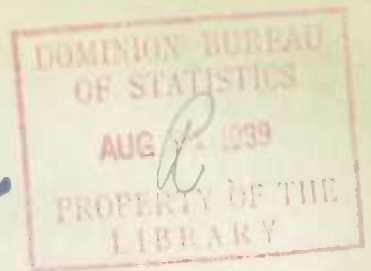


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PRICE MOVEMENTS, JULY, 1939.

COMMODITIES

Industrial Material prices moved moderately lower during July, and the Dominion Bureau of Statistics' index decreased from 65.3 for the week ending June 30 to 64.8 for the week ending July 28. The decline in Food Material Prices, which commenced in the closing days of May, continued at an accelerated pace during the month, and the index for this group dropped to 51.9, for a net loss of 5.1. On the other hand, Manufacturing Material Prices advanced, rising from 52.1 to 53.0, the highest point touched since January 1938. Changes in the Stable group were unimportant and the index remained at 88.3. General Wholesale Commodity prices moved downward also, the index falling from 73.3 to 72.1. This index has not been so low since June 1936. Reductions predominated in Vegetable Products, Animals, Textiles and Non-Ferrous Metals, while Non-Metallic Minerals advanced slightly. Canadian Farm Products declined from 64.2 to 62.2, as lower quotations ruled in both the Animal and Field Products divisions.

COST OF LIVING

Increases in prices of a few of the more important foods, partially offset by further recessions in coal and coke prices, resulted in an advance in the general cost of living for Canada from 82.9 in June to 83.1 in July. The comparative figure for July of the previous year was 84.2. The food group rose from 74.3 to 75.1, gains for eggs, butter, potatoes and pepper being of more consequence than declines for milk, tea, lard and most meats. A reduction in the coal sub-group from 85.5 to 85.0 and in that for coke from 81.7 to 81.0, brought about a decline in the fuel index from 84.3 to 83.9. There were no changes of any importance recorded for other budgetary groups.

STOCKS AND BONDS

A mid-summer rally in Canadian security prices commenced in the first half of July. All sub-group indexes, with the exception of telephone and telegraph, recorded advances while issues included in the base metal and heavy industries sections were particularly buoyant. Strength in these shares reflected not only higher prices for base metals but also increased industrial production due to rearmament programmes now in effect. At the close of the month the general index level for 95 common stocks stood at 98.4 or 6.0 per cent above the final June figure. In the industrial section the index indicated a net gain of 7.5 per cent at 161.5, while utilities moved up 2.6 per cent to 42.8. Banks were 0.6 per cent higher at 85.2. In comparison with their exceptional weakness over the past two months, oil shares displayed considerable firmness, rising 6.1 per cent to 155.5 between June 30 and July 31. Paced by a rapid advance in the base metal shares sub-group the general index for 25 mining issues rose 6.3 per cent to 158.4 during the month. The base metal index, which touched a new high for the year at 324.2 on July 31, recorded a net gain of 9.5 per cent on the month. Golds rose 4.3 per cent to 118.4 but unlike base metals, were well below the year's high of 125.8 recorded on January 7. An index series for Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices, which ranged between a low of 117.6 on July 3 and a peak of 118.1 on the 14th finally closed unchanged at 117.7.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE (Quotations are Montreal noon rates unless otherwise specified)

Extending its irregular advance of the past few months the Canadian dollar stiffened gradually in July against practically all foreign currencies. A seasonal rise in Canadian exports to the United States supplemented by recent Dominion security offerings lifted the Canadian dollar at New York to its highest levels in over sixteen months. At Montreal, United States funds weakened from \$1.00 9/32 on June 30 to \$1.000 on July 28 where they remained for the balance of the month. Spot sterling rates, while remaining comparatively firm at New York, dropped more than 1 1/4 cents to \$4.6807 at Montreal between June 30 and July 31. French francs closed at 2.65 cents compared with 2.66 cents at the end of June while Belgian belgas showed a net decline of 5 points to 16.99 cents. Erratic fluctuations in the Netherlands florin reflected the current unstable internal political outlook. Following the formation of a new cabinet under Premier Colijn florin rates rose to a peak of 53.68 cents on July 24 compared with 53.23 cents on June 30. By the close, though, rates had dropped back to 53.10 cents after the new cabinet had been defeated on its financial policy. Extreme weakness in the Shanghai dollar featured Far Eastern currency rates during the month. Quotations on the Chinese unit, which had been holding around 12.75 cents until the middle of the month, dropped precipitously in the latter half, following withdrawal of support by the British-Chinese Stabilization fund.

By the close the rate had shown a net decline of more than 33 per cent to 8.43 cents. Reflecting continued uncertainty over the intermediate outlook for foreign silver prices the Mexican peso (unofficial rate) fluctuated widely in July between 18.05 cents on the 6th and 16.86 cents on the 11th. It finally ended the month at 16.87 cents for a net loss of 35 points.

REVIEW OF IMPORTANT COMMODITY MARKETS

WHEAT AND OTHER GRAINS: Touching new low levels for the past six years, cash grain prices at Winnipeg continued downward in the final month of the 1938-39 crop year. At Liverpool wheat sterling quotations dropped to the lowest point reached in modern times when the July future touched 3s. 5 1/4d. per cwt. on July 24 compared with 3s. 10 3/4d. (54 7/8 cents per bushel) on June 30. During the same interval No.1 Manitoba Northern wheat, Fort William and Port Arthur basis, declined to 50 3/8 cents per bushel from 61 1/4 cents. However, hot, dry weather on the western plains in the final week of July combined with technical factors to lift wheat prices back to 3s. 7 3/8d. per cwt. (50 3/4 cents per bushel) at Liverpool and 53 3/4 cents per bushel at Winnipeg.

Although the world carryover will be exceptionally large, Broomhall recently estimated the current wheat crop for all Europe at approximately 10 per cent less than the previous year's heavy yield, and deterioration in the Canadian wheat crop, already noted, necessitated downward revisions in recent crop estimates.

Among the coarse grains, price movements generally paralleled wheat, though flax failed to show any recovery during the closing week. After touching a low of 22 3/4 cents per bushel on July 24, oats No.2 C.W. recovered to close at 26 1/2 cents for a net loss of 1 7/8 cents. Barley No.3 C.W. at 34 cents per bushel on July 29 was off only 1/8 cents on the month, while rye No.2 C.W. at 37 1/2 cents on the 31st was down 4 5/8 cents per bushel. The drop in No.1 C.W. flax from \$1.40 1/2 per bushel on June 30 to \$1.28 1/4 on July 31, though sharp, was relatively less severe than the 12.2 per cent net decline shown for No.1 northern wheat.

<u>Description</u> (Basis, cash per bushel Fort William and Port Arthur)	1938	1939	1939
	July Average	June Average	July Average
	¢	¢	¢
No.1 Manitoba Northern wheat	98.4	61.8	55.3
No. 2 Canada Western oats	41.3	30.1	26.2
No. 2 Canada Western rye	48.3	44.2	37.7
No. 3 Canada Western barley	46.7	36.2	32.9
No. 1 Canada Western flax	144.5	142.8	138.6

FLOUR AND OTHER MILLED PRODUCTS: Domestic flour prices during July dropped to the lowest levels in recent years. From \$4.30 per barrel on June 30 No.1 patent flour, Montreal rate points, declined to \$4.10 on July 21. However, firmer grain prices in the final week of the month lifted quotations for this grade of flour back to \$4.30 per barrel by the close. Quotations on a similar grade at Winnipeg declined from an opening level of \$4.70 per barrel to \$4.40 on July 20 where they remained for the balance of the month. Ontario winter wheat flour ruled steady at \$3.20 per barrel until July 28 when quotations slumped to \$2.50. Flour millers reported consumer demand dormant in both the domestic and export market, buyers being inclined to await the outturn of the current grain crops. Exports of flour to all destinations were sharply lower in June, totalling 401,189 barrels compared with 518,778 barrels in May. Oatmeal and rolled oats remained firm at \$2.60 per 98-pound sack and \$2.05 per 80-pound bag respectively. In the milled feeds section both bran and shorts prices worked irregularly lower, influenced by a seasonal contraction in consumptive channels. Closing quotations showed a net loss of \$2.50 to \$18.75 per ton for bran and \$1.00 to \$22.25 per ton for shorts.

<u>Description</u>	(See above dates)		
	\$	\$	\$
Flour No.1 Patent, Manitoba, per barrel at Montreal	6.75	4.38	4.20
Rollled oats, Toronto, per 80-pound bag	2.90	2.09	2.05
Oatmeal, Toronto, per 98-pound bag	3.58	2.65	2.60

SUGAR: Raw sugar prices showed an easier price tendency on world markets during July. London quotations declined rapidly during the month as British refiners indicated unwillingness to pay quotations asked for spot raws. July futures at London accordingly moved down from an opening level of 8s. 3d. per cwt. to 7s. on July 20 where they remained for the balance of the month. On the New York market September futures for world contract No.4 receded from 1.25 1/2 - 1.26 cents per pound on July to 1.18 1/2.

1.19 1/2 cents on the 28th, but by the close had moved up fractionally to 1.20 cents - 1.20 1/2 cents. Paralleling the London market British West Indies raws, delivered at Montreal, weakened from 2.230 cents per pound on June 30 to 2.175 cents on July 28. Refined grades were steady at Montreal during the month while a 2 cent rise to \$4.94 per cwt. on July 17 was recorded for standard granulated sugar at Vancouver. Free market sugar consumption requirements were set at 3,218,000 metric tons for the third quota year, by the International Sugar Council at a meeting held in London during the latter half of July. This compared with a basic quota of 3,652,000 metric tons and a provisional figure of 3,100,000 set on June 15.

Description	1938	1939	1939
	July	June	July
	Average	Average	Average
	\$	\$	\$
Granulated sugar, standard, per cwt. at			
Montreal	4.80	5.085	5.085
Vancouver	4.69	4.920	4.940
B.W.I. raw sugar, per cwt. at Montreal	2.05	2.280	2.170

RUBBER: Mid-July prices for raw rubber, at New York were at their highest levels for the past nine months. Closing quotations, though shaded somewhat from the month's high were, however, well above opening levels. The report that June raw rubber consumption in the United States was well above trade expectations contributed to a favorable statistical picture during the first half of July. Opening at 18 15/16 cents per pound, at New York standard thick latex rose to a peak of 19 3/8 on July 18 but by the close of the month had reacted to 19 1/8 cents. Ribbed smoked sheets, on the same basis touched 16 7/8 cents per pound on the 18th compared with 16 7/16 cents on July 3 and 16 5/8 cents at the close. The decision of the International Rubber Regulation Committee to raise the crude rubber export quota from 55 to 60 per cent of standard tonnage was the chief factor contributing to lower prices in the latter half of July. The Committee also stated that the 60 per cent quota would also be applicable to the remainder of the third quarter.

Description	(See above dates)		
	¢	¢	¢
Raw rubber, per pound, New York			
(Canadian Funds)			
Standard latex crepe sheets	17.2	19.0	19.1
Ceylon plantation, ribbed smoked sheets ...	15.6	16.5	16.6

LIVESTOCK: A drop of slightly more than 1 p.c. occurred in an index of livestock prices between June and July, but all classes did not contribute to this decline. Steers and lambs averaged lower while calves and hogs moved upward. After declining during the opening days, cattle markets held comparatively steady till about the middle of the month. Offerings increased in the third week while owing to hot weather, consumption demand for beef declined. Quota shipments to the United States were resumed but markets there were also comparatively inactive. Canadian markets eased and prices at Toronto fell 9 cents to \$6.43 per cwt. for the week ended July 21 and remained at practically that point till the close of the month. There was a loss of 15 cents per cwt. between the weeks of July 14 and 21 at Winnipeg but this was recovered when good steers over 1050 lbs. closed at \$6.15 per cwt., on a par with the opening level. Strong demand for export account, caused quotations for calves to move upward. Hogs averaged higher than in June, but markets was weaker as the month closed. Lambs averaged about 12 p.c. below the previous months' level.

