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MONTHLY TRAFFIC REPORT OF RAILWAYS OF CANADA

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Revenue freight carried by Canadian railways during the closing month of the year totalled 12,052,862 tons, an increase of 1,013,448 tons or 9.2 p.c. over the revised total (to include Newfoundland) of 11,039,414 tons moved in December, 1949. Volume for a like month was exceeded only in the Decembers of 1948 and 1947. Loadings at Canadian stations during the month amounted to 9,051,565 tons against 8,566,968 tons one year earlier, while foreign connections supplied 3,021,297 tons or 348,851 tons above the previous December, with domestic deliveries up from 1,440,590 to 1,574,174 tons and intransit freight at 1,447,125 tons compared with 1,251,856 tons in December of 1949.

In total freight carried, advances were registered for all groups except Animals and Animal Products. The Agricultural Products group rose 137,622 tons to 2,572,641 tons for the month. Wheat showed a minor gain of 2,641 tons at 985,718 tons while barley improved considerably from 118,070 to 198,855 tons. Flaxseed and other grains posted large increases, and flour, hay and straw, apples and other fruit also advanced. Other agricultural products totalled 186,241 tons or 81,997 tons above December, 1949. Reduced movements were significant in corn, oats, rye, cotton, and in potatoes down 56,559 tons to 58,278 tons.

The Animals group showed a decline of 51,465 tons to 215,142 tons for the month as live stock dropped from 60,788 to 49,657 tons, hogs were 9,653 tons lighter at 20,410 tons and meats were much lower. Other packing house products, eggs, wool, hides, and non-edible products were also lighter. The effect of heavy sales to the United States and overseas during the last three years has reduced the animal population considerably. As well, the movement by truck has been extended as higher freight rates invite this type of competition.

Mine Products totalled 4,405,196 tons carried during the month, a gain of 365,914 tons or 9 p.c. over December, 1949. Sub-bituminous and lignite coal were up considerably. Iron ore rose from 29,917 to 75,590 tons while other ores and concentrates improved 129,584 tons to 597,514 tons. Bullion, sand and gravel, and stone were much heavier. Declines were confined to anthracite, copper ore, and crude petroleum which dropped from 115,770 to 72,655 tons due to the western pipeline operation.

The forestry group posted good gains with the total up from 1,091,858 to 1,215,573 tons or by 11.5 p.c. Logs advanced 29,117 tons to 106,756 while pulpwood increased 50,140 tons over the previous December to 374,456 tons. Lumber moved aggregated 585,698 tons or 56,552 tons greater. Other forest products also advanced while ties and plywood were lower.

Sixteen of the 25 Manufactures and Miscellaneous commodities registered increases with the group total up 459,660 tons or 12.9 p.c. to 5,848,510 tons.

Gasoline, petroleum oils, sugar, pig iron, iron and steel, and castings posted good increases over December, 1949 volume. Building products totalled much higher. Automobiles, trucks and parts amounted to 211,569 tons, a gain of 77,122 tons. Furniture, other paper, paperboard and woodpulp joined the advance, while newsprint eased slightly at 345,919 tons against 345,331 tons one year earlier. Other manufactures and miscellaneous at 1,146,589 tons was up 172,414 tons over the preceding December. Decreases were limited to rails, cement, implements, beverages, fertilizers, fish and L.C.L. freight which was 10,577 tons lighter at 242,106 tons.

Total freight originated during 1950 amounted to 144,050,625 tons compared with the revised cumulative total of 142,624,484 tons for 1949 and 154,752,409 tons in 1948. The increase over 1949 was thus 1,406,159 tons or nearly 1 p.c.

A comparison of provincial loadings during December reveals increases in Quebec, up from 1,595,756 to 1,488,942 tons, Ontario at 2,865,759 tons against 2,604,155 tons one year earlier, and in all western provinces where Manitoba reported 541,502 tons loaded during the month compared with 405,254 tons, Saskatchewan at 1,045,629 against 944,150 tons, and Alberta up 64,581 tons to 1,153,912 tons. British Columbia showed 662,954 tons, a gain of 52,805 tons, Newfoundland volume eased from 40,378 to 39,293 tons while Prince Edward Island, due to lower potato shipments dropped from 55,898 to 22,691 tons. A minor decrease was shown in Nova Scotia at 772,290 tons against 787,257 tons in December of 1949 while New Brunswick declined 18,109 tons to 258,795 tons due to a lower agricultural products movement.

A detailed coverage of 1950 data will be given in the Bureau's "Summary of Monthly Traffic Reports, 1950" which will appear later in bulletin form.

