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MONTHLY TRAFFIC REPORT OF RAILWAYS OF CANADA

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The tonnage of all revenue freight hauled by Canadian railways during April totalled 12,180,375 tons, a decline of 230,768 tons or nearly 2 p.c. from the same month of 1947. Loadings at stations in Canada were actually 435,746 tons heavier than in the preceding April but receipts from foreign connections destined to Canadian or foreign points dropped sharply from 3,876,412 tons to 3,211,898, with tonnage destined to Canadian consumers receding from 2,026,019 to 1,581,154 tons revealing significant declines in imports from the United States of agricultural, mine and manufactured products. However, the April total of 12,180,375 tons moved was 1,435,330 tons above April 1946, and double the average pre-war movement for the month. Gains over April 1947 were shown in mine and forest products while the agricultural, animal and manufactures and miscellaneous groups declined.

By provinces, loadings at Canadian stations registered declines only in New Brunswick and on the Prairies where flood conditions in Manitoba and Saskatchewan were serious, the Manitoba total sagging from 523,553 tons to 392,374 and Saskatchewan with grains off sharply, receding from 845,839 tons in April, 1947, to 551,397 tons. The Nova Scotia total improved from 212,951 to 921,775 tons reflecting the resumption of coal mining. Loadings in Quebec were up nearly 76,900 tons while Ontario increased 44,700 tons over April last year. British Columbia had an active month with 782,447 tons loaded against 708,699 one year earlier.

Canadian loadings analysed by commodities show a decrease from April, 1947, of 639,277 tons in agricultural products with wheat down from 1,099,201 to 665,615 tons, oats 79,282 tons lighter, flour off 96,652 tons at 157,236 and potatoes down to 76,189 tons against 90,018 one year previously. Heavier shipments of dressed meats, hides and leather, and hogs contrasted with a decline of 3,185 in cattle and calves. The largest advances were registered in the movement of mine products which rose from 2,095,618 tons in April of 1947 to 3,019,848 tons, bituminous coal gaining 581,783 tons, copper ore nearly 34,000 tons, other ores and concentrates up 43,000 tons, crude petroleum improving from 12,691 tons to 36,896, and other mine products from 272,619 tons to 458,735 tons.

The haulage of forest products confirmed an active season in the woods. Pulpwood totalled nearly 662,000 tons for the month against 570,549 one year earlier and lumber, timber, etc. rose from 465,299 to 510,477 tons, up 9.7 p.c. Logs, cordwood and ties were lighter.

Among the manufactured products gasoline increased 24,920 tons to 211,052, sugar from 19,647 to 50,757 tons, iron and steel 7,571 tons, cement up 24,494 tons to 155,855, building products advanced, and agricultural implements rose from 30,856 tons to 42,440. Paper shipments were little changed. However, l.c.l. merchandise dropped 25,500 tons to 299,983 and Canadian automobile shipments were off 6,100 tons from the previous April.

Cumulative totals of all revenue freight carried by Canadian lines to the end of April showed 48,511,228 tons transported, an increase of 1,851,361 tons or 4 p.c. over the same period of 1947, to establish a peacetime record for any like period. This volume has been attained despite considerably reduced domestic output of many agricultural and animal commodities and the restricted entry of certain American products in the interest of dollar conservation.

COMPARATIVE SUMMARY

Total Freight Loaded and Received from Foreign Connections

Province	April	March	April	April
	1948	1948	1947	1946
	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
Prince Edward Island	49,408	32,544	44,464	28,425
Nova Scotia	944,561	830,325	232,701	633,824
New Brunswick	457,974	628,412	467,757	338,228
Quebec	2,530,673	2,504,302	2,556,728	1,917,650
Ontario	5,409,228	6,091,057	5,917,520	5,022,797
Manitoba	425,240	486,076	568,786	454,046
Saskatchewan	626,625	712,044	954,175	770,428
Alberta	1,081,073	1,067,867	1,096,780	838,803
British Columbia	855,595	890,069	792,454	701,064
Total for Canada	12,180,375	13,242,676	12,411,145	10,745,045
<u>Products</u>				
Agricultural	1,978,345	2,050,792	2,765,776	2,416,918
Animal	215,746	225,282	227,871	261,217
Mine	4,251,684	4,468,254	5,655,241	5,155,036
Forest	1,468,970	2,184,166	1,397,217	1,105,085
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	4,265,650	4,354,182	4,569,038	3,808,789
Grand Total	12,180,375	13,242,676	12,411,145	10,745,045

REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS

During the month of April, 1948

NO.	COMMODITIES	FREIGHT ORIGINATED						TERMINATED		
		Loaded at Stations in Canada	Received from Foreign Connections		Total for Month	Increase over April 1947 (Decrease-)	Cumulative Totals		Unloaded at Stations in Canada	Delivered to Foreign Connections
			Destined to				To Date	Increase over 1947 (Decrease-)		
			Canadian Points	Foreign Points						
Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons		
<u>AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS</u>										
1.	Wheat	663,615	237	27,870	691,922	- 436,277	3,046,765	- 160,365	441,356	258,129
2.	Corn	3,522	12,863	45,078	61,463	- 78,600	256,533	- 302,274	16,373	44,569
3.	Oats	141,854	614	23,192	165,660	- 83,697	670,823	- 197,063	139,059	32,604
4.	Barley	136,516	50	11,044	147,610	4,955	628,735	124,218	129,331	18,852
5.	Rye	7,098	841	19	7,958	- 4,197	53,842	- 6,763	5,360	2,529
6.	Flaxseed	22,164	102	78	22,344	6,820	99,508	56,425	22,344	192
7.	Other Grain (dried peas, beans & soya beans)	6,128	3,480	12,369	21,977	- 9,926	112,649	- 16,518	8,139	13,928
8.	Flour	157,236	323	44,477	202,036	- 109,049	783,783	- 231,851	51,098	150,307
9.	Other Mill Products	198,061	1,535	54,748	254,344	- 49,439	1,013,588	- 194,871	175,194	78,129
10.	Hay and Straw	32,635	95	1,388	34,118	- 1,008	142,856	- 11,016	25,995	8,905
11.	Cotton	1,511	11,070	4,998	17,579	- 1,112	73,215	- 4,943	13,186	5,250
12.	Apples (fresh)	11,556	369	455	12,380	2,839	60,718	- 24,701	11,318	982
13.	Other Fruit (fresh)	1,800	44,387	9,304	55,491	2,374	177,865	- 41,051	46,922	9,346
14.	Potatoes	76,189	237	91,038	167,464	12,798	498,250	71,843	64,654	106,601
15.	Other Fresh Vegetables	5,244	11,759	10,340	27,343	- 21,508	120,954	- 64,423	14,412	12,816
16.	Other Agricultural Products	39,719	17,762	31,175	88,656	- 20,404	472,778	- 105,743	46,252	41,032
	<u>Total</u>	1,505,048	105,724	367,573	1,978,345	- 785,431	8,212,862	-1,129,096	1,210,973	784,771
<u>ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS</u>										
17.	Horses	6,357	25	115	6,497	- 4,383	26,368	- 6,287	5,621	866
18.	Cattle and Calves	43,695	40	155	43,890	- 3,554	167,190	3,749	41,606	1,799
19.	Sheep	986	-	93	1,079	- 1,311	7,958	- 3,842	982	93
20.	Hogs	23,539	-	401	23,940	- 210	124,077	29,561	23,274	439
21.	Poultry (live)	310	-	-	310	26	417	38	-	310
22.	Dressed Meats & Dressed Poultry (fresh or frozen)	16,485	154	28,610	45,249	6,627	220,216	35,325	13,992	31,054
23.	Dressed Meats (cured, salted)	19,610	73	2,314	21,997	3,620	84,035	7,446	4,036	18,105
24.	Other Packing House Products (edible)	3,594	56	2,099	5,749	- 6,857	29,969	- 23,206	3,386	2,474
25.	Eggs	3,760	-	5,624	9,384	- 4,022	48,578	- 5,855	3,495	5,917
26.	Butter	1,366	-	4,864	6,230	- 2,508	26,978	- 9,262	1,398	4,864
27.	Cheese	610	5	5,095	5,910	- 3,864	25,100	- 7,922	760	5,160
28.	Wool	971	3,434	3,453	7,858	- 2,540	25,579	- 9,230	4,418	3,593
29.	Hides and Leather	7,760	618	5,926	14,304	- 2,941	62,390	- 9,302	4,202	10,009
30.	Other Animal Products (non-edible)	12,212	5,670	5,467	23,349	9,792	73,868	14,123	12,576	10,603
	<u>Total</u>	141,455	10,075	64,216	215,746	- 12,125	922,723	15,280	119,746	95,286
<u>MINE PRODUCTS</u>										
31.	Anthracite Coal	757	373,218	46,404	420,379	- 49,902	1,658,472	- 15,099	379,532	46,917
32.	Bituminous Coal	939,081	352,722	4,403	1,296,206	328,188	5,585,620	898,035	1,159,453	93,653
32a.	Sub-bituminous Coal	192,324	-	-	192,324	- 6,650	747,756	- 216,147	191,261	492
33.	Lignite Coal	78,623	-	-	78,623	15,787	579,694	138,678	78,995	-
34.	Coke	102,515	46,264	15,314	164,093	10,914	623,516	13,606	145,401	25,901

