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MONTHLY TRAFFIC REPORT

of the

RAILWAYS OF CANADA

For

JULY

1928

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CONTAINING THE RESULTS OF THE

EXAMINATION OF THE

RECORDS OF THE

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OF

MISSISSIPPI

Year	Population	Area	Value
1820	20,000	10,000	1,000,000
1830	40,000	20,000	2,000,000
1840	80,000	40,000	4,000,000
1850	150,000	70,000	7,000,000
1860	300,000	140,000	14,000,000
1870	600,000	280,000	28,000,000
1880	1,200,000	560,000	56,000,000
1890	2,400,000	1,120,000	112,000,000
1900	4,800,000	2,240,000	224,000,000
1910	9,600,000	4,480,000	448,000,000
1920	19,200,000	8,960,000	896,000,000
1930	38,400,000	17,920,000	1,792,000,000
1940	76,800,000	35,840,000	3,584,000,000
1950	153,600,000	71,680,000	7,168,000,000
1960	307,200,000	143,360,000	14,336,000,000
1970	614,400,000	286,720,000	28,672,000,000
1980	1,228,800,000	573,440,000	57,344,000,000
1990	2,457,600,000	1,146,880,000	1,146,880,000,000
2000	4,915,200,000	2,293,760,000	2,293,760,000,000
2010	9,830,400,000	4,587,520,000	4,587,520,000,000
2020	19,660,800,000	9,175,040,000	9,175,040,000,000

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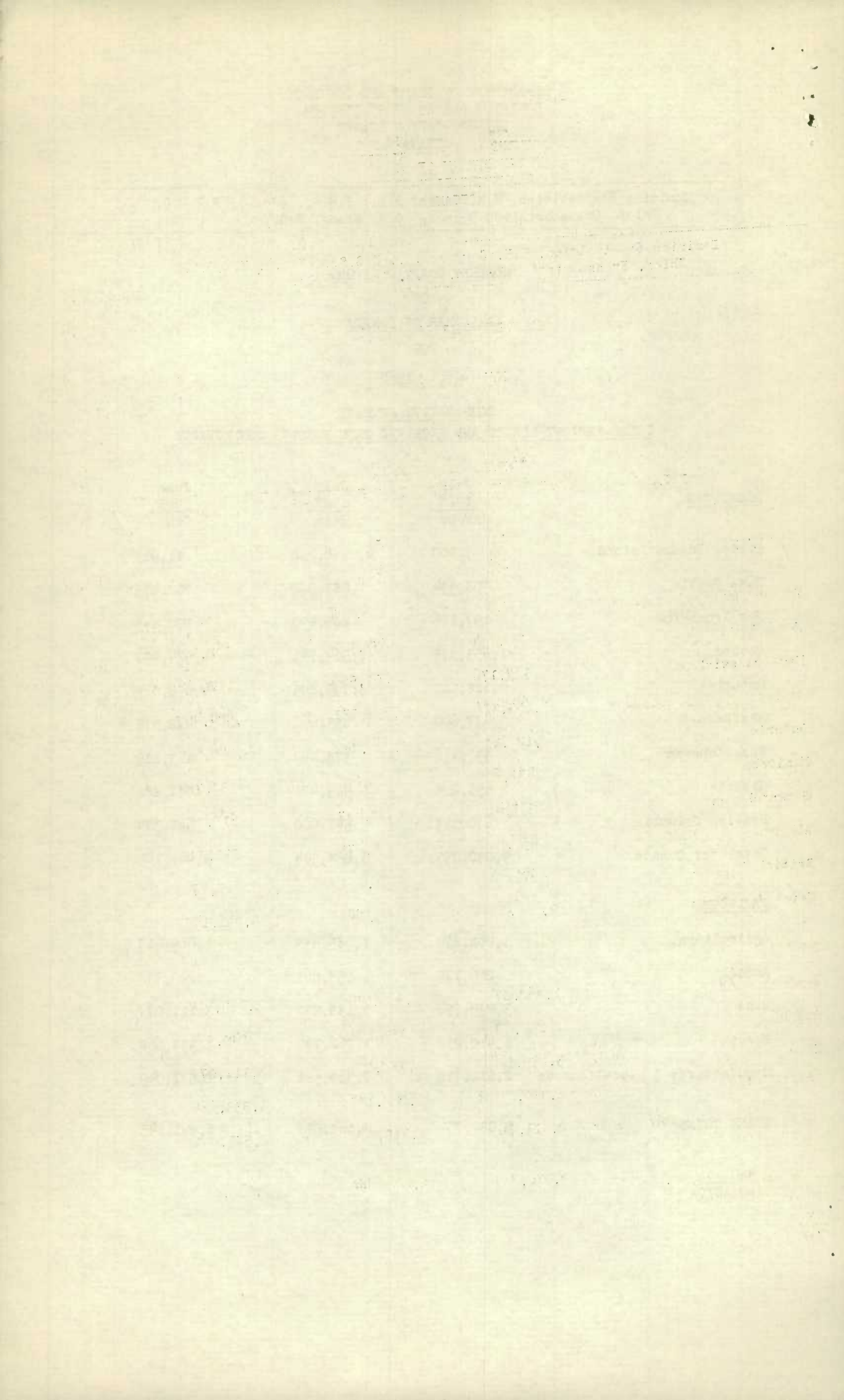
FOR

