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SUMMARY OF CANAL STATISTICS
FOR

MAY, 1925

Sault Ste. Marie Canals:

The total traffic through the Canadian and United States Canals showed an increase over that for May, 1924 of 1,337,997 tons. Flour, wheat and coarse grains showed considerable decreases but iron ore shipments were heavier by 1,591,440 tons and shipments of hard and soft coal were also heavier.

Welland Canal:

Wheat shipments were lighter than a year ago by 212,815 tons or 7,093,800 bushels. Oats were heavier by 75,926 tons, rye by 43,659 tons, iron and steel by 8,020 tons, pulpwood by 8,762 tons, soft coal by 94,202 tons. These with minor changes gave an increase in the total freight of 24,430 tons.

St. Lawrence Canals:

Total freight tonnage was heavier than for May, 1924 by 48,673 tons. The major decreases were in wheat, 201,769 tons or 6,725,600 bushels, corn 2,648 tons and flour 1,410 tons. These were more than offset by increases of 70,876 tons of oats, 52,853 tons of rye, 6,537 tons of oils, 11,032 tons of merchandise, 25,246 tons of pulpwood, 25,845 tons of hard coal, 25,533 tons of soft coal and 11,289 tons of sand and smaller decreases in other commodities.

Sault Ste. Marie Canal:

Canadian & American Locks

		May 1925	May 1924
Vessels	No.	2,846	2,641
Registered Tonnage	Tons	9,753,702	8,544,445
Passengers	No.	930	886
Flour	Bbls.	939,680	1,428,520
Wheat	Bushels	19,592,119	37,019,117
Other Grains	"	19,494,921	23,015,853
Iron Ores	Tons	8,221,331	6,629,891
Soft Coal	"	1,336,957	1,138,398
Hard Coal	"	212,127	61,004
Total Freight	"	11,210,211	9,872,214

Sault Ste. Marie Canal:

Canadian Lock

Vessels	No.	447	506
Registered Tonnage	Tons	821,229	849,986
Passengers	No.	924	859
Oats	Tons	31,113	58,849
Wheat	"	29,543	29,092
Flour	"	42,401	65,033
Total Freight	"	181,561	217,432

		May 1925	May 1924
<u>Welland Canal:</u>			
Vessels	No.	795	741
Registered Tonnage	Tons	694,930	691,128
Barley	"	17,963	15,641
Oats	"	110,218	34,292
Rye	"	66,632	22,973
Wheat	"	260,369	473,184
Soft Coal	"	147,410	53,208
Total Freight	#	719,765	695,335
<u>St. Lawrence Canal:</u>			
Vessels	No.	1,536	1,554
Registered Tonnage	Tons	824,865	790,742
Passengers	No.	300	1,130
Barley	Tons	17,310	13,253
Oats	"	106,744	35,868
Rye	"	70,876	18,023
Wheat	"	266,640	468,409
Iron and Steel	"	17,341	14,556
Petroleum & Other Oils	"	10,034	3,497
Pulpwood	"	57,826	32,580
Sawed Lumber	"	17,208	15,032
Hard Coal	"	35,578	9,733
Soft Coal	"	99,784	74,251
Sand	"	35,844	24,555
Total Freight	"	794,643	745,970
<u>Ottawa Canal:</u>			
Vessels	No.	378	316
Registered Tonnage	Tons	44,517	41,687
Passengers	No.	580	590
Total Freight	Tons	36,845	31,648
<u>Rideau Canal:</u>			
Vessels	No.	235	245
Registered Tonnage	Tons	16,571	17,025
Passengers	No.	148	101
Total Freight	Tons	12,601	14,722
<u>Chambly Canal:</u>			
Vessels	No.	183	130
Registered Tonnage	Tons	23,900	17,092
Passengers	No.	18	58
Total Freight	Tons	33,298	16,665
<u>Trent Canal:</u>			
Vessels	No.	189	167
Registered Tonnage	Tons	7,840	4,957
Passengers	No.	135	180
Total Freight	Tons	3,697	2,761
<u>Murray Canal:</u>			
Vessels	No.	53	37
Registered Tonnage	Tons	1,985	3,322
Passengers	No.	--	--
Total Freight	Tons	167	25
<u>St. Peters Canal:</u>			
Vessels	No.	147	112
Registered Tonnage	Tons	9,685	8,598
Passengers	No.	--	12
Total Freight	Tons	2,920	5,009
<u>St. Andrews Canal:</u>			
Vessels	No.	22	12
Registered Tonnage	Tons	4,300	2,447
Passengers	No.	--	--
Total Freight	Tons	3,871	72

