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BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED IN CANADA, JULY, 1944.
The July report of Building Pormits included returns from 182 of the 204 municipalities in Canada which have systems for issuing such permits and of this rumber 164 reported detailed operations. The remaining 18 advised that no permits had been issued durine the month of July, while 22 municipailties had failed to report at the close of August lith.

The total value of permits reported as issued in the month of july is $\$ 12,878,145$. Revised values for the month of June include returns from 203 municipalitios and eggregate $\$ 14,673,080$. Reports were received from 54 of the 58 original municipalities and show a value of $\$ 9,478,969$ for July. The corresponding revised value of June includes 58 returns and is $\$ 10,519,893$ while the July 1943 value was $37,872,172$.

The total value of permits issued by all municipalities during the seven elapsed months of this year is $\$ 76,374,548$. The value of the 58 municipalities for the same period is $\$ 56,193,341$, while their corresponding value in 1943 was \$34,494,071.

During the month of July new construction of all types amounted to 76.1 per cont of the total value, while the percentage of new residential construction mas 51.8.

Table No. 4 is arranged $s o$ as to give complete information as to the number and description of now housing units (new building and conversions).

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Tatie 1. - Values and Classification of Building Permits iesued by 282 Municipalitios
is Curada, by Provinces, July, 1944.

| Classification of Permits | CANADA | Provínoes |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Prince Edward Is land | Nove Scotis | New <br> Brunewick | Quebua |
| Al1 Pormits Total Value | 12,878,145 | 2,200 | 1,993,432 | 107.793 | 3,685,175 |
| New Construction | 9,802,936 | - | 1,935,435 | 69,545 | 2,586,905 |
| Additions, Alterations, Repairs | 3,075,209 | 2,200 | 57,997 | 38,248 | 1,098,270 |
| Residential | 7,726.588 | 800 | 165,558 | 24,993 | 2,505,829 |
| New Construction | 6,661,321 | - | 131,775 | 8,645 | 2,218,930 |
| Additions, Alturations, Ropairs | 2,065,267 | 800 | 33,783 | 16,34.2 | 286,899 |
| InstitutionsNew Construction | 2,963,103 | - | 2,802,100 | 3,700 | 568,211 |
|  | 2,1)89,534 | - | 1,800,000 | - 70 | 42,000 |
| Additions, Alteratione, Frepairs | 873,549 | - | 2,100 | 3,700 | 526,211 |
| Commercial | 1,086,635 | 1,400 | 25,714 | 51,700 | 141,475 |
| New Construction | 508,010 | - | 3.600 | 36,000 | 65, 100 |
| Additions, Alterations, Repairs | 578,625 | 1,400 | 22,114 | 15.700 | 76,375 |
| IndustrialNew Construction | 936,078 | - | - | 2,500 | 409,570 |
|  | 445,340 | - | - | - | 249.100 |
| Additions, Alterations, Repairs | 490,138 | - | - | 2,500 | 150, 470 |
| Other Building | 165,741 | - | 60 | 24,900 | 60,090 |
| New Construction | 98,111 | - | 60 | 24.900 | 11,775 |
| Classifioation of Permits | Provinces (Con.) |  |  |  |  |
|  | Catario | Manitoba | Saskatchowan | Alberta | Britうsh Columbia |
| All Permits Total TalueNew Construction | 3,818,555 | 749,180 | 315,125 | 889,054 |  |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & 2,533.573 \\ & 1,284.982 \end{aligned}$ | 637,255 | 214,314 | 779,387 |  |
| Additions, Alterations, Repairs |  | 111,925 | 100,811 | 109,667 | $\begin{array}{r} 1,046,522 \\ 271,109 \end{array}$ |
| Rosidential | 2,399,828 | 592,580 | $\begin{aligned} & 188,794 \\ & 143,734 \end{aligned}$ | 728.979 | 1,119.227 |
|  | 1,974,163 | 559,355 |  | 657,167 | 967,552 |
| Additions, Alterations, Repairs | 425,665 | 33,225 | 143,734 45,060 | 71,812 | 151,675 |
| Institutional | 522,285 | 11,650 | 3,500 | 13,880 | 37.777 |
| New Construction | $\begin{aligned} & 240,724 \\ & 281,561 \end{aligned}$ | $11,650$ | - | 6,830 | - |
| Additions, Alterations, Repairs |  |  | 3,500 | 7.050 | 37.777 |
| Commercial | 405,275 | 96,700 | 113,951 | 121,195 | 129.225 |
| New Construction | $\begin{aligned} & 140,085 \\ & 265,190 \end{aligned}$ | 29,850 | $\begin{aligned} & 68,200 \\ & 45,751 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 97.070 \\ & 24.125 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 68,105 \\ & 61,120 \end{aligned}$ |
| Additions, Alterations, Repairs |  | 66,850 |  |  |  |
| Industrial | 467.843 | 13.500 | 5,000 | 14.440 | 23,225 |
| New Construction | $\begin{aligned} & 167,500 \\ & 300,343 \end{aligned}$ | 13,500 | - | 10,340 | 5.500 |
| Additions, Alterations, Repairs |  |  | 5,000 | 4,100 | 17,725 |
| Other Building | $23,324$ | 34,750 | 3,880 | 10.560 | 8,177 |
| Now Construction | $\begin{aligned} & 11,101 \\ & 12,223 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 34.550 \\ 200 \end{array}$ | 2,380 | 7,980 | $5,365$ |
|  |  |  | 1,500 | 2,580 | 2,812 |

