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EXPRESS STATISTICS

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The following tables show the financial and operating statistics for 1927 of the express companies operating in Canada.

The Dominion Express Company changed its name during 1926 to the Canadian Pacific Express Company. This is a subsidiary company of the Canadian Pacific Railway and handles the express business of the parent company. The express business of the Canadian National system is handled by a department of the railway, but the accounts are kept separate and the data are included in this report. The British American Express Company operates over the Algoma Central and Hudson Bay and the Algoma Eastern railways. The business of the Central Canada Express Company over the Central Canada, the Edmonton, Dunvegan and British Columbia and the Alberta Great Waterways railways was handled by the Canadian National during 1927. The American Railway Express Company operates mainly over the Canadian sections of the United States railways.

The express privileges shown in the following tables are the amounts paid to carriers for transporting the express matter. The capital of the Canadian National Express Department is the capital of the original express companies and advances from the railway.

SUMMARY OF ALL COMPANIES

Year Ended :	Gross	:	Operating	:	Express	:	Net Operating
June 30 :	Earnings	:	Expenses	:	Privileges	:	Revenue
1911	\$ 9,913,018		\$ 4,151,228		\$ 4,553,861		\$ 1,207,969
1912	10,994,418		4,880,120		4,892,242		1,222,056
1913	12,827,479		5,743,545		6,324,320		759,614
1914	12,646,452		6,246,632		6,016,364		383,456
1915	11,311,797		5,632,904		5,610,224		68,669
1916	12,860,629		5,794,517		6,146,399		919,713
1917	16,836,374		7,687,656		8,052,606		1,096,112
1918	18,680,092		9,354,667		8,875,181		450,244
1919	21,157,930		11,792,500		11,347,767		Dr. 1,982,337
Year Ended							
Dec. 31st							
1919	24,933,219		13,227,652		12,936,615		Dr. 1,231,048
1920	30,512,504		16,120,880		16,009,460		Dr. 1,617,836
1921	32,504,894		15,601,187		16,549,915		353,792
1922	28,697,332		13,596,518		14,581,789		519,025
1923	27,625,700		13,217,780		14,342,410		65,511
1924	26,196,017		12,723,651		13,557,168		Dr. 84,802
1925	25,876,342		12,336,485		13,312,960		226,897
1926	26,554,378		12,442,257		13,466,863		645,258
1927	26,532,182		12,548,374		13,275,355		708,453

THE HISTORY OF THE
CITY OF BOSTON
FROM 1630 TO 1800

By JOHN W. COOPER, Esq.
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CHAPTER I.

1630

1631

The first settlement in the city of Boston was made in 1630, when a number of English emigrants, led by John Winthrop, arrived in the harbor. They were the first of a large number of Puritan settlers who came to the city in the following years. The city was founded on a small island in the harbor, and was at first a simple fishing village. It was not until 1630 that it became a permanent settlement. The city was named after the town of Boston in Lincolnshire, England, and was the first of a number of cities named after English towns.

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Table No. 1

CAPITAL

Line No.		American Railway	British American
1.	Stocks	\$ -----	\$100,000.00
2.	Bonds	-----	-----
3.	Total	-----	100,000.00

Table No. 2

INVESTMENTS IN LAND, BUILDINGS & EQUIPMENT

4.	Land and Buildings	393.06	-----
5.	Equipment	92,989.01	396.12
6.	Total	93,382.07	396.12

Table No. 3

INCOME ACCOUNT

7.	Gross Receipts from Operation	1,427,166.71	35,211.36
8.	Express Privileges	971,421.93	17,605.70
9.	Operating Revenues	455,744.78	17,605.66
10.	Operating Expenses	436,246.33	10,733.95
11.	Net Operating Revenue	19,498.45	6,871.71
12.	Net Revenue from Outside Operations	-----	-----
13.	Total Net Revenue	19,498.45	6,871.71
14.	Taxes	11,909.07	396.24
15.	Operating Income	7,589.38	6,475.47
16.	Other Income	-----	124.07
17.	Gross Corporate Income	7,589.38	6,599.54
18.	Deductions	-----	-----
19.	Net Corporate Income	7,589.38	6,599.54

Table No. 4

OPERATING REVENUESRevenue from Transportation:

20.	Express Revenue	1,323,919.77	35,211.36
21.	Miscellaneous Transportation Revenue	-----	-----
22.	Total from Transportation	1,323,919.77	35,211.36