35. Iron Ores and Concentrates	58,160	609	2,477	61,246	-	9,609	68,580	-	20,355	38,368	22,880
36. Copper Ore and Concentrates	174,000	-	60	174,060	-	32,627	697,863	-	204,650	163,786	10,679
37. Other Ores and Concentrates	454,171	109,392	13,634	577,197	-	102,114	2,019,698	-	264,462	536,439	37,425
38. Base Bullion, Matte, Pig & Ingot (non-ferrous)	120,055	293	19,325	139,673	-	27,520	504,510	-	96,993	52,851	85,343
39. Sand and Gravel	135,954	16,122	4,743	156,819	-	17,475	364,778	-	30,597	149,894	4,797
40. Stone (crushed, ground, broken)	215,277	2,872	3,652	221,801	-	4,003	668,595	-	28,476	212,282	4,128
41. Slate, dimension or block stone	5,522	3,233	5,735	14,490	-	735	53,504	-	10,160	9,116	5,948
42. Crude Petroleum	36,896	75,870	104	112,870	-	28,273	461,904	-	63,184	112,203	125
43. Asphalt (natural, by-product petroleum)	16,483	1,062	680	18,225	-	764	59,704	-	5,411	17,420	680
44. Salt	31,295	6,789	9,936	48,020	-	15,990	187,665	-	59,658	32,456	10,457
45. Other Mine Products (not fully processed)	458,735	88,122	28,801	575,658	-	168,220	1,753,100	-	281,604	476,496	111,655
Total	3,019,848	1,076,568	155,268	4,251,684	-	598,443	16,040,959	-	1,713,776	3,745,953	461,080
FOREST PRODUCTS											
46. Logs, Posts, Poles, Piling	111,603	1,261	6,796	119,650	-	11,426	573,272	-	45,861	75,134	48,986
47. Cordwood and other Firewood	46,352	26	-	46,378	-	20,069	223,322	-	79,509	45,006	1,396
48. Ties	8,364	191	659	9,214	-	1,281	36,511	-	6,103	3,325	6,028
49. Pulpwood	661,997	47	6,633	668,677	-	87,677	3,871,419	-	827,013	463,062	184,930
50. Lumber, Timber, Box, Crate & Cooperage material	510,477	10,515	65,190	586,182	-	20,658	2,342,310	-	97,641	332,283	253,005
51. Other Forest Products	20,754	6,907	11,208	38,869	-	3,806	162,991	-	655	23,366	13,406
Total	1,338,547	18,947	90,476	1,468,970	-	71,753	7,233,325	-	837,764	342,178	507,311
MANUFACTURES AND MISCELLANEOUS											
52. Gasoline	211,052	10,131	13,765	234,948	-	40,111	750,538	-	126,714	224,539	13,765
53. Petroleum Oils & other Petroleum Products (except asphalt and gasoline)	156,203	30,434	20,252	206,889	-	27,871	983,601	-	78,269	183,368	23,461
54. Sugar	30,737	12,492	7,102	50,331	-	17,280	167,323	-	48,344	46,209	6,798
55. Iron, pig and bloom	64,549	769	31,849	97,167	-	3,370	377,951	-	32,830	52,366	35,494
56. Rails and Fastenings	19,139	234	682	20,055	-	4,685	78,439	-	13,180	17,678	3,043
57. Iron & Steel (bar-sheet-structural-pipe)	133,301	56,744	55,355	245,400	-	20,390	1,043,871	-	63,963	203,564	61,257
58. Castings, Machinery and Boilers	16,541	14,332	25,613	56,486	-	1,332	229,459	-	34,722	28,915	28,462
59. Cement	155,855	3,492	5,591	164,938	-	27,820	444,188	-	122,606	159,952	4,734
60. Brick and Artificial Stone	39,648	17,184	4,760	61,592	-	2,916	203,538	-	3,416	54,720	5,515
61. Lime and Plaster	54,905	1,279	4,179	60,363	-	9,995	208,788	-	27,168	53,654	7,319
62. Sewer Pipe and Drain Tile	5,309	446	350	6,105	-	2,235	21,870	-	1,908	5,802	543
63. Agricultural Implements & Vehicles ex Autos	42,440	19,949	10,006	72,395	-	2,032	253,733	-	26,388	45,041	27,778
64. Automobiles, Auto Trucks and Auto Parts	51,538	15,873	136,866	204,277	-	36,100	751,134	-	50,604	46,465	150,212
65. Household Goods and Settlers' Effects	3,468	96	108	3,672	-	2,269	13,301	-	87	3,453	185
66. Furniture	5,163	117	4,484	9,764	-	354	37,741	-	4,219	4,758	4,924
67. Beverages	57,445	1,199	17,652	76,296	-	3,171	253,576	-	25,295	54,267	21,951
68. Fertilizers, all kinds	236,590	13,342	13,699	263,631	-	11,378	850,317	-	10,809	177,287	87,408
69. Newsprint Paper	328,383	241	13,737	342,361	-	8,475	1,320,733	-	9,176	25,410	308,325
70. Other paper	32,586	933	50,350	83,869	-	14,334	308,180	-	48,626	27,264	57,888
71. Paperboard, Pulpboard and Wallboard (paper)	45,291	1,493	12,094	58,878	-	361	227,537	-	6,477	37,675	21,049
72. Wood Pulp	192,909	579	18,375	209,863	-	7,901	773,284	-	51,379	29,886	181,490
73. Fish (fresh, frozen, cured, etc.)	4,894	265	1,350	6,509	-	819	47,125	-	2,374	2,519	4,170
74. Canned Goods (all canned food products)	51,927	6,394	42,122	80,443	-	28,630	338,161	-	100,267	34,054	46,945
75. Other Manufactures and Miscellaneous	722,723	134,725	413,421	1,270,867	-	57,921	4,852,203	-	126,264	747,158	510,108
76. Merchandise (all L.C.L. Freight)	299,983	27,099	51,449	378,531	-	52,274	1,388,230	-	108,217	314,901	66,941
Total	2,942,579	369,840	953,211	4,265,650	-	108,408	15,924,859	-	353,638	2,580,705	1,679,763
GRAND TOTAL	8,868,477	1,581,154	1,650,744	12,180,375	-	230,768	48,311,228	-	1,851,361	6,609,553	3,528,711