OPENING AND CLOSING OF CANADIAN CANALSSt. Lawrence Canals

Year	<u>Lachine</u>		<u>Soulanges</u>		<u>St. Anne</u>		<u>Cornwall</u>		<u>Williamsburg</u>	
	Opened	Closed	Opened	Closed	Opened	Closed	Opened	Closed	Opened	Closed
1905	May 1	Dec. 2	May 1	Dec. 2	Apr. 16	Nov. 30	May 1	Dec. 7	May 1	Dec. 7
1906	Apr. 25	Dec. 4	Apr. 25	Dec. 4	Apr. 19	Nov. 30	Apr. 29	Dec. 6	Apr. 29	Dec. 6
1907	Apr. 30	Dec. 3	Apr. 30	Dec. 3	Apr. 22	Nov. 30	Apr. 29	Dec. 6	Apr. 29	Dec. 6
1908	May 2	Dec. 2	May 2	Dec. 2	Apr. 27	Nov. 30	May 1	Dec. 4	May 1	Dec. 5
1909	May 1	Dec. 3	May 1	Dec. 3	Apr. 30	Nov. 30	May 3	Dec. 6	May 1	Dec. 8
1910	May 1	Dec. 4	May 1	Dec. 4	Apr. 29	Dec. 1	Apr. 30	Dec. 5	May 1	Dec. 5
1911	May 1	Dec. 3	May 1	Dec. 3	Apr. 28	Nov. 30	May 1	Dec. 6	May 1	Dec. 7
1912	Apr. 28	Dec. 5	Apr. 28	Dec. 5	May 1	Nov. 30	Apr. 29	Dec. 10	Apr. 29	Dec. 12
1913	Apr. 22	Dec. 8	Apr. 22	Dec. 8	Apr. 19	Dec. 4	Apr. 16	Dec. 13	Apr. 16	Dec. 13
1914	Apr. 27	Dec. 8	Apr. 28	Dec. 8	Apr. 27	Dec. 3	Apr. 27	Dec. 12	Apr. 27	Dec. 12
1915	Apr. 22	Dec. 13	Apr. 22	Dec. 13	Apr. 18	Dec. 3	Apr. 15	Dec. 11	Apr. 15	Dec. 11
1916	Apr. 26	Dec. 15	Apr. 26	Dec. 15	Apr. 25	Dec. 2	Apr. 24	Dec. 14	Apr. 24	Dec. 16
1917	Apr. 25	Dec. 15	Apr. 25	Dec. 15	Apr. 25	Nov. 30	Apr. 17	Dec. 12	Apr. 17	Dec. 10
1918	Apr. 30	Dec. 17	Apr. 30	Dec. 17	Apr. 26	Nov. 30	Apr. 24	Dec. 17	Apr. 24	Dec. 16
1919	Apr. 16	Dec. 12	Apr. 18	Dec. 12	Apr. 17	Nov. 30	Apr. 17	Dec. 13	Apr. 17	Dec. 13
1920	May 1	Dec. 11	May 1	Dec. 11	Apr. 19	Nov. 27	Apr. 30	Dec. 12	Apr. 29	Dec. 13
1921	Apr. 18	Dec. 14	Apr. 18	Dec. 14	Apr. 15	Nov. 30	Apr. 18	Dec. 15	Apr. 18) F. P.) Apr. 15)	Dec. 16
1922	Apr. 19	Dec. 13	Apr. 21	Dec. 11	May 1	Nov. 28	Apr. 18	Dec. 13	Apr. 18	Dec. 14
1923	May 1	Dec. 12	May 2	Dec. 12	May 1	Nov. 30	Apr. 30	Dec. 13	Apr. 30	Dec. 14
1924	Apr. 22	Dec. 13	Apr. 23	Dec. 12	May 1	Nov. 30	Apr. 22	Dec. 14	Apr. 22	Dec. 14

