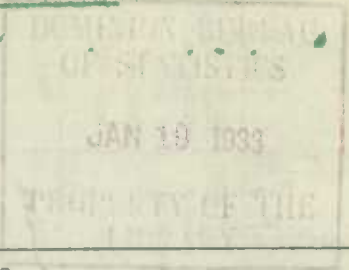


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MONTHLY TRAFFIC REPORT OF RAILWAYS OF CANADA
 FOR
OCTOBER, 1932

Freight loaded at Canadian stations and received from foreign connections during October amounted to 6,270,424 tons which was slightly less than the September tonnage although October has in the past been the heaviest month of the year. An early and heavy movement of wheat was the chief cause of this shifting forward of the peak. The total wheat handled during October amounted to 1,676,443 tons, as compared with 2,327,216 tons in September and 1,560,170 tons in October, 1931. Other than some of the grains, there were few commodities to show increases over October 1931 traffic. Lignite coal increased by 127,325 tons, but bituminous coal decreased by 271,708 tons and anthracite coal by 5,708 tons. Sand, gravel and crushed stone decreased by 286,715 tons, cement by 91,841 tons, lumber by 86,503 tons, iron and steel by 32,616 tons and brick by 22,776 tons. These building materials have shown large decreases for some months past.

Total tonnage for the ten months amounted to 50,498,841 tons which was 11,543,651 tons, or 18.6 per cent, less than for the first ten months in 1931.

COMPARATIVE SUMMARY
TOTAL FREIGHT LOADED AND RECEIVED FROM FOREIGN CONNECTIONS

<u>PROVINCES</u>	<u>September</u> <u>1932</u> Tons	<u>October</u> <u>1932</u> Tons	<u>October</u> <u>1931</u> Tons	<u>October</u> <u>1930</u> Tons
Prince Edward Island	7,019	19,123	16,818	42,647
Nova Scotia	384,642	375,222	576,534	720,622
New Brunswick	86,160	107,698	183,839	270,224
Quebec	713,146	791,686	1,018,836	1,248,967
Ontario	1,746,520	2,173,551	2,526,328	3,769,132
Manitoba	562,955	289,297	365,406	562,714
Saskatchewan	1,338,657	989,780	1,028,925	1,042,489
Alberta	1,115,077	1,205,762	1,205,383	1,248,014
British Columbia	318,554	318,305	414,591	573,002
Total for Canada	6,272,730	6,270,424	7,336,660	9,477,811
<u>PRODUCTS</u>				
Agricultural	2,979,700	2,521,136	2,476,487	2,586,869
Animal	182,381	197,058	229,419	233,224
Mine	1,596,452	1,982,679	2,493,394	3,800,763
Forest	368,200	442,621	573,108	840,838
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	1,145,997	1,126,930	1,564,252	2,016,117
GRAND TOTAL	6,272,730	6,270,424	7,336,660	9,477,811

REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS
DURING THE MONTH OF OCTOBER, 1932