PROVINCIAL DISTRIBUTION

REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS

During the month of April, 1948

NO.	COMMODITIES	Stations in:	Prince Edward Island		Nova Scotia		New Brunswick		Quebec		Ontario	
			Loaded	Unloaded	Loaded	Unloaded	Loaded	Unloaded	Loaded	Unloaded	Loaded	Unloaded
			Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
<u>AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS</u>												
1.	Wheat		15	517	260	1,059	40	910	1,920	23,753	107,556	278,557
2.	Corn		-	8	-	6	-	42	1,848	4,224	-	10,475
3.	Oats		102	558	58	2,982	587	3,392	4,459	42,766	80,269	59,251
4.	Barley		40	321	40	1,086	120	3,232	3,109	44,552	77,696	60,418
5.	Rye		-	-	1,561	132	-	-	21	1,058	2,079	4,122
6.	Flaxseed		-	-	-	-	69	41	119	5,604	10,675	13,917
7.	Other Grain (dried peas, beans & soya beans)		-	18	88	251	31	213	445	2,634	2,072	3,555
8.	Flour		-	593	387	3,247	372	3,074	6,751	17,577	82,107	19,162
9.	Other Mill Products		739	4,044	738	13,331	2,033	11,431	34,516	68,787	80,698	49,591
10.	Hay and Straw		33	573	178	2,480	1,416	1,479	8,670	2,500	5,201	2,153
11.	Cotton		-	-	-	682	13	434	1,412	8,662	86	3,203
12.	Apples (fresh)		-	60	61	459	48	294	91	3,451	999	1,909
13.	Other Fruit (fresh)		-	121	59	1,555	273	1,602	428	11,790	529	18,982
14.	Potatoes		36,962	1,303	1,455	3,721	29,429	3,047	2,581	28,619	1,540	24,721
15.	Other Fresh Vegetables		1,439	148	161	321	161	511	374	3,212	1,412	5,851
16.	Other Agricultural Products		23	306	108	773	426	1,113	6,075	13,006	17,295	23,746
Total			38,351	8,370	5,121	32,563	38,344	30,313	72,819	268,178	470,214	573,413
<u>ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS</u>												
17.	Horses		-	-	52	204	-	98	1,118	1,680	1,530	1,120
18.	Cattle and Calves		193	63	232	94	159	100	2,158	6,564	14,263	11,909
19.	Sheep		-	-	-	-	-	-	34	61	21	226
20.	Hogs		693	376	266	-	358	950	2,947	4,083	7,330	6,305
21.	Poultry (live)		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
22.	Dressed Meats & Dressed Poultry (fresh, frozen)		192	118	140	1,491	740	738	1,368	5,368	2,982	3,424
23.	Dressed Meats (cured, salted)		172	30	40	345	563	328	3,342	783	6,068	1,751
24.	Other Packing House Products (edible)		-	31	12	419	13	344	280	1,097	1,514	782
25.	Eggs		407	-	86	47	19	34	220	299	1,472	1,589
26.	Butter		-	-	17	32	6	56	35	136	17	476
27.	Cheese		-	-	-	14	-	52	396	176	181	137
28.	Wool		-	-	23	153	37	151	38	1,233	713	2,830
29.	Hides and Leather		22	-	204	12	37	-	1,566	1,075	2,838	3,025
30.	Other Animal Products (non-edible)		13	69	1,265	290	146	491	1,132	1,215	3,047	9,936
Total			1,623	667	2,334	3,108	2,379	3,342	14,834	23,773	32,011	43,310
<u>MINERAL PRODUCTS</u>												
31.	Anthracite Coal		-	448	-	2,739	19	3,014	190	102,925	548	269,429
32.	Bituminous Coal		-	5,336	520,102	370,915	25,817	85,234	24,200	210,398	93,625	310,276
32a.	Sub-bituminous Coal		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,202
33.	Lignite Coal		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	410
34.	Coke		-	35	5,780	2,488	-	2,274	8,988	36,830	69,567	91,027

