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MONTHLY TRAFFIC REPORT OF RAILWAYS OF CANADA

JULY, 1937

Revenue freight loaded at Canadian stations and received from foreign connections during July increased from 6,038,592 tons last year to 6,717,776 tons. Due to large decreases in grain loading in Ontario and the Prairie Provinces, agricultural products decreased by 570,195 tons, or 45 per cent, hay and straw, and cotton being the only commodities in this group to record increases. Animal products increased by 14,286 tons, due almost entirely to increases in shipments of horses, and cattle and calves in the Prairie Provinces. Mine products were heavier by 672,321 tons, or 32 per cent, coal, ores, sand and gravel, crushed stone, and asphalt all showing substantial increases. Forest products increased by 181,993 tons, or 27 per cent, and manufactures and miscellaneous increased by 380,779 tons, or 22 per cent, all but three of the twenty-five commodities recording increases. Newsprint paper increased by 45,388 tons, or 30 per cent; cement by 41,892 tons, or 63 per cent; automobiles and parts by 38,554 tons, or 30 per cent; iron and steel (bar-sheet-structural-pipe) by 36,453 tons, or 40 per cent; iron, pig and bloom, by 11,339 tons, or 84 per cent; wood pulp by 10,164 tons, or 13 per cent; and other commodities showed smaller increases.

COMPARATIVE SUMMARY

TOTAL FREIGHT LOADED AND RECEIVED FROM FOREIGN CONNECTIONS

PROVINCES	JUNE 1937	JULY 1937	JULY 1936	JULY 1935
	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
Prince Edward Island	10,095	9,247	7,655	22,401
Nova Scotia	693,545	793,154	671,881	640,476
New Brunswick	267,201	304,084	162,301	140,374
Quebec	1,322,093	1,355,272	965,211	922,740
Ontario	2,968,465	2,906,307	2,639,442	2,112,268
Manitoba	238,463	260,812	336,607	348,798
Saskatchewan	239,073	269,958	453,270	608,542
Alberta	251,024	306,986	409,506	464,697
British Columbia	450,526	511,956	392,719	329,235
TOTAL FOR CANADA	6,440,485	6,717,776	6,038,592	5,589,531
<u>PRODUCTS</u>				
Agricultural	652,317	710,910	1,281,105	1,325,669
Animal	188,885	204,138	189,852	173,595
Mine	2,549,910	2,784,399	2,112,078	1,914,577
Forest	849,036	867,641	685,648	621,213
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	2,200,337	2,150,688	1,769,909	1,554,477
GRAND TOTAL	6,440,485	6,717,776	6,038,592	5,589,531

REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS
DURING THE MONTH OF JULY, 1937