JULY, 1928

COMPARATIVE SUMMARY

TOTAL FREIGHT LOADED AND RECEIVED FROM FOREIGN CONNECTIONS

<u>PROVINCES</u>	<u>July 1928 Tons</u>	<u>July 1927 Tons</u>	<u>June 1928 Tons</u>
Prince Edward Island	7,900	6,802	11,011
Nova Scotia	708,334	683,572	702,473
New Brunswick	197,176	201,590	192,846
Quebec	1,653,375	1,564,731	1,524,497
Ontario	4,128,213	3,795,245	4,058,029
Manitoba	477,600	453,666	472,912
Saskatchewan	537,416	378,447	613,115
Alberta	650,228	429,471	737,888
British Columbia	670,513	551,020	628,374
Total for Canada	9,030,755	8,664,544	8,941,145
 <u>PRODUCTS</u>			
Agricultural	1,462,874	1,085,434	1,669,613
Animal	266,175	258,501	249,738
Mine	3,279,756	3,138,951	3,111,077
Forest	1,410,232	1,262,130	1,333,668
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	2,611,718	2,319,528	2,577,049
 GRAND TOTAL	 9,030,755	 8,064,544	 8,941,145



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>AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS</u>				
1.	Wheat	760,045	124	6,668
2.	Corn	5,863	11,177	42,448
3.	Oats	91,884	1,593	11,790
4.	Barley	27,978	61	845
5.	Rye	10,920	-	252
6.	Flax	12,974	1,190	-
7.	Other grain	4,321	437	414
8.	Flour	134,797	1,700	28,446
9.	Other Mill Products	89,804	2,361	40,529
10.	Hay and Straw	29,825	342	825
11.	Cotton	508	4,585	2,745
12.	Apples (fresh)	600	3,060	1,211
13.	Other Fruit (fresh)	3,631	36,997	17,096
14.	Potatoes	4,794	10,929	10,472
15.	Other Fresh Vegetables	3,873	7,543	5,481
16.	Other Agricultural Products	8,136	8,584	13,016
	Total	1,189,953	90,683	182,238
<u>ANIMAL PRODUCTS</u>				
17.	Horses	8,113	193	135
18.	Cattle and Calves	58,027	194	1,725
19.	Sheep	4,058	38	127
20.	Hogs	21,440	-	1,204
21.	Dressed Meats (fresh)	8,475	615	25,621
22.	Dressed Meats (cured or salted)	5,812	7,529	12,669
23.	Other Packing House Products	3,233	6,062	16,269
24.	Poultry	44	-	6,408
25.	Eggs	1,559	122	11,850
26.	Butter and Cheese	13,979	7	20,508
27.	Wool	5,505	685	4,485
28.	Hides and Leather	3,636	2,828	5,347
29.	Other Animal Products	3,643	600	3,430
	Total	137,524	18,873	109,778
<u>MINE PRODUCTS</u>				
30.	Anthracite Coal	596	212,236	83,493
31.	Bituminous Coal	720,178	330,623	16,192
32.	Lignite Coal	123,172	-	-
33.	Coke	29,544	60,539	893
34.	Iron Ores	2,915	117,066	1,617
35.	Other Ores & Concentrates	276,417	14,991	5,000
36.	Base Bullion and Matte	10,018	-	131
37.	Clay, Gravel, Sand, Stone (crushed)	965,371	26,335	14,424
38.	Slate-Dimension or Block Stone	14,098	4,584	10,949
39.	Crude Petroleum	9,117	59,620	684
40.	Asphaltum	36,616	9,793	6,045
41.	Salt	12,611	12,633	8,885
42.	Other Mine Products	31,074	29,615	21,681
	Total	2,231,727	878,035	169,994