BUILDING PERNITS, JULY, 1944.
Table 2. - Cumulative and Comparative Record of Building Permite and theis indexes, together with average indexes of wholesale prices of buildinc materiais, 1920-1944.
(1926-100)

| Year | Value of Building Permits Issued |  |  | Index of Value of Building Parmits |  |  | Average Index Wholesale Prices Building Materials |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | July | June | First 7 months | July | June | First 7 months | July | June | First 7 months |
| 1944 | 12,878,145 | 14,673,080(1) | 76,374,548 | $50.7(2)$ | 55.1 (2) | $57.7(2)$ | (3) | 127.4 | (3) |
| 1943 | 9,910,504 | 8,075,997 | 45,185,921 | 42.1 (2) | 31.6(2) | 35.4 (2) | 119.3 | 119.1 | 118.7 |
| 1942 | 10,677,733 | 12,934,835 | 61,979,026 | $42.0(2)$ | 40.8 (2) | 46.0 (2) | 214.5 | 114.9 | 114.6 |
| 1941 | 12,905,287 | 11,693,494 | $76,611,855$ | $51.2(2)$ | $45.6(2)$ | 59.6(2) | 109.0 | 108.4 | 103.6 |
| 1940 | 11,961,321 | 9,992,539 | $59,783,865$ | 47.5(2) | 41.4(2) | $54.7(2)$ | 96.4 | 95.2 | 95.0 |
| 1939 | 6,584,125 | 7,849,970 | 33,64,7,625 | 35.2 | 41.9 | 34.5 | 88.6 | 88.5 | 87.5 |
| 1938 | 6,114,843 | $6,577,474$ | 32,067,412 | 32.7 | 35.1 | 32.9 | 87.4 | 89.0 | 90.2 |
| 1937 | 5,529,295 | 6,005,958 | 33,586,237 | 29.6 | 32.1 | 34.5 | 95.7 | 96.4 | 95.9 |
| 1986 | 5,029,802 | 4,656,689 | 23,352,686 | 26.9 | 24.9 | 24.0 | 85.2 | 84.8 | 84.5 |
| 1985 | 4,396,402 | 5,104,855 | 29,036,913 | 23.5 | 27.3 | 29.8 | 81.2 | 81.0 | 81.8 |
| 1934 | 3,257.470 | 2,411,460 | $13,668,847$ | 17.4 | 12.9 | 14.0 | 83.2 | 83.9 | 82.8 |
| 1985 | 2,180,403 | 3,589,204 | 12,496,302 | 11.7 | 29.2 | 12.7 | 80.8 | 78.9 | 76.5 |
| 1932 | $4.412,169$ | 5,028,324 | 28,753,213 | 25.6 | 26.9 | 29.5 | 75.6 | 76.8 | 78.1 |
| 1931 | 11,042,609 | 8,593,958 | 69,993,717 | 59.1 | 45.9 | 71.8 | 82.4 | 82.8 | 83.3 |
| 1930 | 15,824,781 | 18,621,487 | 101,238,766 | 84.7 | 99.5 | 103.9 | 89.5 | 92.2 | 94.2 |
| 1929 | 22,702,584 | 27,816,592 | $147,311,851$ | 121.5 | 148.6 | 151.2 | 98.9 | 98.6 | 99.2 |
| 1928 | 25,761,956 | 22,751,960 | 127,798,943 | 137.9 | 121.6 | 131.2 | 97.9 | 96.5 | 96.2 |
| 1927 | 16,369,195 | 18,363,239 | 97,211,914 | 87.6 | 98.1 | 99.8 | 96.7 | 95.5 | 96.1 |
| 1986 | 18,683,415 | 18,718,050 | 97.443 .834 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 99.5 | 100.8 |
| 1925 | $12,812,603$ | 14,915,884 | 78,712,320 | 68.6 | 79.7 | 80.8 | 102.9 | 103.3 | 103.1 |
| 1924 | 11,681.196 | 14.129.465 | 72,355,350 | 62.5 | 75.5 | 74.3 | 104.0 | 108.2 | 109.8 |
| 1923 | 13,078,549 | 15,100,888 | 86,126,043 | 70.0 | 80.1 | 88.4 | 113.5 | 112.9 | 111.7 |
| 1922 | 15,740,810 | 17,240,752 | 87,022,484 | 84.2 | 95.3 | 89.3 | 109.5 | 108.4 | 108.3 |
| 1921 | 10,965,891 | 14,240,934 | 66,737,575 | 58.7 | 76.1 | 68.5 | 119.4 | 119.9 | 130.2 |
| 1920 | 13,743,045 | 14,118,794 | 75,497,755 | 73.6 | 75.4 | 77.5 | 142.8 | 143.4 | 144.2 |