NO.	COMMODITIES	FREIGHT ORIGINATED						TERMINATED		
		Loaded at Stations in Canada	Received from Foreign Connections Destined to		Total For Month	Increase Over October 1931 (Decrease -)	Cumulative Totals		Unloaded at Stations in Canada	Delivered to Foreign Connections
			Canadian Points	Foreign Points			To Date	Increase Over 1931 (Decrease -)		
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS										
1.	Wheat	1,670,793	226	5,424	1,676,443	116,273	9,266,885	1,749,982	871,465	868,019
2.	Corn	3,041	3,770	24,460	31,271	2,758	305,800	59,042	9,240	12,485
3.	Oats	59,399	5,822	15,950	81,171	18,649	888,728	28,187	54,727	24,384
4.	Barley	32,749	..	1,542	34,291	906	357,588	175,704	24,913	9,212
5.	Rye	10,955	..	639	11,594	6,418	102,304	11,312	3,135	4,666
6.	Flaxseed	7,037	..	215	7,252	1,527	45,663	6,815	519	5,844
7.	Other Grain	7,047	95	274	7,416	4,139	57,340	15,807	4,029	3,985
8.	Flour	144,778	713	27,219	172,710	7,699	1,296,451	116,655	110,311	63,884
9.	Other Mill Products	91,206	2,364	43,153	136,723	10,356	1,225,259	75,238	64,952	53,405
10.	Hay and Straw	15,999	..	2,214	18,213	21,368	264,521	38,922	13,462	5,012
11.	Cotton	455	7,101	4,851	12,407	3,695	59,338	13,721	5,082	4,517
12.	Apples (fresh)	67,081	1,300	9,431	77,812	699	195,170	2,795	32,651	45,172
13.	Other Fruit (fresh)	9,193	8,519	31,183	48,895	904	349,130	39,739	17,379	31,518
14.	Potatoes	30,366	52	5,828	36,246	30,902	330,056	169,118	16,192	20,956
15.	Other Fresh Vegetables	18,830	602	4,699	24,131	6,070	209,150	17,704	13,021	11,753
16.	Other Agricultural Products	107,973	13,098	23,490	144,561	1,514	560,317	30,688	113,347	38,499
	Total	2,276,902	43,662	200,572	2,521,136	44,649	15,533,700	1,009,911	1,354,425	1,203,331
ANIMAL PRODUCTS										
17.	Horses	2,369	30	68	2,467	5,462	39,628	17,022	2,360	67
18.	Cattle and Calves	38,232	24	1,566	39,822	13,667	313,154	61,771	36,380	2,188
19.	Sheep	11,203	..	3,018	14,221	2,260	42,452	6,968	11,185	3,044
20.	Hogs	14,516	18	3,536	18,070	5,887	207,649	18,445	15,922	3,536
21.	Dressed Meats (fresh)	7,496	306	31,543	39,345	577	349,079	64,802	7,573	28,754
22.	Dressed Meats (cured-salted-canned)	2,373	2,138	5,483	9,994	1,735	112,858	9,248	2,538	7,778
23.	Other Packing House Products (edible)	4,526	6,810	10,568	21,904	2,611	182,730	3,698	2,542	15,579
24.	Poultry	242	..	7,921	8,163	108	60,302	1,687	211	7,758
25.	Eggs	505	42	7,474	8,021	106	118,212	26,735	613	7,268
26.	Butter	1,774	..	7,440	9,214	2,609	136,795	5,686	1,625	7,357
27.	Cheese	2,558	..	3,711	6,269				57,868	1,666	3,828
28.	Wool	439	516	1,075	2,030	700	32,435	18,348	633	843
29.	Hides and Leather	2,782	2,683	4,991	10,456	176	79,141	17,802	3,890	5,315
30.	Other Animal Products (Non-edible)	3,064	1,163	2,855	7,082	2,719	61,555	26,610	3,487	3,778
	Total	92,079	13,730	91,249	197,058	32,827	1,793,858	234,536	90,625	97,093
MINING PRODUCTS										
31.	Anthracite Coal	4,505	242,633	73,065	320,203	5,780	2,059,842	592,484	227,609	70,686
32.	Bituminous Coal	426,425	245,565	9,573	681,563	271,708	6,742,517	1,597,937	621,210	18,708
33.	Lignite Coal	430,350	..	..	430,350	127,325	1,866,942	450,206	414,971	2,138
34.	Coke	57,711	40,358	992	99,061	15,155	799,812	160,204	94,786	2,200

