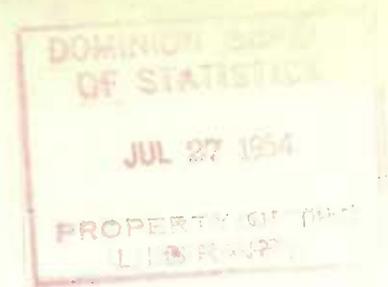


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Pig Iron - Production of pig iron in Canada amounted to 194,307 tons in April, 1954, compared with 241,583 tons in the corresponding month of last year. The total for the current month included 136,381 tons of basic iron, 32,759 tons of malleable iron and 25,167 tons of foundry iron.

Steel Ingots and Castings - Production of steel ingots and steel castings during April, 1954, totalled 255,796 tons compared with 362,291 tons in April of last year. Output in the month under review included 247,872 tons of ingots and 7,924 tons of castings.

### (a) Pig Iron and Ferro-alloys

Table 1 - Production and Shipments During April, 1953 and 1954

	1 9 5 3		1 9 5 4	
	Tonnage made (★)	Tonnage shipped	Tonnage made (★)	Tonnage shipped
	(Net tons of 2,000 pounds)			
<u>Pig iron -</u>				
Basic .....	214,041	8,911	136,381	1,320
Foundry .....	4,465	13,755	25,167	13,731
Malleable .....	23,077	29,863	32,759	28,356
Total pig iron .....	241,583	52,529	194,307	43,407
<u>Ferro-alloys</u> .....	15,980	14,790	(x)	(x)

(★) Includes amounts for sale and for own use.

(x) Available on a quarterly basis only in 1954.

Table 2 - Cumulative Production and Shipments for the Four Months Ended April, 1953 and 1954

	1 9 5 3		1 9 5 4	
	Tonnage made (★)	Tonnage shipped	Tonnage made (★)	Tonnage shipped
	(Net tons of 2,000 pounds)			
<u>Pig iron -</u>				
Basic .....	780,537	20,593	612,342	7,321
Foundry .....	69,701	51,078	73,843	43,254
Malleable .....	99,705	100,524	105,934	50,872
Total pig iron .....	949,943	172,195	792,119	101,447
<u>Ferro-alloys</u> .....	65,348	58,681	(x)	(x)

(★) Includes amounts for sale and for own use.

(x) Available on a quarterly basis only in 1954.

Table 3 - Iron Blast Furnace Charges During April and Four Months Ended April, 1953 and 1954

	A p r i l		Four months ended April	
	1 9 5 3	1 9 5 4	1 9 5 3	1 9 5 4
	(Net tons of 2,000 pounds)			
Iron ore - Canadian .....	119,651	75,071	417,283	327,736
Imported .....	294,646	251,849	1,202,463	1,042,112
Mill cinder, scale, sinter, etc. ....	56,884	52,338	233,228	194,895
Limestone .....	84,728	71,998	325,658	296,145
Dolomite .....	20,662	20,973	96,504	85,481
Coke .....	222,273	172,615	890,471	716,184
Scrap iron and steel .....	10,234	6,890	33,367	22,179

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Table 4 - Description of Iron Blast Furnaces at End of April, 1954

Condition of furnaces	Number of furnaces	Total annual capacity	
		Net tons	Per cent
In blast .....	9	2,745,000	71.9
Banked .....	1	266,000	6.9
Blown out .....	6	807,000	21.2
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>3,818,000</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(b) Steel Ingots and Steel Castings

Table 5 - Production and Shipments During April, 1953 and 1954

	1953		1954	
	Tonnage made (★)	Tonnage shipped	Tonnage made (★)	Tonnage shipped
	(Net tons of 2,000 pounds)			
<u>Steel ingots</u>				
Open hearth - basic .....	309,199	10,028	216,619	66
Electric .....	42,708	70	31,253	32
Total steel ingots .....	<u>351,907</u>	<u>10,098</u>	<u>247,872</u>	<u>98</u>
Alloy steel ingots included in above .....	21,252	15	6,592	66
<u>Steel castings</u>				
Open hearth - basic .....	2,938	2,614	2,404	2,023
Converter .....	41	53	3	-
Electric .....	7,405	5,568	5,517	4,066
Total steel castings .....	<u>10,384</u>	<u>8,235</u>	<u>7,924</u>	<u>6,089</u>
Alloy steel castings included in above:				
(a) High alloy, except manganese and abrasion resistant .....	303	272	408	397
(b) High alloy, manganese and abrasion resistant .....	1,389	1,065	940	913
(c) All other alloys .....	942	198	810	36

(★) Includes amounts for sale and for own use.