Revenue from Outside Operations other than Transportation:

23.	Custom Brokerage Fees	-----	-----
24.	Money Orders - Domestic	-----	-----
25.	" " Foreign	-----	-----
26.	Travellers' cheques - Domestic	-----	-----
27.	" " Foreign	-----	-----
28.	C.O.D. cheques	-----	-----
29.	Telegraphic Transfers	-----	-----
30.	Letters of Credit	-----	-----
31.	Other Revenue - Finance Dept.	-----	-----
32.	Miscellaneous Revenue	103,246.94	-----
33.	Total	103,246.94	-----
34.	Gross Receipts from Operations	1,427,166.71	35,211.36

Table No. 5

EXPENSES

35.	Maintenance	38,974.82	-----
36.	Traffic	1,239.69	1,067.38
37.	Transportation	359,466.10	5,946.39
38.	General	36,565.72	3,720.18
39.	Total	436,246.33	10,733.95

Table No. 1

CAPITAL

Line No.	Canadian National Rly. Express Dept.	Canadian Pacific	Total
1.	\$ 2,768,800.00	\$ 5,000,000.00	\$ 7,868,800.00
2.	1,851,267.00	40,000.00	1,891,267.00
3.	4,620,067.00	5,040,000.00	9,760,067.00

Table No. 2

INVESTMENTS IN LAND, BUILDINGS & EQUIPMENT

4.	381,090.23	# 2,102,024.48	2,489,507.77
5.	940,576.92	1,103,623.55	2,137,535.60
6.	1,321,667.15	3,211,648.03	4,627,093.37

Table No. 3

INCOME ACCOUNT

7.	13,787,436.14	11,282,367.79	26,532,182.00
8.	6,252,889.69	6,033,437.97	13,275,355.29
9.	7,534,546.45	5,248,929.82	13,256,826.71
10.	6,386,033.38	5,715,360.49	12,548,374.15
11.	1,148,513.07	- 466,430.67	708,452.56
12.	-----	25,223.34	25,223.34
13.	1,148,513.07	- 441,207.33	733,675.90
14.	88,442.37	91,034.64	191,782.32
15.	1,060,070.70	- 532,241.97	541,893.58
16.	32,176.72	164,005.42	196,306.21
17.	1,092,247.42	- 368,236.55	738,199.79
18.	765.79	-----	765.79
19.	1,091,481.63	- 368,236.55	737,434.00

Table No. 4

OPERATING REVENUES

Revenue from Transportation:

20.	13,465,553.68	10,849,058.77	25,673,743.58
21.	-----	62,531.45	62,531.45
22.	13,465,553.68	10,911,590.22	25,736,275.03

Revenue from Outside Operations other than Transportation:

23.	5,588.02	17,336.86	22,924.88
24.	139,349.00	154,666.59	294,515.59
25.	5,158.91	16,665.96	21,824.87
26.	2,172.78	16,670.23	18,843.01
27.	-----	5,553.64	5,553.64
28.	152,045.60	108,576.05	260,621.65
29.	-----	4,299.48	4,299.48
30.	-----	21,466.93	21,466.93
31.	-----	23,803.06	23,803.06
32.	17,068.15	1,738.77	122,053.86
33.	321,882.46	370,777.57	795,906.97
34.	13,787,436.14	11,282,367.79	26,532,182.00

Table No. 5

EXPENSES

35.	224,570.14	196,164.48	459,709.44
36.	65,993.06	107,925.92	176,226.05
37.	5,691,576.24	4,946,823.41	11,003,812.14
38.	403,893.94	464,446.68	908,626.52
39.	6,386,033.38	5,715,360.49	12,548,374.15

Includes value of miscellaneous property not used exclusively in express operations.

Table No. 6

TAXES

Line No.	American Railway	British American
40. Prince Edward Island	\$ -----	\$ -----
41. Nova Scotia	-----	-----
42. New Brunswick	-----	-----
43. Quebec	1,607.55	-----
44. Ontario	6,962.77	75.66
45. Manitoba	1,193.50	-----
46. Saskatchewan	-----	-----
47. Alberta	-----	-----
48. British Columbia	1,960.77	-----
49. Yukon	-----	-----
50. Foreign	-----	-----
51. Dominion of Canada	184.48	320.58
52. Total Amount	11,909.07	396.24