35. Iron Ores and Concentrates	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	149	-	58,011	58,322
36. Copper Ore and Concentrates	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,889	12,889	-	-
37. Other Ores and Concentrates	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32,925	70,025	372,198	419,016
38. Base Bullion, Matte, Pig & Ingot (non-ferrous)	-	-	70	130	10	59	42,069	24,401	35,821	27,881	27,881
39. Sand and Gravel	-	3,426	13,677	2,208	5,771	13,782	28,151	28,453	67,327	80,614	80,614
40. Stone (crushed-ground-broken)	5	47	5,961	4,790	498	2,686	14,188	10,790	167,858	166,792	166,792
41. Slate, dimension or block stone	-	42	749	19	60	995	1,629	3,566	2,805	3,885	3,885
42. Crude Petroleum	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31	860	1,004	1,004
43. Asphalt (natural, by-product petroleum)	-	44	604	131	46	673	5,633	4,329	7,566	8,782	8,782
44. Salt	-	394	5,168	1,860	259	2,615	-	8,556	20,423	10,945	10,945
45. Other Mine Products (not fully processed)	-	55	152,811	154,715	395	1,105	131,942	90,797	140,356	165,228	165,228
Total	5	9,827	704,922	539,995	32,875	112,437	302,953	603,970	1,036,965	1,599,813	1,599,813
FOREST PRODUCTS											
46. Logs, Posts, Poles, Piling	-	99	4,406	5,243	29,819	3,900	15,508	17,429	30,632	27,232	27,232
47. Cordwood and other Firewood	-	-	78	26	924	1,002	12,513	12,117	6,750	6,652	6,652
48. Ties	-	-	347	796	19	-	731	424	569	560	560
49. Pulpwood	655	-	16,878	10,364	76,704	16,476	257,544	172,793	207,555	239,587	239,587
50. Lumber, Timber, Box, Crate & Cooperage Material	159	869	34,919	10,146	28,933	15,787	104,791	80,903	115,537	152,161	152,161
51. Other Forest Products	-	72	526	498	870	882	5,633	6,167	5,722	11,026	11,026
Total	814	1,040	57,154	27,073	137,269	38,047	396,720	289,833	366,765	437,018	437,018
MANUFACTURES AND MISCELLANEOUS											
52. Gasoline	-	1,353	18,112	11,491	5,351	9,508	64,942	41,578	88,047	108,948	108,948
53. Petroleum Oils and other Petroleum Products (except asphalt and gasoline)	6	1,370	14,276	11,891	3,239	6,282	42,958	45,616	70,499	75,010	75,010
54. Sugar	-	227	-	2,010	15,863	1,515	8,070	17,767	1,272	18,518	18,518
55. Iron, pig and bloom	-	-	-	1,235	234	448	475	10,021	63,740	39,413	39,413
56. Rails and Fastenings	-	-	451	1,191	-	-	1,088	806	17,241	15,063	15,063
57. Iron and Steel (bar-sheet-structural-pipe)	35	229	11,618	11,108	230	2,929	15,117	52,263	96,006	103,353	103,353
58. Castings, Machinery and Boilers	15	27	991	2,034	499	824	5,483	6,478	7,106	12,681	12,681
59. Cement	-	1,649	160	6,620	134	6,969	74,444	39,489	47,166	72,017	72,017
60. Brick and Artificial Stone	-	617	4,167	5,298	3,456	3,866	16,397	14,586	6,873	19,933	19,933
61. Lime and Plaster	-	104	295	1,106	4,430	1,370	23,139	25,338	18,427	20,301	20,301
62. Sewer Pipe and Drain Tile	15	158	1,383	414	-	597	688	1,353	649	710	710
63. Agricultural Implements & Vehicles ex Autos	42	184	333	767	177	1,497	568	3,595	54,133	10,016	10,016
64. Automobiles, Auto Trucks and Auto Parts	-	104	281	1,391	74	1,596	753	7,274	45,502	18,882	18,882
65. Household Goods & Settlers' Effects	-	-	10	31	24	33	372	335	526	397	397
66. Furniture	-	26	102	83	57	99	1,947	954	2,160	778	778
67. Beverages	28	420	1,041	5,445	2,315	2,640	25,007	17,020	16,027	16,586	16,586
68. Fertilizers, all kinds	3,197	13,863	19,004	19,262	26,452	27,482	53,109	43,411	66,224	52,923	52,923
69. Newsprint paper	-	58	598	653	18,321	1,917	209,992	6,760	84,547	13,000	13,000
70. Other paper	-	40	57	430	551	469	13,988	7,475	16,069	15,254	15,254
71. Paperboard, Pulpboard and Wallboard (paper)	7	52	6	790	11,039	1,021	14,912	12,486	19,081	19,000	19,000
72. Wood Pulp	-	-	3,928	-	12,274	184	85,978	16,363	73,699	13,269	13,269
73. Fish (fresh, frozen, cured, etc.)	-	-	3,139	340	215	14	384	577	80	830	830
74. Canned Goods (all canned food products)	256	107	830	2,285	365	1,490	4,943	9,210	16,317	7,786	7,786
75. Other Manufactures and Miscellaneous	1,030	3,893	58,595	57,809	16,474	25,517	196,938	188,144	336,737	321,903	321,903
76. Merchandise (all L.C.L. Freight)	2,917	3,944	12,867	20,325	14,199	17,703	77,086	64,080	99,263	103,613	103,613
Total	7,546	28,425	152,244	161,789	135,973	115,970	938,778	652,979	1,227,391	1,079,964	1,079,964
GRAND TOTAL	49,408	48,549	921,775	764,528	543,259	500,611	1,725,964	1,852,727	3,143,546	3,739,724	3,739,724