Note: High alloy castings include all castings with any alloy content of eight per cent and over.

Table 6 - Cumulative Production and Shipments for the Four Months Ended April, 1953 and 1954

	1953		1954	
	Tonnage made (★)	Tonnage shipped	Tonnage made (★)	Tonnage shipped
	(Net tons of 2,000 pounds)			
<u>Steel ingots</u>				
Open hearth - basic .....	1,197,624	44,319	916,104	373
Electric .....	167,129	411	121,535	32
Total steel ingots .....	<u>1,364,753</u>	<u>44,730</u>	<u>1,037,639</u>	<u>405</u>
Alloy steel ingots included in above .....	80,028	172	43,520	66
<u>Steel castings</u>				
Open hearth - basic .....	10,563	9,077	9,132	7,870
Converter .....	192	153	12	-
Electric .....	26,468	19,833	24,114	18,501
Total steel castings .....	<u>37,223</u>	<u>29,063</u>	<u>33,258</u>	<u>26,371</u>
Alloy steel castings included in above:				
(a) High alloy, except manganese and abrasion resistant .....	387	275	1,402	1,287
(b) High alloy, manganese and abrasion resistant .....	4,797	3,924	3,209	3,047
(c) All other alloys .....	3,580	795	3,423	632

(★) Includes amounts for sale and for own use.

Note: High alloy castings include all castings with any alloy content of eight per cent and over.

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Table 7 - Pig Iron and Scrap Charged to Steel Furnaces, April, 1953 and 1954, and Four Months Ended April, 1954

	April 1953	April 1954	Four months ended April, 1954
	(Net tons of 2,000 pounds)		
Pig iron .....	200,078	142,198	598,114
Scrap - Own make .....	104,944	80,433	345,310
Purchased .....	96,460	48,738	197,307

Table 8 - Steel Furnace Capacity at Thirty-First of October, 1953

	Annual capacity
	(Net tons of 2,000 pounds)
Ingots - Basic open hearth .....	3,951,300
Electric .....	714,400
Total ingots .....	4,665,700
Steel castings .....	313,900
Total ingots and castings .	4,979,600

Table 9 - Monthly Production of Pig Iron, Ferro-alloys and Steel, 1953 and 1954

Month	Pig iron	Ferro- alloys	S t e e l		
			Ingots (*)	Castings	Total steel
	(Net tons of 2,000 pounds)				
<u>1 9 5 3</u>					
January .....	244,606	15,671	339,215	7,433	346,648
February .....	225,182	16,017	316,741	9,322	326,063
March .....	238,572	17,680	356,890	10,084	366,974
April .....	241,583	15,980	351,907	10,384	362,291
May .....	271,461	13,148	358,896	10,071	368,967
June .....	266,180	11,997	342,629	9,834	352,463
July .....	272,958	12,124	315,203	8,182	323,385
August .....	267,249	11,416	331,678	7,025	338,703
September .....	243,963	10,483	321,332	8,012	329,344
October .....	265,346	8,522	354,480	8,018	362,498
November .....	254,643	8,777	324,497	8,206	332,703
December .....	220,526	8,779	296,345	9,085	305,430
Total .....	3,012,269	150,595	4,009,813	105,656	4,115,469
<u>1 9 5 4</u>					
January .....	214,999		290,487	8,413	298,900
February .....	182,050		258,765	8,146	266,911
March .....	200,763	23,214 (x)	240,515	8,775	249,290
April .....	194,307		247,872	7,924	255,796

(\*) Revised.

(x) First Quarter.

Primary steel shapes - Shipments of primary shapes by Canadian steel mills, exclusive of producers' interchange, totalled 215,836 net tons in April, 1954, compared with 293,734 tons in April, 1953. The April, 1954, shipments included 3,645 tons of semi-finished shapes, 11,878 tons of structurals, 17,113 tons of plates, 23,069 tons of rails, 9,483 tons of tie plates and track material, 28,693 tons of hot rolled bars, 14,479 tons of pipes and tubes, 21,723 tons of wire rods, 21,978 tons of black sheets, 10,103 tons of galvanized sheets, 7,279 tons of castings, and 46,393 tons of other rolled products. The amount of producers' interchange was 92,606 tons in April, 1954, as against 116,064 tons in April, 1953.