Description	(See above dates)		
	\$	\$	\$
Steers, good over 1050 pounds per cwt. at			
Toronto	7.07	6.57	6.45
Winnipeg	6.34	6.24	6.09
Calves, good veal per cwt. at Toronto	7.97	8.12	8.43
Winnipeg	6.08	6.47	6.35
Hogs, bacon per cwt. at Toronto	11.94	9.10	9.34
Winnipeg	11.83	8.78	9.05
Lambs, good handy weight			
per cwt. at Toronto	10.84	11.51	10.22
Winnipeg	8.50	8.97	8.17

BUTTER: Movements in butter markets as gauged by Montreal and Toronto were narrow throughout July. First grade creamery butter at Toronto showed a rise of 2/5 cents between the month's low and high while the difference in price for this same grade at Montreal amounted to 3/10 cents per lb. Trade, for the most part, was light but demand was sufficient to keep receipts moving. A preliminary statement issued by the

Agricultural Branch of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics showed cold storage stocks of creamery butter for nine principal Canadian cities at 31,900,000 pounds on August 1 compared with 20,723,000 pounds on July 1.

Description	1938	1939	1939
	July Average	June Average	July Average
First grade creamery butter per lb. at	¢	¢	¢
Montreal	26.6	23.1	22.9
Toronto	26.6	23.2	23.2

EGGS: During the first two weeks of July, Canadian egg markets held about steady. In the third week price advances were fairly general and from then till the close of the month, the movement was upward. Receipts of fresh supplies, particularly grade A's, continued to decrease and by the end of July, shortages were reported at some centres. With the scarcity of the better grades and higher prices prevailing for these, a better demand developed for the lower grades. As shown in a preliminary statement issued by the Agricultural Branch of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, cold storage stocks for nine cities amounted to about 6,100,000 dozen on August 1 compared with 5,494,000 dozen a month earlier.

(See above dates)

Description	¢	¢	¢
Eggs, grade "A" large, per dozen at			
Montreal	32.8	24.9	28.1
Toronto	30.8	23.3	26.3

COTTON: Raw cotton prices fluctuated irregularly in July. Opening at 9.37 cents per pound, spot cotton, upland middling, at New York, rose to 9.59 cents on the 10th, equalling the previous month's high. Quotations subsequently declined to 9.05 cents per pound on the 20th but by the close had recovered to 9.45 cents. United States cotton consumption was reported at 578,448 bales in June, moderately below the previous month's figure of 605,353 bales. On the other hand, cotton bale openings at Canadian mills during June totalled 21,299 bales, the highest of any month since November, 1937.

(See above dates)

Description	¢	¢	¢
Raw cotton, upland middling at New York			
per pound (Canadian Funds)	8.9	9.5	9.4

LUMBER AND TIMBER: Lumber prices, on an f.o.b. mill basis, showed little net change in July. An index for representative cedar descriptions stiffened from 100.6 for the week ending July 14 to 101.2 in the following week due to an increase for bevel siding. Merchantable sawn spruce deals advanced \$1.50 per thousand to \$22.50 on July 21 bringing the composite spruce index up 1.7 points to 88.2 on that date. In the domestic market demand was slack, but exports continued to increase. For the first six months of 1939 shipments from British Columbia totalled nearly 680 million feet or almost 100 million feet above the corresponding six months of 1938.

(See above dates)

Description (Price Indexes 1926=100)			
White pine lumber	102.7	102.7	102.7
Spruce lumber	81.7	86.5	88.2
Fir lumber	88.3	94.3	93.0
Cedar lumber	87.4	100.6	100.6

COPPER: Copper prices were buoyant in July influenced largely by rearmament requirements and better business sentiment in the United States. In one of the strongest buying moves of the past three years electrolytic spot copper, delivered Connecticut Valley basis, advanced from 10 cents per pound on July 1 to 10 3/8 on the 21st where it remained for the balance of the month. Domestic sales of copper in the United States during July attained a new high of 182,579 tons compared with the previous high of 180,051 tons sold in October, 1936. Brass mills were reported operating at 70 per cent of capacity, the highest level in over one and one-half years. On the London market also, quotations showed a rising tendency. At the close of the month standard spot copper stood at £43 7/16 per long ton compared with an opening level of £42 11/16 and a low of £42 9/16 on July 4.

(See above dates)

Description	\$	\$	\$
Copper, electrolytic domestic, per 100 pounds			
carlots, f.o.b. Montreal	10.41	10.43	10.63

BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS, 1913=100
(See page 8 for these data on the base 1926=100)

	1938	1939				
	July	Mar.	April	May	June	July
Building and Construction Materials	130.4	130.4	130.7	131.3	132.0	132.2
Lumber	131.2	133.0	133.4	135.0	136.7	137.0
Paint Materials	115.9	114.8	115.5	115.5	115.4	114.8
Miscellaneous	136.6	135.1	135.1	135.1	134.9	135.2

SUMMARY TABLES OF WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS
(1926=100)

Commodity	: No. of : Price : Series :	: Yearly : : Average : : 1938 : :	: July : : 1938 : :	: May : : 1939 : :	: June : : 1939 : :	: July : : 1939 : :
Total Index 567 Commodities	567	78.6	78.6	73.7	73.3	72.6
CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIALS CLASSIFICATION						
I. Vegetable Products	135	73.8	74.4	63.1	61.9	59.9
II. Animals and Their Products	76	76.7	78.3	71.9	71.3	71.2
III. Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	85	67.5	67.5	66.3	66.4	66.2
IV. Wood, Wood Products and Paper	49	77.5	76.7	76.7	77.1	77.0
V. Iron and Its Products	44	100.4	97.8	97.3	97.4	97.4
VI. Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	18	70.9	70.6	69.2	69.2	68.6
VII. Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	83	86.7	86.5	84.8	84.6	84.7
VIII. Chemicals and Allied Products	77	79.9	79.4	77.8	77.7	77.6
PURPOSE CLASSIFICATION						
I. Consumers' Goods	236	77.2	77.7	73.9	73.7	73.4
Foods, Beverages and Tobacco	126	77.1	78.9	72.2	71.9	71.5
Other Consumers' Goods	110	77.2	76.9	75.1	74.9	74.7
II. Producers' Goods	402	75.8	75.8	69.0	68.1	66.7
Producers' Equipment	24	95.1	95.5	94.9	94.9	95.0
Producers' Materials	378	73.7	73.6	66.1	65.1	63.5
Building and Construction Materials	111	89.1	87.4	88.0	88.5	88.6
Manufacturers' Materials	267	71.1	71.3	62.4	61.1	59.2
ORIGIN CLASSIFICATION						
Total Raw and Partly Manufactured	245	72.7	72.5	66.5	65.0	63.1
Total Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	322	78.2	78.4	73.2	73.1	73.0
I. Articles of Farm Origin (Domestic and Foreign)						
A. Field						
(a) Raw and partly manufactured	95	63.0	63.4	50.5	49.2	45.9
(b) Fully and chiefly manufactured	91	76.5	76.8	69.9	69.0	68.5
(c) Total	186	70.3	70.6	60.9	59.9	58.1
B. Animal						
(a) Raw and partly manufactured	46	79.8	79.3	79.4	75.5	74.9
(b) Fully and chiefly manufactured	59	74.3	75.7	67.7	68.6	68.9
(c) Total	105	76.7	77.3	72.8	71.6	71.5
C. Canadian Farm Products						
(1) Field	52	69.0	65.9	55.9	55.6	55.0
(2) Animal	18	81.3	80.7	80.7	76.1	75.5
(3) Total	70	73.6	71.4	65.2	63.3	62.7
II. Articles of Marine Origin						
(a) Raw and partly manufactured	5	65.4	56.7	71.0	61.6	57.5
(b) Fully and chiefly manufactured	11	72.0	71.1	67.8	69.3	69.7
(c) Total	16	70.2	67.2	68.7	67.2	66.4
III. Articles of Forest Origin						
(a) Raw and partly manufactured	37	85.5	83.9	84.6	85.5	85.5
(b) Fully and chiefly manufactured	20	69.9	69.9	69.3	69.2	68.9
(c) Total	57	77.2	76.4	76.4	76.8	76.6
IV. Articles of Mineral Origin						
(a) Raw and partly manufactured	62	81.5	81.2	80.1	80.2	79.7
(b) Fully and chiefly manufactured	141	90.5	89.7	87.8	87.6	87.9
(c) Total	203	86.5	85.9	84.4	84.3	84.2
IMPORT AND EXPORT CLASSIFICATION						
Imports	76	83.1	82.9	80.6	80.9	80.6
Exports	70	70.9	70.4	62.2	61.1	59.6

INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMODITIES

(Classified According to Chief Component Materials)
(1926=100)

Commodity	No. of Price Series	Yearly Average 1938	July 1938	May 1939	June 1939	July 1939
Total Index	567	78.6	78.6	73.7	73.3	72.6
I. Vegetable Products	135	73.8	74.4	63.1	61.9	59.9
Fruits	15	70.3	73.4	69.0	77.5	78.1
Fresh	4	69.8	74.4	68.6	80.0	80.8
Dried	5	78.9	76.1	76.1	75.7	75.7
Canned	6	65.0	64.9	64.3	64.3	64.5
Grains	23	68.1	67.5	46.9	43.9	39.1
Flour and Milled Products	12	80.4	81.4	63.2	59.6	56.7
Bakery Products	2	91.4	94.2	84.4	84.4	84.4
Vegetable Oils	8	61.2	60.1	58.2	59.4	57.9
Rubber and Its Products	9	59.9	59.7	58.2	58.3	60.2
Sugar and Its Products and Glucose	8	84.1	82.7	87.5	87.5	87.3
Tea, Coffee, Cocoa and Spices	15	73.9	72.7	72.8	72.8	72.6
Tobacco	8	51.3	52.5	45.5	45.5	45.5
Vegetables	13	51.5	57.9	67.5	69.7	71.1
Miscellaneous	22	66.3	67.3	60.4	60.1	60.3
II. Animals and Their Products	76	76.7	78.3	71.9	71.3	71.2
Fishery Products	16	71.9	68.3	71.1	69.1	67.8
Furs	9	53.2	47.9	50.9	50.9	51.1
Hides and Skins	6	64.8	53.6	63.2	53.0	55.6
Leather, Unmanufactured	9	85.0	81.7	83.9	83.9	84.2
Boots and Shoes	2	91.2	89.5	89.8	90.2	90.2
Live Stock	4	82.0	94.9	86.4	85.5	84.6
Meats and Poultry	10	79.2	89.1	79.0	79.0	77.9
Milk and Its Products	12	78.4	74.8	69.4	69.2	69.4
Fats	5	58.8	61.2	48.1	46.7	45.8
Eggs	3	67.5	68.8	52.0	50.2	53.0
III. Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	85	67.5	67.5	66.3	66.4	66.2
Cotton, Raw	2	52.0	53.6	54.7	57.7	56.1
Cotton Yarn and Thread	5	81.2	81.2	80.0	80.0	80.0
Cotton Fabrics	19	72.2	72.1	68.3	68.3	68.7
Knit Goods	3	82.5	82.7	81.0	81.0	81.0
Sash Cord	1	85.3	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7
Flax, Hemp and Jute Products	10	47.9	46.9	47.2	47.1	47.0
Silk, Raw	9	27.6	29.3	43.3	41.7	42.9
Silk Thread and Yarn	2	64.6	64.6	61.6	61.6	63.2
Silk Hosiery	2	65.1	65.0	65.0	62.0	62.0
Silk Fabrics	4	44.6	44.7	50.2	50.2	50.2
Artificial Silk Products	5	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8
Wool, Raw	3	53.7	51.5	48.2	50.6	53.9
Wool Yarns	6	77.3	77.6	73.3	73.3	73.9
Wool Hosiery and Knit Goods	5	88.5	88.2	88.2	87.9	87.9
Wool Blankets	1	91.5	89.8	87.8	87.8	87.8
Wool Cloth	6	75.1	74.9	71.3	71.3	69.7
Carpets	2	96.7	97.1	93.1	93.1	93.1

