105 | 54.5 | 1,057 | 900 | 93 | 83 | | | 78 - | |
| May | | | 1,943 | | 123 | 102 | 117 | 106 | | | | 94 | 83 | | | | |
| June | | | 1,942 | | 125 | | 116 | 104 | | | | 95 | 85 | | | | |
| July | | | | | 127 | | | | | | | 97 | | | | | |

(a) July. (b) Middle of month. (c) June. (d) Average from sixteenth of current month to fifteenth of following month.



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| | CHINA | | JAPAN | | AUSTRALIA | | NEW ZEALAND | | PERU | | CHILE | | | |
| Nature of Index | Cost of Living Peiping | Foods Peiping | Cost of Living Shanghai | Foods Shanghai | Cost of Living Tokio | Foods Tokio | Cost of Living 30 Towns | Foods and Groceries 30 Towns | Cost of Living 25 Towns | Foods 25 Towns | Cost of Living Lima | Foods Lima | Cost of Living Santiago | Foods Santiago |
| Base Period | 1927 | 1927 | 1926 | 1926 | July, 1914 | July, 1914 | 1923- | 1923- | 1926- | 1926- | 1913 | 1913 | 1928 | 1928 |
| 1913 | | | | | | | | | | | 100 | | 100 | |
| 1914 | | | | | 100 July | 100 July | 68.7 | 64.1 | 62.8 July | 70.3 | 104 | | 107 | |
| 1918 | | | | | | | | | 85.0 | 98.5 | 164 | | 162 | |
| 1919 | | | | | | | | | 91.2 | 102.7 | 188 | | 188 | |
| 1920 | | | | | | | | | 101.9 | 116.5 | 210 | | 208 | |
| 1921 | | | | | | | | | 103.4 | 113.4 | 199 | | 183 | |
| 1922 | | | | | 236 | 257 | 96.7 | 94.4 | 95.2 | 95.8 | 190 | | 174 | |
| 1923 | | | | | 221 | 228 | 99.6 | 101.1 | 95.9 | 96.5 | 180 | | 166 | |
| 1924 | | | | | 221 | 233 | 98.0 | 97.2 | 98.4 | 100.5 | 187 | | 168 | |
| 1925 | | | | | 218 | 236 | 99.1 | 100.2 | 100.4 | 103.0 | 200 | | 179 | |
| 1926 | 102.0 | 103.7 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 199 | 217 | 100.6 | 102.7 | 101.0 | 102.6 | 201 | | 182 | |
| 1927 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 106.7 | 106.7 | 189 | 211 | 99.7 | 100.4 | 100.1 | 98.3 | 194 | | 177 | |
| 1928 | 101.6 | 101.5 | 102.5 | 92.1 | 184 | 202 | 100.3 | 98.9 | 100.6 | 100.4 | 181 | | (103) | (116) |
| 1929 | 106.5 | 107.6 | 107.9 | 98.4 | 181 | 203 | 102.6 | 104.7 | 100.4 | 101.3 | 177 | | 159 | 109 |
| 1930 | 109.6 | 111.8 | 121.8 | 118.8 | 155 | 173 | 97.1 | 94.6 | 98.1 | 97.4 | 169 | | 157 | 108 |
| 1931 | 95.8 | 92.5 | 125.9 | 107.5 | 136 | 151 | 87.0 | 83.0 | 90.6 | 84.4 | 153 | | 148 | 104 |
| 1932 | 91.2 | 85.4 | 119.1 | 101.3 | 137 | 158 | 82.8 | 80.0 | 83.8 | 77.5 | 151 | | 143 | 113 |
| 1933 | 81.0 | 72.4 | 107.2 | 86.9 | 146 | 161 | 80.3 | 75.4 | 79.7 | 71.3 | 148 | | - | 114 |
| 1933 | | | | | (b) | (b) | (a) | | (b) | (b) | (b) | | (b) | |
| July | 79.9 | 72.2 | 106.6 | 86.3 | 143 | 158 | - | 75.4 | 79.7 | 73.2 | 151 | 141 | 141 | 146 |
| August | 80.0 | 71.7 | 107.2 | 90.0 | 144 | 160 | 80.6 | 76.7 | 79.6 | 74.1 | 153 | 147 | 144 | 152 |
| September | 79.8 | 71.3 | 106.0 | 88.0 | 147 | 161 | - | 76.8 | 79.8 | 74.7 | 150 | 142 | 146 | 158 |
| October | 78.8 | 70.3 | 106.9 | 88.1 | 148 | 162 | - | 76.4 | 80.0 | 75.2 (c) 151 | 145 | 143 | - | - |
| November | 75.6 | 66.0 | 103.2 | 83.2 | 149 | 165 | 80.5 | 75.0 | 80.0 | 75.1 | 149 | 141 | 142 | - |
| December | 76.9 | 66.8 | 102.6 | 79.8 | 149 | 164 | - | 76.9 | 79.9 | 75.0 | 148 | 140 | 140 | - |
| 1934 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 77.3 | 67.3 | 101.8 | 78.0 | 147 | 162 | - | 76.7 | 79.9 | 75.0 | 147 | 142 | 136 | - |
| February | 78.8 | 69.1 | 103.5 | 80.4 | 148 | 164 | 80.9 | 77.1 | 80.4 | 76.3 | 146 | 142 | 135 | - |
| March | 76.6 | 66.7 | 98.9 | 75.0 | 149 | 166 | - | 77.4 | 80.6 | 76.9 | 148 | 145 | 136 | - |
| April | 79.2 | 70.2 | 99.0 | 74.2 | 149 | 166 | - | 79.1 | 80.9 | 77.7 | 148 | 145 | 137 | - |
| May | 74.8 | 63.7 | 98.5 | 74.4 | 149 | 166 | 81.8 | 79.8 | 81.2 | 78.0 | 149 | 145 | 139 | - |
| June | 75.1 | 64.5 | 98.5 | 75.4 | 148 | 162 | - | 77.7 | 80.9 | 77.8 | 151 | 149 | - | - |
| July | 78.7 | 68.3 | - | - | 147 | 161 | - | - | - | - | 150 | - | - | - |

(a) Average of quarter. (b) Middle of month. (c) Since October, 1933; including heating.

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