(1) Revised figures contrining returns fram 203 municipalities.
(2) Figurea based on velue reported by the original 58 municipalitios.
(3) Date not yet avellable.

Table 3. -- Value of Biilding Permits issued by 204 Municipolities in Canada in June and July, 1944, together with the aggregate for the first seven monthe of this year, and for 204 municipalities in July, 1943.
"N.P.I." - Indicates that no permits wore issued during the current month Wo Report"-Indioates that the municipality failad to furaish its monthly report.

|  | Velue of Permits Issued during - |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { July } \\ & 1944 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { June } \\ & 1944 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { July } \\ & 2943 \end{aligned}$ | fir <br> 7 Months |
| CANADA | 12,878,145 | 14,673,080(1) | 9,9115,304 | 76,574,548 |
| PRINCE EDTARD ISLAN | 2,200 | 7.285 (1) |  | 269,085 |
| Charlottetown | 2,200 | $7,285$ | N.P.I. | 269.085 |
| NOVA SCOTLA | 1,093,432 | 377,366(1) | 149,258 | 3,037,922 |
| Amherst | 5,450 | 3.950 | 4.775 | 30,650 |
| Bridgowater | 400 | 1,800 | 1,100 | 4,400 |
| Dartmouth | 10.280 | 22,242 | 595 | 56,052 |
| Glace Bay | 23,728 | 26.381 | 20,695 | 96,855 |
| $\times$ Falifax | 2,853,503 | 13,308 | 58.253 | 2,437,109 |
| Liverpool | N.P.I. | 3,500 | 700 | 5,825 |
| Lunenburg | N.F.I. | 1.3. : | N.P.I. | N,P.I. |
| New Glasgow | No Report | -3.24) | 11,355 | 49,065 |
| New Waterford | 5.925 | 15,275 | 2.025 | 31,975 |
| North Sydney | No Feport | N-1. ${ }^{\text {P }}$ | 450 | 9,550 |
| $x$ Sydney | 63,346 | 36,125 | 24,220 | 177.806 |
| Sydney Mines | 12, 500 | 9.10 | 4,600 | 32,750 |
| Trura | 12,800 | 39,650 | 19,180 | 95,016 |
| Yarmouth | Nio Report | 10.295 | 1.310 | 20,870 |
| NET BRUMSWICK | 107,793 | 248,070(1) | 480,987 | 605,764 |
| Cempbellton | 2,475 | $500$ | 350 | 24.488 |
| Chatham | 835 | W.P.I. | H.P.I. | 1,685 |
| Dalhousie | No enport | 2,050 | 250 | 14,335 |
| Fredericton | J,615 | 5.760 | 1,880 | 24,975 |
| $x$ Moncton | 50.155 | 87.180 | 21,640 | 305,891 |
| Nowcastle | S. 500 | 11,800 | 3,150 | 22,725 |
| x Saint John | 3.213 | 137,780 | 453,717 | 408,645 |
| St. Stephen | \%P.I. | 3,000 | N.P.I. | 3,000 |
| QUEEEC | 3,685. 175 | $4.379 .188(1)$ | 2,544,473 | 22,089,792 |
| Cap-de-la-Madoleine | 23, 760 | 4 t 270 | 22,120 | 129,265 |
| Chicoutimi | 50,910 | $3=650$ | 30,200 | 424,765 |
| Coaticook | E. 400 | 2.400 | 200 | 29.625 |
| Drumondville | 42,000 | 112,900 | 52,500 | 837,700 |
| Granby | Mo Report | 5.,019 | 25,865 | 160,289 |
| Grand Merco | 13,900 | 39,560 | 6,800 | 83,200 |
| Kampstead | N.P.I. | 123,600 | $\begin{array}{r}375 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 403,650 |
| तull | 13,343 | No rieport | 43,725 | 228,358 |
| Therville | 3,050 | 13,975 | 5,500 | 39,300 |
| joliette | 37,575 | 26,500 | 31,140 | 127,095 |
| Jonquiere | 28.500 85,725 | 37,900 $+3,770$ | 48,200 10,895 | 132,400 218,720 |
| Laprairie | 4,250 | 2,150 | 10,225 | 60.709 |
| La Tuque | So Report | 175,240 | 2,075 | 284.640 |