PROVINCIAL DISTRIBUTION

REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS

During the month of April, 1948

NO.	COMMODITIES	Stations in:		Saskatchewan		Alberta		British Columbia	
		Manitoba		Loaded	Unloaded	Loaded	Unloaded	Loaded	Unloaded
		Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
<u>AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS</u>									
1.	Wheat	35,744	33,677	228,731	35,275	285,372	46,545	4,179	21,043
2.	Corn	-	-	56	-	-	-	1,618	1,618
3.	Oats	10,552	9,031	19,426	10,892	25,725	5,711	676	4,476
4.	Barley	25,032	11,558	15,275	2,136	16,491	3,479	713	2,549
5.	Rye	247	48	2,028	-	1,069	-	93	-
6.	Flaxseed	2,526	1,306	3,869	745	4,846	671	60	60
7.	Other Grain (dried peas, beans & soya beans)	1,288	549	256	139	1,519	671	429	329
8.	Flour	18,325	1,179	23,691	1,383	25,125	1,713	478	3,170
9.	Other Mill Products	23,494	5,324	29,673	5,274	22,381	6,187	3,816	10,745
10.	Hay and Straw	10,619	631	2,055	9,552	3,286	5,342	1,177	1,279
11.	Cotton	-	91	-	-	-	46	-	68
12.	Apples (fresh)	32	1,170	14	977	-	1,344	10,311	1,654
13.	Other Fruit (fresh)	18	2,999	77	2,380	244	3,180	172	4,412
14.	Potatoes	798	473	96	632	2,099	912	1,229	1,226
15.	Other Fresh Vegetables	175	1,074	30	695	276	1,085	1,196	1,515
16.	Other Agricultural Products	8,138	1,382	1,769	1,492	5,212	1,901	673	2,533
Total		134,988	70,492	327,046	71,572	393,645	78,688	26,820	56,677
<u>ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS</u>									
17.	Horses	341	615	1,153	916	2,086	835	77	153
18.	Cattle and Calves	3,305	6,450	4,941	6,514	17,995	5,077	449	4,835
19.	Sheep	8	140	100	93	815	217	8	245
20.	Hogs	1,184	3,248	2,997	2,233	7,512	4,432	252	1,647
21.	Poultry (live)	310	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
22.	Dressed Meats & Dressed Poultry (fresh, frozen)	4,705	551	1,658	432	3,491	137	1,209	1,733
23.	Dressed Meats (cured, salted)	3,744	69	1,596	442	4,015	37	70	251
24.	Other Packing House Products (edible)	964	52	102	62	686	-	23	599
25.	Eggs	197	510	937	547	205	391	217	78
26.	Butter	224	68	468	54	559	53	40	523
27.	Cheese	101	110	6	74	126	70	-	127
28.	Wool	-	11	-	23	-	-	68	12
29.	Hides and Leather	864	-	1,009	26	1,003	17	217	47
30.	Other Animal Products (non-edible)	712	111	182	127	874	337	4,841	-
Total		16,659	11,935	15,149	11,543	39,367	11,603	7,471	10,259
<u>MINE PRODUCTS</u>									
31.	Anthracite Coal	-	977	-	-	-	-	-	-
32.	Bituminous Coal	184	49,504	-	13,013	206,065	13,071	69,088	101,700
32a.	Sub-bituminous Coal	-	26,397	-	98,265	191,370	35,274	954	25,123
33.	Lignite Coal	-	55,363	78,448	22,379	175	843	-	-
34.	Coke	171	2,079	30	203	4,501	288	13,478	10,177