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BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS  
 OF JULY, 1928

NO.:	TOTAL FREIGHT ORIGINATED				TERMINATED	
		: Increase	: Cumulative Total		: Unloaded at	: Delivered
	: Total	: Over July	: To	: Increase	: Stations	: to
	: for	: 1927	: Date	: Over 1927	: in	: Foreign
	: Month	: (Decrease -)		: (Decrease-)	: Canada	: Connections
	: Tons	: Tons	: Tons	: Tons	: Tons	: Tons
1.	766,837	311,191	6,996,396	1,974,763	153,407	655,852
2.	59,488	7,664	500,809	60,749	17,253	40,237
3.	105,267	37,431	1,017,046	200,532	88,650	21,999
4.	28,884	- 22,167	373,274	- 160,410	2,995	28,889
5.	11,172	4,219	232,935	76,454	2,478	13,536
6.	14,164	4,870	69,057	4,469	2,399	12,355
7.	5,172	- 981	71,078	- 13,831	3,435	3,890
8.	164,943	15,834	1,295,644	23,811	74,446	100,486
9.	132,694	- 6,978	1,060,786	- 21,834	61,407	68,499
10.	30,992	- 1,262	347,941	- 75,441	24,630	7,932
11.	7,838	484	68,935	- 20,728	4,013	3,150
12.	4,871	2,608	56,845	- 5,992	3,180	1,415
13.	57,724	8,022	236,643	- 4,713	37,846	17,454
14.	26,195	7,575	378,579	- 4,371	14,864	10,815
15.	16,897	5,257	205,552	34,490	12,091	5,526
16.	29,736	3,673	325,666	2,890	14,069	14,963
	1,462,874	377,440	13,237,186	2,070,838	517,163	1,006,998
17.	8,441	1,082	62,112	8,172	8,566	242
18.	59,946	9,714	317,252	10,624	51,747	7,308
19.	4,223	1,114	19,347	- 2,349	3,824	195
20.	22,644	- 2,262	214,347	- 13,481	21,487	1,320
21.	34,711	- 1,526	257,470	- 11,546	7,864	28,386
22.	26,010	189	164,237	3,651	1,695	20,788
23.	25,564	4,187	155,897	14,338	3,118	21,482
24.	6,452	405	40,624	3,371	45	6,448
25.	13,531	- 575	109,711	- 12,706	1,821	11,881
26.	34,494	- 2,357	148,530	- 16,365	8,577	21,184
27.	10,675	594	41,023	8,060	1,731	8,744
28.	11,811	- 1,826	96,101	- 4,154	4,200	6,939
29.	7,673	- 1,065	58,726	955	2,054	4,687
	266,175	7,674	1,685,377	- 11,430	116,729	139,604
30.	296,325	- 37,486	2,311,854	- 90,567	219,690	81,403
31.	1,066,993	- 32,734	7,157,052	-1,279,095	1,043,482	62,244
32.	123,172	22,740	1,419,281	234,106	91,403	1,060
33.	90,976	10,854	803,124	159,239	82,022	3,311
34.	121,598	21,188	232,507	8,399	113,503	3,120
35.	296,408	20,452	2,069,481	166,237	268,990	13,294
36.	10,149	5,370	72,359	18,644	5,103	3,970
37.	1,006,130	92,086	3,618,684	86,451	992,515	29,198
38.	29,631	- 8,615	194,578	- 1,590	31,313	9,814
39.	69,421	17,100	446,965	82,367	60,741	360
40.	52,454	- 3,812	133,160	- 34,775	48,830	6,453
41.	34,129	373	212,094	7,802	23,800	9,245
42.	82,370	33,289	468,290	182,736	27,568	50,796
	3,279,756	140,805	19,139,429	- 459,996	3,013,960	279,168





