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MONTHLY TRAFFIC REPORT OF RAILWAYS OF CANADA

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Revenue freight loaded at railway stations in Canada and received from foreign connections during November amounted to 12,104,017 tons as compared with 13,417,155 tons in November, 1944, a decrease of 1,313,138 tons or 9.8 per cent. Loadings decreased by 429,323 tons or 4.5 per cent, imports by 105,800 tons or 6.5 per cent and freight between foreign stations by 778,015 tons or 54.5 per cent, the large decrease in this last class was the reduction in shipments of crude petroleum, 75,207 to 368 tons, gasoline, 316,851 to 8,183 tons and other petroleum oils, 357,109 to 13,884 tons.

Loadings of wheat declined from 1,952,827 to 1,667,283 tons, whereas oats and barley showed increases. Cattle and calves increased from 78,767 to 116,383 tons but hogs declined from 50,778 to 27,855 tons. Copper ores and concentrates and other ores showed substantial decreased loadings. Cordwood and other firewood declined from 127,469 to 97,370 tons but pulpwood increased from 230,020 to 267,119 tons and paper and wood pulp declined.

COMPARATIVE SUMMARY

Total Freight Loaded and Received from Foreign Connections

Provinces	October 1945	November 1945	November 1944	November 1943
	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
Prince Edward Island	26,312	48,388	44,816	34,363
Nova Scotia	556,608	596,747	656,787	701,221
New Brunswick	364,840	343,193	322,183	371,985
Quebec	2,165,190	1,874,957	2,154,839	2,144,682
Ontario	5,495,114	5,233,190	6,171,743	6,241,690
Manitoba	901,586	698,013	680,250	888,783
Saskatchewan	1,529,652	1,522,469	1,694,494	1,485,537
Alberta	937,374	1,067,529	911,809	1,009,923
British Columbia	718,765	719,531	780,234	796,302
Total for Canada	12,695,441	12,104,017	13,417,155	13,674,486
<u>Products</u>				
Agricultural	4,015,748	3,694,323	3,642,133	3,570,227
Animal	355,502	373,466	347,190	342,973
Mine	3,597,632	3,792,255	4,069,903	4,419,638
Forest	1,194,544	1,012,253	1,059,257	1,045,208
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	3,532,015	3,231,720	4,318,672	4,296,440
Grand Total	12,695,441	12,104,017	13,417,155	13,674,486

REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS

During the month of November, 1945

NO.	COMMODITIES	FREIGHT ORIGINATED						TERMINATED		
		Loaded at Stations in Canada	Received from Foreign Connections		Total for Month	Increase over November 1944 (Decrease-)	Cumulative Totals		Unloaded at Stations in Canada	Delivered to Foreign Connections
			Destined to				To Date	Increase over 1944 (Decrease-)		
			Canadian Points	Foreign Points						
Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons		
<u>AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS</u>										
1.	Wheat	1,667,283	3,632	21,727	1,692,642	- 254,153	17,760,299	- 77,680	560,367	1,148,689
2.	Corn	13,867	1,709	44,294	59,870	- 25,041	829,249	238,139	14,696	44,675
3.	Oats	264,930	972	24,016	289,918	80,752	3,455,512	351,109	158,799	134,303
4.	Barley	352,333	228	17,217	369,778	180,556	2,408,820	- 228,169	351,083	23,100
5.	Rye	21,759	...	47	21,806	6,804	172,215	- 85,766	978	20,986
6.	Flaxseed	51,173	21	1,410	52,604	- 25,142	236,711	- 134,062	41,264	11,748
7.	Other Grain (dried peas, beans & soya beans)	15,242	5,327	13,540	33,909	19,408	294,852	200,681	22,470	14,030
8.	Flour	151,545	2,275	57,074	210,894	- 5,220	2,405,808	174,918	62,263	150,811
9.	Other Mill Products	242,785	5,701	88,548	337,034	39,668	3,221,046	85,773	221,049	113,859
10.	Hay and Straw	48,722	53	1,961	50,736	- 15,490	362,473	- 151,920	26,846	26,200
11.	Cotton	1,768	10,882	4,319	16,969	- 9,018	171,533	6,440	12,255	4,464
12.	Apples (fresh)	28,942	304	11,378	40,624	- 25,192	192,727	- 20,445	25,310	15,205
13.	Other Fruit (fresh)	3,075	40,197	17,042	60,314	20,016	747,656	140,022	38,579	17,531
14.	Potatoes	76,039	29,047	31,267	136,353	28,071	831,290	92,398	90,582	49,325
15.	Other Fresh Vegetables	25,048	7,011	15,696	47,755	5,740	427,139	28,660	20,684	27,000
16.	Other Agricultural Products	185,609	26,831	60,677	273,117	30,631	1,520,315	- 57,179	202,503	70,069
	Total	3,150,120	134,190	410,013	3,694,323	52,190	35,037,625	560,919	1,849,708	1,871,995
<u>ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS</u>										
17.	Horses	6,648	35	135	6,818	1,380	76,260	5,796	6,362	494
18.	Cattle and Calves	116,383	82	3,118	119,583	39,506	742,291	179,709	115,196	4,848
19.	Sheep	11,125	...	1,415	12,540	- 1,984	57,275	- 285	11,086	1,475
20.	Hogs	27,855	13	3,630	31,498	- 21,600	335,762	- 217,589	28,578	3,614
21.	Poultry (live)	132	...	311	443		4,676		99	406
22.	Dressed Meats & Dressed Poultry (fresh or frozen)	36,344	187	53,249	89,780	26,193	736,094	105,039	17,330	71,659
23.	Dressed Meats (cured, salted)	22,840	553	2,240	25,633	x - 12,785	296,718	x - 227,393	2,658	22,424
24.	Other Packing House Products (edible)	3,494	25	2,989	6,508	- 7,002	107,979	- 112,824	2,937	3,518
25.	Eggs	3,669	26	3,613	7,308	241	160,867	30,389	1,096	6,227
26.	Butter	3,014	10	5,491	8,515	- 916	132,262	- 19,425	2,871	5,656
27.	Cheese	5,206	21	8,946	14,173	- 1,861	152,075	- 8,347	2,068	12,077
28.	Wool	2,961	1,987	4,791	9,739	- 894	174,072	8,163	3,987	5,702
29.	Hides and Leather	9,901	606	7,579	18,086	4,092	173,189	16,503	9,472	8,736
30.	Other Animal Products (non-edible)	14,662	1,440	6,740	22,842	1,906	250,722	8,574	12,467	11,564
	Total	264,234	4,985	104,247	373,466	26,276	3,380,242	- 231,690	216,207	158,400
<u>MINE PRODUCTS</u>										
31.	Anthracite Coal	391	276,914	21,037	298,342	- 101,474	3,175,699	- 746,143	285,510	20,972
32.	Bituminous Coal	702,130	495,031	14,097	1,211,258	- 42,485	12,470,472	- 1,550,020	1,137,623	42,160
32a.	Sub-bituminous Coal	380,946	...	...	380,946	380,946	1,416,180	1,416,180	368,586	1,679
33.	Lignite Coal	101,147	...	...	101,147	- 310,767	1,878,065	- 1,169,625	101,032	...
34.	Coke	92,373	107,795	6,373	206,541	- 15,218	2,493,945	326,757	202,672	10,106

