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RAILWAYS OF CANADA

For

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REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED  
DURING THE MONTH

No.	COMMODITIES	ORIGINATED		
		Loaded at	Received from	
		Stations	Foreign Connections	
		in	Destined to	
	Canada	Canadian	Foreign	
		Points	Points	
	Tons	Tons	Tons	
<u>AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS</u>				
1.	Wheat	476,977	252	7,381
2.	Corn	16,234	5,227	10,550
3.	Oats	121,750	2,667	26,281
4.	Barley	34,397	81	2,076
5.	Rye	47,495	-	2,149
6.	Flax	15,988	28	-
7.	Other Grain	10,669	857	1,692
8.	Flour	107,571	1,573	28,417
9.	Other Mill Products	71,959	3,077	46,428
10.	Hay and Straw	42,761	587	5,659
11.	Cotton	516	3,701	1,850
12.	Apples (fresh)	87	421	1,949
13.	Other Fruit (fresh)	1,528	20,004	5,875
14.	Potatoes	34,189	1,677	6,574
15.	Other Fresh Vegetables	1,927	9,429	8,078
16.	Other Agricultural Products	7,086	8,579	14,669
	Total	991,134	57,960	169,626
<u>ANIMAL PRODUCTS</u>				
17.	Horses	4,577	184	245
18.	Cattle and Calves	49,401	24	2,679
19.	Sheep	397	-	1,009
20.	Hogs	33,392	-	2,314
21.	Dressed Meats (fresh)	7,066	3,431	29,171
22.	Dressed Meats (cured or salted)	7,841	7,255	10,186
23.	Other Packing House Products	3,653	8,589	10,256
24.	Poultry	200	11	5,023
25.	Eggs	2,852	110	20,541
26.	Butter and Cheese	5,159	92	14,155
27.	Wool	187	406	1,758
28.	Hides and Leather	4,478	1,689	5,669
29.	Other Animal Products	3,274	1,193	3,557
	Total	122,977	22,984	106,560
<u>MINE PRODUCTS</u>				
30.	Anthracite Coal	24,949	373,678	104,967
31.	Bituminous Coal	225,549	405,077	22,557
32.	Lignite Coal	10,851	-	-
33.	Coke	21,390	49,197	2,328
34.	Iron Ores	1,298	2,186	112
35.	Other Ores and Concentrates	108,130	5,024	3,524
36.	Base Bullion and Matte	5,826	26	4,886
37.	Clay, Gravel, Sand, Stone (crushed)	400,301	22,137	29,303
38.	Slate-Dimension or Block Stone	13,644	2,609	18,144
39.	Crude Petroleum	3,508	32,133	10
40.	Asphaltum	11,935	1,129	1,719
41.	Salt	14,153	10,674	9,318
42.	Other Mine Products	44,300	8,914	3,766
	Total	885,614	912,784	200,634
<u>FOREST PRODUCTS</u>				
43.	Logs, Posts, Poles, Cordwood	208,562	1,665	7,951
44.	Ties	14,545	150	1,949
45.	Pulpwood	242,113	-	2,506
46.	Lumber, Timber, Box Shooks, Staves, heading	489,631	23,393	67,223
47.	Other Forest Products	32,391	4,536	4,881
	Total	987,242	29,744	84,510

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COMPARATIVE SUMMARY

TOTAL FREIGHT LOADED AND RECEIVED FROM CONNECTIONS

<u>PROVINCES</u>	May 1925 <u>Tons</u>	May 1924 <u>Tons</u>	April 1925 <u>Tons</u>
Prince Edward Island	10,538	9,707	14,803
Nova Scotia	172,271	541,432	161,298
New Brunswick	223,042	204,175	250,821
Quebec	1,335,500	1,381,659	1,192,613
Ontario	3,589,064	3,547,551	3,332,440
Manitoba	308,266	304,306	321,980
Saskatchewan	267,253	629,602	328,273
Alberta	351,021	566,625	389,250
British Columbia	432,839	378,444	409,776
Total for Canada . . . . .	6,689,794	7,563,508	6,401,259
<u>PRODUCTS</u>			
Agricultural	1,218,720	1,922,230	1,281,208
Animal	252,521	287,391	249,262
Mine	1,999,032	2,255,765	1,718,700
Forest	1,101,496	1,121,378	1,095,625
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	2,118,025	1,976,244	2,056,464
GRAND TOTAL . . . . .	6,689,794	7,563,508	6,401,259

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BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS  
OF MAY, 1925

