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COMPARATIVE SUMMARY

TOTAL FREIGHT LOADED AND RECEIVED FROM FOREIGN CONNECTIONS

<u>PROVINCES</u>	<u>September 1928 Tons</u>	<u>September 1927 Tons</u>	<u>August 1928 Tons</u>
Prince Edward Island	8,407	6,784	9,236
Nova Scotia	727,240	664,735	781,638
New Brunswick	214,181	210,688	216,187
Quebec	1,619,647	1,528,363	1,725,848
Ontario	4,485,367	4,240,648	4,543,632
Manitoba	1,030,074	655,212	445,933
Saskatchewan	1,537,235	608,536	350,215
Alberta	1,004,297	648,968	604,768
British Columbia	713,068	661,957	722,886
Total for Canada	11,339,516	9,225,891	9,400,343
 <u>PRODUCTS</u>			
Agricultural	3,537,532	1,850,509	1,175,054
Animal	277,179	294,575	279,991
Mine	3,641,420	3,586,667	3,664,595
Forest	1,254,308	1,138,813	1,418,115
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	2,629,077	2,355,327	2,862,588
 GRAND TOTAL	 11,339,516	 9,225,891	 9,400,343

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REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED
DURING THE MONTH

NO.	COMMODITIES	ORIGINATED		
		Loaded at Stations in Canada Tons	Received from Foreign Connections Destined to Canadian Points Tons	Foreign Points Tons
<u>AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS</u>				
1.	Wheat	2,372,206	227	12,744
2.	Corn	7,919	15,082	48,579
3.	Oats	57,498	15,168	28,422
4.	Barley	271,611	130	11,255
5.	Rye	59,144	-	1,663
6.	Flax	2,968	-	-
7.	Other Grain	4,361	619	2,505
8.	Flour	164,016	1,657	37,237
9.	Other Mill Products	109,304	2,649	48,695
10.	Hay and Straw	30,177	113	1,363
11.	Cotton	393	2,990	1,284
12.	Apples (fresh)	34,718	1,413	3,548
13.	Other Fruit (fresh)	16,630	23,412	35,857
14.	Potatoes	26,618	423	13,482
15.	Other Fresh Vegetables	21,344	1,625	7,317
16.	Other Agricultural Products	8,439	13,538	17,189
	Total	3,187,346	79,046	271,140
<u>ANIMAL PRODUCTS</u>				
17.	Horses	6,536	152	141
18.	Cattle and Calves	91,247	198	2,097
19.	Sheep	7,498	32	998
20.	Hogs	16,892	57	1,558
21.	Dressed Meats (fresh)	10,068	1,003	25,608
22.	Dressed Meats (cured or salted)	4,563	4,293	13,258
23.	Other Packing House Products	3,975	4,058	14,476
24.	Poultry	202	20	6,700
25.	Eggs	982	147	8,495
26.	Butter and Cheese	9,874	37	17,245
27.	Wool	649	701	1,412
28.	Hides and Leather	4,590	2,121	6,683
29.	Other Animal Products	4,601	814	3,198
	Total	161,677	13,633	101,869
<u>MINE PRODUCTS</u>				
30.	Anthracite Coal	713	309,718	165,464
31.	Bituminous Coal	719,638	422,854	28,165
32.	Lignite Coal	289,684	497	-
33.	Coke	38,357	77,519	1,892
34.	Iron Ores	1,372	52	1,116
35.	Other Ores and Concentrates	313,048	74,239	8,915
36.	Base Bullion and Matte	10,643	4,311	-
37.	Clay, Gravel, Sand, Stone (crushed)	858,259	31,216	21,841
38.	Slate-Dimension or Block Stone	17,388	5,085	9,504
39.	Crude Petroleum	4,863	57,370	30
40.	Asphaltum	56,196	7,858	6,616
41.	Salt	11,203	9,685	10,325
42.	Other Mine Products	34,647	10,618	20,519
	Total	2,356,011	1,011,022	274,387