Table No. 7

FINANCIAL PAPER

53. Money Orders - Domestic	-----	-----
54. " " Foreign	-----	-----
55. Travellers' cheques - Domestic	-----	-----
56. " " Foreign	-----	-----
57. C.O.D. cheques	-----	-----
58. Telegraphic Transfers	-----	-----
59. Other	-----	-----
60. Total	-----	-----

Table No. 8

OFFICES

61. Number of Express Offices	136	14
62. Number of Express Offices selling money orders	---	---

Table No. 9

MILEAGE OPERATED

63. Over Steam Railways	1,657.39	410.13
64. " Electric Railways	27.60	-----
65. " Steam Boat Lines	2,321.00	-----
66. " Stage Lines	1.50	-----
67. " Miscellaneous Lines	-----	-----
68. Total	4,003.49	410.13
69. Ocean Mileage	-----	-----
70. Total Mileage	4,003.49	410.13

Table No. 10

MILEAGE OPERATED BY PROVINCES

71. Prince Edward Island	-----	-----
72. Nova Scotia	-----	-----
73. New Brunswick	-----	-----
74. Quebec	159.40	-----
75. Ontario	919.90	410.13
76. Manitoba	218.02	-----
77. Saskatchewan	-----	-----
78. Alberta	-----	-----
79. British Columbia	1,862.17	-----
80. Yukon	844.00	-----
81. United States	-----	-----
82. Ocean Mileage	-----	-----
83. Total	4,003.49	410.13

Table No. 11

EMPLOYEES

84. Total Number of Employees	122	No full-time employees
85. Amount of Salaries & Wages	\$202,631.59	\$ 6,927.43

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Table No. 6

TAXES

Line No.	Canadian National Rly. Express Dept.	Canadian Pacific	Total
40.	\$ 19.50	\$ -----	\$ 19.50
41.	14,539.89	4,380.59	18,920.48
42.	5,414.24	1,462.28	6,876.52
43.	3,629.94	6,730.00	11,967.49
44.	## 53,531.32	50,288.21	110,857.96
45.	-----	5,092.70	6,286.20
46.	6,422.09	9,472.92	15,895.01
47.	4,249.21	7,490.62	11,739.83
48.	296.90	3,200.00	5,457.67
49.	-----	-----	-----
50.	339.28	660.00	999.28
51.	-----	2,257.32	2,762.38
52.	88,442.37	91,034.64	191,782.32

Table No. 7

FINANCIAL PAPER

53.	x 30,895,894.47	31,002,656.36	61,898,550.83
54.	501,922.19	816,172.03	1,318,094.22
55.	-----	3,844,700.00	3,844,700.00
56.	† 382,390.47	948,944.95	1,331,335.42
57.	-----	7,448,715.15	7,448,715.15
58.	-----	486,820.96	486,820.96
59.	-----	1,652,317.25	1,652,317.25
60.	31,780,207.13	46,200,326.70	77,980,533.83

Table No. 8

OFFICES

61.	1,871	1,607	3,628
62.	‡ 3,780	‡ 4,821	8,601

Table No. 9

MILEAGE OPERATED

63.	22,724.47	16,180.81	40,972.80
64.	204.53	106.50	334.63
65.	1,272.00	963.00	4,556.00
66.	-----	99.00	100.50
67.	18.00	-----	18.00
68.	24,219.00	17,349.31	45,981.93
69.	-----	14,227.00	14,227.00
70.	24,219.00	31,576.31	60,208.93

Table No. 10

MILEAGE OPERATED BY PROVINCES

71.	276.26	-----	276.26
72.	1,096.25	288.54	1,384.79
73.	1,247.94	665.23	1,913.17
74.	3,049.43	1,715.44	4,924.27
75.	6,599.13	4,104.15	12,033.31
76.	2,577.08	1,734.05	4,529.15
77.	3,720.84	3,506.80	7,227.64
78.	2,882.54	2,126.20	5,008.74
79.	2,703.48	2,947.10	7,512.75
80.	-----	-----	844.00
81.	66.05	261.80	327.85
82.	-----	14,227.00	14,227.00
83.	24,219.00	31,576.31	60,208.93

Table No. 11

EMPLOYEES

84.	2,998	1,948	5,068
85.	\$4,282,170.23	\$3,011,556.00	\$7,503,285.25

Increase due to revision of the provincial Corporations Tax Act.

x Includes amount of C.O.D. cheques. † Includes amount of Travellers' cheques- Domestic.

‡ Includes offices and branch offices.

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