COST OF LIVING INDEX

AUG. 1939 = 100
BASE PERIOD WEIGHTS
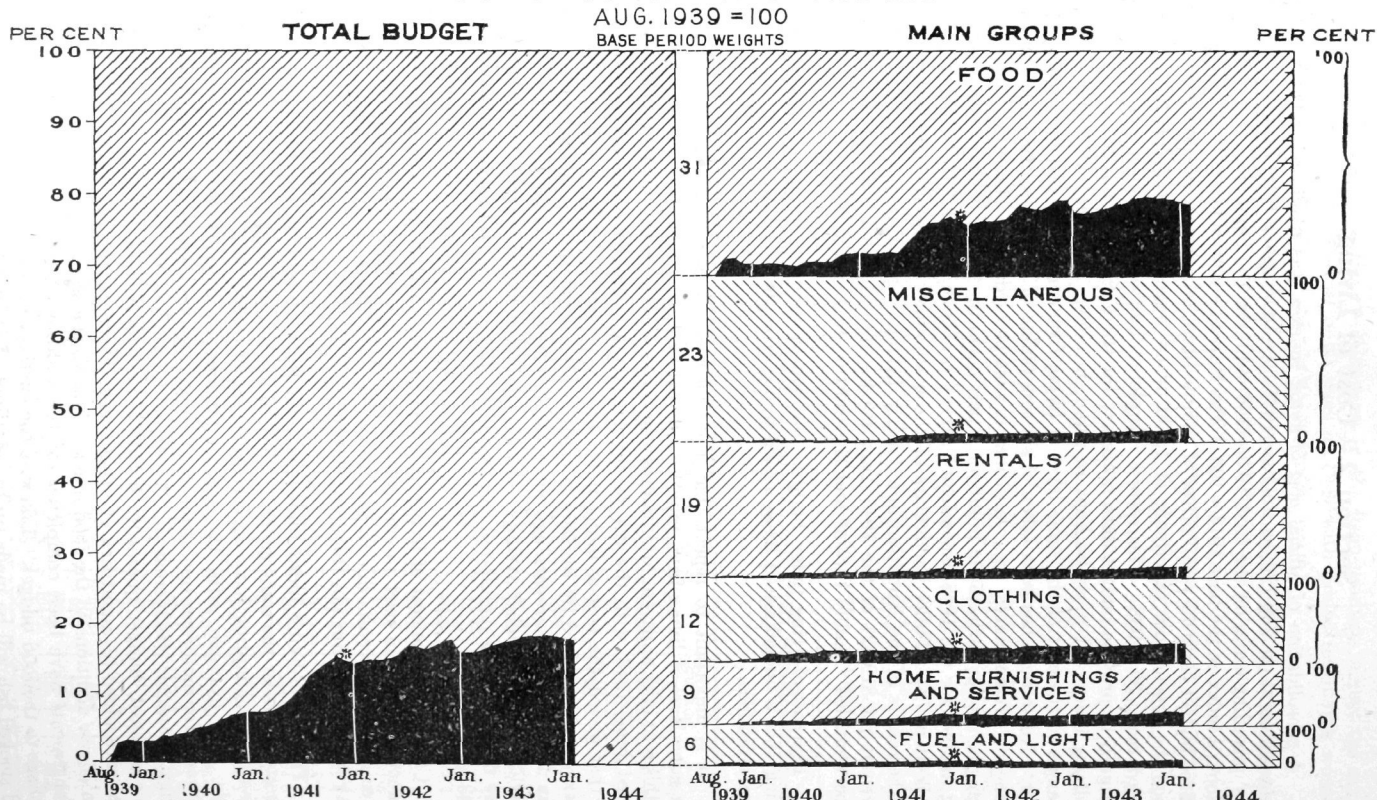

The solid black areas superimposed on the shaded basic areas show the percentage increases that have taken place in the index over the period indicated. The "over-all" price ceiling became effective December 1, 1941 (indicated by the asterisk)