COMPARATIVE SUMMARY  
Total Freight Loaded and Received from Foreign Connections

Provinces	DECEMBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	DECEMBER
	1950	1950	1949	1948
	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
Newfoundland	59,295	62,905	40,578	-
Prince Edward Island	22,691	28,237	55,898	55,511
Nova Scotia	786,195	969,260	799,283	674,524
New Brunswick	324,655	548,505	540,706	455,667
Quebec	2,098,158	2,489,157	1,904,514	2,000,107
Ontario	5,076,842	5,692,090	4,585,485	5,458,678
Manitoba	581,697	933,425	455,642	504,988
Saskatchewan	1,057,852	1,163,997	955,284	908,707
Alberta	1,139,331	1,127,595	1,073,575	1,254,197
British Columbia	926,168	982,167	875,051	877,119
Total for Canada	12,052,862	13,797,554	11,039,414	12,345,498
<u>Products</u>				
Agricultural	2,572,641	2,923,449	2,255,019	2,598,439
Animal	215,142	247,431	264,605	265,213
Mine	4,405,196	5,345,760	4,059,282	4,580,655
Forest	1,215,573	1,264,984	1,091,858	1,202,078
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	5,848,310	4,015,710	5,408,650	5,899,135
Grand Total	12,052,862	13,797,554	11,039,414	12,345,498

**REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS**

During the month of December, 1950

NO.	COMMODITIES	FREIGHT ORIGINATED						TERMINATED		
		Loaded at Stations in Canada	Received from Foreign Connections		Total for Month	Increase over December 1949 (Decrease -)	Cumulative Totals		Unloaded at Stations in Canada	Delivered to Foreign Connections
			Destined to				For 12 Months			
			Canadian Points	Foreign Points			1950	1949		
		Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	
<b>AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS</b>										
1.	Wheat	967,814	-	17,904	985,718	2,641	10,154,218	12,881,586	685,484	502,805
2.	Corn	29,625	9,451	65,824	102,900	- 14,859	928,297	1,011,265	28,452	74,436
3.	Oats	187,415	610	8,078	196,101	- 22,702	1,989,595	2,554,158	163,057	35,068
4.	Barley	174,068	5,249	21,556	198,855	82,785	1,812,025	2,187,559	151,155	46,570
5.	Rye	12,715	-	93	12,806	- 1,861	251,157	384,098	485	12,503
6.	Flaxseed	25,167	1,855	20	25,020	17,555	105,975	267,439	19,362	5,515
7.	Other Grain (dried peas, beans & soya beans)	18,058	3,788	18,815	40,659	20,960	550,455	548,115	20,211	19,421
8.	Flour	144,527	285	35,697	180,509	8,904	1,995,550	2,011,859	54,629	125,505
9.	Other Mill Products	162,977	1,652	55,568	220,197	350	2,475,976	2,460,234	121,034	90,118
10.	Hay and Straw	25,599	156	1,654	25,369	1,282	228,749	242,897	14,261	11,255
11.	Cotton	2,721	10,582	8,115	21,216	- 4,800	226,042	204,755	28,597	8,419
12.	Apples (fresh)	55,000	596	541	55,957	1,868	249,056	228,141	15,456	20,166
13.	Other Fruit (fresh)	1,113	55,980	8,555	45,648	1,097	567,582	610,849	37,191	8,679
14.	Potatoes	40,257	214	17,807	58,278	- 36,559	864,161	928,197	21,610	37,550
15.	Other Fresh Vegetables	12,118	11,684	13,587	37,189	- 1,012	460,410	457,052	49,065	19,552
16.	Other Agricultural Products	159,554	17,155	29,572	186,241	81,997	1,695,798	1,558,960	103,727	51,627
	Total	1,974,704	96,995	500,942	2,572,641	157,622	24,510,822	28,516,900	1,511,752	868,765
<b>ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS</b>										
17.	Horses	5,962	-	56	6,018	5,075	64,017	42,807	5,508	705
18.	Cattle and Calves	49,386	75	196	49,657	- 11,151	591,660	669,580	51,859	16,580
19.	Sheep	1,108	50	574	1,712	4	27,577	51,279	959	745
20.	Hogs	18,587	-	1,825	20,410	- 9,635	222,629	255,655	18,565	1,855
21.	Poultry (live)	-	-	-	-	-	18	259	-	-
22.	Dressed Meats & Dressed Poultry (fresh, frozen)	18,822	1,414	44,177	64,415	- 9,880	551,105	617,904	16,420	47,655
23.	Dressed Meats (cured, salted)	5,555	199	2,555	6,105	- 11,749	76,848	85,780	1,997	4,115
24.	Other Packing House Products (edible)	7,017	1,057	5,189	11,245	- 4,950	155,720	192,259	7,710	5,287
25.	Eggs	608	-	255	861	- 5,415	21,597	61,080	411	419
26.	Butter	1,577	41	4,258	5,658	510	80,022	78,189	1,557	4,258
27.	Cheese	1,165	257	5,541	4,765	557	70,958	98,155	1,401	5,590
28.	Wool	668	1,945	1,485	4,096	- 1,617	79,857	67,448	2,570	1,722
29.	Hides and Leather	5,691	2,746	5,648	14,085	- 492	152,059	167,165	5,927	7,664
30.	Other Animal Products (non-edible)	12,458	5,542	6,545	24,125	- 2,554	226,584	196,370	13,245	10,880
	Total	126,182	15,084	75,876	215,142	- 51,465	2,500,651	2,559,846	107,705	105,229
<b>MINE PRODUCTS</b>										
51.	Anthracite Coal	6,612	287,744	55,577	549,755	- 27,679	4,485,105	4,099,501	502,725	55,622
52.	Bituminous Coal	775,605	549,247	10,151	1,554,981	16,175	15,062,854	15,975,891	1,513,901	20,958
52a.	Sub-bituminous Coal	355,582	-	-	355,582	85,924	2,406,096	2,538,686	549,579	195
53.	Lignite Coal	287,045	-	57	287,082	94,598	1,786,555	1,522,261	289,507	128
54.	Coke	95,498	58,559	15,459	169,296	- 545	1,899,872	1,805,628	145,188	25,524