Of the amounts shipped for sale during April, 48,171 tons went direct to railways and railway car shops; 11,265 tons went to pressing, forming and stamping plants; 29,956 tons to merchant trade products; 25,498 tons to building construction; 28,750 tons to the containers industry; 8,137 tons to agricultural equipment; 10,644 tons to the automotive industry; 12,334 tons to machinery plants; 1,884 tons to shipbuilding; 6,120 tons to mining, lumbering, etc., and 5,758 tons to miscellaneous industries, including national defence and public works and utilities; wholesalers and warehousing accounted for 26,013 tons, and exports for 1,306 tons. Producers' interchange, or the tonnage shipped to producers' own works for further processing, totalled 92,606 tons in April, 1954.

Table 10 - Production and Producers' Shipments of Primary Iron and Steel Shapes, April, 1954

	<u>Production</u> (Including producers' interchange)	<u>Shipments</u>	
		For sale	Producers' interchange
(Tons of 2,000 pounds)			
<u>Carbon steel</u>			
Billets, etc., for forging .....	8,077	3,152	3,742
Other semi-finished shapes, not for re-rolling by makers .....	6,606	109	7,099
Structural shapes and piling .....	11,140	11,878	-
Plates .....	16,571	17,057	-
Rails .....	25,967	23,069	-
Tie plates and track material: Splice bars ....	2,284	2,374	-
Tie plates .....	5,240	5,655	-
Spikes .....	1,501	1,454	-
Concrete reinforcing bars .....	13,869	12,473	-
Hot rolled bars for cold finishing .....	949	-	949
Other hot rolled bars .....	34,420	24,682	7,676
Pipes and tubes .....	11,663	14,479	3
Wire rods .....	20,796	21,648	24
Hot rolled black sheets .....	54,462	9,655	45,224
Cold reduced black sheets .....	17,541	12,323	6,533
Galvanized sheets .....	9,488	10,103	-
Steel castings .....	5,564	5,298	-
All other products (includes tool steel, cold finished bars, tin mill black plate, tin plate, cold reduced strip, axles, etc.) .....	50,165	33,243	21,090
Total carbon steel .....	296,303	208,652	92,340
<u>Alloy steel</u>			
Billets, etc., for forging .....	373	384	-
Other semi-finished shapes, not for re-rolling by makers .....	250	-	250
Plates .....	4	56	-
Hot rolled bars for cold finishing .....	-	-	-
Other hot rolled bars .....	4,263	4,011	16
Wire rods .....	70	75	-
Steel castings .....	2,092	1,981	-
All other products (includes tool steel, cold finished bars, tin mill black plate, tin plate, stainless steel, cold reduced strip, axles, etc.) .....	744	677	-
Total alloy steel .....	7,796	7,184	266

Table 11 - Production and Producers' Shipments of Primary Iron and Steel Shapes, Four Months Ended April, 1954

	Production		Shipments	
	(Including producers' interchange)	For sale	Producers' interchange	
	(Tons of 2,000 pounds)			
<u>Carbon steel</u>				
Billets, etc., for forging .....	23,567	12,602	11,275	
Other semi-finished shapes, not for re-rolling by makers .....	49,777	493	42,652	
Structural shapes and piling .....	50,648	54,073	-	
Plates .....	69,233	68,979	18	
Rails .....	109,247	103,739	-	
Tie plates and track material: Splice bars .....	5,939	6,469	-	
Tie plates .....	21,336	21,210	-	
Spikes .....	4,822	5,246	-	
Concrete reinforcing bars .....	43,857	38,196	-	
Hot rolled bars for cold finishing .....	2,722	-	2,720	
Other hot rolled bars .....	150,615	110,699	32,542	
Pipes and tubes .....	44,227	53,326	11	
Wire rods .....	79,439	77,970	196	
Hot rolled black sheets .....	250,464	63,670	191,046	
Cold reduced black sheets .....	79,667	58,568	22,495	
Galvanized sheets .....	34,822	35,060	-	
Steel castings .....	24,514	25,031	-	
All other products (includes tool steel, cold finished bars, tin mill black plate, tin plate, cold reduced strip, axles, etc.) .....	213,782	120,903	90,989	
Total carbon steel .....	1,258,678	856,234	393,944	
<u>Alloy steel</u>				
Billets, etc., for forging .....	1,900	1,930	-	
Other semi-finished shapes, not for re-rolling by makers .....	685	-	685	
Plates .....	276	305	-	
Hot rolled bars for cold finishing .....	-	-	-	
Other hot rolled bars .....	20,751	20,475	82	
Wire rods .....	296	320	-	
Steel castings .....	8,029	7,581	-	
All other products (includes tool steel, cold finished bars, tin mill black plate, tin plate, stainless steel, cold reduced strip, axles, etc.) .....	3,228	3,167	-	
Total alloy steel .....	35,165	33,778	767	