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BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS
 OF SEPTEMBER, 1928

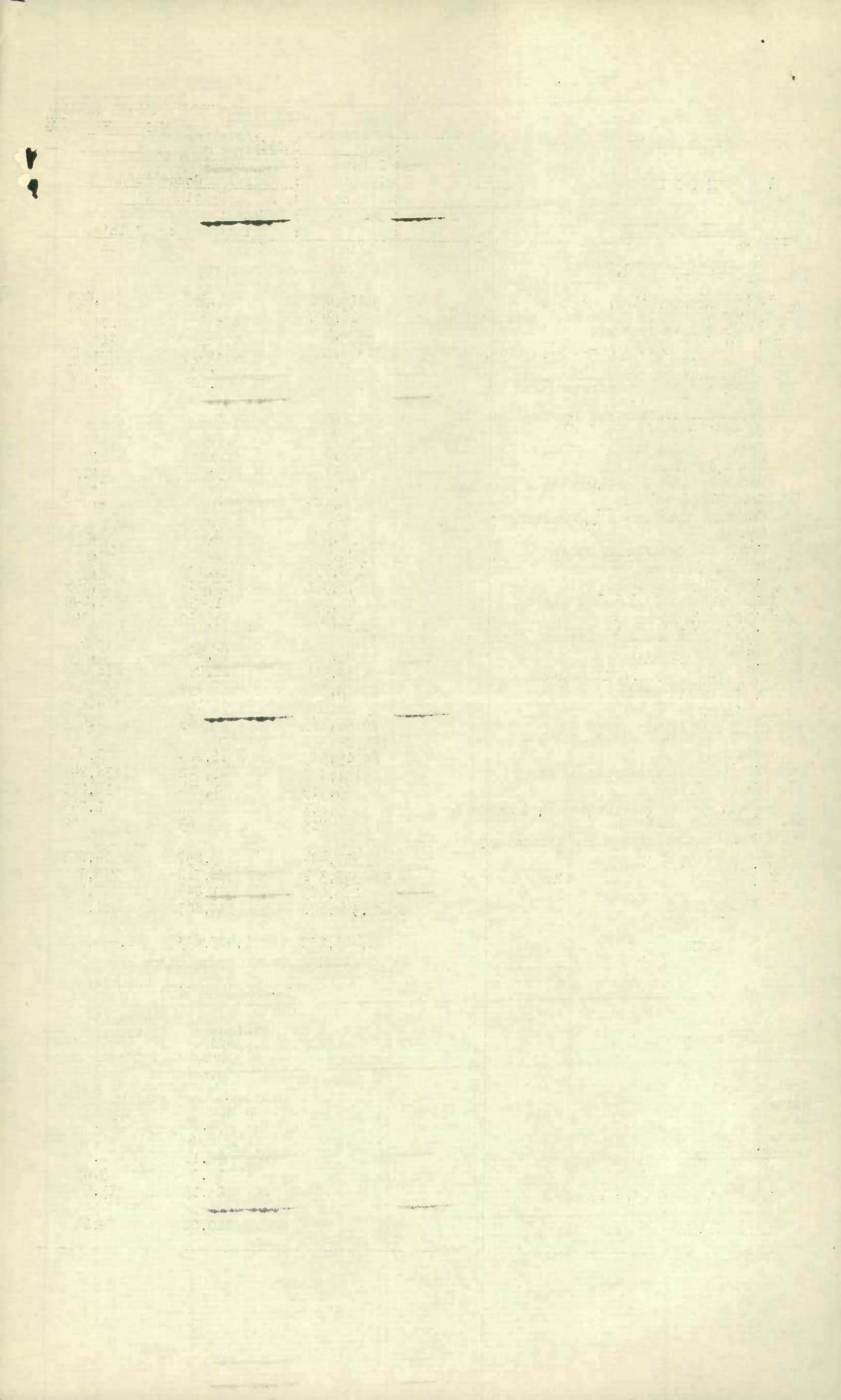
NO.:	TOTAL FREIGHT ORIGINATED				TERMINATED	
	Total for Month	: Increase : Over Sept. : 1927 :(Decrease -)	Cumulative Total To Date	: Increase : Over 1927 :(Decrease -)	: Unloaded at : Stations : in : Canada	: Delivered : to : Foreign : Connections
	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
1.	2,385,177	1,494,432	9,844,427	3,717,669	1,170,173	730,835
2.	71,580	2,419	639,304	74,572	20,856	50,438
3.	101,088	30,424	1,196,524	252,883	55,317	33,914
4.	282,996	172,782	685,845	18,815	151,424	93,655
5.	60,807	- 60,080	316,618	16,116	54,585	12,407
6.	2,968	314	77,634	7,257	392	2,640
7.	7,485	- 1,623	86,936	- 13,243	9,659	3,079
8.	202,910	12,979	1,689,151	59,230	96,412	126,385
9.	160,648	10,952	1,375,587	5,064	74,130	85,309
10.	31,653	- 10,330	402,064	- 92,131	25,751	5,392
11.	4,667	8	78,840	- 20,887	2,326	5,894
12.	39,679	15,066	106,945	11,401	19,990	6,641
13.	75,899	7,008	372,824	4,774	42,701	40,570
14.	40,523	6,574	430,491	- 1,347	16,525	17,507
15.	30,286	6,144	250,424	42,718	17,574	11,832
16.	39,166	- 46	396,158	1,063	18,343	19,170
	3,537,532	1,687,023	17,949,772	4,083,954	1,776,158	1,245,668
17.	6,829	- 86	76,488	7,593	6,787	352
18.	93,542	1,063	499,038	22,216	79,983	17,765
19.	8,528	- 525	33,522	- 2,797	7,709	1,173
20.	18,507	- 7,191	251,635	- 26,260	18,199	1,638
21.	36,679	- 6,396	330,373	- 21,738	8,395	29,953
22.	22,114	- 1,957	214,500	3,419	1,717	17,019
23.	22,509	- 2,503	200,885	14,403	3,060	17,654
24.	6,922	- 192	54,506	3,842	188	6,701
25.	9,624	- 467	128,193	- 16,934	1,138	8,422
26.	27,156	1,034	206,524	- 17,639	5,968	18,255
27.	2,762	- 801	50,657	4,805	810	2,446
28.	13,394	39	121,186	- 6,485	3,848	7,148
29.	8,613	586	75,040	1,384	4,545	6,502
	277,179	- 17,396	2,242,547	- 34,191	142,347	135,078
30.	475,895	934	3,231,525	- 66,853	330,452	157,539
31.	1,170,657	- 71,167	9,477,277	-1,406,124	1,146,076	74,163
32.	290,181	41,489	1,896,365	305,154	211,085	4,833
33.	117,768	2,682	1,013,049	159,635	129,760	4,635
34.	2,540	- 101,219	354,118	- 66,317	66,694	1,177
35.	396,202	77,902	2,806,120	294,922	317,544	23,140
36.	14,954	8,380	96,789	29,510	5,537	-
37.	911,316	52,679	5,572,265	164,279	870,803	40,523
38.	31,977	2,894	264,769	- 2,023	27,266	8,368
39.	62,263	3,425	575,442	82,825	52,939	157
40.	70,670	2,110	279,224	28,146	53,257	6,663
41.	31,213	2,134	278,470	13,826	19,259	10,707
42.	65,784	32,510	600,031	223,680	17,130	47,895
	3,641,420	54,753	26,445,444	- 295,632	3,247,802	379,800