55. Iron Ores and Concentrates	75,640	715	1,057	75,590	45,475	3,084,845	1,993,804	74,347	1,066
56. Copper Ore and Concentrates	185,149	-	194	185,345	- 10,518	2,142,768	2,202,965	177,150	6,195
57. Other Ores and Concentrates	471,244	112,748	15,522	597,514	129,584	7,158,155	7,566,281	551,258	67,450
58. Base Bullion, Matte, Pig & Ingot (non-ferrous)	102,595	502	12,766	115,463	10,479	1,427,581	1,507,737	43,886	68,984
59. Sand and Gravel	127,154	11,517	2,467	140,958	20,457	5,557,574	3,121,721	155,746	2,550
40. Stone (crushed, ground, broken)	165,711	6,894	7,915	180,520	56,459	2,788,185	2,629,665	165,862	5,550
41. Slate, dimension or block stone	5,695	2,155	4,264	10,114	458	142,822	190,990	6,776	4,468
42. Crude Petroleum	71,036	1,400	217	72,653	- 43,117	1,816,252	1,748,707	72,412	247
43. Asphalt (natural, by-product petroleum)	8,866	600	884	10,550	463	557,806	551,679	9,446	885
44. Salt	55,212	8,598	10,199	53,809	- 2,052	656,233	585,874	40,345	10,572
45. Other Mine Products (not fully processed)	376,397	66,550	23,881	466,828	9,593	6,758,951	6,090,188	354,576	126,778
Total	3,138,639	1,106,407	158,150	4,403,196	563,914	55,711,590	51,731,374	4,012,704	394,768
<b>FOREST PRODUCTS</b>									
46. Logs, Posts, Poles, Piling	98,472	1,116	7,168	106,756	29,117	1,549,551	1,438,465	82,976	25,540
47. Cordwood and other Firewood	40,917	-	-	40,917	2,349	439,942	456,853	41,012	67
48. Ties	2,492	-	20	2,512	- 1,042	59,057	81,368	2,976	449
49. Pulpwood	364,104	-	10,552	374,456	50,140	5,481,765	6,481,172	241,237	133,562
50. Lumber, Timber, Box, Crate & Cooperage Material	528,909	12,334	44,655	585,898	36,332	7,781,089	6,592,606	341,981	242,170
50a. Plywood	15,232	394	7,796	21,422	- 2,956	249,585	201,945	9,323	11,411
51. Other Forest Products	66,041	7,635	9,938	83,612	9,775	431,799	453,052	25,464	48,105
Total	1,114,167	21,477	79,929	1,215,573	123,715	15,792,748	15,505,461	744,969	461,104
<b>MANUFACTURES AND MISCELLANEOUS</b>									
52. Gasoline	207,416	4,530	3,081	215,027	12,564	3,275,096	3,335,563	217,510	3,022
53. Petroleum Oils and other Petroleum Products (except asphalt & gasoline)	293,469	25,246	17,004	335,719	57,880	3,024,824	2,536,665	316,475	17,588
54. Sugar	27,745	494	8,452	36,691	3,716	552,568	654,071	27,798	9,048
55. Iron, pig and bloom	97,062	2,430	18,875	118,367	42,086	1,069,188	984,318	89,311	28,112
56. Rails and Fastenings	11,685	1,014	2,263	14,962	- 5,718	239,983	258,970	7,979	2,514
57. Iron and Steel (bar-sheet-structural-pipe)	110,263	62,038	43,537	215,838	21,251	2,632,242	2,718,709	173,196	49,220
58. Castings, Machinery and Boilers	16,652	9,638	17,185	43,475	5,769	481,859	539,790	25,147	19,697
59. Cement	90,515	9,183	1,752	101,448	- 5,195	1,841,647	2,071,101	101,222	1,916
60. Brick and Artificial Stone	34,256	19,919	4,285	58,460	22,079	662,252	627,360	51,111	5,414
61. Lime and Plaster	54,685	1,337	4,092	60,114	5,961	725,959	662,513	52,758	8,085
62. Sewer Pipe and Drain Tile	4,495	264	436	5,195	1,044	87,088	87,923	5,511	486
63. Agricultural Implements & Vehicles ex Autos	26,201	11,386	4,232	41,819	- 6,086	639,908	744,659	25,350	15,808
64. Automobiles, Auto Trucks and Auto Parts	43,938	26,150	141,483	211,569	77,122	2,516,683	2,101,903	60,380	148,960
65. Household Goods and Settlers' Effects	1,869	59	7	1,935	- 6	28,374	33,196	1,860	63
66. Furniture	5,300	157	4,121	9,578	2,460	103,933	98,717	5,017	4,492
67. Beverages	39,722	1,762	15,157	56,641	- 6,323	653,930	784,846	36,958	19,012
68. Fertilizers, all kinds	113,937	13,807	5,526	133,270	- 11,211	1,962,785	2,091,031	64,005	69,264
69. Newsprint paper	325,563	184	18,172	343,919	- 1,412	3,759,680	3,647,588	28,676	309,268
70. Other paper	28,427	600	45,037	74,064	9,792	855,334	751,901	26,758	50,413
71. Paperboard, Pulpboard and Wallboard (paper)	43,791	2,333	15,815	61,939	10,857	698,498	628,957	39,159	23,093
72. Wood Pulp	208,895	1,064	21,792	231,751	40,713	2,308,492	1,791,316	34,861	195,162
73. Fish (fresh, frozen, cured, etc.)	6,402	430	1,480	8,312	- 2,476	113,216	134,895	3,498	4,345
74. Canned Goods (all canned food products)	34,482	6,562	38,678	79,722	2,956	1,139,719	1,085,457	38,692	41,488
75. Other Manufactures and Miscellaneous	659,415	114,735	372,239	1,146,389	172,414	13,243,919	12,551,418	655,089	474,517
76. Merchandise (all L.C.L. Freight)	191,692	20,889	29,525	242,106	- 10,577	3,317,635	3,610,236	212,503	33,456
Total	2,677,873	336,211	854,226	3,848,310	439,660	45,914,812	44,530,903	2,300,824	1,534,393
GRAND TOTAL	9,031,565	1,574,174	1,447,123	12,052,862	1,013,448	144,030,625	142,624,494	8,677,954	3,362,259