35. Iron Ores	360	29	786	1,175	- 2,244	7,651	- 34,961	451	846	
36. Copper Ore & Concentrates	1,808	..	..	1,808	- 50,545	41,730	- 646,222	..	1,831
37. Other Ores & Concentrates	31,238	2,102	4,658	37,998	- 50,545	536,963	- 646,222	24,841	5,007	
38. Base Bullion, Matte, Pig & Ingot (non-ferrous metals)	28,123	192	3,320	31,635	- 27,422	291,858	- 176,458	3,332	25,597	
39. Sand and Gravel	105,114	4,307	1,689	111,110	- 286,715	1,270,749	- 2,712,705	111,775	4,056	
40. Stone (crushed, ground, broken)	104,659	1,592	510	106,761	- 286,715	730,342	- 2,712,705	101,453	449	
41. Slate, Dimension or Block Stone	6,309	422	5,555	12,286	- 6,187	158,785	- 75,831	6,808	7,506	
42. Crude Petroleum	1,630	10,876	75	12,581	- 21,975	348,171	- 144,162	11,271	50	
43. Asphalt (Natural, By-Product Petroleum)	9,187	814	455	10,456	- 15,779	106,946	- 139,407	10,820	401	
44. Salt	13,977	2,218	7,575	23,770	- 126	220,518	- 1,880	15,812	7,319	
45. Other Mine Products	77,499	13,121	11,302	101,922	- 808	861,432	- 65,047	72,317	24,641	
Total	1,298,895	564,229	119,555	1,982,679	- 510,715	16,044,258	- 5,414,082	1,717,956	171,435	
FOREST PRODUCTS										
46. Logs, Posts, Poles, Piling	64,399	84	913	65,396	- 19,538	656,552	- 219,399	62,455	2,720	
47. Cordwood and Other Firewood	117,687	398	40	118,125	- 19,538	792,319	- 219,399	116,880	361	
48. Ties	702	..	214	916	- 2,747	39,058	- 39,276	1,056	215	
49. Lumber	71,378	..	1,241	72,619	- 55,947	1,124,441	- 710,297	26,914	45,207	
50. Lumber, Timber, Box, Crate & Cooperage Material	136,595	8,241	21,361	166,197	- 86,503	1,854,499	- 989,844	102,933	65,318	
51. Other Forest Products	14,113	2,680	2,575	19,368	- 4,828	215,625	- 75,747	14,768	5,639	
Total	404,874	11,403	26,344	442,621	- 130,487	4,682,494	- 2,034,563	325,006	119,460	
MANUFACTURES AND MISCELLANEOUS										
52. Gasolene	105,386	17,749	5,720	128,855	- 44,370	1,192,177	- 256,014	126,869	3,529	
53. Petroleum Oils & Other Petroleum Products (except asphalt and gasolene)	41,888	8,286	5,510	55,684	- 44,370	623,312	- 256,014	52,583	3,922	
54. Sugar	17,707	398	4,516	22,621	- 4,049	224,726	- 17,995	20,456	4,717	
55. Iron, pig and bloom	8,839	133	905	9,877	- 8,701	76,941	- 109,752	5,034	1,287	
56. Rails and Fastenings	1,084	23	23	1,130	- 4,874	43,786	- 89,690	477	45	
57. Iron and Steel (Bar, Sheet, Structural, Pipe)	13,098	6,892	6,419	26,409	- 32,616	435,225	- 469,661	18,219	6,724	
58. Castings, Machinery and Boilers	4,401	2,010	5,576	11,987	- 11,071	132,662	- 136,655	6,708	5,477	
59. Cement	40,414	25	1,665	42,104	- 91,841	484,741	- 569,102	40,218	690	
60. Brick and Artificial Stone	8,603	3,415	832	12,850	- 22,778	140,452	- 212,169	10,582	767	
61. Lime and Plaster	15,421	105	490	16,016	- 6,630	170,062	- 92,023	13,909	497	
62. Sewer Pipe and Drain Tile	1,922	226	169	2,317	- 4,968	33,339	- 32,420	2,333	575	
63. Agricultural Implements & Vehicles other than Autos	1,752	136	693	2,581	- 2,741	52,010	- 80,068	1,641	1,133	
64. Automobiles, Auto Trucks and Auto Parts	3,634	1,489	18,853	23,976	- 21,431	683,404	- 361,805	2,765	21,483	
65. Household Goods and Settlers' Effects	4,842	137	60	5,039	- 3,074	39,412	- 8,507	5,479	114	
66. Furniture	2,031	31	2,015	4,077	- 1,298	35,897	- 19,229	2,098	2,057	
67. Liquor Beverages	10,591	220	317	11,128	- 4,266	115,546	- 47,287	10,211	1,096	
68. Fertilizers, all kinds	18,744	1,589	1,293	21,626	- 564	357,448	- 64,651	11,758	8,100	
69. Newsprint Paper	82,676	371	12,394	95,441	- 1,298	1,180,008	- 19,229	13,147	94,215	
70. Other Paper	11,679	737	15,323	27,739	- 24,004	255,841	- 225,597	10,757	14,562	
71. Paper Board, Pulpboard and Wallboard (paper)	18,558	608	4,835	24,001	- 9,832	178,323	- 175,901	7,574	6,563	
72. Wood Pulp	47,546	10	6,046	53,602	- 9,832	481,886	- 175,901	18,307	34,421	
73. Fish (fresh, frozen, cured, etc.)	5,654	379	1,455	7,488	- 559	51,505	- 8,918	2,580	4,318	
74. Canned Goods (all Canned Food Products except Meats)	12,708	275	19,322	32,305	- 8,589	291,594	- 31,225	10,038	21,454	
75. Other Manufactures and Miscellaneous	154,431	42,971	110,147	307,549	- 103,855	3,234,017	- 1,389,881	177,637	146,148	
76. Merchandise (All L.C.L. Freight)	128,511	12,924	39,093	180,528	- 51,149	1,930,217	- 534,281	150,219	39,894	
Total	762,120	101,139	263,671	1,126,930	- 436,856	12,444,531	- 4,870,381	721,599	423,788	
GRAND TOTAL	4,834,870	734,163	701,391	6,270,424	- 1,066,236	50,498,841	- 11,543,651	4,209,611	2,015,107	