Note: Figures shown under "Producers' interchange" represent the amounts shipped to producers' own plants or to other plants within the primary industry, for further processing, e.g., black sheets to galvanizing department, hot rolled bars to make railway track material etc.



Table 13 - Imports of Primary Forms of Iron and Steel, April, 1954, and Year to Date (Continued)

Commodity	Country of origin	April, 1954			Year to date		
		Carbon	Alloy	Stain- less	Carbon	Alloy	Stain- less
(Tons of 2,000 pounds)							
Bars and sections (concluded) -							
Hot rolled (concluded) -							
Structurals (bar sizes) for agricultural implements .....	United States	5	...	...	48	...	...
Sash or casement sections .....	United States	154	...	...	968	...	...
	United Kingdom	...	...	...	38	...	...
	Belgium	...	...	...	71	...	...
Cold finished, n.o.p .....	United States	433	16	23.6	1,874	124	59.3
	United Kingdom	96	...	10.0	329	5	33.0
	Belgium	7	...	...	98	...	...
	Sweden	...	21	...	...	92	...
	France	60	...	...	460	...	...
Cold finished, for agricultural implements .....	United States	174	...	...	425	...	...
Tool steel .....	United States	1	38	...	16	173	...
	United Kingdom	27	47	...	86	259	...
Structurals .....	United States	21,099	...	...	106,999	...	...
	United Kingdom	24	...	...	948	...	...
	Belgium	1,498	...	...	5,258	...	...
	France	87	...	...	2,994	...	...
	Germany	...	...	...	176	...	...
Plates -							
78" and under in width .....	United States	3,215	65	41.0	12,660	151	162.8
	United Kingdom	1,895	...	10.5	5,526	...	41.5
	Japan	21	...	...	1,231	...	...
	Belgium	52	...	...	74	...	...
Over 78" and under 100" in width ..	United States	4,280	...	...	14,492	...	27.9
	United Kingdom	1,043	...	...	6,458	...	...
100" in width and over .....	United States	408	...	...	1,572	...	44.4
	United Kingdom	...	...	...	298	...	...
Flanged, dished or curved .....	United States	78	...	...	219	...	...
Boiler, pulp-mill digesters .....	United States	332	...	...	1,281	...	...
Chequered or surface pattern .....	United States	903	...	...	2,958	...	...
	United Kingdom	47	...	...	47	...	...
Sheets -							
Silicon .075 or more .....	United States	...	1,445	...	...	5,128	...
Galvanized .....	United States	1,272	...	...	7,046	...	...
	United Kingdom	85	...	...	442	...	...
Hot rolled -							
18 gauge and heavier .....	United States	4,143	15	.1	20,319	55	16.0
	United Kingdom	131	...	.8	780	...	58.5
	Sweden	...	...	26.0	...	...	37.8
Lighter than 18 gauge .....	United States	...	7	1.5	...	11	4.8
	United Kingdom	...	...	...	...	...	1.2
Cold rolled -							
18 gauge and heavier .....	United States	855	...	113.7	3,699	...	369.1
	United Kingdom	45	...	71.4	249	...	305.0
Lighter than 18 gauge .....	United States	887	...	140.2	5,822	...	371.9
	United Kingdom	385	...	5.0	1,001	...	71.9
	Sweden	...	...	4.9	...	...	10.2
Corrugated .....	United States	486	...	...	1,523	...	...
	United Kingdom	...	...	...	13	...	...
Coated with paint, tar, asphaltum, etc. ....	United States	77	...	...	348	...	...
For saws .....	United States	...	15	...	...	220	...
	United Kingdom	...	3	...	...	9	...