December, 1950

Revised to include Newfoundland.

PROVINCIAL DISTRIBUTION  
REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS  
 During the month of December 1950

NO.	COMMODITIES	Stations in:	Newfoundland		Prince Edward Island		Nova Scotia		New Brunswick		Quebec	
			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	-	-	-	215	-	821	48	1,230	7,414	28,349	
2.	Corn	-	-	-	-	-	180	-	338	-	3,043	
3.	Oats	266	1,026	531	26	212	1,061	253	1,516	2,763	14,198	
4.	Barley	-	-	40	196	25	747	80	1,530	5,619	14,628	
5.	Rye	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	721	168	
6.	Flaxseed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46	
7.	Other Grain (dried peas, beans & soya beans)	-	45	-	-	-	173	-	209	852	4,010	
8.	Flour	24	760	29	707	534	5,386	394	3,806	13,468	19,550	
9.	Other Mill Products	-	276	233	594	133	7,637	757	6,492	24,174	45,199	
10.	Hay and Straw	121	1,850	596	-	1,317	1,162	860	13	9,179	2,332	
11.	Cotton	-	-	-	-	14	305	23	51	2,354	18,274	
12.	Apples (fresh)	-	231	-	18	1,415	161	96	139	40	3,866	
13.	Other Fruit (fresh)	24	80	-	94	23	1,533	8	1,079	201	10,875	
14.	Potatoes	50	408	14,600	2,162	779	847	21,510	249	192	8,119	
15.	Other Fresh Vegetables	79	223	1,900	93	87	576	44	385	608	5,175	
16.	Other Agricultural Products	-	25	-	158	491	960	253	1,370	3,975	14,875	
Total			564	4,924	17,929	4,263	5,030	21,549	24,330	18,407	71,570	193,707
<u>ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS</u>												
17.	Horses	26	119	36	-	57	77	59	36	500	715	
18.	Cattle and Calves	-	37	483	10	427	10	614	706	1,040	4,464	
19.	Sheep	-	-	5	-	10	10	48	12	161	219	
20.	Hogs	-	-	430	196	206	-	253	570	2,455	3,785	
21.	Poultry (live)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
22.	Dressed Meats & Dressed Poultry (fresh, frozen)	38	297	221	80	55	1,135	649	290	1,543	5,867	
23.	Dressed Meats (cured, salted)	92	240	129	-	-	651	200	116	1,103	230	
24.	Other Packing House Products (edible)	17	127	-	37	28	1,275	31	579	162	1,492	
25.	Eggs	-	-	-	-	12	18	18	45	74	101	
26.	Butter	-	-	13	-	24	129	92	-	91	101	
27.	Cheese	-	-	-	-	-	57	27	48	790	89	
28.	Wool	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	62	50	532	
29.	Hides and Leather	-	-	39	-	102	-	168	-	1,069	858	
30.	Other Animal Products (non-edible)	54	-	-	25	769	96	352	116	1,221	892	
Total			227	820	1,356	348	1,690	3,465	2,690	2,582	10,258	19,345
<u>MINE PRODUCTS</u>												
31.	Anthracite Coal	-	-	-	369	-	1,116	-	1,896	98	55,622	
32.	Bituminous Coal	7,087	7,097	-	9,873	422,933	296,046	31,505	109,442	34,681	271,317	
32a.	Sub-bituminous Coal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
33.	Lignite Coal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
34.	Coke	-	-	-	267	5,646	2,090	-	1,573	11,123	24,573	