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	276,830	1,399	8,055
44.	Ties	16,340	422	1,970
45.	Pulpwood	320,123	81	11,606
46.	Lumber, Timber, Box Shooks, Staves, Heading	456,292	41,364	62,054
47.	Other Forest Products	45,225	6,863	5,684
	Total	1,114,810	50,129	89,369
<u>MANUFACTURES & MISCELLANEOUS</u>				
48.	Refined Petroleum and its Products	228,666	63,605	19,858
49.	Sugar	20,799	3,995	17,592
50.	Iron, pig and bloom	27,280	3,118	4,210
51.	Rails and Fastenings	8,624	2,330	1,442
52.	(Bar and Sheet Iron-Structural Iron and Iron Pipe)	50,125	62,513	37,063
53.	Castings, Machinery and Boilers	21,465	9,695	24,813
54.	Cement	167,751	1,922	8,407
55.	Brick and Artificial Stone	73,361	13,084	5,709
56.	Lime and Plaster	40,350	1,458	1,049
57.	Sewer Pipe and Drain Tile	12,486	1,062	398
58.	(Agricultural Implements and Vehicles other than Autos.)	29,346	10,269	6,799
59.	Automobiles and Auto Trucks	33,919	18,233	171,108
60.	Household Goods	3,325	494	250
61.	Furniture	4,599	166	4,836
62.	Liquor Beverages	27,189	669	1,038
63.	Fertilizers, all kinds	19,585	11,804	3,868
64.	Paper, Printed Matter, Books	151,887	1,642	38,245
65.	Wood Pulp	69,919	1,834	18,261
66.	Fish, (fresh, frozen, cured, etc.)	5,883	202	1,248
67.	Canned Meats	715	43	102
68.	(Canned Goods, (All canned Food Products other than Meat)	17,424	5,857	14,803
69.	Other Manufactures & Miscellaneous	303,341	88,712	232,798
70.	Merchandise	266,089	31,046	97,249
	Total	1,584,128	333,803	711,146
	GRAND TOTAL	8,403,972	1,487,633	1,447,911

