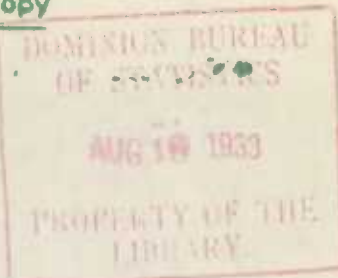


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MONTHLY TRAFFIC REPORT OF RAILWAYS OF CANADA

FOR

MAY, 1933

Canadian railways carried 4,268,673 tons of freight during May; 3,033,580 tons originated in Canada, 478,069 tons were imports and 757,024 tons were traffic passing over Canadian rails from foreign points to foreign points. This was an increase over April traffic of 13 per cent, but was less than the May 1932 total by 12 per cent, or 568,398 tons.

Wheat, corn, flour, other mill products and other agricultural products all showed increases over May, 1932, tonnages. Coal, sand and gravel and stone were particularly light, the decrease in all mine products amounting to 429,406 tons, or 30 per cent. Forest products were lighter than in 1932 but lumber, timber, etc. showed an increase of 9,281 tons and cordwood, an increase of 6,739 tons. Gasolene amounted to 119,455 tons, as against 142,091 tons in May, 1932. This decrease was due to a smaller consumption and probably also to a larger diversion to motor truck and boat transportation. This was the only commodity in the manufactures and miscellaneous group that did not make a better record in May than in April when compared with 1932 traffic. Whereas all commodities but one showed decreases in April, increases were recorded by ten in May and the total was only 34,618 tons under the May 1932 total, as against a decrease of 307,644 tons for April.

COMPARATIVE SUMMARY

TOTAL FREIGHT LOADED AND RECEIVED FROM FOREIGN CONNECTIONS

Provinces	April	May	May	May
	1 9 3 3	1 9 3 3	1 9 3 2	1 9 3 1
	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
Prince Edward Island	15,476	27,275	24,927	50,081
Nova Scotia	275,655	357,530	410,322	584,495
New Brunswick	135,074	153,589	160,953	193,985
Quebec	513,647	642,695	729,094	1,009,379
Ontario	1,688,074	1,702,689	1,965,834	2,902,004
Manitoba	181,366	242,660	247,938	371,482
Saskatchewan	367,456	425,573	399,760	549,751
Alberta	405,418	434,037	614,973	486,177
British Columbia	202,868	282,625	283,270	363,112
Total for Canada	3,785,034	4,268,673	4,837,071	6,510,466
<u>Products</u>				
Agricultural	1,081,163	1,286,554	1,311,791	1,451,612
Animal	177,418	195,848	184,967	200,140
Mine	994,898	1,025,044	1,454,450	2,155,731
Forest	422,473	458,920	464,732	690,651
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	1,109,082	1,302,307	1,421,131	2,012,332
GRAND TOTAL	3,785,034	4,268,673	4,837,071	6,510,466