35. Iron Ores and Concentrates	-	46	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
36. Copper Ore and Concentrates	4,439	4,439	-	-	-	-	156,672	146,458	
37. Other Ores and Concentrates	1,486	1,419	-	-	246	-	47,316	45,979	
38. Base Bullion, Matte, Pig & Ingot (non-ferrous)	8,908	105	-	-	-	40	33,177	255	
39. Sand and Gravel	19,092	19,098	780	780	736	676	420	877	
40. Stone (crushed-ground-broken)	25,989	26,013	-	12	234	353	544	799	
41. Slate, dimension or block stone	129	43	5	424	-	62	145	80	
42. Crude Petroleum	28	15,101	23	78,357	35,971	17,696	14	14	
43. Asphalt (natural, by-product petroleum)	-	693	122	327	1,808	1,701	704	740	
44. Salt	2,302	1,752	-	1,569	2,656	2,864	487	1,901	
45. Other Mine Products (not fully processed)	13,205	12,318	1,423	393	4,214	13,018	14,369	38,867	
Total	75,933	215,347	80,831	215,728	447,978	85,886	337,388	372,950	
FOREST PRODUCTS									
46. Logs, Posts, Poles, Piling	1,995	2,265	475	1,350	3,292	3,677	25,478	13,939	
47. Cordwood and other Firewood	5,321	5,982	9,946	10,091	596	312	10,224	8,824	
48. Ties	1,486	280	102	127	129	91	4,981	1,247	
49. Pulpwood	41,719	23,400	35,896	24	22,904	-	2,142	418	
50. Lumber, Timber, Box, Crate & Cooperage Material	10,324	18,673	4,620	12,581	34,379	20,217	176,815	20,946	
51. Other Forest Products	505	876	618	1,292	192	561	6,688	1,972	
Total	61,350	51,476	51,657	25,465	61,492	24,878	226,326	47,346	
MANUFACTURES AND MISCELLANEOUS									
52. Gasoline	1,354	13,227	9,798	12,675	15,009	17,967	8,459	7,792	
53. Petroleum Oils and other Petroleum Products (except asphalt and gasoline)	2,678	12,080	9,655	15,444	7,119	7,683	5,773	8,192	
54. Sugar	96	1,702	80	1,474	2,744	2,566	2,612	630	
55. Iron, pig and bloom	5	880	-	-	-	154	95	213	
56. Rails and Fastenings	214	253	-	9	17	129	128	227	
57. Iron and Steel (bar-sheet-structural-pipe)	5,993	8,915	141	2,078	996	9,431	3,165	13,258	
58. Castings, Machinery and Boilers	545	978	262	537	908	2,048	732	3,308	
59. Cement	18,473	5,971	195	7,265	13,169	13,224	2,114	6,748	
60. Brick and Artificial Stone	549	2,658	1,070	2,488	6,258	3,172	878	2,102	
61. Lime and Plaster	4,410	1,823	172	686	831	1,691	3,201	1,235	
62. Sewer Pipe and Drain Tile	415	314	72	469	1,417	741	670	1,046	
63. Agricultural Implements & Vehicles ex Autos	1,597	5,969	3,026	12,416	1,871	9,026	693	1,571	
64. Automobiles, Auto Trucks and Auto Parts	209	2,903	233	3,257	523	3,745	5,963	7,313	
65. Household Goods & Settlers' Effects	513	507	800	644	808	774	415	732	
66. Furniture	578	816	40	598	43	784	236	620	
67. Beverages	1,385	1,698	3,342	4,217	8,085	5,846	2,217	2,395	
68. Fertilizers, all kinds	278	3,754	395	4,998	5,491	6,014	62,440	5,580	
69. Newsprint paper	9,025	1,688	31	534	61	789	5,808	31	
70. Other paper	868	1,806	-	384	38	650	1,015	956	
71. Paperboard, Pulpboard and Wallboard (paper)	54	2,078	15	440	52	1,148	125	660	
72. Wood Pulp	-	-	-	-	-	-	17,030	70	
73. Fish (fresh, frozen, cured, etc.)	194	159	42	59	65	120	775	220	
74. Canned Goods (all canned food products)	1,278	2,912	349	2,004	1,552	2,995	6,037	5,305	
75. Other Manufactures and Miscellaneous	29,253	35,918	14,949	18,571	26,233	37,629	42,514	57,776	
76. Merchandise (all L.C.L. Freight)	23,500	18,063	32,047	40,468	24,757	29,488	13,347	17,217	
Total	103,444	126,870	76,714	131,715	116,047	157,794	184,442	145,199	
GRAND TOTAL	392,374	476,120	551,597	456,023	1,058,527	358,849	782,447	632,422	