RATIOS OF COMMODITY GROUP TOTALS
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Commodity Group	Total Freight Carried	Loaded at Stations in Canada
Agricultural	31.20	28.11
Animal	2.44	1.42
Mine	32.11	20.78
Forest	11.06	9.83
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	23.19	13.97
Total	100.00	74.11



BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS
OF SEPTEMBER, 1928

NO. :	TOTAL FREIGHT ORIGINATED				TERMINATED	
	Total	Increase Over	Cumulative Total	Increase Over	Unloaded at Stations in	Delivered to Foreign Connections
For Month	September, 1927	To Date	1927	1927	Canada	
	(Decrease -)		(Decrease -)	(Decrease -)		
	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
43.	286,284	10,483	2,998,253	236,701	257,026	34,071
44.	18,732	567	151,159	8,933	8,891	2,309
45.	331,310	91,415	4,232,672	56,291	131,810	161,289
46.	559,710	14,639	5,048,664	- 115,041	375,964	209,220
47.	57,772	- 1,609	467,238	- 2,887	40,960	11,648
	1,254,308	115,495	12,397,986	133,997	864,651	419,037
48.	312,129	73,224	1,937,897	317,558	293,435	20,129
49.	42,386	- 528	417,680	- 28,243	24,738	17,711
50.	34,608	6,019	313,646	17,124	29,110	4,124
51.	12,446	1,902	225,199	90,549	9,073	931
52.	149,701	45,492	1,426,685	267,909	95,828	41,839
53.	55,973	- 34	479,294	- 12,958	34,707	25,776
54.	178,080	11,041	1,167,073	98,928	151,911	8,010
55.	92,154	- 16,389	748,609	37,140	84,262	10,173
56.	42,857	- 10,183	355,397	11,075	45,176	2,524
57.	13,946	3,418	96,781	23,360	15,798	591
58.	46,414	- 7,936	474,187	63,919	36,933	12,531
59.	223,260	90,817	1,879,520	427,728	37,648	191,376
60.	4,069	- 340	57,022	- 2,421	3,577	326
61.	9,601	- 812	80,997	2,520	4,372	4,884
62.	28,896	1,308	253,397	41,640	26,429	3,140
63.	35,257	2,355	468,982	98,925	23,261	9,475
64.	191,774	29,215	1,765,682	178,917	26,615	176,885
65.	90,014	- 6,954	952,939	- 59,103	17,987	86,890
66.	7,333	- 912	63,527	- 5,962	3,244	4,914
67.	860	83	8,396	49	886	505
68.	38,084	1,179	289,314	17,058	21,559	18,553
69.	624,851	55,320	5,478,168	313,608	355,035	303,858
70.	394,384	- 3,540	3,378,292	19,228	302,587	99,198
	2,629,077	273,750	22,318,684	1,918,648	1,644,171	1,014,343
	11,339,516	2,113,625	81,854,433	5,856,776	7,675,129	3,223,926