INTERNATIONAL FREIGHT CARRIED BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS
DURING THE MONTH OF MAY, 1933

NO.	COMMODITIES	FREIGHT ORIGINATED						TERMINATED		
		Loaded at Stations in Canada	Received from Foreign Connections Destined to-		Total For Month	Increase Over May 1932 (Decrease -)	Cumulative Totals		Unloaded at Stations in Canada	Delivered to Foreign Connections
			Canadian Points	Foreign Points			To Date	Increase Over 1932 (Decrease -)		
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS										
1.	Wheat	670,168	140	5,820	676,128	27,689	2,759,659	107,913	277,910	360,868
2.	Corn	15,659	7,697	18,655	42,011	4,035	178,216	28,557	15,850	23,743
3.	Oats	71,950	1,329	18,650	89,929	- 49,448	355,870	- 218,481	76,551	21,866
4.	Barley	26,161	43	3,366	29,570	- 9,547	95,932	- 79,238	24,986	4,769
5.	Rye	6,086	45	233	6,364	- 7,596	20,948	- 23,762	6,478	542
6.	Flaxseed	3,044	...	...	3,044	- 5,813	15,469	- 5,939	667	2,614
7.	Other Grain	2,910	1,701	435	5,046	- 241	22,177	- 13,241	4,959	1,342
8.	Flour	104,441	276	25,782	130,499	14,047	631,078	11,913	75,738	62,485
9.	Other Mill Products	71,061	3,093	46,855	121,009	7,055	541,701	- 56,142	56,638	62,396
10.	Hay and Straw	14,301	...	4,908	19,209	- 3,722	123,447	- 96,262	12,212	10,945
11.	Cotton	244	4,170	3,076	7,490	- 774	33,237	- 1,971	3,819	2,996
12.	Apples (fresh)	1,812	517	1,497	3,826	- 3,477	76,808	11,665	2,569	1,514
13.	Other Fruit (fresh)	868	18,733	4,638	24,239	- 4,744	91,013	- 52,329	19,953	4,644
14.	Potatoes	37,162	900	13,048	51,110	- 3,087	220,083	- 12,985	29,794	21,616
15.	Other Fresh Vegetables	3,395	10,385	7,559	21,339	- 2,504	111,315	- 14,303	13,126	8,685
16.	Other Agricultural Products	20,750	6,149	28,842	55,741	12,890	250,257	- 365	18,915	34,929
	Total	1,050,012	55,178	181,364	1,286,554	- 25,237	5,527,210	- 414,970	640,365	625,954
ANIMAL PRODUCTS										
17.	Horses	2,634	63	235	2,932	- 187	13,272	- 12,956	2,936	245
18.	Cattle and Calves	28,075	107	2,865	31,047	3,975	136,673	3,174	28,452	4,244
19.	Sheep	883	...	1,009	1,892	878	14,517	223	951	1,016
20.	Hogs	19,813	...	3,022	22,835	102	112,825	- 5,303	20,380	3,075
21.	Dressed Meats (fresh)	8,826	116	27,627	36,569	1,878	182,007	4,047	9,075	28,163
22.	Dressed Meats (cured-salted-canned)	5,579	2,909	6,368	14,856	401	63,241	9,553	1,792	12,824
23.	Other Packing House Products (edible)	3,107	5,686	8,750	17,543	- 1,454	88,416	1,299	1,360	14,823
24.	Poultry	314	...	6,035	6,349	1,371	33,829	7,068	383	6,025
25.	Eggs	2,560	11	15,407	17,978	- 2,157	65,109	578	2,765	15,542
26.	Butter	1,731	...	13,016	14,747	- 1,282	73,724	- 622	1,581	13,059
27.	Cheese	1,099	49	3,883	5,031	- 38	19,979	875	795	4,169
28.	Wool	352	858	3,298	4,508	2,316	15,881	3,617	986	3,378
29.	Hides and Leather	5,652	1,028	5,429	12,109	3,718	45,225	4,045	4,542	8,357
30.	Other Animal Products (non-edible)	3,030	1,365	3,057	7,452	1,310	33,690	2,150	3,133	3,887
	Total	83,655	12,192	100,001	195,848	10,881	898,388	17,748	79,131	118,807
MINE PRODUCTS										
31.	Anthracite Coal	341	51,648	20,929	72,918	- 101,252	765,507	- 288,051	49,363	20,659
32.	Bituminous Coal	363,810	171,665	5,164	540,639	- 121,288	3,033,490	- 660,725	482,184	11,344
33.	Lignite Coal	43,284	43,284	- 8,381	771,365	- 315,016	43,208	...
34.	Coke	23,403	8,087	900	32,390	537	463,538	- 73,243	31,069	1,052