$x$ Indicates a municspality whose recorde are available back to 1910.
(1) Revised figures containing returns from municipalities not included in our june repart.

## BUILDIKG PERUITTS, JULY, 1944.

Table 3. - Value of Building Pormits issued by 204 Municipalities in Caneda in June and July. 1944, together with the aggregate for the first seven months of this your, and for 204 Municipalitios in July, 1943 - Continuod.

|  | Value of Permits Iseued during - |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { su2y } \\ & 1944 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { June } \\ & 1944 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { July } \\ & 1943 \end{aligned}$ | Piret 7 Montbs |
| Quester - (concluded) |  |  |  |  |
| dovio | 41,000 | 20.000 | 7,825 | 145,800 |
| Lorgueuil | 65,890 | 33,090 | 10,800 | 18.740 |
| Kégrantio | No Report | 5,710 | 710 | 17,575 |
| * Montrond (x Mesicornouve) | 1,870,980 | 2,132,639 | 1,347,312 | 10,826,409 |
| Morireal Elst | 170,301 | 180 | 735 | 183,431 |
| Mortirand warlh | 47,150 | 46.575 | 14.720 | 201,189 |
| Moutreal Went | ․P.I. | 1,150 | 1,500 | 9,150 |
| Mount Rom 1 | 97,965 | 164,910 | 37,730 | 1,207,060 |
| Noranda | 450 | 2,000 | 500 | 2.450 |
| Ourtremorit | 2,750 | 25,400 | 92,200 | 145.850 |
| Pointe eur Trembles | 25,250 | 30,750 | 2,675 | 94,410 |
| Pointe Clalio | No Repart | 76.200 | 4.745 | 134,375 |
| I Quobec | 295.535 | 493,570 | 178,146 | 1.746,240 |
| Rinouski | 2,225 | 9,300 | 625 | 49,725 |
| Rivisre du Loup | N.P.I. | 5,820 | 7,750 | 19,195 |
| Rouyn | No Report | 15.150 | 5,240 | 53,020 |
| Ste.Agathe-des-Monts | 10,000 | 5,300 | N.P.I. | 41,500 |
| Ste. Anne-de-Be 1 lenue | 80,100 | 1. 475 | M.P.I. | 102,630 |
| St. Hyac int ho | 31,575 | 44.165 | 14,695 | 259,060 |
| S\%. Jean | 36, 250 | 8,000 | 14,560 | 243,120 |
| St. intame | No Repart | 108,260 | N.P.I. | 218,400 |
| St. Jusaph do Grantham | Ho Report | 8,450 | 1,560 | 42.950 |
| St. Limbart | 61,500 | 34,390 | 16,085 | 120,655 |
| St. Laurent | 167,011 | 30,650 | 1,800 | 289.161 |
| Shawinigan Falle | 72,550 | 78,650 | 135,280 | 580,710 |
| x Sherbraok. | 96,050 | 63,525 | 42,850 | 572,170 |
| Sorel | 3,325 | 101,295 | 48,675 | 149,065 |
| $\times$ Trois Riviores | 72,805 | 43.460 | 11,505 | 321,236 |
| Valdar | 16,540 | 14,650 | 7,155 | 51,920 |
| Valloyfiold | 10.410 | 32,300 | 57,635 | 193,405 |
| Verdux | 89,100 | 47,750 | 182,950 | 627,520 |
| $x$ Westamount | $5,650)$ | 14,500 | 14,700 | 100,045 |
| CriARIO | 3,818, E55 | 5,112,639(1) | 3,889,791 | 26,115,686 |
| Naherst burg | 6,6(x) | 6.830 | N.P.I. | 33,080 |
| Burrie | 12,113 | 18,025 | 11.520 | 119,688 |
| Ballovillo | 32,275 | 10,925 | 11,700 | 114,475 |
| Bownanvill | No Report | M.P.I. | 150 | 4,825 |
| Bracabridgo | Ho Report | 1,500 | N.P.I. | 2,800 |
| Bramption | 30,669 | 26,324 | 6.029 | 102,368 |
| x Brantford | 32,048 | 47,012 | 38,645 | 249,905 |
| Brockrillo | 3,350 | 8,585 | H.P.I. | 45,245 |
| Bur lington | 66,284 | 12,07 | 3,900 | 215,969 |
| Sumpbellford | 1,600 | M.P.I. | N.P.I. | 9,100 |
| Chatham | 14.285 | 68.452 | 9,683 | 171.188 |
| Cobourg | 5,200 | 1,900 | 600 | 13,900 |
| Cochrane | M.P.I. | 5,850 | 300 | 6,250 |
| Collingwood | 2,505 | 1,513 | 5,350 | 7,808 |
| Cormwill | 23.390 | 56.035 | 30,500 | 245,310 |