Commodities		No. of Price Series	Yearly Average 1938	July 1938	May 1939	June 1939	July 1939
IV.	Wood, Wood Products and Paper	49	77.5	76.7	76.7	77.1	77.0
	Newsprint	2	68.2	68.1	67.9	67.8	67.8
	Lumber	33	89.8	89.4	91.0	92.1	92.3
	Pulp	3	75.6	73.5	70.0	70.2	69.9
	Furniture	10	85.5	86.7	82.4	82.4	79.8
	Matches	1	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9
V.	Iron and Its Products	44	100.4	97.8	97.3	97.4	97.4
	Pig Iron and Steel Billets	3	96.0	90.2	90.2	90.2	90.2
	Rolling Mill Products	14	107.5	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.2
	Pipe (Cast Iron and Steel)	2	99.4	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1
	Hardware	16	90.1	89.7	88.5	88.5	88.5
	Wire	3	100.4	97.8	97.2	97.2	97.2
	Scrap	5	65.9	60.3	70.9	72.3	72.3
	Miscellaneous	1	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5
VI.	Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	18	70.9	70.6	69.2	69.2	68.6
	Aluminium	2	91.5	93.9	80.4	80.4	80.4
	Antimony	1	88.7	85.7	79.8	78.3	76.8
	Brass and Copper Products	6	73.7	72.2	72.8	72.8	74.0
	Lead and Its Products	2	52.3	51.9	49.3	50.1	50.8
	Silver	1	70.1	69.4	69.2	67.9	57.1
	Tin Ingots	2	67.6	68.4	75.2	75.5	76.1
	Zinc and Its Products	2	44.3	45.3	43.0	43.8	44.5
	Solder	1	74.6	69.5	77.2	77.2	77.2
VII.	Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	83	86.7	86.5	84.8	84.6	84.7
	Clay and Allied Material Products	10	86.0	83.8	86.2	86.2	86.2
	Pottery	2	96.6	96.6	96.6	96.6	96.6
	Coal	13	94.4	94.3	94.1	93.6	93.1
	Coke	5	111.0	111.0	111.8	110.8	110.8
	Manufactured Gas	3	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0
	Coal Tar	1	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7
	Glass and Its Products	6	79.1	77.8	74.1	74.1	74.1
	Petroleum Products	6	72.2	72.3	68.2	67.7	68.6
	Asphalt	2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2
	Salt	4	79.4	77.7	97.6	116.6	116.6
	Sulphur	1	96.5	98.7	91.8	91.7	91.6
	Plaster	3	113.3	112.0	109.3	109.3	109.3
	Lime	4	104.2	100.3	100.6	100.6	101.2
	Cement	1	102.4	99.2	96.7	96.7	96.7
	Sand and Gravel	8	90.2	91.4	84.9	84.9	84.9
	Crushed Stone	3	85.8	85.8	76.7	76.7	76.7
	Building Stone	3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3
	Asbestos	8	76.8	76.8	76.8	77.9	77.9
VIII.	Chemicals and Allied Products	77	79.9	79.4	77.8	77.7	77.6
	Inorganic Chemicals	22	87.2	87.3	85.8	84.8	84.8
	Organic Chemicals	6	75.5	74.6	72.7	71.7	71.7
	Coal Tar Products	2	93.1	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2
	Dyeing and Tanning Materials	10	104.7	104.0	104.0	104.0	104.0
	Explosives	2	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7
	Paint Materials	9	70.2	68.5	68.2	68.1	67.3
	Paints Prepared	2	71.2	68.4	68.4	68.4	68.4
	Drugs and Pharmaceutical Chemicals	10	74.8	74.8	70.9	71.6	71.6
	Fertilizers	10	78.9	80.9	82.9	82.9	82.9
	Industrial Gases	2	91.5	95.1	89.9	90.0	89.9
	Soap	2	91.9	91.9	88.0	88.0	88.0

INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMODITIES

(Classified According to Purpose for which used)
(1926=100)

Commodities	Price Series	Yearly Average 1938	July 1938	May 1939	June 1939	July 1939
I. <u>CONSUMERS' GOODS (GROUPS A & B)</u>	236	77.2	77.7	73.9	73.7	73.4
A. <u>Foods, Beverages and Tobacco</u>	126	77.1	78.9	72.2	71.9	71.5
Beverages	9	78.2	77.0	77.8	77.8	77.5
Flour and Milled Products	12	80.4	81.4	63.2	59.6	56.7
Bakery Products	2	91.4	94.2	84.4	84.4	84.4
Fish	16	71.9	68.3	71.1	69.1	67.8
Fruits	15	70.3	73.4	69.0	77.5	78.1
Meats and Poultry	10	79.2	89.1	79.0	79.0	77.9
Milk and Milk Products	12	78.4	74.8	69.4	69.2	69.4
Sugar and Its Products	8	84.1	82.7	87.5	87.5	87.3
Vegetables	13	51.5	57.9	67.5	69.7	71.1
Eggs	3	67.5	68.8	52.0	50.2	53.0
Tobacco	8	51.3	52.5	45.5	45.5	45.5
Miscellaneous	18	65.2	66.1	57.8	58.6	57.9
B. <u>Other Consumers' Goods</u>	110	77.2	76.9	75.1	74.9	74.7
Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Rubbers, Hosiery and Underwear	52	74.2	73.8	72.3	72.3	72.4
Household Equipment and Supplies	58	79.4	79.2	77.2	76.8	76.5
II. <u>PRODUCERS' GOODS (GROUPS C & D)</u>	402	75.8	75.8	69.0	68.1	66.7
C. <u>Producers' Equipment</u>	24	95.1	95.5	94.9	94.9	95.0
Tools	3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3
Light, Heat and Power Equipment and Supplies	17	95.7	96.1	95.4	95.4	95.5
Explosives	2	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7
Miscellaneous	2	95.3	95.3	95.7	95.7	95.7
D. <u>Producers' Materials</u>	378	73.7	73.6	66.1	65.1	63.5
Building and Construction Materials	111	89.1	87.4	88.0	88.5	88.6
Lumber	33	89.8	88.4	91.0	92.1	92.3
Paint Materials	13	69.6	66.6	66.4	66.3	66.0
Miscellaneous	65	93.3	91.6	90.6	90.5	90.6
Manufacturers' Materials	267	71.1	71.3	62.4	61.1	59.2
Textiles and Clothing	64	65.3	65.1	63.7	63.9	63.8
Furs and Leather Goods	24	71.2	66.2	69.7	68.3	68.8
For Metal Working Industries	41	76.9	76.0	74.9	75.0	74.5
For Chemical Using Industries	43	88.6	88.8	86.9	86.2	86.1
For Meat Packing Industries	4	82.0	94.9	86.4	85.5	84.6
For Milling and Other Industries	23	68.1	67.5	46.9	43.9	39.1
Miscellaneous Producers' Materials	68	69.2	69.2	63.7	62.7	61.8