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Commodity	Country of origin	April, 1954			Year to date		
		Carbon	Alloy	Stain- less	Carbon	Alloy	Stain- less
(Tons of 2,000 pounds)							
Sheets (concluded) -							
For hollow ware (vitreous enamel) ..	United States	992	...	...	3,711	...	...
	United Kingdom	132	...	...	431	...	...
Tin mill black plate .....	United States	6	...	...	6	...	...
For motor vehicles .....	United States	1,361	...	...	8,628	...	...
For heating apparatus .....	United States	...	...	...	75	...	...
For tubes .....	United States	38	...	...	115	...	...
Tin plate - Primes .....	United Kingdom	3	...	...	29	...	...
Electrolytic 25# coating	United States	...	...	...	73	...	...
Terne plate - Long .....	United States	359	...	...	1,529	...	...
Short .....	United States	98	...	...	883	...	...
Strip -							
Hot rolled -							
18 gauge and heavier .....	United States	347	4	...	1,964	46	...
	United Kingdom	8	...	...	44	...	...
	France	22	...	...	22	...	...
	Belgium	11	...	...	11	...	...
Lighter than 18 gauge .....	United States	12	...	...	223	...	...
Cold rolled -							
18 gauge and heavier .....	United States	81	33	7.6	607	88	59.4
	United Kingdom	7	...	4.0	35	...	4.0
Lighter than 18 gauge .....	United States	115	26	88.2	754	85	605.2
	United Kingdom	24	...	24.6	71	...	24.6
	Sweden	...	14	...	...	26	...
For cold rolling .....	United States	51	...	...	94	...	...
For saws .....	United States	...	10	...	...	99	...
	United Kingdom	...	...	...	...	3	...
	Sweden	...	5	...	...	35	...
For tubes .....	United States	...	...	...	200	...	...
For tubular products .....	United States	40	...	...	57	...	...
For motor vehicles .....	United States	772	...	...	6,042	...	...
For hoops .....	United States	52	...	...	300	...	...
For shoe and corset laces, etc. ...	United States	...	...	...	5	...	...
	United Kingdom	27	...	...	88	...	...
Coated with paint, tar, asphaltum, etc. ....							
	United States	461	...	...	1,977	...	...
	United Kingdom	2	...	...	2	...	...
	Germany	...	...	...	3	...	...
Silicon .075 or more .....	United States	...	423	...	...	1,801	...
For butt hinges .....	United States	54	...	...	285	...	...
Galvanized .....	United States	322	...	...	1,302	...	...
	United Kingdom	66	...	...	209	...	...
	Belgium	...	...	...	6	...	...
Skelp -							
15-3/8" and under in width .....	United States	1,703	...	...	17,948	...	...
Over 15-3/8" in width .....	United States	695	...	...	2,238	...	...
Pipes and tubes -							
Cast .....							
	United States	19	...	...	491	...	...
	United Kingdom	4,249	...	...	6,580	...	...
	Germany	...	...	...	37	...	...
Repair of pressure parts of boilers -							
Hot finished .....							
	United States	169	16	3.8	1,034	29	135.0
	United Kingdom	268	...	...	706	...	...
	Switzerland	...	...	...	43	...	...
Cold drawn .....	United States	15	...	2.5	63	1	2.5
	United Kingdom	6	...	...	71	...	...
	Sweden	...	...	...	11	...	...