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35. Iron Ores	175	100	24	299	-	711	1,398	-	1,486	284	...
36. Copper Ore and Concentrates	1,577	1,577	-	5,625	6,538	-	23,537	20	1,602
37. Other Ores and Concentrates	27,741	11,607	2,686	42,034	-	10,746	172,418	-	179,016	31,604	3,059
38. Base Bullion, Matte, Pig & Ingot (non-ferrous metals)	44,994	633	3,750	49,377	-	22,471	160,476	-	14,746	10,228	39,169
39. Sand and Gravel	51,956	2,996	417	55,369	-	127,124	103,488	-	350,098	42,748	963
40. Stone (crushed, ground, broken)	35,092	492	1,144	36,728	-	43,568	90,688	-	162,169	35,917	449
41. Slate, Dimension or Block Stone	2,398	1,132	4,432	7,962	-	12,411	27,219	-	58,932	4,660	6,790
42. Crude Petroleum	2,253	37,542	...	39,795	-	1,862	153,706	-	17,470	37,993	...
43. Asphalt (Natural, By-product Petroleum)	6,790	351	563	7,704	-	2,705	14,838	-	7,279	7,685	554
44. Salt	14,998	2,578	6,315	23,891	-	238	97,086	-	10,845	19,445	6,588
45. Other Mine Products	46,621	13,528	10,928	71,077	-	20,227	247,687	-	143,485	43,992	25,234
Total	665,433	302,359	57,252	1,025,044	-	429,406	6,109,442	-	2,276,616	840,400	117,463
FOREST PRODUCTS											
46. Logs, Posts, Poles, Piling	73,250	68	1,548	74,866	-	5,042	167,752	-	243,535	68,736	5,051
47. Cordwood and Other Firewood	57,342	...	18	57,360	-	6,739	595,659	-	99,374	60,216	72
48. Ties	4,441	...	150	4,591	-	929	11,313	-	12,904	3,453	533
49. Pulpwood	75,846	...	140	75,986	-	18,184	558,885	-	246,435	32,058	44,511
50. Lumber, Timber, Box, Crate & Cooperage Material	194,877	7,390	23,861	226,128	-	9,281	705,348	-	302,544	136,768	93,411
51. Other Forest Products	11,691	4,090	4,208	19,989	-	2,323	88,251	-	12,511	11,775	5,791
Total	417,447	11,548	29,925	458,920	-	5,812	2,127,208	-	718,550	313,006	149,369
MANUFACTURES AND MISCELLANEOUS											
52. Gasolene	102,470	12,461	4,524	119,455	-	22,636	374,531	-	82,607	116,509	4,801
53. Petroleum Oils & Other Petroleum Products (except asphalt & gasolene)	48,332	7,648	5,720	62,200	-	8,741	252,816	-	50,250	54,357	5,818
54. Sugar	6,081	342	4,405	10,828	-	4,591	123,713	-	21,630	7,488	4,573
55. Iron, pig and bloom	3,882	232	1,454	5,568	-	14	27,067	-	18,672	3,115	7,553
56. Rails and Fastenings	2,123	95	128	2,346	-	39	5,540	-	21,852	848	128
57. Iron and Steel (Bar, Sheet, Structural, Pipe)	14,119	10,177	11,757	36,053	-	15,213	134,972	-	129,675	21,829	12,593
58. Castings, Machinery and Boilers	4,792	1,104	7,473	13,369	-	217	48,298	-	27,098	4,996	8,298
59. Cement	32,789	93	789	33,671	-	27,326	72,982	-	134,715	31,404	652
60. Brick and Artificial Stone	6,617	3,446	532	10,595	-	4,541	36,088	-	32,155	9,780	541
61. Lime and Plaster	17,060	198	480	17,738	-	1,176	61,977	-	27,025	16,639	587
62. Sewer Pipe and Drain Tile	2,120	133	205	2,458	-	262	5,889	-	14,399	2,227	345
63. Agricultural Implements & Vehicles other than Autos	3,338	518	1,313	5,169	-	1,349	22,225	-	2,541	3,431	2,058
64. Automobiles, Auto Trucks & Auto Parts	11,922	5,281	94,134	111,337	-	14,230	419,905	-	36,347	12,391	97,951
65. Household Goods & Settlers' Effects	4,612	70	62	4,744	-	664	18,836	-	1,963	4,684	132
66. Furniture	1,622	76	1,256	2,954	-	227	13,234	-	5,576	1,742	1,404
67. Liquor Beverages	9,752	287	3,507	13,546	-	1,491	45,562	-	12,308	8,368	4,979
68. Fertilizers, all kinds	91,165	3,438	6,778	101,381	-	4,166	257,221	-	8,338	88,192	19,603
69. Newsprint Paper	90,786	49	11,058	101,893	-	17,859	536,234	-	153,356	12,155	113,786
70. Other Paper	9,741	667	17,682	28,090	-	2,714	132,626	-	3,300	9,595	16,005
71. Paper Board, Pulpboard and Wallboard (Paper)	9,168	473	3,782	13,423	-	11,672	61,008	-	25,586	8,066	6,149
72. Wood Pulp	48,306	63	6,923	55,292	-	7,287	233,460	-	21,898	15,848	41,261
73. Fish (fresh, frozen, cured, etc.)	2,562	...	913	3,475	-	811	28,828	-	44	1,339	1,823
74. Canned Goods (all Canned Food Products except Meats)	11,597	641	22,050	34,288	-	7,030	154,416	-	1,201	10,971	24,306
75. Other Manufactures and Miscellaneous	148,479	38,580	147,453	334,512	-	8,618	1,326,444	-	368,770	158,110	187,006
76. Merchandise (All L.C.L. Freight)	133,098	10,720	34,104	177,922	-	34,618	792,792	-	241,141	146,972	35,802
Total	817,033	96,792	388,482	1,302,307	-	118,824	5,186,664	-	1,399,099	751,056	598,154
GRAND TOTAL	3,033,580	478,069	757,024	4,268,673	-	568,398	19,848,912	-	4,791,492	2,623,958	1,609,747