$x$ Indicates a municipality whose records are availablo back to 1910.
(1) Revised Eigures containing return from micipalities not included in our Jun report.

## TRE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY IH CAYADA

## BUIIDING PKRRMTTS, JULY, 1944.

Table 3. - Value of Building Permits issuod by 204 Manioipelities in Camde in June and July, 1944, together with the aggrogate for the first soven monthe of this your, and for 204 Munioipalitias in suly, 1943. - Continued.

|  | Velue of Permits Issued during - |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | July $1944$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { תune } \\ & 1943 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { July } \\ & 1945 \end{aligned}$ | Plrst 7 Month |
| ONTARIO - (Continued) |  |  |  |  |
| Dundes ${ }^{\text {a }}$ ( ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 6,099 | 17,666 | 3,310 | 57,320 |
| Bestriew | 33,900 | 49.490 | 13,475 | 148,478 |
| East York Twp. | 137,540 | 160,375 | 191,560 | 1,081,220 |
| Etobicoke Twp. | 164,180 | 206,780 | 92,360 | 1,221,200 |
| Forest Fill | 118,550 | 220,625 | 76,450 | 909,275 |
| Fort Eric | 9,600 | 2,350 | 1,600 | 25,952 |
| Port franoes | 4,372 | 6,027 | 4,005 | 29,623 |
| $\times$ Fort William | 55,045 | 128,115 | 287,370 | 498,420 |
| Galt | 18,985 | 19,290 | 60,219 | 167.450 |
| Ganmioque | N.P.I. | 20,080 | 1,950 | 25,842 |
| Gloucester Twp. | 51,455 | 29,525 | 13,000 | 137,260 |
| Goderich | 8,965 | 2,671 | 575 | 14,171 |
| $\times$ Guelph | 10,160 | 42,905 | 9,000 | 125,200 |
| Bailoybury | N.P.I. | 15,420 | H.P.I. | 17.720 |
| $x$ Eamilton | 243,353 | 236,235 | 175,214 | 1,293,615 |
| Buover | N.P.I. | 6,500 | 350 | 18,000 |
| Bawkesbury | 1,500 | H.P.I. | 2,500 | 2,800 |
| guntevill | No Report | 2,265 | 625 | 27,626 |
| Ingersoll | 5,950 | 1,275 | 1,720 | 13,925 |
| Kapuskasing | 143,650 | 900 | 3,600 | 146,550 |
| Kenora | 6,620 | 5,170 | 3,957 | 21,682 |
| $\times$ Kingston | 52,956 | 103,768 | 58,595 | 338,659 |
| Kirkland Lake (Twp. of Teck) | 67,538 | 11,103 | 2,891 | 105,428 |
| $\times$ Eitohener | 103,077 | 90,015 | 127,834 | 560,953 |
| Loamington | N.F.I. | 4,300 | \%.P.I. | 10,900 |
| Las.sid | 87.000 | 36,840 | 115,555 | 765,625 |
| Lindsay | 12,400 | 775 | N.P.I. | 19.625 |
| Listow | No Report | 7.730 | I.P.I. | 7.750 |
| $\times$ London | 66,950 | 159,635 | 17.825 | 625,005 |
| Long Branch | 7.315 | 24,935 | 8,955 | 124,125 |
| Mimioo | 44.185 | 51.705 | 27,300 | 298,700 |
| Napanee | No Roport | 16,100 | 400 | 43,800 |
| How Liskeard | 805 | 13,775 | 425 | 21,865 |
| Newmarket | 3,300 | 5,000 | 6,775 | 128,750 |
| Hew Toronto | 5,405 | 31,925 | 17.700 | 147,24.5 |
| Miagara Falls | No kopart | 14,200 | 26,443 | 126,848 |
| North Bay | 27,125 | 10,190 | 3,325 | 62,248 |
| Yorth York Twp. | 136.595 | 301,245 | 116,740 | 1,838,737 |
| Oakville | 14,650 | 9,234 | 6,045 | 65,218 |
| Orillia | 34,150 | 23,345 | 5,810 | 96,199 |
| Oshawa | 96,210 | 79,365 | 31,420 | 457,165 |
| $\times$ Ot tawa | 222,541 | 437,093 | 156,125 | 1,921,902 |
| Owen Sound | 7,305 | 5,395 | 2,295 | 45,145 |
| Paris | 915 | 1,455 | 5,100 | 13,225 |
| Parry Sound | 2,100 | 650 | 3,650 | 5,685 |
| Pembroke | 26,887 | 51,230 | 4,210 | 96,867 |
| Perth | 2,500 | K. P.I. | N.P.I. | 2,635 |
| $\times$ Petorborough | 54,436 | 44,803 | 32,218 | 214,237 |

$x$ Indicates municipality whose records are available back to 1910.
(1) Revised rigures containing returns from munioipelities not included in our June report.

BUIIDIMO PERYITS, JULY, 1944.
Table 3. - Value of Building Formite issued by 204 Munioipalitios in canada in June and July, 1944, together with the egregat for the first soven months of this year, and for 204 Muniolpelition in July, 1943. - Continued.

