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A statement of revenue freight by principal commodities carried by the railways of Canada during the above month is published in the attached table.

In addition to the headings shown in the table, information may be obtained on application to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics for the following:

Tonnages forwarded ex Canadian connections-rail and water  
Tonnages forwarded ex Foreign connections -destined to Canadian points.  
Tonnages forwarded ex Foreign connections-destined to Foreign points.  
Tonnages terminating delivered to Canadian connections-rail and water

SUMMARY STATEMENT FOR PROVINCES

Total Revenue Freight Carried - (Tons 2000 lbs.)

Province	Originating at Billing Station	Received from Foreign Connections	Total Revenue Freight Carried	Terminating at Receiving Stations	Delivered to Foreign Connections Rail & Water
P. E. I.	8,260			13,004	
Nova Scotia	509,256	2,076	511,332	467,074	30,462
N. Brunswick	201,382	32,203	233,585	116,024	249,864
Quebec	843,798	474,404	1,318,202	814,978	670,472
Ontario	1,459,603	2,206,826	3,666,429	3,019,913	1,365,399
Manitoba	405,007	27,123	432,130	413,139	18,840
Saskatchewan	599,463	27,161	626,624	255,894	60,403
Alberta	738,330	851	739,181	260,754	...
Br. Columbia	316,529	36,227	352,756	248,372	213,030
Dominion of Canada	5,081,628	2,806,871	7,888,499	5,608,752	2,608,470



For the Month of December		Originating	
Commodities	Originating in Canada Tons	Received from Foreign Connections Tons	Total Freight Handled Tons
<u>Agricultural Products</u>			
1. Wheat	1,068,539	24,647	1,093,236
2. Corn	27,632	92,142	119,774
3. Oats	165,031	51,875	216,906
4. Barley	50,016	2,088	52,104
5. Rye	48,715	7,617	56,332
6. Flax	20,176	102	20,278
7. Other Grain	16,166	8,144	24,310
8. Flour	209,893	88,769	298,662
9. Other Mill Products	104,865	54,197	159,062
10. Hay and Straw	58,137	14,725	72,862
11. Cotton	885	39,038	39,923
12. Apples (fresh)	16,159	4,699	20,858
13. Other Fruit (fresh)	2,527	20,573	23,100
14. Potatoes	20,779	7,485	28,264
15. Other Fresh Vegetables	7,647	4,814	12,461
16. Other Agricultural Pdts.	11,702	41,847	53,549
Total	1,828,919	462,762	2,291,681
<u>Animal Products</u>			
17. Horses	7,816	137	7,953
18. Cattle and Calves	58,659	2,313	60,972
19. Sheep	4,562	3,079	7,641
20. Hogs	24,351	4,479	28,830
21. Dressed Meats (fresh)	13,134	53,329	66,463
22. Dressed Meats (cured or salted)	5,903	19,979	25,882
23. Other Packing House Pdts.	3,669	13,651	17,320
24. Poultry	2,441	12,489	14,930
25. Eggs	980	5,396	6,376
26. Butter and Cheese	8,125	9,849	14,974
27. Wool	764	2,397	3,161
28. Hides and Leather	7,907	11,200	19,107
29. Other Animal Products	3,197	5,105	8,302
Total	138,508	143,403	281,911
<u>Mine Products</u>			
30. Anthracite Coal	11,189	631,232	642,421
31. Bituminous Coal	940,300	647,485	1,587,785
32. Lignite Coal	34,860	4,885	39,745
33. Coke	19,836	52,090	71,926
34. Iron Ores	659	46	705
35. Other Ores and Concentrates	97,179	8,729	105,908
36. Base Bullion and Matte	5,377	53	5,430
37. Clay, gravel, sand, stone (crushed)	121,913	44,820	166,733
38. Slate, Dimension or Block Stone	27,556	15,065	42,621
39. Crude Petroleum	2,461	24,550	27,011
40. Asphaltum	1,687	2,139	3,826
41. Salt	8,385	18,940	27,325
42. Other Mine Products	44,115	6,583	50,698
Total	1,315,517	1,456,617	2,772,134



