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SUMMARY OF CANAL TRAFFIC

JUNE, 1945.

Sault Ste. Marie Canals - Canadian and United States Locks: The Canadian lock, which was shut for repairs in May, reopened June 26. Total traffic through the Canadian and United States locks amounted to 15,467,778 tons as compared with 17,043,769 tons in June 1944. East-bound iron ore declined from 12,541,108 to 10,872,633 tons, west-bound soft coal decreased from 2,346,163 to 1,737,058 tons and oil and gasoline from 120,965 to 106,310 tons. Wheat increased from 1,294,800 to 1,900,844 tons and west-bound stone from 124,411 to 148,509 tons.

Welland Ship Canal: Traffic using the canal increased to 1,706,347 tons from 1,523,657 tons in June 1944. Wheat increased by 228,776 tons or 7,625,900 bushels, gasoline by 24,790 tons and pulpwood by 20,774 tons. Barley decreased by 24,274 tons, soft coal by 56,165 tons, iron ore by 19,164 tons and sand, gravel and stone by 23,210 tons

St. Lawrence Canals: Traffic using the canals increased to 878,551 tons from 828,847 tons in June 1944. Wheat accounted for an increase of 202,848 tons, pulpwood increased by 23,598 tons, petroleum and other oils by 4,921 tons and flaxseed by 4,434 tons. Barley decreased by 13,025 tons, paper by 17,857 tons, soft coal by 125,914 tons and other ore (largely bauxite) by 25,519 tons.

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		Canadian Lock	Canadian & U.S. Locks	Canadian Lock	Canadian & U.S. Locks
<u>Sault Ste. Marie Canals</u>					
<u>EAST BOUND</u>					
Lumber	Short Tons	-	-	-	-
Pulpwood	" "	1,806	102,382	27,024	90,614
Flour	" "	1,790	21,162	11,972	15,300
Wheat	" "	17,943	1,900,844	113,854	1,294,800
Other Grains	" "	10,724	337,585	69,415	298,690
Copper and Zinc	" "	-	-	-	-
Iron Ore	" "	-	10,872,633	-	12,541,108
Scrap Iron	" "	-	12,720	-	6,200
Structural Steel	" "	-	20,947	9,015	24,403
Stone	" "	800	3,900	3,000	3,000
Other Freight	" "	2,430	36,488	39,791	51,867
Total	" "	35,493	13,308,661	274,071	14,325,982
Passengers	Number	932	3,677	3,644	3,644
<u>WEST BOUND</u>					
Coal, soft	Short Tons	20	1,737,058	58,623	2,346,163
Coal, hard	" "	-	92,490	-	44,581
Coke	" "	-	-	-	-
Iron Ore	" "	-	10,304	-	11,280
Structural Steel	" "	-	9,701	801	6,667
Salt	" "	-	6,094	2,620	8,480
Oil and Gasoline	" "	2,992	106,310	30,262	120,965
Stone	" "	-	148,509	-	124,411
Other Freight	" "	5,634	48,651	44,099	55,240
Total	" "	8,646	2,159,117	136,405	2,717,787
Passengers	Number	547	4,255	4,043	4,043
Total Freight Short Tons		44,139	15,467,778	410,476	17,043,769
Total Passengers No.		1,529	7,932	7,687	7,687
Vessels		61	3,014	517	3,231
Registered Tonnage Net		79,556	11,581,726	864,845	12,265,795

Welland Ship Canal:

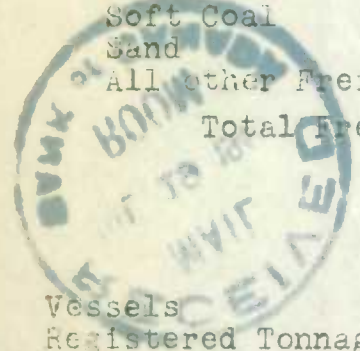
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June, 1944

Vessels	No.	764	780
Registered Tonnage	Tons	1,573,185	1,398,891
Passengers	No.	546	4
Barley	Tons	6,509	30,783
Corn	"	-	-
Oats	"	9,815	10,641
Rye	"	-	-
Wheat	"	344,818	116,042
Flour	"	-	75
Gasolene	"	113,774	88,984
Petroleum & Other Oils	"	190,478	195,647
Sugar	"	826	443
Pulpwood	"	70,816	50,042
Autos and Parts	"	71	61
Paper	"	15,290	14,900
Wood Pulp	"	-	-
Soft Coal	"	635,972	692,137
Coke	"	24,959	20,692
Iron Ore	"	170,373	189,537
Sand	"	10,703	33,913
All other freight	"	111,943	79,760
Total Freight	"	1,706,347	1,523,657

St. Lawrence Canals:

Vessels	No.	959	964
Registered Tonnage	Tons	761,109	750,713
Passengers	No.	1,820	1,473
Barley	Tons	157	13,182
Corn	"	2,743	-
Oats	"	1,216	3,726
Rye	"	103	-
Wheat	"	232,510	29,462
Flour	"	-	-
Gasolene	"	43,005	46,188
Petroleum & other Oils	"	28,366	23,445
Sugar	"	3,766	3,683
Pulpwood	"	54,526	30,928
Autos and Parts	"	170	75
Paper	"	16,393	34,250
Wood Pulp	"	268	267
Hard Coal	"	13,643	14,639
Soft Coal	"	247,368	473,282
Sand	"	23,400	26,600
All other Freight	"	104,917	129,120
Total Freight	"	872,351	828,847



<u>Ottawa River Canal</u>		:	<u>Rideau Canal</u>		:	<u>Richelieu River Canal</u>		
1945	:	1944	1945	:	1944	1945	:	1944

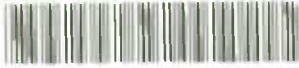
Vessels	No.	126	202	8	5	36	42
Registered Tonnage	Tons	32,988	43,304	694	210	6,378	7,392
Passengers	No.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Freight	Tons	33,202	38,055	33	186	5,981	8,164
Pleasure Craft Lockages		4	94	1,070	605	17	2

<u>Trent Canal</u>		:	<u>Murray Canal</u>		:	<u>St. Peter's Canal</u>	
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Vessels	No.	259	263	7	11	70	134
Registered Tonnage	Tons	9,424	8,204	3,060	6,871	5,514	44,615
Passengers	No.	693	715	-	-	17	10
Total Freight	Tons	8,591	6,259	-	-	1,163	46,473
Pleasure Craft Lockages		-	-	47	23	-	-

<u>St. Andrew's Canal</u>		:	<u>All Canadian Canals</u>			
1945	:	1944	:	1945	:	1944

Vessels	No.	82	88	2,372	3,006
Registered Tonnage	Tons	9,229	10,191	2,481,137	3,135,236
Passengers	No.	606	581	5,211	10,470
Total Freight	Tons	1,295	1,721	2,673,102	2,863,838
Pleasure Craft Lockages		26	17	-	-



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