WHOLESALE PRICES OF IMPORTANT COMMODITIES

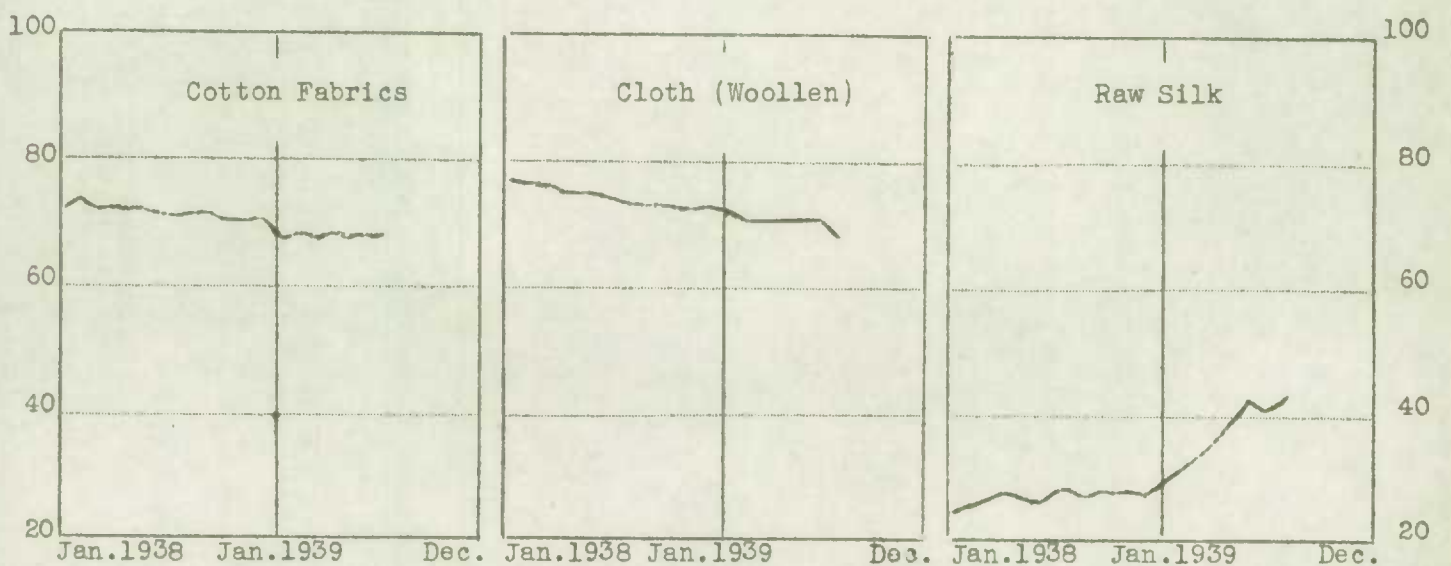
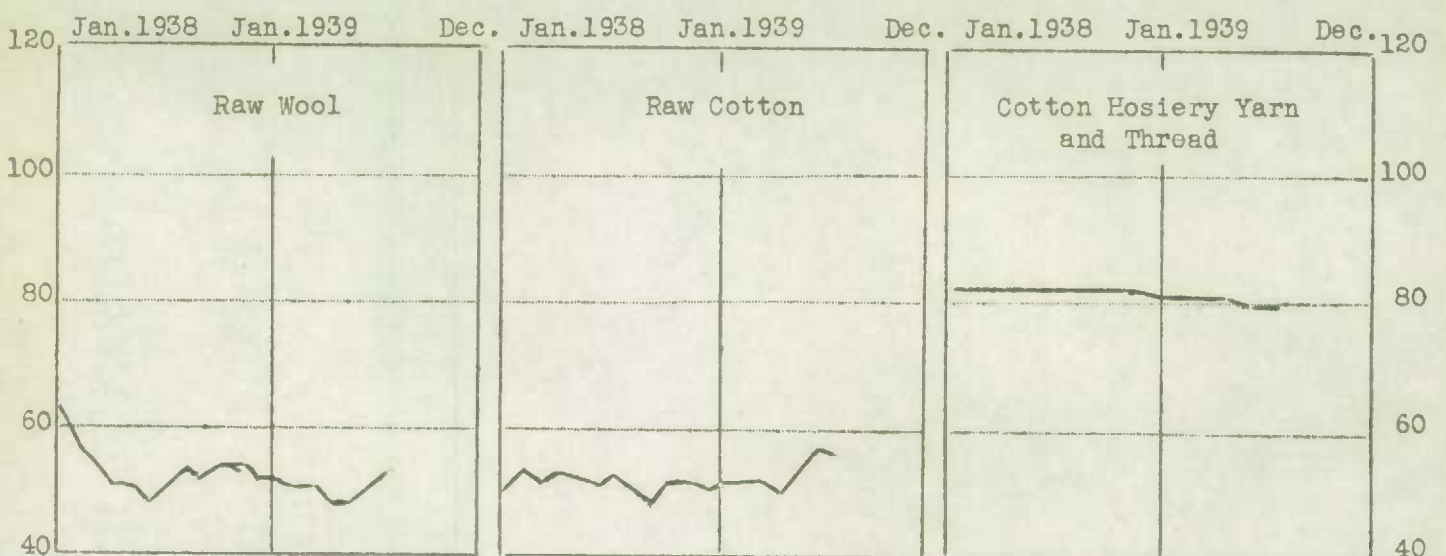
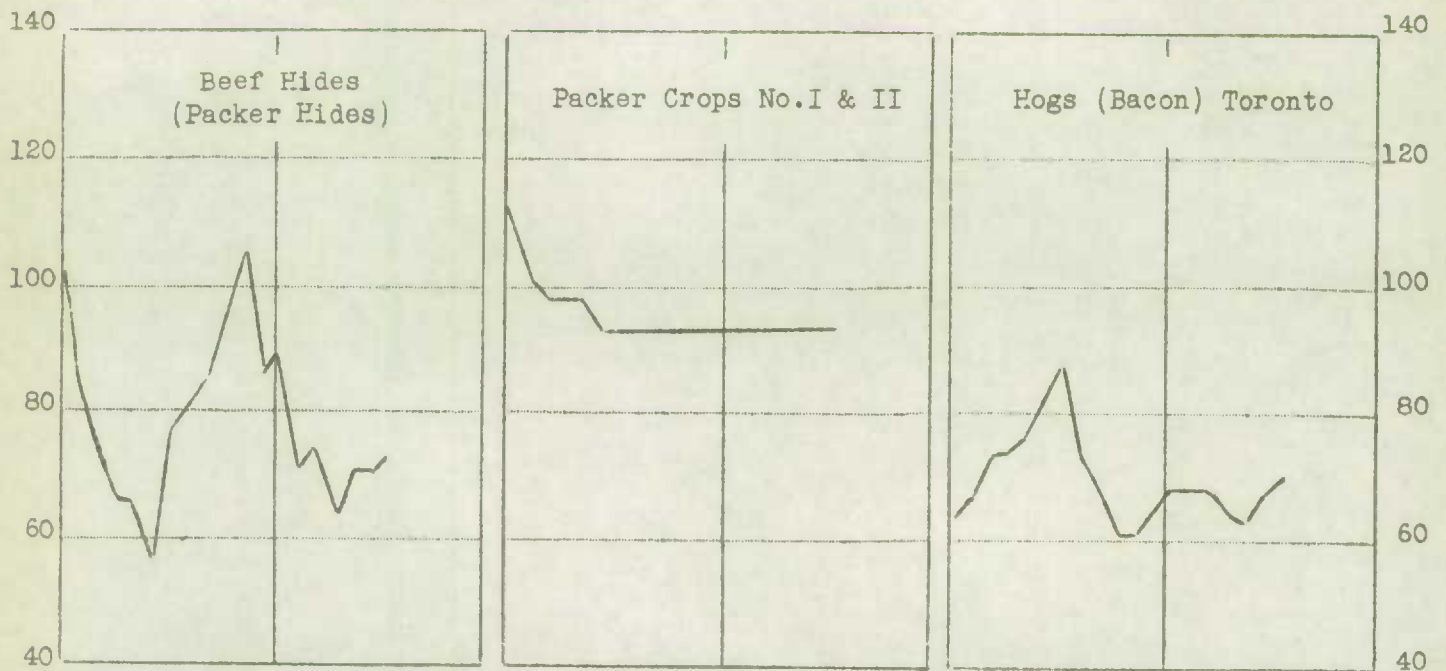
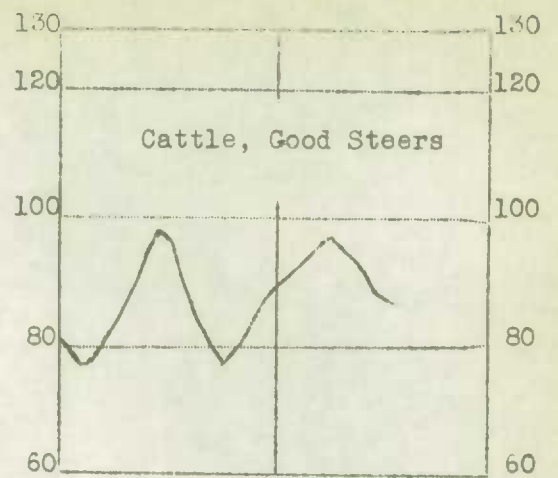
Commodity		Average 1926	Yearly Average 1938	July 1938	June 1939	July 1939
		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
OATS, No.2 C.W.						
Ft.William and Port Arthur cash basis	Bush.	.548	.413	.413	.301	.262
WHEAT, No.1 Man. Northern						
Ft.William and Port Arthur cash basis	Bush.	1.495	1.015	.984	.618	.553
FLOUR, First Patent, 2-98's Jute						
Toronto		8.821	6.491	6.750	4.380	4.200
SUGAR, Br. W. Indies, Montreal	Cwt.		2.041	2.050	2.280	2.170
SUGAR, granulated, Montreal	Cwt.	5.958	4.895	4.800	5.085	5.085
xRUBBER, Ceylon, ribbed, smoked sheets f.o.b. New York	Lb.	.488	.148	.156	.165	.166
CATTLE, Steers, good over 1050 lbs.						
Toronto	Cwt.	7.330	6.264	7.070	6.570	6.450
HOGS, Bacon						
Toronto	Cwt.	13.320	9.529	11.940	9.100	9.340
BEEF HIDES, Packer Hides, Native Steers, Toronto	Lb.	.135	.111	.105	.095	.100
LEATHER, Packer, crops, No.I & II, f.o.b. Distributing points	Lb.		.374	.360	.360	.360
BOX SIDES B, Oshawa	Ft.	.263	.211	.200	.220	.220
BUTTER, Creamery, finest prints, Montreal	Lb.	.390	.284	.266	.231	.229
CHEESE, Canadian, old, large, Montreal	Lb.	.227	.182	.180	.200	.200
EGGS, Grade "A" Large, Montreal	Doz.		.335	.328	.249	.281
COTTON, raw 1" - 1 1/16"						
Hamilton	Lb.	.194	.106	.109	.118	.113
COTTON YARNS, 10's white, single Hosiery cops, Mill	Lb.	.368	.250	.250	.238	.238
xSILK, raw, special grand XX 85 p.c. New York, 13-15 deniers	Lb.		1.818	1.925	2.666	2.764
WOOL, eastern bright, 1/4 blood, domestic, Toronto	Lb.	.306	.168	.160	.160	.175
WOOL, western range, semi-bright 1/2 blood, domestic, Toronto	Lb.	.316	.161	.160	.150	.150
PULP, groundwood, No.1 f.o.b. Mill	Ton		21.762	20.799	21.438	21.260
PIG IRON, Malleable, f.o.b. plant	Gross Ton	25.680	22.000	20.500	20.500	20.500
STEEL, merchant bars, mild Mill	100 Lbs.	2.450	2.625	2.550	2.550	2.550
COPPER, Electrolytic, domestic, Montreal	Cwt.	15.767	10.550	10.409	10.425	10.629
LEAD, domestic, f.o.b. carlots Montreal	Cwt.	8.154	4.176	4.136	3.998	4.060
TIN INGOTS, Straits, f.o.b. Toronto	Lb.	.669	.458	.465	.530	.530
ZINC, Domestic, f.o.b. carlots Montreal	Cwt.	8.825	3.900	3.988	3.854	3.921
COAL, Anthracite, Toronto f.o.b. carlots	Gross Ton	12.110	10.211	9.930	9.240	8.750
COAL, Bituminous, N.S. run-of-mine	Ton	6.083	5.417	5.500	5.500	5.500
GASOLENE Toronto	Gal.	.253	.158	.160	.145	.145
SULPHURIC ACID 66° Baume Toronto	Net Ton	14.000	17.000	17.000	17.000	17.000

x Canadian Funds.

STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS

No.	Name of Creditor	Address	Amount Owed	Date of Maturity	Interest Rate	Collateral	Remarks
1	First National Bank	123 Main St., New York	\$10,000	12/31/25	5%	None	Original loan
2	Second National Bank	456 Broadway, New York	\$5,000	6/30/26	6%	None	Original loan
3	Third National Bank	789 Third Ave., New York	\$3,000	9/30/27	7%	None	Original loan
4	Fourth National Bank	101 West 125th St., New York	\$2,000	3/31/28	8%	None	Original loan
5	Fifth National Bank	234 Fifth Ave., New York	\$1,500	12/31/29	9%	None	Original loan
6	Sixth National Bank	567 Sixth Ave., New York	\$1,000	6/30/30	10%	None	Original loan
7	Seventh National Bank	890 Seventh Ave., New York	\$500	12/31/31	11%	None	Original loan
8	Eighth National Bank	112 Eighth Ave., New York	\$500	6/30/32	12%	None	Original loan
9	Ninth National Bank	135 Ninth Ave., New York	\$500	12/31/33	13%	None	Original loan
10	Tenth National Bank	168 Tenth Ave., New York	\$500	6/30/34	14%	None	Original loan
11	Eleventh National Bank	201 Eleventh Ave., New York	\$500	12/31/35	15%	None	Original loan
12	Twelfth National Bank	234 Twelfth Ave., New York	\$500	6/30/36	16%	None	Original loan
13	Thirteenth National Bank	267 Thirteenth Ave., New York	\$500	12/31/37	17%	None	Original loan
14	Fourteenth National Bank	300 Fourteenth Ave., New York	\$500	6/30/38	18%	None	Original loan
15	Fifteenth National Bank	333 Fifteenth Ave., New York	\$500	12/31/39	19%	None	Original loan
16	Sixteenth National Bank	366 Sixteenth Ave., New York	\$500	6/30/40	20%	None	Original loan
17	Seventeenth National Bank	399 Seventeenth Ave., New York	\$500	12/31/41	21%	None	Original loan
18	Eighteenth National Bank	432 Eighteenth Ave., New York	\$500	6/30/42	22%	None	Original loan
19	Nineteenth National Bank	465 Nineteenth Ave., New York	\$500	12/31/43	23%	None	Original loan
20	Twentieth National Bank	498 Twentieth Ave., New York	\$500	6/30/44	24%	None	Original loan
21	Twenty-first National Bank	531 Twenty-first Ave., New York	\$500	12/31/45	25%	None	Original loan
22	Twenty-second National Bank	564 Twenty-second Ave., New York	\$500	6/30/46	26%	None	Original loan
23	Twenty-third National Bank	597 Twenty-third Ave., New York	\$500	12/31/47	27%	None	Original loan
24	Twenty-fourth National Bank	630 Twenty-fourth Ave., New York	\$500	6/30/48	28%	None	Original loan
25	Twenty-fifth National Bank	663 Twenty-fifth Ave., New York	\$500	12/31/49	29%	None	Original loan
26	Twenty-sixth National Bank	696 Twenty-sixth Ave., New York	\$500	6/30/50	30%	None	Original loan
27	Twenty-seventh National Bank	729 Twenty-seventh Ave., New York	\$500	12/31/51	31%	None	Original loan
28	Twenty-eighth National Bank	762 Twenty-eighth Ave., New York	\$500	6/30/52	32%	None	Original loan
29	Twenty-ninth National Bank	795 Twenty-ninth Ave., New York	\$500	12/31/53	33%	None	Original loan
30	Thirtieth National Bank	828 Thirtieth Ave., New York	\$500	6/30/54	34%	None	Original loan
31	Thirty-first National Bank	861 Thirty-first Ave., New York	\$500	12/31/55	35%	None	Original loan
32	Thirty-second National Bank	894 Thirty-second Ave., New York	\$500	6/30/56	36%	None	Original loan
33	Thirty-third National Bank	927 Thirty-third Ave., New York	\$500	12/31/57	37%	None	Original loan
34	Thirty-fourth National Bank	960 Thirty-fourth Ave., New York	\$500	6/30/58	38%	None	Original loan
35	Thirty-fifth National Bank	993 Thirty-fifth Ave., New York	\$500	12/31/59	39%	None	Original loan
36	Thirty-sixth National Bank	1026 Thirty-sixth Ave., New York	\$500	6/30/60	40%	None	Original loan
37	Thirty-seventh National Bank	1059 Thirty-seventh Ave., New York	\$500	12/31/61	41%	None	Original loan
38	Thirty-eighth National Bank	1092 Thirty-eighth Ave., New York	\$500	6/30/62	42%	None	Original loan
39	Thirty-ninth National Bank	1125 Thirty-ninth Ave., New York	\$500	12/31/63	43%	None	Original loan
40	Fortieth National Bank	1158 Fortieth Ave., New York	\$500	6/30/64	44%	None	Original loan
41	Forty-first National Bank	1191 Forty-first Ave., New York	\$500	12/31/65	45%	None	Original loan
42	Forty-second National Bank	1224 Forty-second Ave., New York	\$500	6/30/66	46%	None	Original loan
43	Forty-third National Bank	1257 Forty-third Ave., New York	\$500	12/31/67	47%	None	Original loan
44	Forty-fourth National Bank	1290 Forty-fourth Ave., New York	\$500	6/30/68	48%	None	Original loan
45	Forty-fifth National Bank	1323 Forty-fifth Ave., New York	\$500	12/31/69	49%	None	Original loan
46	Forty-sixth National Bank	1356 Forty-sixth Ave., New York	\$500	6/30/70	50%	None	Original loan
47	Forty-seventh National Bank	1389 Forty-seventh Ave., New York	\$500	12/31/71	51%	None	Original loan
48	Forty-eighth National Bank	1422 Forty-eighth Ave., New York	\$500	6/30/72	52%	None	Original loan
49	Forty-ninth National Bank	1455 Forty-ninth Ave., New York	\$500	12/31/73	53%	None	Original loan
50	Fiftieth National Bank	1488 Fiftieth Ave., New York	\$500	6/30/74	54%	None	Original loan

WHOLESALE PRICE
INDEX NUMBERS
1938 AND 1939
(1926=100)



INDEX NUMBERS OF RETAIL PRICES, RENTS AND COSTS OF SERVICES IN CANADA, JULY, 1939.
(Calculations based on prices for the first of each month)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of retail prices, rents and costs of services on the base 1926=100 rose from 82.9 in June to 83.1 in July, a moderate decline in the fuel group being more than offset by higher food prices.