NO.	TOTAL FREIGHT ORIGINATED			TERMINATED	
	For Month	Cumulative Total		Unloaded at Stations in Canada	Delivered to Foreign Connections
	Tons	To Date	Increase over 1924 (Decrease - )	Tons	Tons
1.	484,610	2,773,134	- 1,230,969	459,166	65,850
2.	32,011	238,665	- 133,374	7,703	23,203
3.	150,698	810,790	- 307,538	118,702	38,185
4.	36,554	287,276	49,445	31,440	5,725
5.	49,644	135,343	32,972	18,236	47,381
6.	16,016	74,278	31,340	18,622	268
7.	13,218	68,514	1,466	9,146	6,312
8.	137,561	906,728	301,442	61,709	94,561
9.	121,464	665,841	51,979	54,357	72,126
10.	49,007	337,533	189,703	32,430	18,059
11.	6,067	72,049	29,754	3,655	2,216
12.	2,457	61,791	23,935	543	1,878
13.	27,405	102,542	35,279	21,315	5,940
14.	42,440	262,201	63,591	23,631	20,485
15.	19,434	117,183	15,570	11,493	9,022
16.	30,134	225,849	16,188	11,958	16,116
	1,218,720	7,139,717	- 2,069,421	884,106	427,327
17.	5,006	38,914	1,216	5,593	253
18.	52,103	244,378	48,630	44,481	6,797
19.	1,906	15,772	2,444	2,300	1,561
20.	35,706	200,170	47,298	30,556	2,637
21.	39,668	215,140	30,181	9,859	32,024
22.	25,282	124,403	990	2,148	20,506
23.	22,498	128,168	32,825	6,176	15,197
24.	5,234	26,949	2,298	149	5,041
25.	23,503	79,790	6,667	3,018	20,637
26.	19,404	83,080	11,217	3,003	14,121
27.	2,351	12,240	6,101	597	2,030
28.	11,836	70,493	30	4,140	7,162
29.	8,024	45,301	2,607	2,584	4,147
	252,521	1,284,798	- 57,192	114,604	132,113
30.	503,594	2,163,058	211,743	336,724	108,244
31.	652,983	4,978,081	1,080,941	543,847	72,337
32.	10,851	153,075	5,448	8,893	-
33.	72,915	449,281	122,642	67,118	4,765
34.	3,596	9,850	3,590	2,393	609
35.	116,678	919,439	7,579	148,404	15,924
36.	10,738	49,522	2,466	3,368	5,184
37.	451,741	1,083,844	116,651	398,860	62,886
38.	34,397	119,262	20,251	25,197	16,106
39.	35,651	161,544	64,416	36,476	10
40.	14,783	33,471	10,225	12,030	1,719
41.	34,125	130,839	8,949	27,024	9,896
42.	56,980	191,441	19,562	16,054	21,485
	1,999,032	10,442,707	- 1,106,493	1,626,388	319,165
43.	218,178	1,333,549	156,206	198,073	24,944
44.	16,644	71,442	16,538	9,280	4,034
45.	244,619	2,068,830	267,026	125,024	121,942
46.	580,247	2,610,482	14,724	318,519	260,530
47.	41,808	236,638	14,417	22,443	11,816
	1,101,496	6,320,941	- 410,629	673,339	423,266

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REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED  
DURING THE MONTH

No.	COMMODITIES	ORIGINATED		
		Loaded at Stations in Canada	Received from Foreign Connections Destined to Canadian Points	Foreign Points
		Tons	Tons	Tons
<u>MANUFACTURES &amp; MISCELLANEOUS</u>				
48.	Refined Petroleum & its Products	98,060	50,302	16,153
49.	Sugar	22,835	2,473	36,634
50.	Iron, pig and bloom	16,440	6,940	6,266
51.	Rails and Fastenings	14,814	849	584
52.	Bar and Sheet Iron-Structural Iron and Iron Pipe	32,150	35,926	35,839
53.	Castings, Machinery & Boilers	16,695	7,764	27,238
54.	Cement	104,180	448	1,386
55.	Brick & Artificial Stone	78,930	8,890	3,639
56.	Lime and Plaster	58,530	1,901	1,669
57.	Sewer Pipe & Drain Tile	10,196	482	633
58.	Agricultural Implements & Vehicles other than Autos	10,450	2,896	10,609
59.	Automobiles & Auto Trucks	21,933	15,890	126,749
60.	Household Goods	5,651	440	391
61.	Furniture	2,694	246	2,710
62.	Liquor Beverages	20,252	784	1,962
63.	Fertilizers, all kinds	30,736	6,612	10,860
64.	Paper, Printed Matter, Books	117,481	2,507	30,620
65.	Wood Pulp	133,983	1,971	10,623
66.	Fish, (fresh frozen, cured, etc.)	3,043	58	436
67.	Canned Meats	365	18	1,455
68.	Canned Goods, (all canned Food Products other than Meat)	8,962	2,289	9,477
69.	Other Manufactures & Misc.	255,694	63,946	181,417
70.	Merchandise	244,629	20,017	73,353
	Total	1,293,683	235,639	590,703
	<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>4,280,650</b>	<b>1,257,111</b>	<b>1,152,033</b>