TO TOTAL FREIGHT CARRIED DURING MONTH
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RECEIVED FROM FOREIGN CONNECTIONS			Unloaded at : Delivered	
Destined to			Stations	to
Canadian	Foreign	Total	in	Foreign
Points	Points		Canada	Connections
.70	2.39	3.09	15.66	10.98
.12	.90	1.02	1.26	1.19
8.92	2.42	11.34	28.65	3.35
.44	.79	1.23	7.63	3.70
2.94	6.27	9.21	14.50	9.21
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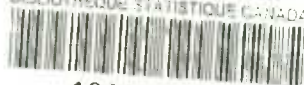
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PRODUCTS	ORIGINATED		
	Loaded at	Received from	
	Stations	Foreign Connections	
	in	Destined to	
Canada	Canadian	Foreign	
	Points	Points	
	Tons	Tons	Tons
<u>PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND</u>			
Agricultural	2,306	-	-
Animal	1,200	-	-
Mine	733	-	-
Forest	542	-	-
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	3,626	-	-
Total	8,407	-	-
<u>NOVA SCOTIA</u>			
Agricultural	13,916	1,289	-
Animal	1,308	-	-
Mine	614,938	653	-
Forest	34,227	-	-
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	59,836	1,050	23
Total	724,225	2,992	23
<u>NEW BRUNSWICK</u>			
Agricultural	19,085	354	12,326
Animal	2,104	64	7
Mine	27,143	1,917	689
Forest	92,297	34	2,964
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	41,649	904	12,644
Total	182,278	3,273	28,630
<u>QUEBEC</u>			
Agricultural	83,559	13,994	12,144
Animal	23,087	2,243	3,568
Mine	263,460	129,401	63,041
Forest	368,944	3,859	22,648
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	469,562	47,739	112,398
Total	1,208,612	197,236	213,799
<u>ONTARIO</u>			
Agricultural	532,077	51,588	245,482
Animal	59,242	10,730	97,439
Mine	643,849	815,593	210,632
Forest	262,464	42,568	46,286
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	643,355	245,439	578,623
Total	2,140,987	1,165,918	1,178,462
<u>MANITOBA</u>			
Agricultural	697,875	3,418	-
Animal	27,994	51	83
Mine	140,699	8,330	-
Forest	34,703	1,224	-
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	98,103	17,591	3
Total	999,374	30,614	86
<u>SASKATCHEWAN</u>			
Agricultural	1,315,696	1,723	32
Animal	13,064	15	-
Mine	60,778	27,227	25
Forest	11,503	716	85
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	94,707	10,660	1,004
Total	1,495,748	40,341	1,146
<u>ALBERTA</u>			
Agricultural	465,694	23	-
Animal	29,179	82	-
Mine	342,558	19,678	-
Forest	24,677	-	-
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	117,269	5,137	-
Total	979,377	24,920	-
<u>BRITISH COLUMBIA</u>			
Agricultural	57,138	6,657	1,156
Animal	4,499	448	772
Mine	261,853	8,223	-
Forest	285,453	1,728	17,386
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	56,021	5,283	6,451
Total	664,964	22,339	25,765

