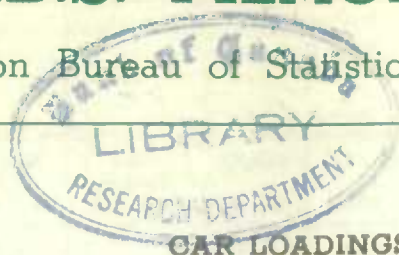


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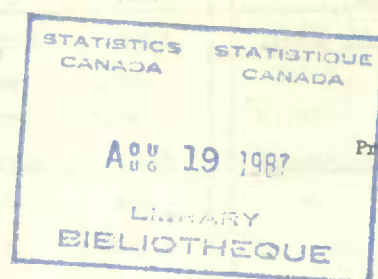
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A total of 71,739 revenue cars were loaded at Canadian stations during the seven days ended February 21st. The Day of Mourning for the late King on the 15th may have had some effect on the week's volume and a decline of 4,049 cars was shown from the preceding period. Receipts from connections were slightly lighter at 38,100 cars against 38,440. Cumulative loadings to February 21st this year amounted to 558,311 cars indicating a minor gain on a daily loading basis over 1951 and previous years, while receipts from foreign sources were up nearly 4 p.c. over the corresponding span of last year.

The eastern division reported 47,036 cars loaded during the period ended February 21st, down from 49,781 one week earlier, while western volume was off from 26,007 to 24,703 cars. Commodities moving in larger volume in the period under review as against the like period of 1951 included grain, logs and cordwood, gasoline, petroleum oils and products, implements, fertilizers, woodpulp and paper according to the comparative studies of a major operator. Declines were widest in hay and straw, coal, building products, other mine products, pulpwood, lumber, autos, miscellaneous manufactures and L.C.L. Iron and steel and ore shipments were maintained.

Embargo notices appearing, particularly with respect to southern Saskatchewan agricultural deliveries, may further depress livestock and other loadings for several weeks.

28/2/52



Price per year \$1.50

	TOTAL				EASTERN DIVISION				WESTERN DIVISION				Cumulative Totals from First Week of Year to Date								
	Period Ended				Period Ended				Period Ended				TOTAL			EASTERN DIVISION			WESTERN DIVISION		
	To				To				To				To			To			To		
	Feb. 21 1952	Feb. 14 1952	Feb. 7 1952	Same Period 1951	Feb. 21 1952	Feb. 14 1952	Feb. 7 1952	Same Period 1951	Feb. 21 1952	Feb. 14 1952	Feb. 7 1952	Same Period 1951	Feb. 21 1952	Same Date 1951	Same Date 1950	Feb. 21 1952	Same Date 1951	Same Date 1950	Feb. 21 1952	Same Date 1951	Same Date 1950
1. Grain	7,097	7,147	6,945		1,247	1,085	1,182		5,850	6,064	5,763		56,365			9,798			46,569		
2. Grain Products	2,621	2,886	2,759		1,325	1,505	1,595		1,296	1,381	1,566		20,064			10,558			9,506		
3. Hay and Straw	149	255	216		75	141	151		74	112	85		1,510			888			622		
4. Fruits, fresh	139	245	175		45	78	55		94	165	140		1,464			398			1,066		
5. Vegetables, fresh or green	520	545	649		478	489	606		42	54	43		5,105			4,682			425		
6. Other Agricultural Products	197	210	215		169	164	172		28	46	43		1,611			1,264			347		
7. Live Stock	868	970	1,082		322	349	427		546	621	655		7,562			2,817			4,745		
8. Butter, Cheese, Eggs	58	74	60		33	55	28		25	21	52		551			342			209		
9. Fresh Meats & Packing House Products (edible)	344	380	566		137	148	149		207	252	217		2,748			1,023			1,725		
10. Other Packing House Products	62	82	72		50	65	67		12	17	5		513			410			103		
11. Other Animal Products	78	65	67	NOT AVAILABLE	59	45	50	NOT AVAILABLE	19	20	17	NOT AVAILABLE	495	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE	369	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE	126	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE
12. Coal	5,434	5,665	6,578	NOT AVAILABLE	2,819	5,180	5,196	NOT AVAILABLE	2,615	2,485	3,382	NOT AVAILABLE	49,029	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE	22,396	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE	26,635	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE
13. Coke	792	757	785	NOT AVAILABLE	695	637	685	NOT AVAILABLE	97	100	98	NOT AVAILABLE	5,481	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE	4,806	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE	675	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE
14. Ores and Concentrates	2,418	2,222	2,359	NOT AVAILABLE	1,663	1,557	1,589	NOT AVAILABLE	755	685	750	NOT AVAILABLE	16,304	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE	11,362	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE	4,942	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE
15. Base Bullion, Matte, Pig & Ingot (non-ferrous metals)	480	611	616	NOT AVAILABLE	285	395	418	NOT AVAILABLE	195	216	198	NOT AVAILABLE	4,242	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE	2,859	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE	1,585	NOT AVAILABLE	NOT AVAILABLE
16. Sand, Stone, Gravel, Plaster, Lime Brick, Cement, Sewer pipe, Tile	2,864	2,952	2,879		2,156	2,196	2,196		708	756	685		20,173			15,404			4,769		
17. Other Mine Products	1,312	1,425	1,485		1,214	1,289	1,556		98	136	147		10,221			9,306			915		
18. Logs, Piling, Cordwood	1,366	1,275	1,184		550	555	600		816	720	584		7,823			4,240			3,585		
19. Pulpwood	6,887	8,080	8,416		4,174	5,555	5,711		2,715	2,527	2,705		56,729			38,429			18,300		
20. Lumber, Lath, Shingles	2,841	3,376	3,290		1,273	1,497	1,556		1,568	1,879	1,754		21,490			10,582			10,908		
21. Other Forest Products	381	588	485		322	355	420		59	55	65		2,977			2,589			588		
22. Gasoline, Petroleum Oils & Pds.	4,643	5,026	5,108		3,744	3,976	4,021		899	1,050	1,087		38,494			30,079			8,415		
23. Crude Oil	382	398	384		6	2	4		576	396	580		2,583			26			2,557		
24. Sugar	187	218	207		111	136	151		76	82	76		1,527			890			657		
25. Iron & Steel Pds. (manufactured)	2,167	2,048	2,542		2,047	1,887	2,165		120	161	177		16,018			14,935			1,085		
26. Implements, Tractors Machinery, Boilers	708	741	844		598	602	725		110	139	121		5,538			4,701			857		
27. Autos, Trucks and Parts	1,492	1,510	1,551		1,445	1,455	1,299		47	55	52		10,445			10,087			558		
28. Fertilizers	697	714	966		348	355	479		349	359	487		5,830			3,067			2,765		
29. Woodpulp and Paper	5,115	5,200	5,526		4,418	4,445	4,690		697	757	856		37,913			32,499			5,414		
30. Canned Food Products	425	422	415		383	527	557		42	95	78		3,015			2,436			579		
31. Other Products of Manufactures and Miscellaneous	4,767	5,052	5,074		4,158	4,285	4,280		609	789	794		36,919			31,371			5,548		
32. Merchandise, L.C.L.	14,248	14,881	15,192		10,687	11,025	11,510		5,561	3,856	5,882		107,572			80,063			27,509		
33. Total Revenue Cars Loaded	71,739	75,788	78,064		47,036	49,781	51,584		24,705	26,007	26,680		558,311			364,674			195,657		
34. Received from Connections	38,100	38,440	59,553		35,147	55,075	55,722		2,955	5,567	5,611		270,096			248,244			21,852		

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