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>FOREST PRODUCTS</u>				
43.	Logs, Posts, Poles, Cordwood	288,520	1,556	9,930
44.	Ties	17,685	1,204	3,391
45.	Pulpwood	366,330	18	18,117
46.	Lumber, Timber, Box Shooks, Staves, Heading	535,281	41,379	65,375
47.	Other Forest Products	46,373	6,437	8,636
	Total	1,254,189	50,594	105,449
<u>MANUFACTURES &amp; MISCELLANEOUS</u>				
48.	Refined Petroleum & its Products	188,047	60,964	11,507
49.	Sugar	21,964	3,567	13,763
50.	Iron, pig and bloom	24,320	5,579	4,278
51.	Rails and Fastenings	6,722	3,404	1,480
52.	(Bar and Sheet Iron-Structural Iron and Iron Pipe)	54,540	71,069	33,667
53.	Castings, Machinery and Boilers	17,746	12,654	21,244
54.	Cement	207,410	1,045	6,037
55.	Brick & Artificial Stone	83,301	15,599	6,461
56.	Lime and Plaster	44,730	2,025	999
57.	Sewer Pipe and Drain Tile	15,382	1,384	368
58.	(Agricultural Implements & Vehicles other than Autos.)	28,121	19,409	12,544
59.	Automobiles and Auto Trucks	34,401	23,564	148,678
60.	Household Goods	4,178	632	230
61.	Furniture	4,433	142	3,944
62.	Liquor Beverages	31,735	736	1,028
63.	Fertilizers, all kinds	18,391	5,362	4,674
64.	Paper, Printed Matter, Books	140,184	1,614	37,162
65.	Wood Pulp	86,048	958	19,343
66.	Fish (fresh, frozen, cured, etc.)	4,051	81	276
67.	Canned Meats	488	24	35
68.	(Canned Goods (All Canned Food Products other than Meat)	11,535	1,518	17,261
69.	Other Manufactures & Miscellaneous	319,052	92,778	220,341
70.	Merchandise	262,779	30,596	82,136
	Total	1,609,558	354,704	647,456
GRAND TOTAL		6,422,951	1,392,889	1,214,915

RATIOS OF COMMODITY GROUP TOTALS  
Per

Commodity Group	Total Freight Carried	Loaded at Stations in Canada
Agricultural	16.20	13.18
Animal	2.95	1.52
Mine	36.32	24.71
Forest	15.61	13.89
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	28.92	17.82
Total	100.00	71.12



BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS  
OF JULY, 1928

NO. :	TOTAL FREIGHT ORIGINATED				TERMINATED	
	Total	Increase Over July, 1927 (Decrease-)	Cumulative Total To Date	Increase Over 1927 (Decrease-)	Unloaded at Stations in Canada	Delivered to Foreign Connections
	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
43.	300,006	81,526	2,423,647	210,912	257,523	39,573
44.	22,280	7,067	110,166	962	12,693	7,814
45.	384,465	33,962	3,489,353	- 142,591	234,665	139,104
46.	642,035	26,560	3,848,738	- 161,822	439,560	243,287
47.	61,446	- 1,013	353,659	4,012	38,355	13,175
	1,410,232	148,102	10,225,563	- 88,527	982,796	442,953
48.	260,518	29,618	1,323,799	182,702	242,255	14,149
49.	39,294	- 2,715	328,124	- 24,791	27,910	14,136
50.	34,177	2,881	245,948	7,593	28,949	4,406
51.	11,606	3,937	196,043	84,501	11,553	1,535
52.	159,276	40,821	1,105,841	175,243	108,536	39,802
53.	51,644	- 1,528	361,043	- 19,716	35,887	22,460
54.	214,492	40,368	785,789	73,051	198,742	4,609
55.	105,361	10,250	549,239	56,245	109,132	9,462
56.	47,754	8,155	263,979	19,183	48,413	2,230
57.	17,134	4,001	67,303	16,652	17,252	525
58.	60,074	14,869	340,965	52,928	43,796	18,063
59.	206,643	79,084	1,414,954	250,488	41,943	169,576
60.	5,040	592	48,805	- 774	4,543	253
61.	8,519	- 419	61,629	2,657	5,431	4,082
62.	33,499	2,752	189,649	37,811	33,350	2,498
63.	28,427	14,300	399,351	91,185	11,853	14,646
64.	178,960	14,050	1,366,715	118,058	26,259	181,292
65.	106,349	16,074	755,579	34,718	20,013	91,988
66.	4,408	358	50,151	- 4,461	2,467	2,357
67.	547	- 281	6,516	- 332	586	195
68.	30,314	6,488	214,601	13,475	11,434	21,015
69.	632,171	42,367	4,168,504	166,308	384,130	289,926
70.	375,511	- 1,684	2,582,492	21,229	300,607	89,417
	2,611,718	292,190	16,827,019	1,284,517	1,715,041	998,622
	9,030,755	966,211	61,114,574	2,795,402	6,345,689	2,867,345