35. Iron Ores and Concentrates	202,820	1,327	...	204,147	128,456	1,145,526	497,423	38,240	110,164	
36. Copper Ore and Concentrates	75,623	...	29	75,652	- 34,821	955,037	- 614,886	75,311	1,199	
37. Other Ores and Concentrates	312,117	54,020	5,914	372,051	- 125,588	5,667,189	- 982,445	335,426	32,103	
38. Base Bullion, Matte, Pig & Ingot (non ferrous metals)	95,659	114	18,923	114,696	- 22,731	1,389,804	58,704	38,636	68,742	
39. Sand and Gravel	153,941	6,205	3,378	163,524	5,247	1,751,873	169,564	154,066	3,378	
40. Stone (crushed, ground, broken)	191,118	956	355	192,429	- 18,327	2,076,490	18,066	193,071	724	
41. Slate, Dimension or Block Stone	2,956	1,765	2,823	7,544	- 29	78,213	- 9,805	4,930	3,021	
42. Crude Petroleum	12,213	85,515	368	98,096	- 61,384	1,209,577	- 681,482	97,677	398	
43. Asphalt (Natural, By-Product Petroleum)	16,168	693	589	17,450	4,217	272,395	4,294	16,986	594	
44. Salt	33,034	7,934	10,524	51,492	- 406	567,296	8,931	37,691	11,788	
45. Other Mine Products (not fully processed)	196,211	78,349	22,380	296,940	- 63,284	3,463,582	- 494,136	228,962	60,233	
Total	2,568,847	1,116,618	106,790	3,792,255	- 277,648	40,011,343	- 3,750,623	3,316,419	366,961	
<u>FOREST PRODUCTS</u>										
46. Logs, Posts, Poles, Piling	81,943	669	2,664	85,276	8,055	1,138,801	- 24,501	59,969	29,608	
47. Cordwood and other Firewood	97,370	...	...	97,370	- 30,183	961,199	- 317,678	94,905	2,520
48. Ties	6,076	130	759	6,965	- 9,472	104,467	- 98,488	2,342	4,531	
49. Pulpwood	267,119	...	9,143	276,262	41,748	5,009,157	680,972	133,397	125,858	
50. Lumber, Timber, Box, Crates & Cooperage Material	453,907	12,656	42,821	509,384	- 35,222	5,875,649	- 55,130	306,138	211,879	
51. Other Forest Products	28,524	2,828	5,644	36,996	- 1,930	440,215	- 42,217	23,476	15,237	
Total	934,939	16,283	61,031	1,012,253	- 27,004	13,529,688	142,958	620,227	389,833	
<u>MANUFACTURES AND MISCELLANEOUS</u>										
52. Gasoline	155,716	7,546	8,183	171,245	- 312,978	4,068,116	- 2,724,732	163,962	8,507	
53. Petroleum Oils and other Petroleum Products (except asphalt and gasoline)	98,516	10,740	13,884	123,140	- 336,446	3,755,672	- 1,028,009	110,302	14,428	
54. Sugar	24,729	19,537	9,196	53,462	- 18,402	573,456	- 84,578	43,852	9,724	
55. Iron, pig and bloom	46,057	77	13,496	59,680	- 15,927	709,668	- 21,906	54,444	13,512	
56. Rails and Fastenings	7,322	258	245	7,825	- 4,312	199,663	- 58,889	5,097	1,295	
57. Iron and Steel (bar-sheet-structural-pipe)	107,782	49,593	55,168	212,543	- 47,980	2,562,518	- 121,816	158,859	61,972	
58. Castings, Machinery and Boilers	17,095	6,017	16,234	39,346	- 7,804	479,895	- 53,866	22,107	18,563	
59. Cement	59,475	1,414	1,724	62,613	17,272	856,286	120,825	59,522	3,394	
60. Brick and Artificial Stone	25,071	11,917	3,217	40,205	4,283	423,925	50,157	36,341	3,964	
61. Lime and Plaster	33,899	1,240	921	36,060	498	421,925	- 9,988	34,737	1,878	
62. Sewer Pipe and Drain Tile	5,176	474	548	6,198	2,106	55,629	16,770	5,346	563	
63. Agricultural Implements & Vehicles other than Autos	14,808	6,963	5,891	27,662	- 4,822	404,945	49,578	16,086	11,329	
64. Automobiles, Auto Trucks and Auto Parts	38,370	5,331	42,242	85,943	- 159,778	1,969,168	- 568,343	27,744	59,558	
65. Household Goods and Settlers' Effects	5,089	57	53	5,199	404	37,926	1,863	5,194	91	
66. Furniture	4,677	87	1,603	6,367	483	69,432	6,370	4,485	1,911	
67. Beverages	55,259	1,682	24,606	81,547	7,503	791,234	26,869	40,873	31,994	
68. Fertilizers, all kinds	164,525	19,094	8,956	192,575	56,326	1,970,878	226,136	96,978	93,041	
69. Newsprint paper	190,283	53	14,690	205,026	- 23,016	2,439,812	- 30,991	18,855	215,420	
70. Other paper	23,501	487	33,657	57,645	6,463	610,306	70,098	19,324	41,546	
71. Paperboard, pulpboard and wallboard (paper)	35,214	867	8,202	44,283	2,776	455,040	33,282	26,036	14,913	
72. Wood Pulp	126,949	453	10,046	137,448	- 5,881	1,658,029	88,533	24,095	116,209	
73. Fish (fresh, frozen, cured, etc.)	15,933	532	3,793	20,258	5,768	185,056	42,732	5,837	13,082	
74. Canned Goods (all Canned Food Products)	69,085	2,893	88,238	160,216	x 16,820	1,440,039	x 235,490	53,778	107,951	
75. Other Manufactures and Miscellaneous	614,658	81,788	384,838	1,081,284	- 284,401	14,707,740	- 235,207	559,820	539,204	
76. Merchandise (all L.C.I. Freight)	241,614	28,061	44,325	314,000	12,093	3,353,160	54,256	267,661	49,418	
Total	2,180,803	256,961	793,956	3,231,720	- 1,096,952	44,199,518	- 3,915,366	1,870,335	1,433,467	
GRAND TOTAL	9,098,943	1,529,037	1,476,037	12,104,017	- 1,313,138	136,158,416	- 7,193,802	7,872,896	4,220,656	