35. Iron Ores and Concentrates	-	-	-	-	66	66	-	-	52	124
36. Copper Ore and Concentrates	1,247	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16,511	16,511
37. Other Ores and Concentrates	7,090	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45,770	96,583
38. Base Bullion, Matte, Pig & Ingot (non-ferrous)	-	-	-	-	-	80	-	563	30,396	15,167
39. Sand and Gravel	2,744	2,744	-	-	8,751	6,344	1,593	3,702	15,259	15,179
40. Stone (crushed-ground-broken)	2,160	2,160	-	40	3,556	3,576	-	2,716	12,277	11,726
41. Slate, dimension or block stone	-	-	-	-	403	446	-	237	1,207	3,388
42. Crude Petroleum	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
43. Asphalt (natural, by-product petroleum)	-	-	-	-	203	67	-	247	3,111	2,504
44. Salt	-	8	-	82	11,427	770	34	762	10	15,285
45. Other Mine Products (not fully processed)	-	-	-	55	112,633	113,058	54	771	131,464	71,576
Total	20,328	12,009	-	10,686	565,618	423,659	32,986	121,509	301,959	599,555
<u>FOREST PRODUCTS</u>										
46. Logs, Posts, Poles, Piling	20	50	-	21	4,621	7,191	2,229	288	15,422	17,406
47. Cordwood and other Firewood	220	220	-	-	31	-	188	241	7,430	7,873
48. Ties	-	-	-	-	124	178	273	273	531	594
49. Pulpwood	770	770	817	-	3,170	2,373	46,410	6,812	134,710	82,929
50. Lumber, Timber, Box, Crate & Cooperage Material	1,763	2,099	114	676	25,334	7,171	27,408	12,798	117,689	82,938
50a. Plywood	-	-	-	23	289	290	59	193	2,829	2,467
51. Other Forest Products	20	20	178	18	17,067	358	16,780	1,085	17,029	9,336
Total	2,793	3,159	1,109	738	50,636	17,561	93,347	21,690	295,640	203,343
<u>MANUFACTURES AND MISCELLANEOUS</u>										
52. Gasoline	5,271	5,271	34	2,165	16,972	12,531	6,869	9,197	62,924	38,295
53. Petroleum Oils and other Petroleum Products (except asphalt and gasoline)	1,972	2,025	-	2,299	20,766	16,532	4,571	8,115	97,532	57,064
54. Sugar	64	140	-	237	-	1,792	10,936	809	6,432	7,383
55. Iron, pig and bloom	61	61	-	-	16,919	341	28	398	250	19,372
56. Rails and Fastenings	101	101	-	-	5,170	149	12	45	348	1,859
57. Iron and Steel (bar-sheet-structural-pipe)	92	168	-	52	12,169	9,695	210	1,751	12,410	37,723
58. Castings, Machinery and Boilers	157	216	-	49	1,058	1,227	405	701	4,257	5,719
59. Cement	159	216	-	700	51	6,422	61	4,924	27,460	19,122
60. Brick and Artificial Stone	41	132	-	387	2,088	3,779	3,894	2,458	11,662	9,664
61. Lime and Plaster	25	110	-	126	466	834	4,523	863	20,824	25,107
62. Sewer Pipe and Drain Tile	98	98	-	118	737	375	317	325	609	1,164
63. Agricultural Implements & Vehicles ex Autos	219	233	-	50	251	386	127	489	570	2,072
64. Automobiles, Auto Trucks and Auto Parts	51	66	-	218	4	1,685	110	1,784	579	5,585
65. Household Goods & Settlers' Effects	12	12	10	-	20	41	24	-	258	449
66. Furniture	9	25	-	-	156	192	15	247	1,609	473
67. Beverages	439	519	-	253	1,523	3,049	578	768	14,930	7,629
68. Fertilizers, all kinds	-	-	106	1,342	1,873	2,352	3,186	3,617	7,610	8,910
69. Newsprint paper	146	146	-	64	738	728	8,546	656	214,128	6,770
70. Other paper	-	-	-	-	55	594	595	510	12,527	5,062
71. Paperboard, Pulpboard and Wallboard (paper)	7	68	16	54	630	756	11,074	1,077	13,896	11,644
72. Wood Pulp	-	-	-	-	1,647	48	26,806	5,715	79,932	14,849
73. Fish (fresh, frozen, cured, etc.)	182	29	78	-	2,487	377	1,409	128	720	785
74. Canned Goods (all canned food products)	106	849	149	206	1,287	3,159	479	2,137	5,587	6,684
75. Other Manufactures and Miscellaneous	914	2,057	704	2,463	54,619	49,751	13,258	24,462	165,231	157,859
76. Merchandise (all L.C.L. Freight)	5,255	6,466	1,200	1,416	7,630	11,566	7,407	10,848	47,230	48,766
Total	15,361	19,008	2,297	12,199	149,316	128,161	105,440	82,024	809,515	500,009
GRAND TOTAL	39,295	59,920	22,691	28,234	772,290	594,395	258,793	246,212	1,488,942	1,515,959