TO TOTAL FREIGHT CARRIED DURING MONTH  
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RECEIVED FROM FOREIGN CONNECTIONS				Unloaded at	Delivered
Destined to			Total	Stations	to
Canadian Points	Foreign Points			in Canada	Foreign Connections
1.00	2.02		3.02	5.73	11.15
.21	1.22		1.43	1.29	1.55
9.72	1.88		11.60	33.37	3.09
.56	1.17		1.73	10.88	4.90
3.93	7.17		11.10	18.99	11.06
15.42	13.46		28.88	70.26	31.75



REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED  
DURING THE MONTH

PRODUCTS	ORIGINATED			
	Loaded at :	Received from		
	Stations :	Foreign Connections		
	in :	Destined to		
Canada :	Canadian :	Foreign		
	Points :	Points :	Points	
	Tons	Tons	Tons	
<u>PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND</u>				
Agricultural	174	-	-	
Animal	942	-	-	
Mine	1,929	-	-	
Forest	449	-	-	
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	4,406	-	-	
Total	7,900	-	-	
<u>NOVA SCOTIA</u>				
Agricultural	1,985	1,439	-	
Animal	837	33	-	
Mine	597,784	377	-	
Forest	51,265	48	-	
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	53,059	1,447	60	
Total	704,930	3,344	60	
<u>NEW BRUNSWICK</u>				
Agricultural	3,056	1,022	187	
Animal	1,043	73	22	
Mine	17,585	3,169	331	
Forest	114,650	65	2,418	
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	41,699	1,080	10,776	
Total	178,033	5,409	13,734	
<u>QUEBEC</u>				
Agricultural	76,532	24,304	10,569	
Animal	16,914	2,381	2,292	
Mine	239,927	108,720	62,916	
Forest	439,079	3,905	29,615	
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	483,359	48,905	103,957	
Total	1,255,811	188,215	209,349	
<u>ONTARIO</u>				
Agricultural	374,471	49,880	171,064	
Animal	55,197	16,005	107,056	
Mine	699,576	701,061	106,623	
Forest	287,906	43,233	56,062	
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	681,331	252,714	526,034	
Total	2,098,481	1,062,893	966,839	
<u>MANITOBA</u>				
Agricultural	136,503	6,083	-	
Animal	23,666	21	-	
Mine	142,503	9,842	-	
Forest	32,537	1,305	-	
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	105,087	20,053	-	
Total	440,296	37,304	-	
<u>SASKATCHEWAN</u>				
Agricultural	337,626	1,519	46	
Animal	13,916	-	-	
Mine	47,457	30,093	-	
Forest	9,276	425	-	
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	75,357	20,738	963	
Total	483,632	52,775	1,009	
<u>ALBERTA</u>				
Agricultural	250,755	190	-	
Animal	21,468	96	-	
Mine	205,048	18,742	-	
Forest	36,587	-	-	
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	114,040	3,302	-	
Total	627,898	22,330	-	
<u>BRITISH COLUMBIA</u>				
Agricultural	8,851	6,246	372	
Animal	3,541	264	408	
Mine	279,918	6,031	124	
Forest	282,440	1,613	17,354	
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	51,220	6,465	5,666	
Total	625,970	20,619	23,924	