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COMMODITY GROUP	Total Freight Loaded	Loaded at Stations in Canada
Agricultural	18.22	14.82
Animal	3.77	1.84
Mine	29.88	13.24
Forest	16.47	14.76
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	31.66	19.34
Total	100.00	64.00

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No.	TOTAL FREIGHT ORIGINATED			TERMINATED	
	For Month	Cumulative Total		Unloaded at Stations in Canada	Delivered to Foreign Connections
	Tons	To Date	Increase Over 1924 (Decrease -)	Tons	Tons
48.	164,515	613,833	67,754	138,527	21,121
49.	61,942	327,619	42,187	26,533	36,698
50.	29,646	142,018	66,699	21,332	6,352
51.	16,247	86,878	59,944	8,751	738
52.	103,915	554,615	27,106	54,968	38,131
53.	51,697	211,193	8,084	24,474	28,342
54.	106,014	276,503	25,334	101,897	1,706
55.	91,449	301,419	30,251	87,435	7,209
56.	42,100	155,745	4,542	40,836	2,298
57.	11,311	32,316	1,500	9,842	663
58.	23,955	118,899	19,559	8,636	16,646
59.	164,572	648,011	100,274	29,286	139,471
60.	6,482	39,840	3,299	7,067	707
61.	5,650	32,405	2,390	2,937	2,821
62.	22,998	85,210	4,768	19,853	2,869
63.	48,208	203,551	31,590	34,104	9,071
64.	150,608	766,698	28,044	24,348	128,105
65.	151,557	715,260	173,441	51,803	95,935
66.	3,537	42,469	7,965	1,884	1,647
67.	1,838	5,277	3,590	284	1,925
68.	20,728	115,151	1,660	8,116	12,793
69.	501,057	2,462,880	155,857	295,658	239,825
70.	357,999	1,541,306	167,673	275,173	78,280
	2,118,025	9,479,096	364,249	1,273,744	873,353
	6,689,794	34,667,259	3,279,486	4,572,181	2,175,224

TO TOTAL FREIGHT CARRIED DURING MONTH  
(cent)

Received from Foreign Connections			Unloaded at Stations in Canada	Delivered to Foreign Connections
Destined to				
Canadian Points	Foreign Points	Total		
.87	2.54	3.41	13.22	6.39
.34	1.59	1.93	1.71	1.97
13.64	3.00	16.64	24.51	4.77
.44	1.26	1.70	10.07	6.33
3.49	8.83	12.32	19.04	15.06
18.78	17.22	36.00	68.35	32.52

REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED  
DURING THE MONTH

PRODUCTS	ORIGINATED		
	Loaded	Received from	
	at Stations in Canada	Foreign Connections Destined to	
Tons	Canadian Points	Foreign Points	
	Tons	Tons	Tons
<u>PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND</u>			
Agricultural	4,966	-	-
Animal	526	-	-
Mine	521	-	-
Forest	327	-	-
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	4,198	-	-
Total	10,538	-	-
<u>NOVA SCOTIA</u>			
Agricultural	4,167	379	-
Animal	611	24	-
Mine	62,046	16	-
Forest	41,535	441	-
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	59,968	3,084	-
Total	168,327	3,944	-
<u>NEW BRUNSWICK</u>			
Agricultural	20,015	899	5,712
Animal	392	289	-
Mine	15,918	3,201	566
Forest	105,003	-	1,161
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	47,294	4,436	18,156
Total	188,622	8,825	25,595
<u>QUEBEC</u>			
Agricultural	71,253	13,743	2,330
Animal	9,794	1,061	2,968
Mine	168,652	198,336	45,238
Forest	303,215	2,229	1,686
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	403,724	43,230	68,041
Total	956,638	258,599	120,263
<u>ONTARIO</u>			
Agricultural	435,879	32,513	160,969
Animal	61,428	21,224	103,231
Mine	352,153	677,933	154,785
Forest	255,395	25,105	62,978
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	578,197	165,492	501,782
Total	1,683,052	922,267	983,745
<u>MANITOBA</u>			
Agricultural	115,623	4,935	-
Animal	19,244	38	-
Mine	58,569	7,512	-
Forest	33,656	1,048	112
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	59,835	7,692	2
Total	286,927	21,225	114
<u>SASKATCHEWAN</u>			
Agricultural	178,388	1,196	367
Animal	8,231	10	12
Mine	14,040	15,443	45
Forest	8,588	320	31
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	36,009	3,214	1,359
Total	245,256	20,183	1,814
<u>ALBERTA</u>			
Agricultural	154,125	75	-
Animal	20,999	-	-
Mine	73,121	8,321	-
Forest	26,278	35	-
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	66,427	1,640	-
Total	340,950	10,071	-
<u>BRITISH COLUMBIA</u>			
Agricultural	6,718	4,220	248
Animal	1,752	338	349
Mine	140,594	2,022	-
Forest	213,245	566	18,542
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	38,051	4,851	1,363
Total	400,340	11,997	20,502