NO.	COMMODITIES	FREIGHT ORIGINATED						TERMINATED		
		Loaded at Stations in Canada	Received from Foreign Connections		Total for Month	Increase over July 1936 (Decrease -)	Cumulative Totals		Unloaded at Stations in Canada	Delivered to Foreign Connections
			Destined to				To Date	Increase over 1936 (Decrease -)		
			Canadian Points	Foreign Points						
Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons		
<u>AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS</u>										
1.	Wheat	246,123	491	19,892	266,506	- 415,477	2,063,790	- 1,789,962	218,720	52,983
2.	Corn	2,541	13,938	15,637	32,116	- 11,870	269,896	- 10,341	17,435	14,908
3.	Oats	33,561	1,005	7,684	42,250	- 35,284	457,931	- 15,607	34,606	7,576
4.	Barley	10,756	348	2,412	13,516	- 39,242	137,252	- 146,042	2,784	11,560
5.	Rye	3,406	180	188	3,774	- 4,936	23,535	- 10,119	112	3,662
6.	Flaxseed	2,484	30	19	2,533	- 1,035	29,696	5,539	2,511	23
7.	Other Grain	275	568	917	1,760	446	20,313	3,610	725	968
8.	Flour	74,637	1,017	22,374	98,028	- 24,185	758,483	- 66,025	61,174	37,432
9.	Other Mill Products	83,101	1,604	35,352	120,057	- 25,634	870,174	- 66,177	72,109	50,848
10.	Hay and Straw	10,179	10	275	10,464	4,788	327,694	208,963	7,606	2,963
11.	Cotton	719	6,284	662	7,665	1,116	73,910	11,178	6,611	754
12.	Apples (fresh)	216	1,560	528	2,304	- 1,372	74,512	5,037	1,779	528
13.	Other Fruit (fresh)	2,029	24,885	12,802	39,716	- 7,079	208,504	2,730	26,727	12,754
14.	Potatoes	4,134	749	2,846	7,729	- 1,280	334,373	83,865	5,192	2,596
15.	Other Fresh Vegetables	6,099	2,527	3,223	11,849	- 2,295	168,117	1,979	9,148	3,280
16.	Other Agricultural Products	17,869	7,142	25,632	50,643	- 6,856	447,874	- 2,418	20,271	30,694
	Total	498,129	62,338	150,443	710,910	- 570,195	6,266,054	- 1,783,790	487,510	233,529
<u>ANIMAL PRODUCTS</u>										
17.	Horses	9,968	96	109	10,173	3,638	45,368	2,573	10,093	192
18.	Cattle and Calves	64,393	101	1,214	65,708	22,382	285,756	- 7,300	51,785	15,003
19.	Sheep	1,474	...	121	1,595	- 91	17,577	137	1,490	134
20.	Hogs	12,859	...	944	13,803	- 1,568	142,837	8,701	12,700	1,253
21.	Dressed Meats (fresh)	8,943	732	21,550	31,225	- 6,293	264,956	- 9,412	7,339	23,239
22.	Dressed Meats (cured-salted-canned)	9,509	272	4,011	13,792	- 1,653	102,679	12,599	2,075	11,572
23.	Other Packing House Products (edible)	7,110	684	3,488	11,282	421	81,309	4,590	5,427	5,625
24.	Poultry	136	...	3,236	3,372	- 968	33,660	6,202	136	3,236
25.	Eggs	1,047	26	6,905	7,978	- 634	62,191	- 2,912	1,027	6,960
26.	Butter	4,024	20	8,164	12,208	- 69	86,446	- 3	3,976	8,178
27.	Cheese	3,426	40	4,453	7,919	- 1,009	37,826	- 3,538	2,530	5,368
28.	Wool	2,124	792	3,247	6,163	- 497	33,796	3,429	2,495	3,792
29.	Hides and Leather	3,773	1,430	4,040	9,243	- 113	84,386	9,947	3,621	5,537
30.	Other Animal Products (Non-edible)	4,085	802	4,790	9,677	740	74,208	8,229	3,808	5,766
	Total	132,871	4,995	66,278	204,138	14,286	1,352,995	33,242	108,502	95,855
<u>MINERAL PRODUCTS</u>										
31.	Anthracite Coal	1,098	141,898	29,401	172,397	8,780	1,637,679	123,074	131,559	28,789
32.	Bituminous Coal	783,459	155,801	12,752	952,012	114,711	5,814,436	422,019	872,736	27,545
33.	Lignite Coal	39,790	...	...	39,790	- 3,177	1,095,250	- 174,840	39,234	...
34.	Coke	67,741	29,051	1,578	98,370	16,269	735,435	1,737	76,564	10,101