An index for retail prices alone including such commodities as foods, coal, coke, household requirements, etc., advanced from 77.1 to 77.5. When foods were removed from this index it remained unchanged at 79.8.

An index for 46 food items moved up from 74.3 to 75.1, higher prices for eggs, butter, cheese, potatoes and pepper, being of more consequence than declines for lard, milk, tea and most meats. Between June and July Grade "A" eggs advanced from 25.5¢ to 27.2¢ per dozen, while an average of Grade "B" and Grade "C" eggs was 22.4¢ in July as compared with 21.3¢ for the previous month. Creamery butter rose from 25.5¢ to 26.2¢, and dairy butter from 22.4¢ to 22.8¢ per pound. Cheese at 21.4¢ per pound was fractionally higher. Potatoes advanced from 29.5¢ to 34.5¢ per peck and pepper from 34.6¢ to 35.3¢ per pound. Meat prices declined as follows: Shoulder beef from 16.0¢ to 15.9¢, mutton from 24.6¢ to 23.7¢, fresh pork from 23.8¢ to 23.6¢, salt pork from 21.2¢ to 21.0¢ and ham from 56.4¢ to 56.2¢ per pound. Milk prices fell from 11.1¢ to 10.9¢ per quart. Tea was down from 58.6¢ to 57.9¢ and lard from 11.9¢ to 11.6¢ per pound.

Moderate decreases in prices of coal and coke resulted in a change in the fuel index from 84.3 to 83.9. Declines in these two sub-groups were as follows: Coal from 85.5 to 85.0 and coke from 81.7 to 81.0.

The sundries group remained unchanged at 94.1, despite a slight recession in the hardware sub-index from 85.2 to 85.1.

INDEX NUMBERS OF RETAIL PRICES, RENTS AND COSTS OF SERVICES, 1913-JULY, 1939
(1926=100)

	Total	Food	Fuel	Rent	Cloth-	Sun-	Retail	Retail
	Index	Index	Index	Index	ing	dries	Prices	Prices
					Index	Index	Index	Index
							(Foods, Fuel, Clothing, Household, Requirements, etc.)	(Fuel, Clothing, Household, Requirements, etc.)
1913	65.4	66.2	65.8	64.1	63.3	66.2	-	-
1920	124.2	141.1	102.6	86.5	153.2	104.0	-	-
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1929	99.9	101.0	96.4	103.3	96.9	99.0	98.9	96.9
1930	99.2	98.6	95.7	105.9	93.9	99.4	96.7	94.9
1931	89.6	77.3	94.2	103.0	82.2	97.4	82.5	87.3
1932	81.3	64.3	91.4	94.7	72.3	94.6	72.6	80.3
1933	77.5	63.7	87.7	85.1	67.1	92.6	70.1	76.2
1934	78.6	69.4	87.7	80.1	69.7	92.1	73.7	77.7
1935	79.1	70.4	86.8	81.3	69.9	92.2	74.1	77.5
1936	80.8	73.4	86.4	83.7	70.5	92.8	75.9	78.0
1937	83.1	77.3	84.9	86.9	72.7	93.4	78.6	79.8
1938	84.1	78.0	85.1	89.8	73.3	94.1	79.3	80.6
1938 July	84.2	78.4	84.3	90.3	73.0	94.0	79.3	80.2
August	84.9	80.7	84.6	90.3	73.0	94.0	80.5	80.3
September	84.1	77.6	84.7	90.3	73.4	94.0	79.1	80.5
October	83.9	77.1	85.1	90.1	73.4	93.9	78.9	80.6
November	83.8	76.6	85.5	90.1	73.4	94.2	78.7	80.6
December	83.6	76.2	85.6	90.1	72.8	94.2	78.3	80.3
1939 January	83.3	75.2	85.7	90.1	72.8	94.2	77.8	80.3
February	83.1	74.5	85.4	90.1	72.8	94.2	77.5	80.3
March	83.1	74.5	85.3	90.1	72.8	94.1	77.4	80.2
April	83.1	74.5	85.1	90.1	72.8	94.3	77.4	80.2
May	83.1	74.6	84.5	90.0	72.8	94.3	77.4	80.1
June	82.9	74.3	84.3	90.0	72.6	94.1	77.1	79.8
July	83.1	75.1	83.9	90.0	72.6	94.1	77.5	79.8

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.

AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF FOOD IN CANADA-Cont'd

Year and Month	Beef Sirloin (pound)	Beef Chuck (pound)	Veal Roast (pound)	Mutton Roast (pound)	Pork Fresh (pound)	Pork Salt (pound)	Bacon Breakfast (pound)	Lard Pure (pound)	Eggs Fresh Grade "A" (dozen)	Eggs Grade "B" and Grade "C" (dozen)	Milk (quart)	Butter Dairy (pound)	Butter Cream- ery (pound)	Cheese (pound)
<u>1936</u>														
November	22.6	12.0	13.4	20.7	21.1	19.9	30.0	15.8	43.9	34.3	10.8	25.4	28.4	22.5
December	22.0	11.8	13.3	20.4	20.4	19.5	29.1	15.9	45.6	35.2	10.9	26.0	29.4	22.4
<u>1937</u>														
January	22.7	12.2	14.1	21.5	20.5	19.7	29.2	15.9	39.6	32.6	10.8	26.8	30.3	22.4
February	23.9	12.9	14.9	22.4	21.2	19.9	29.0	16.6	31.6	26.3	10.8	27.0	30.9	22.6
March	23.3	12.8	14.4	21.7	20.5	19.7	28.6	16.6	29.8	24.7	11.0	26.5	29.9	22.4
April	24.8	13.6	14.3	22.8	20.9	19.6	28.5	16.8	26.8	22.7	11.0	26.9	30.5	22.5
May	26.9	14.8	14.3	24.0	21.3	19.9	28.6	16.8	25.5	21.3	11.0	27.3	30.8	22.6
June	28.3	15.6	14.2	24.3	21.8	19.9	28.8	16.9	25.2	21.3	10.8	25.2	28.5	22.6
July	29.5	16.2	14.3	24.9	22.6	20.3	29.1	16.9	27.0	22.8	10.8	25.0	28.9	22.9
August	29.0	15.2	14.3	23.9	23.7	20.6	30.7	16.9	32.2	26.7	10.8	26.6	30.8	23.0
September	27.4	14.7	14.7	22.7	24.7	21.3	31.8	17.0	34.5	28.8	10.8	27.3	31.4	23.3
October	26.6	14.3	14.7	22.1	24.4	21.5	32.5	17.0	39.2	31.7	11.1	27.7	31.5	23.2
November	25.6	13.8	14.7	22.0	22.8	21.0	32.3	17.1	44.0	34.3	11.1	28.7	32.6	23.2
December	24.9	13.7	14.9	21.2	21.9	20.8	31.6	16.9	44.9	35.1	11.3	30.4	34.5	23.1
<u>1938</u>														
January	25.1	13.8	15.1	22.0	22.1	20.9	30.5	16.4	33.3	31.3	11.5	30.9	34.7	23.3
February	25.5	14.0	16.1	22.4	22.1	20.8	30.3	15.6	32.0	26.9	11.5	32.1	36.0	23.3
March	25.1	14.0	15.9	23.4	22.6	20.8	30.4	15.3	32.0	27.0	11.5	35.0	39.1	23.4
April	25.8	14.4	15.6	24.2	23.6	21.0	31.9	15.4	29.0	24.4	11.5	35.6	39.7	23.7
May	26.9	15.1	15.6	25.7	24.3	21.3	32.5	15.4	25.9	21.9	11.5	30.0	33.3	23.8
June	28.4	16.1	16.0	25.7	24.8	21.6	33.1	15.3	27.9	23.7	11.3	28.1	31.4	23.8
July	28.4	16.1	15.7	23.7	26.2	22.0	34.2	15.2	31.0	26.7	11.1	26.2	29.9	23.8
August	28.6	15.8	15.6	24.5	27.4	22.8	36.3	15.3	34.1	29.2	11.1	26.2	29.8	23.9
September	27.5	15.1	15.8	24.0	25.8	22.2	34.9	15.0	36.0	30.2	11.1	25.5	28.3	23.6
October	26.8	14.7	16.1	22.9	24.8	21.8	34.0	14.9	39.7	32.9	11.3	24.7	27.2	23.3
November	25.7	14.2	15.7	21.7	23.1	21.1	32.5	14.8	43.9	34.9	11.3	24.5	27.3	23.3
December	24.8	14.1	15.5	22.0	22.6	20.9	30.9	14.4	44.0	34.7	11.3	24.1	26.7	23.3
<u>1939</u>														
January	25.5	14.4	16.1	22.6	23.3	21.4	30.5	14.0	38.5	31.7	11.1	23.8	26.4	22.8
February	26.5	15.2	16.8	23.4	23.7	21.1	30.3	13.3	29.6	24.7	11.1	24.0	27.1	22.6
March	27.2	15.5	16.7	23.8	23.6	21.2	30.5	12.7	30.1	25.2	11.1	23.8	26.7	22.2
April	27.6	15.8	16.6	24.4	23.8	21.3	30.3	12.4	28.2	23.9	11.1	23.5	26.6	22.1
May	27.9	16.0	15.8	24.6	23.5	21.3	30.5	11.9	26.1	22.0	11.1	23.3	26.1	22.0
June	28.3	16.0	15.4	24.6	23.8	21.2	30.1	11.9	25.5	21.3	11.1	22.4	25.5	21.3
July	28.3	15.9	15.6	23.7	23.6	21.0	30.1	11.6	27.2	22.4	10.9	22.8	26.2	21.4