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REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS

During the month of April, 1948 (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	59,351	5,121	35,044	72,819	470,214	134,988	327,046	393,645	26,820
Animal Products	1,692	2,534	2,078	14,694	42,011	16,659	15,149	39,367	7,471
Mine Products	5	704,922	32,875	302,953	1,036,965	75,933	80,831	447,976	337,388
Forest Products	814	57,154	137,269	396,720	366,765	61,350	51,657	61,492	226,326
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	7,546	152,244	135,973	938,778	1,227,391	103,444	76,714	116,047	184,442
Total	49,408	921,775	543,239	1,725,964	3,143,346	392,374	551,397	1,058,527	782,447
<u>RECEIVED FROM FOREIGN CONNECTIONS</u>									
Agricultural Products	-	3,497	73,581	42,789	335,871	5,664	327	198	10,370
Animal Products	-	3,416	2,992	2,091	65,466	51	-	-	275
Mine Products	-	704	790	366,924	748,088	7,510	58,252	18,314	31,254
Forest Products	-	2,465	4,869	14,038	73,938	618	458	107	12,930
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	-	12,704	32,503	178,867	1,042,519	19,023	15,191	3,927	18,317
Total	-	22,786	114,735	604,709	2,265,882	32,866	75,228	22,546	73,146
<u>TOTAL</u>									
Agricultural Products	59,351	8,618	108,625	115,608	806,085	140,652	328,373	393,843	37,190
Animal Products	1,692	5,750	5,070	16,785	107,477	16,710	15,149	39,367	7,746
Mine Products	5	705,626	33,665	669,877	1,785,053	83,443	139,083	466,290	368,642
Forest Products	814	59,619	142,138	410,758	440,703	61,968	52,115	61,599	239,256
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	7,546	164,948	168,476	1,117,645	2,269,910	122,467	91,905	119,974	202,759
Total	49,408	944,561	457,974	2,330,673	5,409,228	425,240	626,625	1,081,073	855,593
<u>UNLOADED AT STATIONS</u>									
Agricultural Products	8,570	32,565	30,815	282,175	579,419	70,492	71,572	78,688	56,677
Animal Products	687	3,106	3,342	23,770	43,510	11,935	11,543	11,603	10,250
Mine Products	9,827	539,995	112,437	603,970	1,599,813	215,347	215,728	85,886	372,950
Forest Products	1,040	27,073	38,047	289,833	437,018	51,476	25,465	24,878	47,346
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	28,425	161,789	115,970	632,979	1,079,964	126,870	131,715	157,794	145,199
Total	48,549	764,528	300,611	1,832,727	3,739,724	476,120	456,023	358,849	632,422
<u>DELIVERED TO FOREIGN CONNECTIONS</u>									
Agricultural Products	-	24,942	81,592	175,257	285,346	6,913	532	210	209,979
Animal Products	-	4,323	8,857	18,329	58,449	1,074	-	97	4,157
Mine Products	-	305	27,427	67,757	250,014	12,661	-	270	102,646
Forest Products	-	8,598	47,717	78,933	267,537	43,537	3,955	115	57,419
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	-	17,899	61,251	271,994	1,231,153	33,183	1,063	453	62,767
Total	-	56,067	226,844	612,270	2,092,499	97,368	5,550	1,145	436,968