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CTATISTICS OF AUTOMOBILE WINANGING

The figures for automobile financing compiled by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics show an increase in March, 1932, as compared with February, 1932, and indicate a falling off in financing as compared with the corresponding month (March) in 1931. The per cent of change is -44.9.

The total number of cars financed was 4,805 in March, 1932, 4,170 in February. 1932, and 8,012 in March, 1931; and the amount involved was \$1,953,981 in March, 1932, \$1,529,368 in February, 1932, and \$3,543, 176 in March, 1931.

New cars financed were 1,611 in March, 1932, 1,389 in February, 1932, and 2,884 in March, 1931; while used cars financed were 3,194 in March, 1932, 2,781 in February, 1932, and 5,128 in March, 1931.

Financing of new cars amounted to \$1,036,142 in March, 1932, \$727,705 in February, 1932, and \$1,889,774 in March, 1931. Financing of used cars amounted to \$917.539 in March, 1932, \$801.663 in February, 1932, and \$1.653,402 in March, 1931.

			New Ca		ucks Finance	<u> </u>		
Month	Number			% of change	Financing in Dollars			% of chang
	1930	1931	1932	1931- 1932	1930	1931	1932	1932
January	1,335	2,235	1,070	-52,1	1,113,471	909,514	632,707	-30.
February	1,920	2,059	1,339	-32.5	1,514,310	921,042	727,705	-21.
Varch	3,895	2,884	1,611	jij+ 'J	2,739,132	1,889,774	1,036,442	-45.
April	8,069	5.584	1.49	440	4,225,160	3,376,264		648
lay	8,615	5,500	-		5,013,427	3,439.738	-	
Tune	7,056	3,796	F 19	8-7	4,625,148	2,444,721	-	
uly	5,077	3,391		~=	2,903,003	2,101,341	-	-
lugust	3,636	2,188	0.0	-	2,003,901	1,418,134	-	
Septuber	3,127	1,767		on .	1,754,700	1,239,434		-
ctober	2,317	1,191	6.001	din.5	1,288,553	1,324,452	-	
Tovomber	1,594	1,303	0.1	-	816,948	980,252	_	
)ecember	1,320	7. 7.90	-	~	512,978		-	
				Used C	ars			
January	3,826	1 2,807	2,982	7 6.2	1.739.524	1,287,404	812,501	-36.
ebruary	3,8142	3.305	2.781	-15.9	1,529,460	1,439,500	801,663	-44.
larch	6,120	5,128	3,194	-37.7	2,527.903	1,653,402	917,539	-44.
pril	9,311	8,949	,	-	4,270,487	2,877,698	-	-
lay	11,048	9,036	647		4,619,712	2,877,442	800	240
une	9.507	7,741	-		3,299,507	2,473,723	-	-
ruly	8:343	6,945	-	-	3,778,515	2,093,559		-
lugust	6,286	4,620		6-2	2,9:9,1:61	1,488,373	-	
September	5,165	4,:30		the o	2,517,052	1,374,500	-	-
october	5,768	4,544	j -		2,50,904	1,337,692	-	-
lovember	5,139	3.859		PH Ø	2,221,134	1,165,341		-
)ecember	5,448	1 3.511		6.00	2,340,784	1,003,073	_	-
			To	tal New an	d Used Cars			
January	5,161	5.042	4,052	-19.6	2,852,995	2,196,918	1,445,208	-34.8
Pebruary	5,762	5,364	4,170	-22.3	3,143,770	2,360,542	1,529,368	-35.6
March	10,015	8,01.2		-40.0	5,267,035	3,543,176	1,953,981	-44.9
pril	17,380	14,533	Part .	140	8,495.647	6,253,962	-	_
la;	19,653	14,536	-	4.00	9,633,139	6,317,180	000	Aug
Tune	16,563	11,537		0-0	7,924,655	4,918,444	-	-40
fuly	13,420	10,336	-	6/10	6,681,518	4,195,900	-	
August	9,922	6,308		-	4,923,362	2,906,507	_	_
September	8,292	5,957	-	-	4,271,752	2,613,934	-	-
ctober	8,035	6)175			3,792,457	2,662,144		
November	6.783	6,435 5,162 4,901	-	790	3 038 082	2 145 503	-	-
Dec her	6.783	4 901		-	3,038,082	2,145,593	-	-

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