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<u>1936</u>													
November	6.1	3.9	5.4	7.9	6.4	16.7	11.3	6.1	6.0	52.0	35.5	28.6	6.9
December	6.2	3.9	5.4	8.0	6.7	15.9	11.3	6.1	6.0	52.0	35.4	29.4	6.8
<u>1937</u>													
January	6.2	4.0	5.5	7.9	6.9	16.4	11.4	6.2	6.1	52.2	35.2	30.2	6.9
February	6.2	4.2	5.6	8.1	7.2	16.0	11.5	6.2	6.1	52.0	35.1	34.5	6.9
March	6.3	4.3	5.7	8.1	7.5	15.8	11.6	6.3	6.2	52.1	35.6	37.1	6.9
April	6.4	4.4	5.7	8.2	7.8	16.1	11.7	6.4	6.3	52.3	35.4	37.0	6.9
May	6.4	4.5	5.8	8.2	7.9	15.7	11.7	6.5	6.3	52.4	35.4	33.1	6.9
June	6.7	4.5	5.8	8.2	7.9	15.7	11.7	6.5	6.3	52.5	35.7	30.0	6.9
July	6.7	4.5	5.8	8.1	7.8	15.7	11.8	6.5	6.3	53.4	35.7	28.0	7.0
August	6.7	4.7	6.0	8.2	7.6	15.5	11.8	6.6	6.4	54.3	35.5	30.6	6.9
September	6.8	4.6	6.0	8.2	7.5	15.4	12.0	6.6	6.4	54.8	35.9	22.7	6.9
October	6.8	4.6	6.0	8.2	7.0	16.0	11.7	6.6	6.4	55.5	35.6	21.4	6.9
November	6.8	4.5	5.9	8.2	6.2	16.8	11.7	6.5	6.4	56.3	35.6	20.1	6.9
December	6.8	4.5	5.9	8.2	5.9	15.7	11.5	6.5	6.4	56.4	35.4	20.1	6.8
<u>1938</u>													
January	6.8	4.5	5.8	8.1	5.7	15.7	11.3	6.5	6.4	57.4	35.3	20.2	6.9
February	6.9	4.5	5.8	8.2	5.6	15.0	11.2	6.5	6.4	58.0	35.0	20.3	6.9
March	6.8	4.4	5.8	8.2	5.5	15.0	11.1	6.5	6.4	58.1	35.2	20.2	6.8
April	6.9	4.3	5.7	8.2	5.4	15.4	11.0	6.5	6.4	58.0	34.7	19.5	6.9
May	6.9	4.3	5.7	8.2	5.4	15.4	10.8	6.5	6.3	58.6	34.8	18.9	6.9
June	6.8	4.1	5.7	8.2	5.4	15.3	11.0	6.5	6.3	58.7	34.7	19.7	6.9
July	6.8	4.1	5.7	8.2	5.3	15.0	11.0	6.4	6.2	58.6	34.8	20.5	6.9
August	6.8	4.0	5.7	8.2	5.3	14.9	11.1	6.4	6.2	58.6	34.5	28.6	6.8
September	6.6	3.6	5.6	8.2	5.3	15.0	11.0	6.3	6.2	58.9	35.0	21.1	6.8
October	6.5	3.3	5.4	8.1	5.2	15.5	10.9	6.3	6.2	58.7	34.8	21.5	6.7
November	6.4	3.3	5.3	8.1	5.2	14.8	10.9	6.3	6.2	58.8	34.4	22.0	6.7
December	6.5	3.2	5.3	8.2	5.1	14.9	10.8	6.3	6.2	58.6	34.7	23.5	6.8
<u>1939</u>													
January	6.3	3.1	5.2	8.2	5.1	15.3	10.9	6.3	6.2	58.2	34.3	24.6	6.7
February	6.3	3.1	5.1	8.1	5.1	15.4	10.8	6.3	6.2	58.9	34.3	26.0	6.8
March	6.2	3.0	5.0	8.1	5.0	15.2	10.7	6.3	6.2	58.5	34.1	26.6	6.8
April	6.2	3.0	5.0	8.1	5.0	15.6	10.6	6.3	6.2	58.5	34.0	27.2	6.9
May	6.2	2.9	5.0	8.1	5.0	15.2	10.7	6.4	6.3	58.5	33.8	30.3	6.8
June	6.2	2.9	5.0	8.1	5.1	15.2	10.8	6.5	6.4	58.6	33.7	29.5	6.9
July	6.2	2.9	5.0	8.1	5.1	15.1	10.7	6.5	6.4	57.9	33.8	34.5	6.8

INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCKS

Following a June decline Canadian common stock daily price averages for industrial, utility and bank stocks moved upward on light trading during July. The general index for 95 stocks mounted from 92.8 on June 30 to 98.4 on July 31. Industrials advanced 11.2 points to 161.5, utilities 1.1 to 42.8 and banks 0.5 to 85.2. All sections of the composite index registered net advances ranging from 0.6 p.c. for banks to over 18 p.c. for pulp and paper. Other groups in which strength was most apparent were textiles and clothing, industrial mines, machinery and equipment, oils, building materials, beverages and transportation. The Investors' monthly average index was 97.3 in July as compared with 97.0 in the preceding month. Industrials were up 1.6 to 159.2 and banks remained unchanged at 85.0. Monthly average indexes for all divisions of utilities showed recessions and the utility index dropped from 43.7 in June to 42.7 in July.

MINING STOCK PRICES

A quieter situation in Europe favoured security markets during July and the Bureau's price index of twenty-five Canadian mining issues registered a substantial net gain, rising 9.4 points to 158.4 on July 31. This advance was based on light trading and although interest was divided between golds and base metals, the latter drew most attention. The base metals, supported by higher copper quotations and by active export interest, accounted for over two-thirds of the general advance. The index for this group mounted from 296.0 on the final day of June to 324.2 on July 31, closing the month at the highest level for the present year. Progress in the gold section was more evident in the first two weeks than in the remainder of the month. The daily gold index moved from 113.5 on June 30 to 118.4 for the final day in July, 4.1 points of this rise being recorded in the first fortnight of July. Appearing below is a table of average prices for the weeks of August 3 and June 29, as compiled by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

GOLDS					
	Aug. 3	June 29		Aug. 3	June 29
	\$	\$		\$	\$
Beattie	1.21	1.24	Little Long Lac	3.06	2.88
Bralorne	11.91	11.91	Macassa	4.76	4.53
Buffalo-Ankerite	10.87	12.04	McIntyre	58.12	57.21
Central Patricia	2.49	2.41	Pickle Crow	4.71	4.60
Dome	32.83	32.96	Pioneer	2.43	2.49
God's Lake .....	.40	.34	Reno .....	.48	.51
Hollinger	15.27	14.94	San Antonio	1.95	1.70
Howey .....	.34	.33	Siscoe	1.18	1.16
Kirkland Lake	1.51	1.49	Sylvanite	3.38	3.35
Lake Shore	41.79	38.81	Teck-Hughes	4.23	4.19
Lamaque Gold Mines	7.08	6.50	Wright-Hargreaves	8.14	8.13
BASE METALS					
Falconbridge	5.59	5.20	Noranda	82.73	77.37
Hudson Bay	34.25	32.27			

PREFERRED STOCKS

The rising trend of the Bureau's monthly price index for twenty-five preferred stocks noticeable since May last, continued in July when the index advanced 1.1 points to 83.0. There was also an expansion in trading, transfers for the month totalling 26,315 shares as compared with 22,538 in June. In point of activity the Paper group led the list. Abitibi showed a turnover of 6,980 shares or more than one-quarter of the month's aggregate and shares of St. Lawrence Corporation A sold amounted to 1,795. Abitibi closed the month \$1 1/8 up at \$5 3/4 after touching \$7 1/8 on the 24th while St. Lawrence closed at \$11 for a gain of \$2 1/2. The Machinery and Equipment group also exhibited strength. Massey-Harris with 4,357 sales finished \$7 higher at \$46 after reaching a peak of \$49. Canadian Car and Foundry was down \$1/2 to \$20 1/2. Other active leaders were Dominion Coal, Canadian Cannery and Walkers. The Textile group continued upward, Dominion Textile and Canadian Cottons registering new 1939 highs, the former at 158.1, up \$2.1 above last month and the latter at \$104.6 for a gain of \$1.2. Canadian Celanese was more active than these latter and gained \$5 over the opening price of \$105 but dropped \$.2 from last month's average. Other 1939 highs were: Moore A, up \$7 during the month to \$179, Dominion Tar and Chemical \$85, Simpson's \$92.8, Walkers \$20.2 and Toronto Elevators \$44.1.

INDEX NUMBERS OF 25 PREFERRED STOCKS, 1929, 1933, 1937, 1938 AND 1939. (1926=100)

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
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
1933	49.6	49.6	47.3	47.2	54.6	58.5	61.9	61.7	61.0	59.7	59.1	60.2
1937	99.2	100.4	102.6	103.1	100.2	99.3	99.4	101.5	91.0	82.2	82.0	81.0
1938	83.4	82.1	77.5	78.2	80.1	81.8	87.2	86.8	81.3	88.0	87.5	86.9
1939	85.0	84.4	83.9	78.9	79.0	81.9	83.0					

INVESTORS' MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCKS
(1926=100)

Number of Securities 1939	GENERAL	BANKS	UTILITIES				INDUSTRIALS									
	Total	Total	Total	Trans- porta- tion	Tele- phone Tele- graph	Power and Trac- tion	Total	Machin- ery and Equip- ment	Pulp and Paper	Mill- ing	Oils	Tex- tiles and Cloth- ing	Food and Allied Pro- ducts	Bever- ages	Build- ing Mater- ials	In- dust- rial Mines
	95	8	19	2	2	15	68	8	7	3	4	10	12	7	15	2
<u>1937</u>																
January	137.4	94.4	68.5	38.7	122.0	91.1	222.0	156.3	37.2	119.6	229.6	77.3	184.2	141.0	197.0	549.3
February	142.4	96.7	73.1	41.8	125.8	97.5	228.8	163.4	36.7	120.7	235.2	78.5	188.2	139.3	203.5	586.7
March	147.2	95.9	71.0	39.6	124.2	94.7	241.7	168.3	40.2	127.0	247.7	80.2	190.0	141.8	213.4	618.2
April	136.2	94.0	64.1	35.0	122.0	85.1	224.1	157.5	47.1	117.4	230.4	79.9	182.4	133.4	204.8	538.9
May	132.2	92.7	63.0	32.8	124.7	84.0	216.4	151.3	38.5	109.4	229.6	77.5	178.9	128.4	188.4	525.8
June	129.4	92.3	63.2	32.3	127.3	84.1	210.1	148.1	38.2	103.7	220.2	77.7	177.7	131.0	179.6	510.8
July	133.0	90.2	63.9	29.7	128.0	88.0	217.8	148.0	40.5	102.0	222.6	79.7	182.1	136.1	188.7	547.4
August	135.2	89.9	65.2	29.9	128.7	90.4	221.6	151.2	40.4	95.2	223.6	79.5	182.0	136.9	192.7	564.2
September	118.9	84.9	57.4	24.8	126.6	78.6	193.3	122.8	29.3	89.1	205.3	73.3	167.9	118.3	159.4	470.5
October	105.8	81.4	51.7	20.9	122.9	70.7	170.3	104.3	22.5	69.9	192.0	68.0	154.1	105.6	132.5	395.0
November	103.1	79.0	49.6	19.9	122.2	66.9	166.3	104.7	20.4	80.1	193.2	67.7	154.1	115.7	129.5	359.2
December	103.7	81.6	49.5	19.8	125.4	66.0	167.7	103.2	18.3	82.9	188.0	67.1	154.7	114.2	131.9	382.7
<u>1938</u>																
January	107.7	84.3	48.4	19.2	125.6	64.4	177.0	109.6	18.9	87.2	194.9	64.3	158.7	116.1	138.4	422.6
February	107.1	81.8	46.8	17.6	123.1	63.1	177.7	109.3	17.5	88.9	195.2	64.8	159.9	115.0	131.4	425.0
March	99.2	80.5	43.1	14.5	120.1	58.2	164.0	100.7	14.6	76.5	181.2	60.3	152.0	101.2	116.0	387.3
April	97.9	80.4	43.7	15.4	117.0	59.7	160.5	103.2	15.4	75.6	172.0	55.0	151.5	106.0	119.4	386.6
May	99.7	80.9	44.5	14.8	122.8	61.0	163.5	107.2	15.7	85.8	177.2	54.5	153.6	107.5	122.5	389.2
June	100.0	81.0	45.1	15.7	123.8	61.2	163.5	111.8	18.6	84.8	170.0	54.1	156.2	109.2	129.8	395.2
July	106.9	84.9	48.6	18.3	123.7	66.4	175.1	129.2	23.1	88.6	177.6	59.4	167.9	120.5	142.6	433.0
August	105.2	85.0	47.1	16.7	125.3	64.3	172.8	130.1	21.0	88.3	176.7	59.0	168.5	122.1	139.3	421.1
September	98.6	83.4	42.7	14.1	121.1	57.8	162.2	120.6	17.5	78.4	165.0	54.3	162.2	108.8	121.2	401.0
October	109.7	86.0	46.9	16.5	125.8	64.0	182.7	139.8	22.8	85.8	182.1	58.5	170.1	133.3	139.5	467.9
November	110.4	85.6	46.2	16.4	126.8	62.3	184.9	141.5	21.6	84.9	184.5	59.0	170.2	143.3	141.5	466.1
December	106.8	83.9	44.0	14.3	127.3	59.4	179.4	135.5	19.3	78.8	176.9	56.9	170.1	135.9	140.2	459.3
<u>1939</u>																
January	102.9	85.2	42.7	13.4	127.3	57.5	171.4	129.4	16.9	79.1	173.5	52.9	172.9	126.9	133.3	422.1
February	104.1	85.3	42.9	12.4	129.7	58.2	174.0	129.4	16.4	77.6	175.9	54.3	175.3	130.4	133.6	433.1
March	103.7	85.1	44.4	11.5	131.7	62.0	171.4	126.6	15.1	79.8	173.9	57.2	172.5	127.6	132.9	419.2
April	96.2	83.7	41.9	9.6	129.7	58.9	157.7	111.1	11.5	71.4	162.9	53.1	169.2	116.9	119.3	381.9
May	99.2	84.7	43.2	10.0	132.6	60.8	163.0	112.5	12.0	78.9	170.2	55.0	176.3	120.4	124.6	387.9
June	97.0	85.0	43.7	11.0	133.8	60.8	157.6	114.2	12.4	77.4	153.2	56.2	179.2	124.7	128.8	389.0
July	97.3	85.0	42.7	10.4	132.8	59.2	159.2	118.0	12.7	75.0	154.0	59.8	182.1	124.8	129.5	393.1