Commodities	Originating in Canada Tons	Received from Foreign Connections Tons	Total Freight Carried Tons
<u>Forest Products</u>			
43. Logs, Posts, Poles, Cordwood	199,378	2,000	194,378
44. Ties	10,981	963	11,944
45. Pulpwood	283,810	957	284,767
46. Lumber, Timber, Box Shooks, Staves, headings	401,652	107,089	508,741
47. Other Forest Products	46,856	10,852	57,708
Total	935,677	121,861	1,057,538
<u>Manufactures and Miscellaneous</u>			
48. Refined Petroleum and its Products	48,091	33,096	81,117
49. Sugar	16,305	21,183	37,488
50. Iron, pig and bloom	17,435	21,557	38,992
51. Rails and Fastenings	8,769	1,300	10,069
52. Bar and Sheet Iron-Structural Iron and Iron Pipe	33,639	87,246	120,885
53. Castings, Machinery, and Boilers	22,241	25,771	48,012
54. Cement	21,071	674	21,745
55. Brick and Artificial Stone	37,834	16,195	54,029
56. Lime and Plaster	17,735	3,705	21,440
57. Sewer Pipe and Drain Tile	4,688	1,117	5,805
58. Agricultural Implements and Vehicles other than autos	7,221	3,976	11,197
59. Automobiles and Auto Trucks	11,653	57,766	69,419
60. Household Goods	6,633	852	7,485
61. Furniture	4,023	3,664	7,687
62. Liquor Beverages	9,256	1,846	11,102
63. Fertilizers, all kinds	16,288	1,537	17,825
64. Paper, Printed matter, Books	84,007	33,671	117,673
65. Wood Pulp	112,181	10,514	122,695
66. Fish (fresh, frozen, cured, etc.)	9,461	1,628	11,089
67. Canned Meats	136	51	187
68. Canned Goods (all canned Food Products other than Meat)	9,398	14,802	24,200
69. Other Manufactures & Misc.	172,792	190,758	363,550
70. Merchandise	192,155	89,389	281,544
Total	863,007	622,228	1,485,235
Grand Total	5,081,628	2,806,871	7,888,499

Freight Carried by Railways in Canada

For the Month of December 1922

Commodities	Terminating	
	in Canada Tons	Delivered to Foreign Connections Tons
<u>Agricultural Products</u>		
1. Wheat	1,231,698	210,487
2. Corn	33,370	84,210
3. Oats	162,470	63,744
4. Barley	76,022	7,707
5. Rye	13,557	60,961
6. Flax	25,560	451
7. Other Grain	12,253	8,992
8. Flour	124,925	218,854
9. Other Mill Products	68,264	79,550
10. Hay and Straw	70,128	18,768
11. Cotton	7,888	28,444
12. Apples (fresh)	9,327	14,708
13. Other Fruit (fresh)	17,218	8,170
14. Potatoes	13,141	18,221
15. Other Fresh Vegetables	3,542	13,740
16. Other Agricultural Products	16,186	34,197
Total	1,890,549	876,204
<u>Animal Products</u>		
17. Horses	7,767	137
18. Cattle and Calves	61,669	7,888
19. Sheep	3,877	3,441
20. Hogs	25,693	4,517
21. Dressed Meats (fresh)	12,310	50,961
22. Dressed Meats (cured or salted)	3,034	21,510
23. Other Packing House Products	3,975	13,325
24. Poultry	1,863	13,188
25. Eggs	1,484	5,378
26. Butter and Cheese	2,564	11,599
27. Wool	1,417	1,558
28. Hides and Leather	8,530	11,135
29. Other Animal Products	2,426	5,979
Total	136,609	150,616
<u>Mine Products</u>		
30. Anthracite Coal	368,837	179,041
31. Bituminous Coal	1,287,491	115,590
32. Lignite Coal	43,615	
33. Coke	66,685	6,622
34. Iron Ores	499	653
35. Other Ores and Concentrates	98,186	6,059
36. Base Bullion and Matte	1,238	372
37. Clay, gravel, sand, stone (crushed)	138,815	34,501
38. Slate-Dimension or Block Stone	24,648	12,280
39. Crude Petroleum	22,515	416
40. Asphaltum	4,064	763
41. Salt	15,742	9,760
42. Other Mine Products	21,032	14,276
Total	2,093,367	380,333



Commodities	Terminating	
	Terminating in Canada Tons	Delivered to Foreign Connections Tons
<u>Forest Products</u>		
43. Logs, Posts, Poles, Cordwood	222,949	11,557
44. Ties	4,723	1,523
45. Pulpwood	93,842	172,209
46. Lumber, Timber, Box Shooks, Staves, Heading	220,791	320,311
47. Other Forest Products	25,375	21,328
Total	567,680	526,928
<u>Manufactures and Miscellaneous</u>		
48. Refined Petroleum and its Pds.	77,017	13,852
49. Sugar	22,059	19,438
50. Iron, pig and bloom	29,044	12,547
51. Rails and Fastenings	16,216	1,318
52. Bar and Sheet Iron-Structural Iron and Iron Pipe	76,939	35,340
53. Castings, Machinery, and Boilers	24,895	19,104
54. Cement	21,076	3,025
55. Brick and Artificial Stone	49,475	3,812
56. Lime and Plaster	21,617	3,757
57. Sewer Pipe and Drain Tile	6,105	400
58. Agricultural Implements and Vehicles other than autos	4,194	7,778
59. Automobiles and Auto Trucks	3,607	64,762
60. Household Goods	7,300	631
61. Furniture	3,939	3,857
62. Liquor Beverages	9,441	1,293
63. Fertilizers, all kinds	13,054	8,277
64. Paper, Printed Matter, Books	26,427	101,964
65. Wood Pulp	26,274	83,421
66. Fish (fresh, frozen, cured, etc.)	5,079	6,779
67. Canned Meats	598	197
68. Canned Goods (All canned Food Products other than Meat)	12,534	14,134
69. Other Manufactures and Misc.	223,025	200,047
70. Merchandise	240,582	68,656
Total	920,547	674,389
Grand Total	5,608,752	2,608,470

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