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	TOTAL FREIGHT ORIGINATED				TERMINATED	
	Increase Over Sept. 1927 (Decrease -)	Cumulative Total To Date	Increase Over 1927 (Decrease-)	Unloaded at Stations in Canada	Delivered to Foreign Connections	
	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	
P.E. ISLAND						
	2,306	1,804	63,851	14,465	1,917	
	1,200	351	7,319	1,730	496	
	733	48	7,732	4,933	12,263	
	542	57	5,670	329	1,673	
	3,626	503	50,590	3,132	6,006	
	8,407	1,623	135,162	24,589	22,355	
NOVA SCOTIA						
	15,205	5,689	96,576	11,225	16,780	
	1,308	387	12,383	3,405	1,711	
	615,591	44,660	4,393,578	- 401,568	535,933	
	34,227	6,234	425,867	46,032	19,468	
	60,909	5,535	566,864	67,051	60,459	
	727,240	62,505	5,495,268	- 273,855	634,351	
NEW BRUNSWICK						
	31,765	4,487	266,418	- 13,732	13,480	
	2,175	257	12,648	1,568	2,630	
	29,749	11,511	187,983	- 42,777	44,675	
	95,295	7,315	1,032,133	- 50,895	61,498	
	55,197	2,945	627,076	- 7,990	42,516	
	214,181	3,493	2,126,258	- 113,826	164,799	
QUEBEC						
	109,697	195	1,043,843	- 15,102	257,527	
	28,898	2,174	170,828	20,773	27,224	
	455,902	549	2,891,174	- 372,882	502,047	
	395,451	66,022	3,384,394	- 213,588	256,646	
	629,699	23,442	5,200,912	271,444	350,824	
	1,619,647	91,284	12,691,151	- 309,355	1,394,268	
ONTARIO						
	829,147	126,372	5,986,142	- 2,967	1,231,266	
	167,411	19,981	1,514,536	- 72,633	58,938	
	1,670,074	84,021	12,694,795	- 281,927	1,328,020	
	351,318	32,476	4,297,387	186,661	214,334	
	1,467,417	189,873	12,781,997	1,017,661	665,660	
	4,485,367	244,719	37,274,857	846,795	3,498,218	
MANITCBA						
	701,293	369,019	1,870,613	230,439	115,491	
	28,128	732	184,892	- 1,515	23,606	
	149,029	463	855,562	- 35,580	246,937	
	35,927	8,054	672,346	101,364	30,484	
	115,697	12,702	954,144	176,533	122,865	
	1,030,074	374,862	4,537,557	471,241	539,383	
SASKATCHEWAN						
	1,317,451	866,276	4,233,234	1,623,301	44,331	
	13,079	1,987	107,081	9,387	6,124	
	88,030	51,021	524,805	112,798	208,357	
	12,304	79	190,175	- 14,781	63,391	
	106,371	13,468	740,663	150,004	188,358	
	1,537,235	928,699	5,795,958	1,880,709	510,561	
ALBERTA						
	465,717	291,905	4,176,664	2,201,445	60,481	
	29,261	883	200,150	- 945	14,789	
	362,236	49,382	2,467,056	464,766	160,559	
	24,677	1,798	316,660	51,591	56,466	
	122,406	16,728	869,329	192,649	155,597	
	1,004,297	355,329	8,029,859	2,909,506	447,892	
BRITISH COLUMBIA						
	64,951	21,276	212,431	34,880	34,885	
	5,719	1,579	32,710	4,039	6,829	
	270,076	5,260	2,422,759	256,605	209,011	
	304,567	13,436	2,573,354	77,284	160,691	
	67,755	9,560	527,109	48,164	51,886	
	713,068	51,111	5,768,363	420,272	463,302	

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