DECEMBER, 1950

**PROVINCIAL DISTRIBUTION**  
**REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS**  
 During the month of December, 1950

NO.	COMMODITIES	Stations in:	Ontario		Manitoba		Saskatchewan		Alberta		British Columbia	
			Loaded	Unloaded	Loaded	Unloaded	Loaded	Unloaded	Loaded	Unloaded	Loaded	Unloaded
			Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
<b>AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS</b>												
1.	Wheat		168,882	486,218	150,142	29,868	491,078	74,006	168,632	45,684	1,620	17,093
2.	Corn		29,333	22,270	189	238	57	103	21	155	25	2,125
3.	Oats		39,558	150,851	50,230	4,848	60,653	3,596	31,670	2,345	1,257	3,590
4.	Barley		19,667	110,602	80,315	11,546	30,809	491	37,319	6,942	194	4,471
5.	Rye		308	-	807	46	7,060	-	3,817	150	-	121
6.	Flaxseed		4,106	14,982	15,028	491	2,811	2,199	1,176	1,622	46	22
7.	Other Grain (dried peas, beans & soya beans)		14,721	13,488	1,368	920	49	110	589	672	499	584
8.	Flour		64,231	15,143	17,750	1,944	19,361	1,748	26,448	2,020	2,288	3,565
9.	Other Mill Products		68,266	37,062	20,862	3,525	24,888	3,810	19,025	4,762	4,639	10,677
10.	Hay and Straw		5,042	2,710	1,668	902	568	891	2,680	1,919	1,568	2,482
11.	Cotton		324	9,799	-	154	-	-	-	13	-	21
12.	Apples (fresh)		617	2,407	21	1,455	-	1,387	-	1,822	32,811	3,950
13.	Other Fruit (fresh)		554	16,026	60	2,076	15	1,612	7	2,231	221	1,585
14.	Potatoes		530	7,410	312	158	19	450	1,021	565	1,254	1,242
15.	Other Fresh Vegetables		7,568	36,962	253	1,041	-	725	798	1,596	781	2,287
16.	Other Agricultural Products		63,413	27,646	18,352	10,320	2,366	1,211	49,297	44,064	1,387	3,098
	<b>Total</b>		<b>487,120</b>	<b>933,576</b>	<b>337,357</b>	<b>69,512</b>	<b>639,734</b>	<b>92,339</b>	<b>342,460</b>	<b>116,562</b>	<b>48,590</b>	<b>56,913</b>
<b>ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS</b>												
17.	Horses		836	1,807	1,090	917	2,348	1,008	908	505	103	324
18.	Cattle and Calves		5,899	7,902	8,536	9,546	12,874	1,306	17,873	5,286	1,440	2,572
19.	Sheep		120	121	114	14	56	29	535	362	59	192
20.	Hogs		5,173	4,034	914	3,008	2,451	1,376	6,595	3,466	130	2,128
21.	Poultry (live)		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
22.	Dressed Meats & Dressed Poultry (fresh, frozen)		2,522	4,218	5,407	1,361	2,722	421	4,707	215	959	2,536
23.	Dressed Meats (cured, salted)		998	451	319	12	176	55	284	14	52	228
24.	Other Packing House Products (edible)		4,100	1,656	1,403	444	246	581	919	418	111	1,101
25.	Eggs		315	122	58	12	15	-	81	-	35	113
26.	Butter		19	422	336	12	198	92	604	-	-	601
27.	Cheese		235	433	26	234	-	89	87	223	-	228
28.	Wool		594	1,727	-	12	-	10	10	-	14	20
29.	Hides and Leather		1,526	4,795	874	236	551	8	927	30	455	-
30.	Other Animal Products (non-edible)		2,443	11,288	776	262	864	258	594	46	5,365	260
	<b>Total</b>		<b>24,780</b>	<b>38,976</b>	<b>19,853</b>	<b>16,070</b>	<b>22,481</b>	<b>5,233</b>	<b>54,124</b>	<b>10,565</b>	<b>8,723</b>	<b>10,301</b>
<b>MINE PRODUCTS</b>												
31.	Anthracite Coal		6,514	242,347	-	1,575	-	-	-	-	-	-
32.	Bituminous Coal		36,778	399,722	412	74,744	-	18,681	165,289	19,286	76,918	107,693
32a.	Sub-bituminous Coal		-	15,877	-	72,079	-	171,654	354,434	42,744	948	47,225
33.	Lignite Coal		-	17,378	-	198,583	284,815	69,090	2,230	4,456	-	-
34.	Coke		65,445	106,232	63	2,188	846	816	662	529	11,713	7,120