35. Iron Ores	1,755	105	57	1,917	- 1,993	5,640	- 863	1,821	444	
36. Copper Ore and Concentrates	82,033	...	...	82,033	82,033	87,395	82,373	79,979	3,168
37. Other Ores and Concentrates	306,273	43,966	11,876	362,115	133,287	2,222,264	762,254	274,030	27,881	
38. Base Bullion, Matte, Pig & Ingot (non ferrous metals)	81,843	3,159	9,202	94,204	22,734	650,495	125,313	31,075	63,051	
39. Sand and Gravel	333,152	6,809	1,442	341,403	147,690	810,307	287,521	338,838	1,912	
40. Stone (crushed, ground, broken)	247,869	194	498	248,561	X 125,757	834,947	X 489,920	251,937	232	
41. Slate, Dimension or Block Stone	4,364	2,281	4,913	11,558	1,425	62,384	389	5,952	5,657	
42. Crude Petroleum	3,341	44,814	38	48,193	1,042	239,078	- 8,268	48,284	275	
43. Asphalt (Natural, By-product Petroleum)	62,668	531	1,890	65,089	34,495	149,921	59,301	62,119	1,726	
44. Salt	16,971	2,254	10,337	29,562	4,909	167,898	8,389	18,162	11,106	
45. Other Mine Products	183,965	39,657	13,573	237,195	X- 15,641	1,573,860	- X 26,111	172,810	59,271	
Total	2,216,322	470,520	97,557	2,784,399	672,321	16,086,989	2,152,214	2,405,100	241,158	
FOREST PRODUCTS										
46. Logs, Posts, Poles, Piling	135,000	282	4,656	139,938	22,908	721,484	164,767	115,871	23,710	
47. Cordwood and other Firewood	40,710	66	63	40,839	- 260	608,153	- 70,526	37,195	3,403	
48. Ties	9,791	880	330	11,001	3,683	50,634	15,601	7,355	2,734	
49. Pulpwood	235,887	...	530	236,417	87,832	1,635,853	456,340	139,716	100,847	
50. Lumber, Timber, Box, Crats & Cooperage Material	335,951	19,024	40,131	395,106	58,115	2,431,207	588,919	209,584	189,973	
51. Other Forest Products	23,894	10,912	9,534	44,340	9,715	286,664	68,468	21,469	18,361	
Total	781,233	31,164	55,244	867,641	181,993	5,733,995	1,223,569	531,190	339,028	
MANUFACTURES AND MISCELLANEOUS										
52. Gasolene	159,058	6,941	6,231	172,230	21,067	739,935	107,566	167,501	4,472	
53. Petroleum Oils & Other Petroleum Products (except asphalt and gasolene)	47,540	8,529	7,821	63,890	2,886	454,695	20,109	57,425	6,969	
54. Sugar	28,172	2,667	14,247	45,086	7,722	261,942	75,918	28,928	16,819	
55. Iron, pig and bloom	20,369	558	3,947	24,874	11,339	186,334	68,113	17,610	5,125	
56. Rails and Fastenings	3,447	533	849	4,829	- 2,166	79,869	11,864	3,119	922	
57. Iron and Steel (Bar-Sheet-Structural-Pipe)	54,347	39,321	32,891	126,559	36,453	1,107,147	436,678	83,814	33,965	
58. Castings, Machinery and Boilers	10,564	5,593	11,443	27,600	8,074	181,685	56,225	15,893	12,287	
59. Cement	105,731	462	2,103	108,296	41,892	356,633	99,237	109,201	1,097	
60. Brick and Artificial Stone	17,568	13,901	2,485	33,934	8,053	193,474	49,746	30,023	3,367	
61. Lime and Plaster	22,283	624	998	23,905	2,084	157,557	24,824	22,573	1,050	
62. Sewer Pipe and Drain Tile	3,473	21	237	3,731	- 1,584	16,740	1,442	3,587	293	
63. Agricultural Implements & Vehicles other than Autos	12,886	5,630	6,185	24,681	7,636	158,550	41,334	13,281	12,814	
64. Automobiles, Auto Trucks & Auto Parts	25,122	4,897	139,355	169,374	38,534	1,426,306	19,707	15,954	151,645	
65. Household Goods & Settlers' Effects	4,247	53	21	4,321	2,936	24,396	4,555	4,355	46	
66. Furniture	2,627	75	2,158	4,860	489	37,026	9,348	2,627	2,257	
67. Beverages	24,719	326	8,867	33,912	5,013	195,534	44,199	23,060	11,464	
68. Fertilizers, all kinds	23,551	5,177	1,828	30,566	4,806	540,839	101,672	17,536	12,931	
69. Newsprint Paper	170,547	80	28,551	199,178	45,388	1,546,374	290,577	13,980	209,169	
70. Other Paper	15,542	608	27,831	44,001	13,106	319,759	86,566	14,459	30,103	
71. Paper Board, Pulpboard and Wallboard (paper)	16,844	521	5,111	22,476	171	177,210	40,586	12,181	10,779	
72. Wood Pulp	75,229	163	12,887	88,279	10,164	677,061	132,682	21,617	68,069	
73. Fish (fresh-frozen-cured-etc.)	3,759	...	619	4,378	865	45,589	3,960	1,382	3,093	
74. Canned Goods (all Canned Food Products except Meats)	14,648	976	20,232	35,856	- 1,685	252,538	4,667	13,188	23,309	
75. Other Manufactures & Miscellaneous	346,718	68,217	231,288	646,223	93,209	4,482,730	1,023,434	365,383	287,008	
76. Merchandise (All L.C.L. Freight)	144,041	19,558	44,050	207,649	26,387	1,436,019	144,773	157,423	48,328	
Total	1,353,032	185,431	612,805	2,150,688	380,778	15,053,882	3,074,782	1,216,000	957,381	
GRAND TOTAL	4,981,607	754,448	981,721	6,717,776	679,184	44,495,915	4,700,017	4,748,302	1,866,951	