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PRODUCTS	TOTAL FREIGHT ORIGINATED			TERMINATED	
	For Month	Cumulative Total		Unloaded at Stations in Canada	Delivered to Foreign Connections
		To Date	Increase over 1924 Decrease--		
	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
<u>PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND</u>					
Agricultural	4,266	29,197	11,085	2,049	-
Animal	526	1,980	476	209	-
Mine	521	1,362	428	2,963	-
Forest	327	2,865	992	999	-
Mfs. & Misc.	4,198	14,417	2,773	10,591	-
Total	10,538	49,821	12,823	16,811	-
<u>NOVA SCOTIA</u>					
Agricultural	4,546	65,699	1,049	16,416	5,354
Animal	635	4,923	837	1,499	343
Mine	62,062	823,208	-914,441	45,179	-
Forest	41,976	173,289	-48,961	26,830	10,223
Mfs. & Misc.	63,052	296,019	-16,576	55,157	2,178
Total	172,271	1,563,138	-979,990	145,131	18,098
<u>NEW BRUNSWICK</u>					
Agricultural	26,626	203,048	41,838	12,370	15,730
Animal	681	7,033	219	852	92
Mine	19,685	93,724	-31,187	25,242	591
Forest	106,164	611,985	-122,947	29,617	41,390
Mfs. & Misc.	69,886	379,126	9,849	51,673	5,739
Total	223,042	1,294,916	-102,666	119,754	63,542
<u>QUEBEC</u>					
Agricultural	87,326	481,277	-210,396	219,392	175,372
Animal	13,823	67,111	11,720	27,330	39,406
Mine	412,226	1,592,830	52,703	277,230	58,801
Forest	507,130	1,733,930	-200,621	164,831	157,941
Mfs. & Misc.	514,995	2,230,661	120,966	343,615	151,797
Total	1,535,500	6,105,809	-245,628	1,032,448	545,317
<u>ONTARIO</u>					
Agricultural	629,361	3,425,365	-320,039	489,345	192,115
Animal	185,883	904,321	-76,548	46,907	89,935
Mine	1,184,871	5,618,428	-455,620	988,363	212,811
Forest	343,478	2,312,980	73,534	235,685	152,876
Mfs. & Misc.	1,245,471	5,635,064	209,243	556,754	720,877
Total	3,589,064	17,896,168	-569,430	2,317,054	1,368,614
<u>MANITOBA</u>					
Agricultural	120,558	739,053	119,817	54,539	5,770
Animal	19,282	110,577	8,380	16,840	666
Mine	66,081	286,760	91,820	85,749	161
Forest	34,816	292,027	-86,471	29,330	2,733
Mfs. & Misc.	67,529	274,154	832	77,738	4,845
Total	308,266	1,702,571	132,714	264,196	14,175
<u>SASKATCHEWAN</u>					
Agricultural	179,951	1,022,066	-743,149	19,704	228
Animal	8,253	50,214	333	3,163	147
Mine	29,528	151,962	1,516	44,805	-
Forest	8,939	84,601	11,638	25,522	42,302
Mfs. & Misc.	40,582	180,778	-2,932	64,530	738
Total	267,253	1,489,621	-732,594	157,724	43,415
<u>ALBERTA</u>					
Agricultural	154,200	1,108,266	-957,527	33,927	-
Animal	20,999	126,140	-1,104	12,101	56
Mine	81,442	1,112,882	60,177	67,750	-
Forest	26,313	156,419	12,698	35,039	-
Mfs. & Misc.	68,067	263,602	41,328	67,427	1,834
Total	351,021	2,767,309	-844,428	216,244	1,890
<u>BRITISH COLUMBIA</u>					
Agricultural	11,186	65,746	-10,001	36,364	32,758
Animal	2,439	12,489	115	5,703	1,468
Mine	142,616	761,551	108,111	89,057	66,801
Forest	232,353	952,845	-48,507	125,436	15,801
Mfs. & Misc.	44,245	205,275	225	46,259	5,345
Total	432,839	1,997,906	49,713	302,819	122,173

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