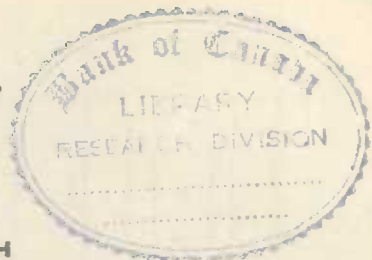


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**MONTHLY TRAFFIC REPORT OF RAILWAYS OF CANADA**

JANUARY, 1935

Revenue freight loaded at Canadian stations and received from foreign connections by Canadian railways during January amounted to 5,184,499 tons, as against 5,299,645 tons for January, 1934, and 3,760,722 tons for January, 1933. The large decrease from last year's traffic was in agricultural products, the total being less by 332,485 tons, or 29 per cent. Wheat, corn, oats, flour, other mill products, apples and potatoes were all considerably lighter than in 1934. Hay and straw increased by 46 per cent due largely to relief shipments. Animal products showed a decrease of 3 per cent, but mine products were heavier by 179,971 tons, or 9 per cent. Coke was lighter by 47,169 tons, but anthracite coal was heavier by 5,896 tons, bituminous coal by 29,871 tons and lignite coal by 96,158 tons. Ores, other than iron and copper, increased by 41,128 tons and base bullion, matte, pig and ingot increased by 14,371 tons, or 33 per cent. Cordwood and other firewood decreased from 171,440 tons to 131,565 tons, or by 38,875 tons, lumber, timber, etc. decreased by 28,707 tons and total forest products by 57,757 tons, or 8 per cent. The total of the manufactures and miscellaneous group increased by 101,078 tons, due largely to an increase of 53,770 tons of automobiles, the greater part of which was in freight received from foreign connections destined to foreign points, 13,912 tons of iron and steel, 9,107 tons of fertilizers, 8,753 tons of canned goods and 30,655 tons of miscellaneous commodities not listed. Merchandise showed a decrease of 14,172 tons, gasoline a decrease of 3,166 tons and petroleum oils a decrease of 5,953 tons.

COMPARATIVE SUMMARY

TOTAL FREIGHT LOADED AND RECEIVED FROM FOREIGN CONNECTIONS

PROVINCES	December 1934 Tons	January 1935 Tons	January 1934 Tons	January 1933 Tons
Prince Edward Island	14,473	11,765	16,418	6,158
Nova Scotia	436,930	503,550	462,622	281,597
New Brunswick	146,216	200,619	192,371	133,041
Quebec	738,940	795,401	817,197	478,287
Ontario	2,055,637	2,304,994	2,297,247	1,619,015
Manitoba	240,952	220,621	228,422	166,763
Saskatchewan	350,253	271,817	304,335	214,310
Alberta	653,924	614,974	690,416	669,229
British Columbia	364,137	260,758	290,617	192,322
Total for Canada	5,001,462	5,184,499	5,299,645	3,760,722
<b>PRODUCTS</b>				
Agricultural Products	1,055,712	794,860	1,127,345	973,854
Animal Products	205,173	198,778	204,731	184,369
Mine Products	1,924,817	2,238,341	2,058,370	1,393,494
Forest Products	589,890	639,380	697,137	343,662
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	1,225,870	1,313,140	1,212,062	865,343
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>5,001,462</b>	<b>5,184,499</b>	<b>5,299,645</b>	<b>3,760,722</b>

REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS

DURING MONTH OF JANUARY, 1935

NO.	COMMODITIES	FREIGHT ORIGINATED				TERMINATED		
		Loaded at Stations in Canada	Received from Foreign Connections		Total For Month	Increase Over January 1934 (Decrease -)	Unloaded at Stations in Canada	Delivered to Foreign Connections
			Destined to -					
			Canadian Points	Foreign Points				
		Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	
<u>AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS</u>								
1.	Wheat	225,546	1,240	6,546	233,332	- 205,557	160,943	77,591
2.	Corn	775	8,071	10,296	19,142	- 30,297	9,569	11,891
3.	Oats	40,437	196	2,798	43,431	- 39,447	34,253	12,516
4.	Barley	25,402	136	1,433	26,971	- 1,651	7,505	20,693
5.	Rye	5,421	40	121	5,582	4,723	5,489	121
6.	Flaxseed	764	...	17	781	212	700	81
7.	Other Grain	2,440	677	622	3,739	- 1,250	1,168	2,426
8.	Flour	76,255	440	23,572	100,267	- 26,496	48,848	54,357
9.	Other Mill Products	69,124	1,807	37,301	108,232	- 17,185	44,370	65,406
10.	Hay and Straw	61,931	42	846	62,819	19,764	40,179	21,794
11.	Cotton	949	5,882	1,963	8,794	- 407	6,055	1,938
12.	Apples (fresh)	27,930	13	3,511	31,454	- 19,053	5,928	25,917
13.	Other Fruit (fresh)	670	10,299	6,125	17,094	3,297	10,903	6,418
14.	Potatoes	25,737	151	15,801	41,689	- 15,120	12,389	29,855
15.	Other Fresh Vegetables	10,382	4,702	7,751	22,835	- 1,683	8,391	14,753
16.	Other Agricultural Products	27,756	8,901	32,041	68,698	- 2,335	31,371	37,255
	Total	601,519	42,597	150,744	794,860	- 332,485	428,061	383,012
<u>ANIMAL PRODUCTS</u>								
17.	Horses	2,606	...	191	2,797	- 315	2,537	214
18.	Cattle and Calves	32,722	...	1,560	34,282	1,255	30,594	3,647
19.	Sheep	1,274	...	1,907	3,181	- 913	1,250	1,913
20.	Hogs	21,161	...	2,676	23,837	- 1,997	20,697	3,128
21.	Dressed Meats (fresh)	10,872	475	37,653	49,000	1,890	9,896	38,879
22.	Dressed Meats (cured-salted-canned)	9,822	482	6,540	16,844	768	1,478	15,112
23.	Other Packing House Products (edible)	4,117	529	6,499	11,145	- 7,484	3,385	7,492
24.	Poultry	789	...	5,849	6,638	- 2,918	463	6,174
25.	Eggs	541	32	5,913	6,486	- 174	477	5,977
26.	Butter	2,178	77	12,732	14,987	178	2,171	12,773
27.	Cheese	448	99	4,520	5,067	622	385	4,626
28.	Wool	412	935	1,102	2,449	- 1,479	1,249	1,287
29.	Hides and Leather	5,883	1,827	5,459	13,169	3,613	6,025	6,998
30.	Other Animal Products (non-edible)	3,721	1,832	3,543	8,896	1,001	3,540	5,459
	Total	96,346	6,288	96,144	198,778	- 5,953	84,147	113,679
<u>MINE PRODUCTS</u>								
31.	Anthracite Coal	2,282	228,457	47,396	278,135	5,896	206,727	46,766
32.	Bituminous Coal	584,042	279,655	7,393	871,090	29,871	765,564	16,300
33.	Lignite Coal	462,430	...	...	462,430	96,158	446,152	6,298
34.	Coke	89,094	52,505	1,557	143,156	- 47,169	138,865	3,234

35. Iron Ores	102	2,344	106	2,552	2,322	2,315	208
36. Copper Ore and concentrates	1,569	...	27	1,596	1,557	25	1,746
37. Other Ores and concentrates	161,588	5,745	5,741	173,074	41,128	160,858	11,381
38. Base Bullion, Matte, Pig & Ingot (non-ferrous metals)	46,490	264	10,450	57,204	14,371	16,184	42,412
39. Sand and Gravel	8,863	1,421	712	10,996	- 4,623	10,911	714
40. Stone (crushed-ground-broken)	9,662	444	202	10,308	- 10,553	9,728	257
41. Slate, Dimension or Block Stone	1,326	346	1,044	2,716	- 613	6,201	1,195
42. Crude Petroleum	1,167	22,848	...	24,015	- 7,768	22,588	21
43. Asphalt (Natural, By-product Petroleum)	1,369	328	775	2,472	691	1,673	775
44. Salt	10,367	1,270	7,201	18,838	- 830	11,096	7,628
45. Other Mine Products	152,468	19,361	7,930	179,759	59,533	152,467	21,734
Total	1,532,819	614,988	90,534	2,238,241	179,971	1,951,354	162,769
<u>FOREST PRODUCTS</u>							
46. Logs, Posts, Poles, Piling	59,453	79	1,497	61,029	7,193	52,428	8,254
47. Cordwood and other firewood	131,532	33	...	131,565	- 38,897	138,164	2,070
48. Ties	780	...	51	831	213	399	126
49. Pulpwood	264,148	178	2,886	267,212	- 538	190,382	66,371
50. Lumber, Timber, Box, Crate and Cooperage Material	121,260	10,618	17,372	149,250	- 28,707	77,412	71,540
51. Other Forest Products	17,865	5,178	6,450	29,493	2,979	20,629	10,842
Total	595,038	16,086	28,256	639,380	- 57,757	471,414	159,203
<u>MANUFACTURES AND MISCELLANEOUS</u>							
52. Gasolene	39,247	6,053	3,332	48,632	- 3,166	44,770	3,046
53. Petroleum Oils and Other Petroleum Products (except asphalt and gasolene)	38,653	3,812	4,877	47,342	- 5,953	41,275	4,538
54. Sugar	16,790	603	7,373	24,766	2,897	17,465	7,404
55. Iron, pig and bloom	8,478	387	6,886	15,751	2,298	7,427	8,286
56. Rails and Fastenings	872	34	100	1,006	- 288	642	100
57. Iron and Steel (Bar-Sheet-Structural-Pipe)	22,634	14,054	39,200	75,888	13,912	35,622	40,746
58. Castings, Machinery and Boilers	3,029	1,418	5,709	10,156	- 1,408	4,932	6,234
59. Cement	5,916	48	294	6,258	- 1,602	5,892	360
60. Brick and Artificial Stone	3,689	5,994	1,101	10,784	- 221	7,237	1,256
61. Lime and Plaster	11,347	288	511	12,146	215	11,725	575
62. Sewer Pipe and Drain Tile	326	...	121	447	- 402	434	121
63. Agricultural Implements & Vehicles other than Autos	4,257	1,106	2,571	7,934	1,849	3,894	4,291
64. Automobiles, Auto Trucks & Auto Parts	18,086	11,513	119,769	149,368	53,770	16,588	130,137
65. Household Goods and Settlers' Effects	1,303	10	6	1,319	- 575	1,285	6
66. Furniture	2,133	32	1,317	3,482	56	2,064	1,452
67. Liquor Beverages	9,933	324	4,135	14,392	- 2,778	9,567	5,128
68. Fertilizers, all kinds	30,410	2,511	2,602	35,523	9,107	12,032	23,283
69. Newsprint Paper	153,528	312	16,956	170,796	987	11,792	176,898
70. Other Paper	11,549	526	15,870	27,935	- 339	11,477	17,176
71. Paper Board, Pulpboard and Wallboard (paper)	13,081	495	3,072	16,648	1,762	8,622	7,751
72. Wood Pulp	56,027	109	9,968	66,104	4,943	16,476	50,238
73. Fish (fresh-frozen-cured-etc.)	7,852	157	1,175	9,184	778	3,920	4,644
74. Canned Goods (all Canned Food Products except Meats)	8,971	1,436	24,841	35,248	8,753	9,263	26,401
75. Other Manufactures and Miscellaneous	156,790	42,630	169,955	369,375	30,655	169,398	206,309
76. Merchandise (All L.C.L. Freight)	108,491	10,729	33,436	152,656	- 14,172	118,005	35,152
Total	733,392	104,571	475,177	1,313,140	101,078	573,804	761,534
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>3,559,114</b>	<b>784,530</b>	<b>840,855</b>	<b>5,184,499</b>	<b>- 115,146</b>	<b>3,508,780</b>	<b>1,580,197</b>