55. Iron Ores and Concentrates	75,522	74,028	-	69	-	-	-	-	-	60
56. Copper Ore and Concentrates	-	-	879	879	-	-	-	-	164,512	159,780
57. Other Ores and Concentrates	545,907	565,418	616	895	-	-	529	-	71,532	68,562
58. Base Bullion, Matte, Pig & Ingot (non-ferrous)	28,565	27,756	7,855	150	-	-	-	40	35,579	150
59. Sand and Gravel	78,462	87,281	19,739	19,639	-	-	641	641	165	216
40. Stone (crushed-ground-broken)	115,760	113,285	31,641	31,665	-	81	144	265	173	348
41. Slate, dimension or block stone	1,707	2,103	257	33	-	154	-	146	141	269
42. Crude Petroleum	579	646	-	9,084	15,163	19,089	57,294	43,593	-	-
43. Asphalt (natural, by-product petroleum)	2,398	5,109	37	299	150	726	2,784	2,136	203	558
44. Salt	18,811	16,032	1,364	1,480	1,430	1,482	1,986	2,202	150	2,242
45. Other Mine Products (not fully processed)	100,587	124,497	8,152	8,602	2,754	287	5,331	14,162	15,422	21,568
Total	875,055	1,595,711	70,995	421,944	303,138	282,060	591,124	130,200	377,456	415,571
<b>FOREST PRODUCTS</b>										
46. Logs, Posts, Poles, Piling	22,034	19,079	684	1,547	1,253	2,169	2,253	4,494	49,956	30,731
47. Cordwood and other Firewood	7,522	6,782	8,676	9,295	8,640	8,311	438	533	7,972	7,957
48. Ties	876	1,873	-	-	-	-	39	70	649	188
49. Pulpwood	134,257	142,340	25,399	5,962	9,623	26	8,865	25	85	-
50. Lumber, Timber, Box, Crate & Cooperage Material	129,859	175,141	3,784	15,250	3,299	8,202	21,937	23,172	197,722	14,534
50a. Plywood	1,702	3,993	11	756	71	171	22	856	8,249	574
51. Other Forest Products	5,660	9,118	786	1,406	2,148	2,085	419	474	5,954	1,564
Total	501,710	558,326	39,340	34,216	25,034	20,964	53,973	29,424	270,585	55,548
<b>MANUFACTURES AND MISCELLANEOUS</b>										
52. Gasoline	71,495	97,957	571	18,016	10,597	8,168	25,595	18,068	7,288	7,842
53. Petroleum Oils and other Petroleum Products (except asphalt and gasoline)	125,199	178,115	1,517	21,445	10,267	8,175	24,178	12,075	7,467	10,630
54. Sugar	2,972	9,764	65	1,120	-	3,170	5,076	2,643	2,202	740
55. Iron, pig and bloom	79,681	68,997	-	105	-	-	-	37	125	-
56. Rails and Fastenings	4,400	4,009	1,239	184	49	-	149	560	217	1,072
57. Iron and Steel (bar-sheet-structural-pipe)	74,800	88,822	7,583	9,575	115	1,648	573	17,252	2,311	6,510
58. Castings, Machinery and Boilers	8,775	11,614	391	907	78	352	789	1,897	742	2,465
59. Cement	38,289	45,369	4,076	2,319	-	2,488	19,755	18,225	662	1,437
60. Brick and Artificial Stone	7,137	25,582	430	2,823	1,371	1,935	7,101	4,030	532	2,341
61. Lime and Plaster	21,179	21,293	3,729	1,364	630	304	1,014	2,102	2,295	655
62. Sewer Pipe and Drain Tile	1,016	995	39	349	-	316	1,163	693	516	1,058
63. Agricultural Implements & Vehicles ex Autos	22,790	6,655	593	3,112	360	5,798	805	5,507	486	1,048
64. Automobiles, Auto Trucks and Auto Parts	42,471	33,530	241	3,187	87	3,580	209	5,280	184	5,465
65. Household Goods & Settlers' Effects	473	439	285	85	214	22	275	347	298	465
66. Furniture	2,267	878	487	814	287	575	78	1,148	392	665
67. Beverages	13,591	14,012	1,705	2,209	2,081	3,456	2,002	2,309	2,873	2,754
68. Fertilizers, all kinds	42,441	33,371	528	4,272	139	4,256	4,410	4,651	53,644	1,234
69. Newsprint paper	85,301	16,708	8,892	1,865	-	459	-	1,233	7,812	47
70. Other paper	13,540	15,595	59	2,138	-	527	-	917	1,651	1,417
71. Paperboard, Pulpboard and Wallboard (paper)	17,513	19,157	97	3,300	-	182	5	1,708	553	1,213
72. Wood Pulp	81,507	13,548	135	-	25	-	-	-	18,843	701
73. Fish (fresh, frozen, cured, etc.)	86	1,102	519	638	90	212	40	134	791	95
74. Canned Goods (all canned food products)	19,794	10,124	1,148	4,980	195	2,577	931	5,533	4,806	4,443
75. Other Manufactures and Miscellaneous	325,162	284,506	26,344	39,136	17,186	12,111	24,907	36,271	51,090	46,493
76. Merchandise (all L.C.L. Freight)	75,235	75,238	13,286	11,732	11,471	15,082	13,156	15,756	9,822	15,813
Total	1,177,114	1,075,380	73,737	135,671	55,242	75,393	132,211	156,376	157,600	116,603
GRAND TOTAL	2,865,759	4,001,969	541,302	677,413	1,045,629	475,989	1,135,912	445,127	862,954	654,736

December, 1950



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**REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS**  
 During the month of December, 1950 (Tons = 2,000 lbs.)