|  | Value of Permits Issued during - |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { July } \\ & 1944 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { June } \\ & 1944 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Suly } \\ & 1943 \end{aligned}$ | First <br> 7 Monthe |
| artario - (conoluded) |  |  |  |  |
| Potrolie | H.P.I. | 1.P.I. | N.P.I. | 2,000 |
| $\times$ Port Arthur | 88,890 | 87,222 | 43,666 | 328,045 |
| Port Colborne | 52,790 | 26,182 | 3,279 | 140,240 |
| Preston | 250 | 5,604 | 9,935 | 18,138 |
| Ronfrem | 11,300 | 9,000 | 250 | 51,800 |
| Riverside | 23,050 | 37.350 | 9,420 | 136,775 |
| x St.catharinee | Mo Report | 87,060 | 50,260 | 249,341 |
| St. Mery ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | צ.P.I. | 975 | 560 | 2,475 |
| x St. Thame | 5,070 | 23,800 | 2,900 | 103,460 |
| Sarnia | 31.065 | 22,828 | 492,140 | 839,758 |
| Sault ste Mric | 37.121 | 79,835 | 30,462 | 257,318 578,489 |
| Soarboro Twp. | 110,120 | 101,795 | 96,090 | 578,489 |
| S4000 | Eo Report | 10,100 | 12,000 | 25,500 |
| Solth's Pall | Y.P.I. | प.P.I. | 4,500 | 62500 |
| $\times$ Stratford Sudbury | 10,335 287,000 | 29,150 150,245 | 10,010 144,555 | 62,502 684,680 |
| Sudbury | 287,000 Ho Report | 150,245 4,000 | 144,555 5,175 | 684,680 51,695 |
| T1usonburs | 1,800 | 1.8.1. | \$.P.I. | 16,450 |
| Timins | 25,410 | 22.355 | 3.811 | 83,151 |
| $z$ Ioronto | 473.515 | 854,055 | 761,563 | 3,929.117 |
| Trenton | 16,250 | 7.550 | 600 | 39,775 |
| -lloonburg | I.P.I. | 2,500 | H.P.I. | 7.782 |
| meterl00 | 64,000 | 33,205 | 15,195 | 163.496 |
| miland | 35,700 | 18,170 | 34.763 | 189,470 |
| Weston | 12,925 | 16,440 | 17,975 | 120,664 |
| Whitby | 3,800 | 1,500 | 8,300 | 34.373 |
| $x$ Windeor | 93,950 | 138,456 | 102,744 | 1,118,396 |
| Woodstook | 17,161 | 20,281 | 9,045 | 82.229 $1.366,800$ |
| York Twp. | 91,400 | 351,300 | 122,150 | 1,366,800 |
| maitaba | 749,180 | 966,738(1) | 281,810 | 3,942,371 |
| - Brandon | 69,785 | 158,080 | 4,505 | 288,705 |
| Brooklands | 6,750 | 2.770 | 2.230 | 12,295 |
| Dauphin | 16,250 | 7.650 | 200 | 64.226 |
