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STATISTICS OF AUTOMOBILE FINANCING

The figures for automobile financing compiled by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics show a decrease in July, 1932, as compared with June, 1932, and indicate a falling off in financing as compared with the corresponding month (July) in 1931. The per cent of change is -41.2.

The total number of cars financed was 6,621 in July, 1932, 9,151 in June, 1932, and 10,336 in July, 1931; and the amount involved was \$2,469,685 in July, 1932, \$3,472,380 in June, 1932, and \$4,195,900 in July, 1931.

New cars financed were 2,084 in July, 1932, 2,920 in June, 1932, and 3,391 in July, 1931; while used cars financed were 4,537 in July, 1932, 6,231 in June, 1932, and 6,945 in July, 1931.

Financing of new cars amounted to \$1,243,540 in July, 1932, \$1,767.976 in June, 1932, and \$2,102,341 in July, 1931. Financing of used cars amounted to \$1,226,145 in July, 1932, \$1,704,404 in June, 1932, and \$2,093,559 in July, 1931.

			New Car	s and T	rucks Financ	ed		
Month	Number			% of change	Financing in Dollars			% of change
	1930	1931	1932	1931- 1932	1930	1931	1932	1931 - 1932
January	1,335	2,235	1,070	-52.1	1,113,471	909.514	632,707	-30.4
February	1,920	2,059	1,389	-32.5	1,514,310	921,042	727.705	-21.0
March	3.895	2,884	1,631	-43.4	2,739,132	1,889,774	1,060,440	-43.9
April	8,069	5,584	2,426	-56.6	4,225,160	3,376,264	1,587.293	-53.0 -41.2
May	8,615	5,500	3,171	-42.3	5,013,427	3,439,738	2,023,586	-41.2
June	7,056	3,796	2,920	-23.1	4,625,148	2,444, (21	1,767,976	-27.7
July	5.077	3,391 2,188	2,084	-38.6	2,903,003	2,102,341	1,243,540	40.9
August	3,636	1,767			1,754,700	1,239,434		
September October	3,127	1,891	-	-	1,288,553	1,324,452		
November	1,594	1,303		-	816,948	980,252		
December	1,320	1,390	000		612,978	823,881		
Used Cars								
January	3,826	2,807	2,982	76.2	1,739,524	1,287,404	812,501	-36.9
February	3,842	3,305	2,781	-15.9	1,629,460	1,439,500	801,663	
March	6,120	5,128	3.319	-35.3	2,527,903	1,653,402	964,196	-41.7
April	9,811	8,949	4,919	-45.0	4,270,487	2,877,698	1,412,269	-50.9
May	11,048	9,036	6,444	-28.7	4,619,712	2,877,442	1,763,926	-38.7
June	9,507	7,741	6,231	-19.5	3.299,507	2,473,723	1,704,404	-31.1
July	8,343	6,945	4,537	-34.7	3,778,52.5	2,093,559	1,226,145	-41.5
August	6,286	4,620	*	-	2,919,461	1,488,373		
September	5,165	4,190			2,517,052	1,374,500	_	844
October	5,768	4,544	-	and	2,503,904	1,337,692	_	849
November	5,189	3,859			2,221,134	1,165,341		204
December	5,448	3,511	_	-	2,340,784	1,003,073	-	
Total New and Used Cars								
January	5,161	5,042	4,052	-19.6	2,852,995	2,196,918	1,445,208	-34.2
February	5.762	5,364	4,170	-22.3	3,143,770	2,360,542	1,529,368	-35.2
March	10,015	8,012	4,950	-38.2	5,267,035	3:543,176	2,024,636	-42.9
April	17.880	14,533	7,345	-49.5	8,495,647			
						6,253,962	2,999,562	-52.0
May	19,663	14,536	9,615	-33.9	9,633,139	6,517,180	3,787,512	-40.1
June	16,563	11,537	9,151	-20.7	7,924,655	4,918,444	3,472,380	-29.4
July	13,420	10,336	6,621	-36.0	6,681,518	4,195,900	2,469,685	-41.2
August	9.922	6,808	_	0-09	4,923,362	2,906,507	-	**
September	8,292	5,957	-	~	4,271,752	2,613,934	-	ted.
October	8,085	6,435		-	3,792,457	2,662,144	-	-
November	6.783	5,162	-	-	3,038,082	2,145,593	000	-
December	6,768	4,901	200	-	2,953,762	1,826,954	•	-
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