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

No. of Stocks 1939	:	Gold	:	Base Metals	:	Total Index
	:	22	:	3	:	25
x1929 - High		89.7		318.0		127.9
Low		52.7		157.3		72.6
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		68.2		65.1
x1934 - High		140.1		167.6		143.3
Low		103.1		125.0		107.3
x1935 - High		131.2		211.7		136.7
Low		104.7		128.6		114.9
x1936 - High		136.2		322.1		170.3
Low		118.3		205.5		135.4
x1937 - High		141.3		356.5		180.0
Low		99.7		183.1		115.8
x1938 - High		125.5		322.5		160.9
Low		105.1		206.8		125.1
<u>1938</u>						
January		121.0		241.7		144.1
February		124.3		246.9		147.7
March		111.4		225.3		134.9
April		110.5		229.5		133.9
May		114.1		243.0		139.5
June		119.2		259.5		145.8
July		119.8		282.1		151.1
August		123.8		289.2		156.0
September		113.6		269.8		144.0
October		121.3		308.2		157.4
November		121.1		319.3		159.6
December		121.6		313.0		159.0
<u>1939</u>						
January		121.4		307.0		158.0
February		121.1		315.1		158.8
March		118.2		305.6		155.0
April		110.1		282.6		143.7
May		114.6		303.3		151.4
June		116.5		308.6		153.9
July		117.7		314.7		155.8
<u>Weekly Index Numbers</u>						
Week ending July 6th		114.8		300.3		150.9
" " " 13th		116.8		309.5		154.1
" " " 20th		118.0		314.9		156.2
" " " 27th		119.0		320.2		157.9
" " Aug. 3rd		118.4		324.9		158.6
" " " 10th		117.4		324.0		157.5

* Weekly figures.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES OF 25 MINING STOCKS

MAY-JULY, 1939

	MAY				JUNE					JULY				AUG.
	4th	11th	18th	25th	1st	8th	15th	22nd	29th	6th	13th	20th	27th	3rd
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
GOLD GROUP														
Beattie	1.16	1.19	1.18	1.20	1.25	1.25	1.27	1.26	1.24	1.21	1.24	1.26	1.27	1.21
Bralorne	10.71	11.06	11.10	11.33	11.62	11.91	12.02	11.88	11.91	11.42	11.52	11.81	11.96	11.91
Buffalo-Ankerite	11.67	12.04	12.04	12.04	12.44	12.04	12.10	12.12	12.04	11.75	11.83	11.83	11.50	10.87
Central Patricia	2.24	2.33	2.34	2.36	2.52	2.58	2.59	2.51	2.41	2.42	2.47	2.46	2.48	2.49
Dome	31.02	31.62	31.94	32.00	31.94	32.69	32.92	32.67	32.96	32.32	33.06	32.98	33.25	32.83
God's Lake .....	.30	.34	.34	.35	.37	.34	.35	.36	.34	.33	.35	.34	.35	.40
Hollinger	14.29	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.71	14.94	14.85	15.00	14.94	15.10	15.33	15.33	15.33	15.27
Howey .....	.29	.29	.29	.30	.34	.34	.33	.32	.33	.32	.34	.33	.33	.34
Kirkland Lake	1.37	1.43	1.39	1.40	1.53	1.54	1.53	1.53	1.49	1.48	1.51	1.54	1.53	1.51
Lake Shore	40.75	39.38	39.54	41.25	41.02	39.29	38.77	38.77	38.81	38.60	39.69	41.27	41.77	41.79
Lamaque Gold Mines	6.22	6.10	6.01	6.15	6.42	6.76	6.60	6.56	6.50	6.81	6.89	6.70	6.91	7.08
Little Long Lac	2.73	2.75	2.72	2.88	3.08	3.08	3.01	2.96	2.88	2.79	2.79	2.82	3.03	3.06
Macassa	4.33	4.85	4.93	4.88	4.80	4.73	4.88	4.79	4.53	4.40	4.51	4.69	4.72	4.76
McIntyre ,	52.96	53.04	53.17	54.42	57.46	57.37	57.69	58.06	57.21	55.12	56.63	56.67	57.98	58.12
Pickle Crow	4.80	4.95	4.85	4.85	4.84	4.87	4.88	4.73	4.60	4.57	4.69	4.73	4.68	4.71
Pioneer	2.36	2.35	2.42	2.48	2.51	2.49	2.46	2.46	2.49	2.44	2.43	2.46	2.42	2.43
Reno .....	.34	.40	.49	.52	.52	.50	.51	.53	.51	.47	.47	.47	.48	.48
San Antonio	1.47	1.53	1.51	1.54	1.58	1.63	1.74	1.80	1.70	1.68	1.70	1.71	1.83	1.95
Siscoe	1.03	1.06	1.15	1.20	1.32	1.26	1.22	1.18	1.16	1.16	1.17	1.20	1.18	1.18
Sylvanite	3.07	3.18	3.23	3.20	3.32	3.36	3.38	3.43	3.35	3.35	3.40	3.38	3.38	3.38
Teck-Hughes	4.03	4.03	3.98	4.13	4.23	4.35	4.27	4.27	4.19	4.20	4.22	4.23	4.21	4.23
Wright-Hargreaves	7.93	8.11	8.09	8.08	8.11	8.12	8.25	8.31	8.13	8.07	8.08	8.08	8.19	8.14
BASE METAL GROUP														
Falconbridge	4.93	5.08	4.96	4.97	5.28	5.41	5.41	5.31	5.20	5.06	5.16	5.50	5.58	5.59
Hudson Bay	28.81	30.73	31.41	31.29	31.98	32.88	33.06	32.48	32.27	31.12	32.52	33.31	33.42	34.25
Noranda	76.67	78.63	77.88	79.17	79.71	79.94	79.77	78.60	77.37	77.20	78.96	79.92	81.15	82.73

INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES AND YIELDS, JULY, 1939.
(1926=100)

Dominion of Canada long-term bond values averaged slightly lower in July, and the Dominion Bureau of Statistics' index stood at 117.9, as compared with 118.0 for June. The reaction, which set in at the end of the preceding month, continued into the first week of July, as uneasiness over international affairs continued to influence security markets, but a following recovery raised levels to almost their former heights. Interest was not sustained, however, and values fell off somewhat in the latter part of the month. The Bureau's daily index at 117.7 for July 31 was on a par with that for June 30, but 0.4 below the month's high. Provincials were featureless, with price movements narrow and mixed. British Consols moved 1/4 lower to 66 3/4, while the Dow-Jones average of selected United States bonds rose from 88.34 to 90.37. The monthly index for Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields was unchanged at 60.1, and the average yield of the issues included in this index stood at 2.92. Based upon information received from Messrs. Wood, Gundy & Company, Limited, the index for representative Province of Ontario bond yields remained at 65.8, with an average yield of 3.15.

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1931-1939
(From data issued by A. E. Ames and Company, Ltd.)

	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939
January	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6	117.7	116.1	117.5
February	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0	115.3	116.6	117.6
March	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5	112.9	116.8	117.9
April	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7	112.7	117.3	116.8
May	104.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9	113.8	118.2	117.0
June	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0	114.9	118.1	118.0
July	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0	115.1	117.6	117.9
August	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1	115.5	117.6	-
September	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1	115.3	116.0	-
October	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1	114.5	116.9	-
November	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	117.6	114.8	117.8	-
December	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	118.2	115.6	117.7	-

MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1931-1939
(From data issued by A. E. Ames and Company, Ltd.)

	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939
January	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4	64.6	66.3	62.1
February	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8	68.4	65.4	61.9
March	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9	72.7	64.7	61.1
April	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5	73.2	63.7	63.0
May	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8	71.0	61.7	62.4
June	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9	69.3	61.8	60.1
July	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1	69.0	62.7	60.1
August	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2	68.1	62.7	-
September	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1	68.3	65.3	-
October	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2	69.7	63.2	-
November	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	65.1	68.8	61.5	-
December	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	64.1	67.4	61.8	-

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Date	Prices	Yields
May 4	116.2	64.1
11	116.4	63.5
18	117.3	61.8
25	117.4	61.5
June 1	117.8	60.7
8	118.0	60.3
15	118.1	59.9
22	118.0	60.2
29	118.1	59.9
July 6	117.7	60.5
13	118.0	59.9
20	118.0	59.9
27	117.9	60.2

* Based upon average of daily figures for the week ending on dates specified.

EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS AT MONTREAL, 1938-1939

NOTE: The noon rates in Canadian Funds upon which these averages are based have been supplied by the Bank of Canada