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	TOTAL FREIGHT ORIGINATED				TERMINATED	
	Increase Over July, 1927 (Decrease -)	Cumulative Total To Date	Increase Over 1927 (Decrease -)	Unloaded at Stations in Canada	Delivered to Foreign Connections	
	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	
<u>P.E. ISLAND</u>						
174	-	413	61,397	12,596	1,284	32
942		179	5,048	1,041	425	-
1,929	1,545		4,207	2,889	8,372	-
449	18		4,718	1,065	2,298	-
4,406	-	231	42,149	2,734	8,261	-
7,900	1,098		117,519	20,325	20,640	32
<u>NOVA SCOTIA</u>						
3,424	500		75,668	2,564	13,807	2,759
870	448		10,222	2,710	1,671	373
598,161	20,619		3,110,536	511,383	524,472	276
51,313	3,967		347,454	28,234	23,439	11,050
54,566	-	772	442,510	46,940	57,969	2,071
708,334	24,762		3,986,390	430,935	621,358	16,529
<u>NEW BRUNSWICK</u>						
4,265	-	1,766	227,731	16,982	10,194	715
1,138	-	10	8,918	771	1,547	278
21,085	-	1,851	127,767	29,139	29,777	1,221
117,133	-	2,710	819,295	83,529	56,393	35,459
53,555	-	3,497	512,179	14,442	42,972	5,708
197,176	-	4,414	1,695,890	143,321	140,883	43,381
<u>QUEBEC</u>						
111,405	18,002		830,725	32,055	160,825	163,505
21,587	2,483		117,986	19,386	24,289	43,455
411,563	2,684		1,986,043	329,911	451,836	70,944
472,599	30,847		2,522,402	355,329	315,150	160,838
636,221	34,628		3,888,500	202,159	392,526	198,450
1,653,375	88,644		9,345,656	495,750	1,344,626	637,192
<u>ONTARIO</u>						
595,415	134,232		4,448,963	320,925	164,068	754,335
178,258	3,596		1,180,367	40,146	42,141	92,335
1,507,260	30,779		9,312,708	228,776	1,347,757	142,267
387,201	53,232		3,560,862	106,822	286,104	167,341
1,460,079	179,879		9,742,958	623,694	712,903	767,589
4,128,213	332,968		28,245,858	140,669	2,552,973	1,923,867
<u>MANITOBA</u>						
142,586	-	11,399	1,099,700	152,982	77,893	832
23,687		3,113	124,900	3,600	21,217	2,033
152,345		6,055	548,893	12,603	188,602	63
33,842	-	771	604,628	120,838	34,053	1,633
125,140		26,936	683,429	125,796	134,936	10,421
477,600		23,934	3,061,550	77,449	456,701	14,982
<u>SASKATCHEWAN</u>						
339,191	111,835		2,792,804	698,948	26,883	370
13,916	2,092		76,092	9,456	6,923	584
77,550	24,542		362,821	47,238	135,406	290
9,701	2,779		168,608	7,068	54,372	50,827
97,058	23,279		508,183	107,580	162,580	933
537,416	158,969		3,908,508	856,154	386,164	53,004
<u>ALBERTA</u>						
250,945	124,251		3,593,495	1,880,675	44,138	-
21,564	2,060		139,564	2,945	12,758	37
223,790	55,856		1,811,731	375,283	133,800	-
36,587	7,435		252,249	46,036	64,492	-
117,342	31,155		623,755	162,032	143,267	3,050
650,228	220,757		6,420,794	2,461,081	398,455	3,087
<u>BRITISH COLUMBIA</u>						
15,469	2,198		106,703	1,001	18,071	84,450
4,213	905		22,280	1,897	5,758	509
286,073	62,134		1,874,723	226,406	193,938	64,107
301,407	53,443		1,945,347	54,404	146,495	15,805
63,351	813		383,356	28,024	59,627	10,400
670,513	119,493		4,332,409	309,730	423,889	175,271

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