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Commodity	Country of origin	April, 1954			Year to date		
		Carbon	Alloy	Stain- less	Carbon	Alloy	Stain- less
(Tons of 2,000 pounds)							
Pipes and tubes (concluded) -							
Repair of pressure parts of boilers (concluded) -							
Welded .....	United States	32	...	.6	983	4	.7
	United Kingdom	31	...	...	164	...	...
Seamless, 12" and under in diameter -							
Cold drawn .....	United States	372	186	26.8	1,342	1,601	52.4
	United Kingdom	60	7	20.7	399	10	66.2
	Sweden	...	52	1.0	4	76	3.2
Hot finished .....	United States	720	1	.4	2,756	39	11.5
	United Kingdom	193	2	...	1,646	2	...
	Germany	...	...	...	82	...	...
Seamless, over 12" in diameter -							
Hot finished .....	United States	225	...	...	1,131	14	...
	United Kingdom	...	...	...	4,083	...	...
Welded, 4" and under in diameter .	United States	915	...	27.9	2,789	...	34.7
	United Kingdom	870	...	...	1,527	...	...
	France	17	...	...	76	...	...
	Germany	22	...	...	140	...	...
	Holland	...	...	...	7	...	...
	Germany	24	...	...	42	...	...
Welded, over 4" in diameter .....	United States	17,467	...	2.9	18,240	...	12.6
	United Kingdom	53	...	...	158	...	...
Tubing -							
For bedstead .....	France	2	...	...	2	...	...
Not over 1/2" in diameter, welded and coated .....	United States	28	...	...	125	...	...
Spiral welded .....	United States	852	...	...	2,144	...	...
Conduit .....	United States	405	...	...	1,628	...	...
Casings .....	United States	4,134	...	...	14,904	...	...
	United Kingdom	641	...	...	4,894	...	...
	Germany	937	...	...	1,423	...	...
	Italy	500	...	...	1,072	...	...
Wire rope .....	United States	79	...	1.0	159	...	1.0
	United Kingdom	244	...	...	477	...	...
	Germany	102	...	...	114	...	...
	Belgium	31	...	...	35	...	...
	Holland	28	...	...	75	...	...
Wire - For rope .....	United States	179	...	.5	676	...	1.1
	United Kingdom	1,843	...	...	3,296	...	...
	Norway	40	...	...	40	...	...
For springs, cushions, mattresses, etc. ....	United States	238	...	...	841	...	...
For corset clasps, dress stays, etc. ....	United States	...	...	...	29	...	...
Wire - Coated or covered .....	United States	9	...	...	29	...	...
	United Kingdom	31	...	...	100	...	...
	Belgium	18	...	...	19	...	...
	Germany	1	...	...	3	...	...
All other .....	United States	151	51	8	539	98	3.3
	United Kingdom	32	...	...	156	...	.2
	Belgium	39	...	...	72	...	...
	Germany	6	...	...	8	...	...
	Sweden	...	...	...	...	1	.6
Wire rods, not over 3/8" in diameter .	United States	99	...	...	415	...	...
	United Kingdom	826	...	...	1,664	...	...
	Germany	385	...	...	385	...	...
	Belgium	276	...	...	276	...	...
Welding wire and welding rods .....	United States	141	62	...	277	347	...
	Sweden	...	2	...	...	2	...



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Table 13 - Imports of Primary Forms of Iron and Steel, April, 1954, and Year to Date (Concluded)

Commodity	Country of origin	April, 1954			Year to date		
		Carbon	Alloy	Stain- less	Carbon	Alloy	Stain- less
(Tons of 2,000 pounds)							
Tires - For railway rolling stock ..	United States	2	...	...	8	...	...
	United Kingdom	605	...	...	605	...	...
Wheels - For railway rolling stock .	United States	12	...	...	19	...	...
	United Kingdom	1,383	...	...	3,378	...	...
Rails -							
60 lb. and under .....	United States	76	...	...	169	...	...
	Belgium	59	...	...	246	...	...
	Germany	5	...	...	5	...	...
Over 60 lb. and including 100 lb..	United States	2	...	...	1,105	...	...
	United Kingdom	3,201	...	...	3,201	...	...
Over 100 lb. ....	United States	105	...	...	1,055	...	...
	Belgium	...	...	...	26	...	...
Track material -							
Fish plates, angle bars, etc. ...	United States	294	...	...	1,133	...	...
	United Kingdom	739	...	...	1,345	...	...
	Belgium	...	...	...	5	...	...
Switch points, etc. ....	United States	72	...	...	134	...	...
Total imports .....	United States	76,355	2,618	546.0	300,056	11,907	2,086.0
	All other	25,619	207	179.7	70,986	679	701.8
TOTAL * .....		101,974	2,825	725.7	371,042	12,586	2,787.8

\* These totals are not strictly comparable with those of previous years since the categories, "Castings" and "Forgings" have been dropped from this year's totals.

Table 14 - Exports of Primary Iron and Steel, April, 1954, and Year to Date

	April, 1954	Year to date
(Tons of 2,000 pounds)		
Pig iron .....	5,400	5,594
Ingots, blooms and billets .....	332	857
Bars .....	333	1,450
Rods .....	9	9
Plates, etc. ....	1,047	7,675
Rails .....	...	1,141
Structural shapes .....	10	280
Pipe and tubing - Wrought iron .....	...	115
Cast iron .....	20	55
Galvanized .....	5	5
Other .....	22	141
Castings, iron and steel .....	1,508	5,770
Forgings .....	199	1,261
Total .....	8,885	24,353