OPENING AND CLOSING OF CANADIAN CANALS

Year	Murray		Welland		Sault Ste. Marie		Chambly		St. Peters	
	Opened	Closed	Opened	Closed	Opened	Closed	Opened	Closed	Opened	Closed
1905	Apr.18	Dec.6	Apr.24	Dec.23	Apr.14	Dec.20	May 1	Nov.30	Apr.29	Dec.23
1906	Apr.17	Dec.6	Apr.16	Dec.17	Apr.14	Dec.22	May 1	Nov.30	Apr.23	Jan.15/1
1907	Apr.15	Dec.5	Apr.15	Dec.16	Apr.18	Dec.15	May 1	Nov.30	May 1	Jan.15/6
1908	Apr.20	Dec.8	Apr.14	Dec.17	Apr.21	Dec.15	May 4	Nov.30	Apr.28	Jan.2/9
1909	Apr.12	Dec.7	Apr.15	Dec.20	Apr.20	Dec.17	May 1	Nov.30	Apr.12	Jan.2/10
1910	Apr.1	Dec.5	Apr.15	Dec.15	Apr.12	Dec.15	Apr.25	Dec.1	Apr.4	Jan.16/1
1911	Apr.19	Dec.4	Apr.15	Dec.15	Apr.22	Dec.14	May 1	Nov.30	Apr.22	Jan.11/12
1912	Apr.22	Dec.16	Apr.22	Dec.19	Apr.24	Dec.19	May 1	Nov.30	Apr.23	Jan.31/13
1913	Apr.10	Dec.10	Apr.15	Dec.18	Apr.13	Dec.15	Apr.21	Nov.30	Apr. 9	Jan.12/14
1914	Apr.21	Dec.9	Apr.15	Dec.18	Apr.20	Dec.14	May 1	Nov.30	Apr.29	Dec.26
1915	Apr.15	Dec.8	Apr.15	Dec.15	Apr.13	Dec.15	May 1	Dec.1	Closed	
1916	Apr.17	Dec.7	Apr.22	Dec.16	Apr.18	Dec.19	May 1	Dec.1	Sep.1	Jan.18/17
1917	Apr.18	Dec.1	Apr.18	Dec.8	Apr.25	Dec.16	May 1	Nov.27	Apr.16	Jan.15/18
1918	Apr.21	Dec.7	Apr.23	Dec.20	Apr.23	Dec.17	May 1	Nov.30	May 3	Jan.13/19
1919	Apr.14	Dec.4	Apr.19	Dec.13	Apr.11	Dec.15	May 1	Nov.30	Apr.10	Jan.3/20
1920	Apr.12	Dec.4	Apr.19	Dec.15	Apr.23	Dec.22	May 1	Dec.1	Apr.19	Jan.10/21
1921	Apr.12	Dec.5	Apr.15	Dec.19	Apr.9	Dec.16	Apr.18	Nov.30	Apr.19	Jan.19/22
1922	Apr.19	Dec.9	Apr.17	Dec.14	Apr.17	Dec.24	May 1	Nov.30	Apr.24	Jan.6/23
1923	Apr.24	Dec.8	Apr.25	Dec.15	May 1	Dec.26	May 7	Nov.30	May 7	Jan.19/24
1924	Apr.15	Dec.9	Apr.16	Dec.13	Apr.19	Dec.15	May 1	Nov.30	Apr.23	Jan.6/25

OPENING AND CLOSING OF CANADIAN CANALS

Year	Rideau		Carillon & Grenville		Trent				St. Andrews	
	Opened	Closed	Opened	Closed	Opened		Closed		Opened	Closed
					From	To	From	To		
1905	May 1	Nov. 2	May 1	Nov. 30	Apr. 28	-	Nov. 2	-	-	-
1906	Apr. 23	Nov. 27	Apr. 30	Nov. 30	Apr. 10	-	Nov. 10	Dec. 1	-	-
1907	May 1	Nov. 29	May 1	Nov. 30	Apr. 20	Jul. 6	Oct. 26	Nov. 28	-	-
1908	May 1	Nov. 30	May 1	Nov. 30	Apr. 16	May 23	Oct. 7	Nov. 14	-	-
1909	May 1	Nov. 30	May 1	Nov. 30	Apr. 17	May 10	Nov. 1	Nov. 27	-	-
1910	Apr. 28	Nov. 29	Apr. 29	Dec. 1	Apr. 2	Apr. 24	Nov. 1	Nov. 26	May 1	Oct. 29
1911	May 1	Nov. 29	May 1	Nov. 30	Apr. 15	May 15	Nov. 1	Dec. 16	May 4	Oct. 25
1912	May 1	Nov. 30	May 1	Nov. 30	Apr. 23	May 20	Oct. 26	Dec. 1	May 6	Oct. 31
1913	May 1	Dec. 1	Apr. 21	Nov. 29	Apr. 26	May 25	Oct. 20	Dec. 18	June 2	Oct. 31
1914	May 1	Nov. 30	May 1	Nov. 28	Apr. 7	May 13	Oct. 29	Dec. 5	May 16	Oct. 19
1915	May 2	Nov. 30	Apr. 21	Nov. 27	Apr. 17	May 18	Oct. 25	Dec. 4	May 2	Oct. 22
1916	May 1	Nov. 30	Apr. 29	Nov. 30	Apr. 26	May 18	Oct. 14	Dec. 9	May 23	Oct. 26
1917	May 1	Nov. 30	Apr. 26	Nov. 26	Apr. 18	June 2	Oct. 24	Dec. 4	May 14	Oct. 26
1918	May 1	Nov. 30	May 1	Nov. 30	Apr. 20	May 25	Oct. 25	Dec. 4	May 1	Oct. 2
1919	May 1	Nov. 27	May 1	Nov. 25	Apr. 12	May 21	Oct. 23	Nov. 25	May 10	Oct. 28
1920	May 1	Nov. 30	May 1	Nov. 30	Apr. 24	May 18	Oct. 19	Nov. 20	June 2	Oct. 31
1921	May 1	Nov. 30	Apr. 15	Nov. 30	Apr. 6	May 20	Oct. 6	Dec. 1	May 29	Oct. 31
1922	May 1	Nov. 30	May 1	Nov. 30	Apr. 5	May 20	Oct. 26	Nov. 26	May 2	Oct. 31
1923	May 1	Nov. 30	May 1	Nov. 30	Apr. 23	May 23	Oct. 25	Dec. 4	May 29	Oct. 31
1924	May 1	Nov. 30	May 1	Nov. 30	Apr. 26	May 20	Oct. 24	Nov. 29	May 26	Nov. 1



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