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REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS  
DURING MONTH OF JANUARY, 1935. (Tons = 2,000 lbs.)

	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia
<b>LOADED AT STATIONS</b>									
Agricultural Products	9,466	23,962	28,633	45,646	146,359	46,881	121,568	169,694	10,130
Animal Products	435	601	651	7,229	31,399	18,378	14,505	21,008	2,130
Mine Products	33	389,283	23,663	126,499	356,645	36,483	86,109	379,983	134,149
Forest Products	220	28,315	58,730	164,640	158,759	80,419	31,853	6,397	65,705
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	1,570	45,379	42,631	226,739	319,365	27,374	14,295	22,496	32,923
Total	11,724	487,540	154,308	570,753	1,012,527	209,517	268,130	599,578	245,037
<b>RECEIVED FROM FOREIGN CONNECTIONS</b>									
Agricultural Products	...	8,571	15,911	14,419	148,805	1,520	84	...	4,031
Animal Products	...	498	396	2,158	98,395	...	...	...	985
Mine Products	41	1,530	4,457	129,976	543,312	6,451	2,035	15,106	2,614
Forest Products	...	94	1,586	9,944	27,432	615	53	...	4,618
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	...	5,317	23,961	68,151	474,523	2,518	1,515	290	3,473
Total	41	16,010	46,311	224,648	1,292,467	11,104	3,687	15,396	15,721
<b>TOTAL</b>									
Agricultural Products	9,466	32,533	44,544	60,065	295,164	47,781	121,452	169,694	14,161
Animal Products	435	1,099	1,047	9,387	129,794	18,388	14,505	21,008	3,115
Mine Products	74	390,813	28,120	256,475	899,957	42,906	88,144	395,089	136,763
Forest Products	220	28,409	60,316	174,584	186,191	81,034	31,906	6,397	70,323
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	1,570	50,696	66,592	294,890	793,888	30,512	15,810	22,786	36,396
Total	11,765	503,550	200,619	795,401	2,304,994	220,621	271,817	614,974	260,758
<b>UNLOADED AT STATIONS</b>									
Agricultural Products	768	15,003	9,898	71,705	169,241	36,465	58,662	53,118	13,201
Animal Products	483	2,119	1,340	16,981	29,674	16,103	4,283	6,687	6,477
Mine Products	6,236	312,205	50,103	131,626	827,760	181,166	221,891	109,184	111,183
Forest Products	534	18,000	40,693	103,877	161,970	78,781	32,735	8,566	26,258
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	3,198	45,290	20,215	132,964	251,553	43,867	24,874	31,949	19,894
Total	11,219	392,617	122,249	457,153	1,440,198	356,382	342,445	209,504	177,013
<b>DELIVERED TO FOREIGN CONNECTIONS</b>									
Agricultural Products	145	35,748	50,058	44,082	151,286	11,734	17,228	...	72,731
Animal Products	...	3,437	13,654	9,604	85,719	440	383	...	442
Mine Products	...	6,563	12,240	32,224	76,213	...	45	...	35,484
Forest Products	...	10,756	29,713	36,373	49,792	24	6,515	...	26,030
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	...	13,085	29,828	91,380	605,737	9,456	936	...	11,112
Total	145	69,589	135,493	213,663	968,747	21,654	25,107	...	145,799