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REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS
DURING MONTH OF MAY, 1933 (Tons = 2,000 lbs.)

	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskat- chewan	Alberta	British Columbia
LOADED AT STATIONS									
Agricultural Products	15,656	3,681	21,442	43,066	169,051	155,697	324,054	309,776	7,589
Animal Products	576	478	503	5,433	32,866	11,736	11,242	19,416	1,405
Mine Products	374	278,576	15,150	86,818	111,209	14,887	10,779	49,561	98,079
Forest Products	144	18,740	30,082	104,787	102,472	16,797	14,656	6,125	123,644
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	10,525	50,063	61,334	218,432	326,988	32,141	39,503	42,001	36,046
Total	27,275	351,538	128,511	458,536	742,586	231,258	400,234	426,879	266,763
RECEIVED FROM FOREIGN CONNECTIONS									
Agricultural Products	...	2,423	11,923	16,452	197,560	3,321	269	60	4,534
Animal Products	...	18	156	4,933	106,809	12	...	..	265
Mine Products	...	30	225	80,566	242,449	5,328	23,506	6,355	1,152
Forest Products	...	30	308	4,901	28,496	342	...	...	7,396
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	...	3,491	12,466	77,307	384,789	2,399	1,564	743	2,515
Total	...	5,992	25,078	184,159	960,103	11,402	25,339	7,158	15,862
TOTAL									
Agricultural Products	15,656	6,104	33,365	59,518	366,611	159,018	324,323	309,836	12,123
Animal Products	576	496	659	10,366	139,675	11,748	11,242	19,416	1,670
Mine Products	374	278,606	15,375	167,384	353,658	20,215	34,285	55,916	99,231
Forest Products	144	18,770	30,390	109,688	130,968	17,139	14,656	6,125	131,040
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	10,525	53,554	73,800	295,739	711,777	34,540	41,067	42,744	38,561
Total	27,275	357,530	153,589	642,695	1,702,689	242,660	425,573	434,037	282,625
UNLOADED AT STATIONS									
Agricultural Products	1,047	15,153	12,453	97,386	364,869	53,078	38,641	36,096	21,642
Animal Products	294	1,945	1,369	21,716	26,069	12,178	2,926	5,362	7,272
Mine Products	3,628	234,579	25,344	96,727	303,628	35,463	56,895	22,885	61,251
Forest Products	907	12,883	13,422	66,433	85,548	20,428	20,019	12,561	80,805
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	17,381	54,457	65,118	176,721	250,438	56,783	51,936	52,111	26,111
Total	23,257	319,017	117,706	458,983	1,030,552	177,930	170,417	129,015	197,081
DELIVERED TO FOREIGN CONNECTIONS									
Agricultural Products	166	3,161	16,540	114,977	319,981	2,159	...	...	168,970
Animal Products	...	513	109	32,259	85,523	317	...	...	86
Mine Products	...	915	4,652	34,084	50,920	...	90	...	26,802
Forest Products	...	9,295	8,210	35,063	62,491	618	19,479	...	14,213
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	...	1,683	5,117	110,186	460,089	4,952	1,269	342	14,516
Total	166	15,567	34,628	326,569	979,004	8,046	20,838	342	224,587