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REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS
DURING THE MONTH OF JULY, 1937. (Tons = 2,000 lbs.)

	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskat- chewan	Alberta	British Columbia
LOADED AT STATIONS									
Agricultural Products	1,126	1,863	2,685	35,244	125,288	69,138	136,267	113,493	13,025
Animal Products	379	475	822	8,460	31,730	24,482	33,149	30,110	3,264
Mine Products	5,608	659,849	159,358	301,529	727,424	77,854	14,523	70,708	199,469
Forest Products	60	52,314	59,563	279,902	149,747	17,336	14,209	12,826	195,276
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	2,074	75,027	48,370	368,368	642,970	56,866	44,181	58,717	56,479
Total	9,247	789,528	270,798	993,503	1,677,159	245,676	242,329	285,854	467,513
RECEIVED FROM FOREIGN CONNECTIONS									
Agricultural Products	...	1,270	4,574	45,505	150,284	2,572	346	33	8,197
Animal Products	...	191	61	3,577	66,880	...	...	...	558
Mine Products	...	300	490	153,344	355,422	5,413	22,314	19,006	11,788
Forest Products	...	410	3,474	17,536	49,747	812	104	...	14,325
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	...	1,455	24,687	141,807	606,815	6,339	4,865	2,093	9,575
Total	...	3,626	33,286	361,769	1,229,148	15,136	27,629	21,132	44,443
TOTAL									
Agricultural Products	1,126	3,133	7,259	80,749	275,572	71,710	136,613	113,526	21,222
Animal Products	379	666	883	12,037	98,610	24,482	33,149	30,110	3,822
Mine Products	5,608	660,149	159,848	454,873	1,082,846	83,267	36,837	89,714	211,257
Forest Products	60	52,724	63,037	297,438	199,494	18,148	14,313	12,826	209,601
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	2,074	76,482	73,057	510,175	1,249,785	63,205	49,046	60,810	66,054
Total	9,247	793,154	304,084	1,355,272	2,906,307	260,812	269,958	306,986	511,956
UNLOADED AT STATIONS									
Agricultural Products	1,063	11,221	9,961	73,670	297,358	26,705	28,421	25,201	13,910
Animal Products	299	1,783	1,853	19,427	36,178	26,400	5,478	9,579	7,505
Mine Products	9,004	585,730	192,188	218,892	1,033,223	104,434	59,311	35,093	167,225
Forest Products	1,390	14,978	28,262	173,560	160,453	21,847	16,252	17,168	97,280
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	5,671	73,227	48,290	274,926	530,727	99,415	53,493	71,052	59,199
Total	17,427	686,939	280,554	760,475	2,057,939	278,801	162,955	158,093	345,119
DELIVERED TO FOREIGN CONNECTIONS									
Agricultural Products	...	1,338	921	80,238	143,121	420	607	...	6,884
Animal Products	...	293	102	26,483	60,693	4,467	1,764	744	1,309
Mine Products	...	...	11,386	71,052	109,639	...	20	...	49,061
Forest Products	...	32,771	31,392	110,730	98,651	3,051	23,656	...	38,777
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	...	1,993	7,672	176,076	746,465	15,319	2,926	19	6,911
Total	...	36,395	51,473	464,579	1,158,569	23,257	28,973	763	102,942