	Newfound-land	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskat- chewan	Alberta	British Columbia
<b>LOADED AT STATIONS</b>										
Agricultural Products	564	17,929	5,030	24,330	71,570	487,120	337,357	639,734	342,480	48,590
Animal Products	227	1,356	1,690	2,690	10,258	24,780	19,853	22,481	34,124	8,723
Mine Products	20,328	-	565,618	32,986	301,959	875,035	70,995	303,138	591,124	377,456
Forest Products	2,793	1,109	50,636	93,347	295,640	301,710	39,340	25,034	33,973	270,585
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	15,381	2,297	149,316	105,440	809,515	1,177,114	73,757	55,242	132,211	157,600
<b>Total</b>	<b>39,293</b>	<b>22,691</b>	<b>772,290</b>	<b>258,793</b>	<b>1,488,942</b>	<b>2,865,759</b>	<b>541,302</b>	<b>1,045,629</b>	<b>1,133,912</b>	<b>862,954</b>
<b>RECEIVED FROM FOREIGN CONNECTIONS</b>										
Agricultural Products	-	-	3,964	20,915	31,132	320,976	4,495	2,467	3,137	10,851
Animal Products	-	-	280	1,718	4,932	78,754	508	150	-	618
Mine Products	-	-	396	1,532	368,271	851,560	19,698	2,911	1,231	18,958
Forest Products	-	-	3,670	2,138	14,380	68,077	392	287	122	12,340
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	-	-	5,595	39,539	190,501	891,716	15,302	6,408	929	20,447
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>13,905</b>	<b>65,842</b>	<b>609,216</b>	<b>2,211,083</b>	<b>40,395</b>	<b>12,223</b>	<b>5,419</b>	<b>63,214</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>										
Agricultural Products	564	17,929	8,994	45,245	102,702	808,096	341,852	642,201	345,617	59,441
Animal Products	227	1,356	1,970	4,408	15,190	103,534	20,361	22,631	34,124	9,341
Mine Products	20,328	-	566,014	34,518	670,230	1,726,595	90,693	306,049	592,355	396,414
Forest Products	2,793	1,109	54,306	95,485	310,020	369,787	39,732	25,321	34,095	282,925
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	15,381	2,297	154,911	144,979	1,000,016	2,068,830	89,059	61,650	133,140	178,047
<b>Total</b>	<b>39,293</b>	<b>22,691</b>	<b>786,195</b>	<b>324,635</b>	<b>2,098,158</b>	<b>5,076,842</b>	<b>581,697</b>	<b>1,057,852</b>	<b>1,139,331</b>	<b>926,168</b>
<b>UNLOADED AT STATIONS</b>										
Agricultural Products	4,924	4,263	21,549	18,407	193,707	933,576	69,512	92,339	116,562	56,913
Animal Products	820	348	3,465	2,582	19,345	38,976	16,070	5,233	10,565	10,501
Mine Products	12,009	10,686	423,659	121,509	599,555	1,595,711	421,944	282,060	130,200	415,371
Forest Products	3,159	738	17,561	21,690	203,343	358,326	34,216	20,964	29,424	55,548
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	19,008	12,199	128,161	82,024	500,009	1,075,380	135,671	75,393	156,376	116,603
<b>Total</b>	<b>39,920</b>	<b>28,234</b>	<b>594,395</b>	<b>246,212</b>	<b>1,515,959</b>	<b>4,001,969</b>	<b>677,413</b>	<b>475,989</b>	<b>443,127</b>	<b>654,736</b>
<b>DELIVERED TO FOREIGN CONNECTIONS</b>										
Agricultural Products	-	1,715	50,114	133,473	144,447	367,914	8,180	10,635	153	152,134
Animal Products	-	-	534	1,327	15,544	64,710	8,313	7,806	1,101	3,894
Mine Products	8,337	-	8,063	20,916	48,926	251,135	-	18,878	-	38,513
Forest Products	-	-	3,010	24,052	88,963	229,685	8,151	57,594	-	49,649
Manufactures and Miscellaneous	-	-	10,765	36,891	218,132	1,162,564	26,106	17,606	802	61,527
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,337</b>	<b>1,715</b>	<b>72,486</b>	<b>216,659</b>	<b>516,012</b>	<b>2,076,008</b>	<b>50,750</b>	<b>112,519</b>	<b>2,056</b>	<b>305,717</b>