X - Canned Meats in 1944 were included in item 23.

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REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS
During the month of November, 1945 (Tons = 2,000 lbs.)

	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskat- chewan	Alberta	British Columbia
<u>LOADED AT STATIONS</u>									
Agricultural Products	41,663	8,992	38,914	111,695	905,251	443,628	1,128,127	425,838	46,012
Animal Products	1,887	1,985	2,443	20,203	61,935	45,185	54,885	64,461	11,250
Mine Products	1,315	418,103	25,650	247,175	918,435	76,849	175,410	454,222	251,688
Forest Products	220	49,021	103,757	314,963	195,822	27,943	21,665	13,028	208,520
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	3,303	101,070	96,110	680,846	914,680	73,973	56,561	97,937	156,323
Total	48,388	579,171	266,874	1,374,882	2,996,123	667,578	1,436,648	1,055,486	673,793
<u>RECEIVED FROM FOREIGN CONNECTIONS</u>									
Agricultural Products	...	157	45,346	34,959	446,565	6,346	2,152	82	8,596
Animal Products	...	989	396	3,497	103,301	...	60	12	977
Mine Products	...	81	5,794	321,290	776,773	16,035	76,349	10,493	16,593
Forest Products	...	...	2,281	10,006	56,640	597	221	...	7,569
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	...	16,349	22,502	130,323	853,788	7,457	7,039	1,456	12,003
Total	...	17,576	76,319	500,075	2,237,067	30,435	85,821	12,043	45,738
<u>TOTAL</u>									
Agricultural Products	41,663	9,149	84,260	146,654	1,351,816	449,974	1,130,279	425,920	54,608
Animal Products	1,887	2,974	2,839	23,700	165,236	45,185	54,945	64,473	12,227
Mine Products	1,315	418,184	31,444	568,465	1,695,208	92,884	251,759	464,715	268,281
Forest Products	220	49,021	106,038	324,969	252,462	28,540	21,886	13,028	216,089
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	3,303	117,419	118,612	811,169	1,768,468	81,430	63,600	99,393	168,326
Total	48,388	596,747	343,193	1,874,957	5,233,190	698,013	1,522,469	1,067,529	719,531
<u>UNLOADED AT STATIONS</u>									
Agricultural Products	8,755	37,066	35,189	359,516	1,017,448	108,311	62,757	154,231	66,435
Animal Products	816	4,798	4,020	32,497	61,081	50,443	14,359	34,986	13,207
Mine Products	17,736	316,916	111,810	545,376	1,344,758	306,666	302,236	91,694	279,227
Forest Products	1,306	25,169	37,248	170,232	239,919	40,549	31,790	21,447	52,767
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	12,016	112,161	76,467	520,228	755,783	100,326	83,973	104,097	105,284
Total	40,629	496,110	264,734	1,627,849	3,418,989	606,095	495,115	406,455	516,920
<u>DELIVERED TO FOREIGN CONNECTIONS</u>									
Agricultural Products	...	28,149	91,739	489,720	1,079,837	10,066	1,348	...	171,136
Animal Products	...	9,387	8,996	48,114	89,360	621	12	218	1,692
Mine Products	...	2,542	5,729	59,458	246,997	6,728	292	204	45,011
Forest Products	...	8,100	60,564	122,522	150,564	27,105	1,543	...	19,435
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	...	13,770	38,781	286,024	988,128	28,919	527	890	76,428
Total	...	61,948	205,809	1,005,838	2,554,886	73,439	3,722	1,312	313,702