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 REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS
 DURING THE MONTH OF OCTOBER, 1932. (Tons= 2000 Lbs.)

	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskat- chewan	Alberta	British Columbia
LOADED AT STATIONS									
Agricultural Products	11,894	14,636	19,537	37,536	362,820	145,478	862,838	759,067	63,096
Animal Products	1,212	1,199	765	11,705	31,508	13,828	9,752	19,368	2,742
Mine Products	3,418	305,146	11,195	166,408	231,236	46,923	59,835	365,370	109,354
Forest Products	131	16,004	25,934	90,040	117,210	35,221	16,608	16,659	87,067
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	2,298	31,549	34,457	217,903	325,895	34,402	33,457	42,682	39,477
Total	18,953	368,534	91,888	523,592	1,068,669	275,862	982,490	1,203,146	301,736
RECEIVED FROM FOREIGN CONNECTIONS									
Agricultural Products	...	1,684	3,406	23,146	208,747	1,704	628	43	4,876
Animal Products	...	21	20	2,769	101,611	44	28	...	486
Mine Products	170	2,350	2,211	161,961	499,948	7,275	4,956	1,669	3,243
Forest Products	...	...	273	4,689	27,910	329	94	...	4,452
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	...	2,633	9,900	75,529	266,666	4,082	1,584	904	3,512
Total	170	6,688	15,810	268,094	1,104,882	13,435	7,290	2,616	16,569
TOTAL									
Agricultural Products	11,894	16,320	22,943	60,682	571,567	147,182	863,466	759,110	67,972
Animal Products	1,212	1,220	785	14,474	133,119	13,872	9,780	19,368	3,228
Mine Products	3,588	307,496	13,406	328,369	731,184	54,209	64,791	367,039	112,597
Forest Products	131	16,004	26,207	94,729	145,120	35,550	16,702	16,659	91,519
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	2,298	34,182	44,357	293,432	592,561	38,484	35,041	43,586	42,989
Total	19,123	375,222	107,698	791,686	2,173,551	289,297	989,780	1,205,762	318,305
UNLOADED AT STATIONS									
Agricultural Products	3,570	15,681	12,176	122,856	716,030	89,500	220,148	143,776	30,688
Animal Products	694	2,267	1,534	21,430	34,058	11,079	5,242	7,750	6,571
Mine Products	15,271	249,368	39,041	200,628	643,839	153,655	241,300	92,351	82,503
Forest Products	902	19,882	16,954	61,000	90,333	37,991	20,113	23,647	54,184
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	5,737	36,230	26,228	185,141	266,947	64,185	52,902	56,964	26,665
Total	26,174	323,428	96,533	591,055	1,751,207	356,410	539,705	324,488	200,611
DELIVERED TO FOREIGN CONNECTIONS									
Agricultural Products	3,290	17,161	15,931	166,483	540,481	67,811	1,560	...	390,614
Animal Products	...	431	804	15,730	79,819	31	...	10	268
Mine Products	...	299	5,889	39,426	104,184	182	268	...	21,187
Forest Products	...	2,846	6,801	25,638	63,929	191	11,376	...	8,679
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	...	1,306	1,264	76,218	332,067	4,738	1,113	97	6,985
Total	3,290	22,043	30,689	323,495	1,120,480	72,953	14,317	107	427,733