	New York Funds	London Sterling	France Franc	Belgium Belga	Italy Lira	Switzer- land Franc	Nether- lands Florin	Norway Krone	Sweden Krona	Denmark Krone	
1938	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
July	1.0054	4.9562	.0278	.1701	.0529	.2301	.5533	.2490	.2554	.2212	
August	1.0034	4.8970	.0274	.1692	.0528	.2296	.5478	.2460	.2524	.2186	
September	1.0062	4.8335	.0271	.1698	.0529	.2275	.5428	.2429	.2491	.2157	
October	1.0093	4.8120	.0269	.1706	.0531	.2293	.5489	.2418	.2479	.2148	
November	1.0072	4.7413	.0265	.1703	.0530	.2282	.5473	.2383	.2445	.2117	
December	1.0092	4.7133	.0266	.1700	.0531	.2283	.5486	.2368	.2428	.2104	
1939											
January	1.0079	4.7060	.0266	.1703	.0530	.2276	.5462	.2364	.2423	.2100	
February	1.0049	4.7086	.0266	.1694	.0529	.2279	.5388	.2366	.2425	.2102	
March	1.0041	4.7044	.0266	.1689	.0528	.2271	.5331	.2364	.2423	.2100	
April	1.0050	4.7038	.0266	.1692	.0529	.2254	.5341	.2363	.2423	.2100	
May	1.0036	4.6931	.0266	.1708	.0528	.2256	.5379	.2360	.2420	.2097	
June	1.0021	4.6923	.0266	.1704	.0527	.2259	.5328	.2358	.2416	.2094	
July	1.0015	4.6885	.0265	.1702	.0527	.2258	.5335	.2355	.2415	.2093	
	Spain Peseta	Czecho- Slovakia Koruna	Argentine Peso (Paper) Unofficial	Austra- lia Pound	Brazil Milreis	Germany Reichs- mark	India Rupee	China (Shanghai) Dollar	Japan Yen	Union of S.Africa Pound	New Zealand Pound
1938	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
July .....	.0569	.0348	.2610	3.9638	.0588	.4040	.3695	.1834	.2887	4.9500	3.9969
August .....	.0577	.0345	.2586	3.9176	.0586	.4023	.3652	.1670	.2854	4.8909	3.9491
September .....	.0525	.0347	.2546	3.8670	.0589	.4021	.3605	.1730	.2818	4.8275	3.8981
October .....	.0514	.0347	.2542	3.8509	.0590	.4042	.3594	.1622	.2806	4.8076	3.8820
November .....	.0509	.0345	.2369	3.7931	.0590	.4033	.3541	.1595	.2762	4.7333	3.8106
December .....	.0504	.0345	.2297	3.7707	.0592	.4045	.3519	.1629	.2747	4.7075	3.7878
1939											
January .....	.0465	.0345	.2311	3.7647	.0591	.4038	.3514	.1640	.2742	4.7001	3.7798
February	-	.0344	.2311	3.7665	.0589	.4032	.3519	.1596	.2744	4.7027	3.7820
March	-	.0343	.2316	3.7636	.0589	.4026	.3520	.1609	.2742	4.6986	3.7787
April	-	-	.2323	3.7631	.0588	.4028	.3514	.1612	.2742	4.6924	3.7782
May .....	.1105	-	.2323	3.7585	.0571	.4026	.3505	.1605	.2738	4.6863	3.7736
June1104	-	.2326	3.7539	x.0511	.4019	.3500	.1349	.2734	4.6806	3.7689
July1104	-	.2320	3.7508	x.0506	.4018	.3496	.1074	.2733	4.6768	3.7659

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No.	Name	Sex	Age	Height	Weight	Chest	Arm	Forearm	Hand	Foot	Length	Breadth	Depth	Volume	Density	Temperature	Pulse	Respiration	Blood Pressure	Systolic	Diastolic	Mean	Remarks
1	John Doe	M	25	5' 10"	175	38"	28"	24"	9"	10"	10"	4"	3"	1.05	1.05	98.6	72	16	120/80	120	80	93	Normal
2	Jane Smith	F	22	5' 5"	130	36"	26"	22"	8"	9"	9"	3.5"	2.5"	1.02	1.02	98.4	68	14	110/70	110	70	90	Normal
3	Robert Brown	M	30	6' 0"	190	40"	30"	26"	10"	11"	11"	4.5"	3.5"	1.08	1.08	98.8	75	18	130/90	130	90	110	Normal
4	Mary White	F	28	5' 8"	150	37"	27"	23"	9"	10"	10"	4"	3"	1.04	1.04	98.5	70	15	115/75	115	75	95	Normal
5	William Black	M	35	6' 2"	210	42"	32"	28"	11"	12"	12"	5"	4"	1.10	1.10	99.0	80	20	140/100	140	100	120	Normal
6	Elizabeth Green	F	32	5' 12"	160	39"	29"	25"	10"	11"	11"	4.5"	3.5"	1.06	1.06	98.7	72	16	120/80	120	80	93	Normal
7	Charles Taylor	M	27	5' 9"	165	38"	28"	24"	9"	10"	10"	4"	3"	1.05	1.05	98.6	72	16	120/80	120	80	93	Normal
8	Anna Miller	F	24	5' 6"	140	37"	27"	23"	9"	10"	10"	4"	3"	1.03	1.03	98.4	68	14	110/70	110	70	90	Normal
9	Thomas Wilson	M	33	6' 1"	200	41"	31"	27"	10"	11"	11"	4.5"	3.5"	1.09	1.09	98.9	78	19	135/95	135	95	115	Normal
10	Sarah Davis	F	26	5' 7"	145	37"	27"	23"	9"	10"	10"	4"	3"	1.03	1.03	98.4	68	14	110/70	110	70	90	Normal
11	James Moore	M	31	6' 3"	220	43"	33"	29"	11"	12"	12"	5"	4"	1.11	1.11	99.1	82	21	145/105	145	105	125	Normal
12	Grace Hall	F	29	5' 11"	155	38"	28"	24"	9"	10"	10"	4"	3"	1.04	1.04	98.5	70	15	115/75	115	75	95	Normal
13	Frank Adams	M	28	5' 10"	170	39"	29"	25"	10"	11"	11"	4.5"	3.5"	1.06	1.06	98.7	72	16	120/80	120	80	93	Normal
14	Lillian King	F	23	5' 4"	125	36"	26"	22"	8"	9"	9"	3.5"	2.5"	1.01	1.01	98.3	66	13	105/65	105	65	85	Normal
15	George Baker	M	34	6' 4"	230	44"	34"	30"	12"	13"	13"	5.5"	4.5"	1.12	1.12	99.2	85	22	150/110	150	110	130	Normal
16	Helen Clark	F	30	5' 10"	160	38"	28"	24"	9"	10"	10"	4"	3"	1.04	1.04	98.5	70	15	115/75	115	75	95	Normal
17	Edward Lewis	M	29	5' 9"	165	38"	28"	24"	9"	10"	10"	4"	3"	1.05	1.05	98.6	72	16	120/80	120	80	93	Normal
18	Frances Miller	F	25	5' 6"	140	37"	27"	23"	9"	10"	10"	4"	3"	1.03	1.03	98.4	68	14	110/70	110	70	90	Normal
19	Harold Wilson	M	32	6' 1"	200	41"	31"	27"	10"	11"	11"	4.5"	3.5"	1.09	1.09	98.9	78	19	135/95	135	95	115	Normal
20	Beatrice Davis	F	27	5' 8"	150	37"	27"	23"	9"	10"	10"	4"	3"	1.04	1.04	98.5	70	15	115/75	115	75	95	Normal
21	Clarence Moore	M	36	6' 5"	240	45"	35"	31"	12"	13"	13"	5.5"	4.5"	1.13	1.13	99.3	88	23	155/115	155	115	135	Normal
22	Norma Hall	F	31	5' 11"	160	38"	28"	24"	9"	10"	10"	4"	3"	1.04	1.04	98.5	70	15	115/75	115	75	95	Normal
23	Walter Adams	M	30	6' 0"	190	40"	30"	26"	10"	11"	11"	4.5"	3.5"	1.08	1.08	98.8	75	18	130/90	130	90	110	Normal
24	Joseph King	M	28	5' 9"	165	38"	28"	24"	9"	10"	10"	4"	3"	1.05	1.05	98.6	72	16	120/80	120	80	93	Normal
25	Marjorie Clark	F	26	5' 7"	145	37"	27"	23"	9"	10"	10"	4"	3"	1.03	1.03	98.4	68	14	110/70	110	70	90	Normal
26	Albert Lewis	M	33	6' 1"	200	41"	31"	27"	10"	11"	11"	4.5"	3.5"	1.09	1.09	98.9	78	19	135/95	135	95	115	Normal
27	Virginia Miller	F	24	5' 6"	140	37"	27"	23"	9"	10"	10"	4"	3"	1.03	1.03	98.4	68	14	110/70	110	70	90	Normal
28	Samuel Wilson	M	35	6' 2"	210	42"	32"	28"	11"	12"	12"	5"	4"	1.10	1.10	99.0	80	20	140/100	140	100	120	Normal
29	Edith Davis	F	28	5' 8"	150	37"	27"	23"	9"	10"	10"	4"	3"	1.04	1.04	98.5	70	15	115/75	115	75	95	Normal
30	Frederick Moore	M	37	6' 6"	250	46"	36"	32"	13"	14"	14"	6"	5"	1.14	1.14	99.4	90	24	160/120	160	120	140	Normal
31	Josephine Hall	F	32	5' 11"	160	38"	28"	24"	9"	10"	10"	4"	3"	1.04	1.04	98.5	70	15	115/75	115	75	95	Normal
32	Harold Adams	M	29	5' 9"	165	38"	28"	24"	9"	10"	10"	4"	3"	1.05	1.05	98.6	72	16	120/80	120	80	93	Normal
33	Elizabeth King	F	25	5' 6"	140	37"	27"	23"	9"	10"	10"	4"	3"	1.03	1.03	98.4	68	14	110/70	110	70	90	Normal
34	Clarence Clark	M	31	6' 0"	190	40"	30"	26"	10"	11"	11"	4.5"	3.5"	1.08	1.08	98.8	75	18	130/90	130	90	110	Normal
35	Norma Lewis	F	27	5' 7"	145	37"	27"	23"	9"	10"	10"	4"	3"	1.03	1.03	98.4	68	14	110/70	110	70	90	Normal
36	Walter Miller	M	34	6' 1"	200	41"	31"	27"	10"	11"	11"	4.5"	3.5"	1.09	1.09	98.9	78	19	135/95	135	95	115	Normal
37	Josephine Wilson	F	26	5' 8"	150	37"	27"	23"	9"	10"	10"	4"	3"	1.04	1.04	98.5	70	15	115/75	115	75	95	Normal
38	Samuel Davis	M	38	6' 7"	260	47"	37"	33"	14"	15"	15"	6.5"	5.5"	1.15	1.15	99.5	95	25	165/125	165	125	145	Normal
39	Edith Moore	F	33	5' 11"	160	38"	28"	24"	9"	10"	10"	4"	3"	1.04	1.04	98.5	70	15	115/75	115	75	95	Normal
40	Frederick Hall	M	30	6' 0"	190	40"	30"	26"	10"	11"	11"	4.5"	3.5"	1.08	1.08	98.8	75	18	130/90	130	90	110	Normal

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	: Total : 420 Stocks	: Industrials : 350 Stocks	: Railroads : 30 Stocks	: Utilities : 40 Stocks
<u>1935</u>				
July	78.8	91.2	33.8	73.3
August	83.0	95.0	35.8	80.6
September	85.0	97.5	37.0	81.9
October	85.2	98.5	34.3	81.0
November	93.3	107.4	37.6	90.1
December	95.3	109.2	41.4	91.6
<u>1936</u>				
January	100.0	114.5	43.8	97.0
February	106.1	120.9	49.1	102.8
March	108.7	124.6	49.2	102.8
April	108.9	125.3	48.9	101.5
May	101.0	116.2	45.0	94.7
June	105.6	120.6	47.7	102.0
July	109.2	124.3	50.7	105.8
August	113.0	128.4	53.9	108.8
September	114.1	130.2	55.4	107.7
October	118.7	136.0	58.4	109.1
November	124.2	144.3	57.9	108.9
December	122.8	142.6	54.4	110.6
<u>1937</u>				
January	126.0	146.3	55.6	113.2
February	129.5	151.7	57.9	110.7
March	129.9	152.6	62.8	105.7
April	124.5	146.5	60.1	100.7
May	116.3	136.7	57.1	94.1
June	113.6	134.0	53.9	91.3
July	117.8	139.4	52.1	95.9
August	120.5	143.5	50.9	97.0
September	106.4	126.2	42.6	89.2
October	91.4	107.4	35.4	81.3
November	82.9	96.1	31.4	79.5
December	82.2	95.2	31.2	78.8
<u>1938</u>				
January	81.6	95.7	29.0	75.7
February	80.7	95.7	28.3	71.2
March	77.9	92.7	25.5	68.5
April	70.7	84.2	20.9	64.0
May	73.9	87.4	21.8	69.5
June	73.1	86.4	20.5	69.2
July	88.0	105.3	27.3	76.5
August	89.5	108.0	27.8	75.0
September	86.0	103.9	25.5	72.2
October	91.1	109.6	28.1	77.4
November	94.7	113.6	30.0	80.9
December	92.0	110.6	28.8	77.9
<u>1939</u>				
January	91.8	109.3	29.8	81.2
February	90.1	106.3	28.0	83.8
March	91.7	108.0	29.7	85.8
April	81.9	95.9	24.8	80.0
May	83.1	97.0	25.0	82.4
June	86.0	100.5	25.9	84.7
July - 1st week	82.8	96.7	24.4	81.9

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