| Morth IIldonas | 15,225 | 9,255 | 1,450 | 45,725 |
| Portage-la-Prairio | 6,546 | 47.210 | 1,800 | 71,845 |
| 8t. Boniface | 153,325 3,875 | 175.670 350 | 30,800 N.P.I. | 524,120 12,125 |
| The Pas | 150 | 600 | 150 | 3,300 |
| Itranooma | 16,500 | 6,450 | 10,025 | 39,755 |
| $\times$ Manipa | 461,775 | 558,700 | 230,650 | 2,880,275 |
| ansmatcrinl | 315,125 | 315,860(1) | 161,593 | 1,675,966 |
| Biggar | 1.P.I. | 1.P.I. | 5,000 | 3,100 |
| Etevan | 3,800 | 650 | 11.P.I. | 13,825 |
| Molville | 2,100 | 900 | 730 | 7.750 |

x Indiontes manioipality whose records are available back to 1910.
(1) Rovised fifures containing returne from municipelitios not inoluded in our June report.

## THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY IN CANADA

BUILDING PERMITS, JULY, 1944.
Fable 3. - Value of Building Pormita issued by 204 Munioipalities in Canada in Juno and July, 1944, together with the aggregate for the first seven months of this yoar, and for 204 Munioipulitios in July. 1943. - Concluded

|  | Value of Perzits Issued |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { July } \\ & 1944 \end{aligned}$ | June 1944 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { July } \\ & 1943 \end{aligned}$ | First <br> 7 Months |
| Susxatcheman - (Concluded) |  |  |  |  |
| $x$ Moose Jaw | 35,370 | 16,095 | 10,576 | 117,030 |
| North Bettleford | 2,465 | 7,580 | 3,850 | 32,485 |
| Prince Albert | 66,555 | 72,595 | 30,165 | 307,066 |
| $\times$ Rogina | 123,450 | 83,305 | 35,920 | 791,881 |
| $\times$ Saskatoon | 57,086 | 87.525 | 64,200 | 264, 546 |
| Swift Currant | 16,364 | 8,595 | 2,258 | 50,864 |
| Weyburn | 900 | 700 | M.P.I. | 4,850 |
| Yorkton | 7.045 | 35,915 | 8,895 | 82.470 |
| ALBERTA | 889,054 | 1,314,311 | 1,637,728 | 7,571,899 |
| x Calgary | 337,874 | 526,878 | 257,048 | 2,604,821 |
| Drumhellor | N.P.I. | 4,900 | 7,000 | 13,610 |
| $x$ Edmonton | 467,405 | 574,856 | 1,305,165 | 4,335,065 |
| Lethbridge | 44,150 | 180,003 | 42,740 | 430,668 |
| Modicine Bat | 39,625 | 27,675 | 25.775 | 187,745 |
| BRITISE COUMBIA | 1,317,631 | 1,953, 026 (1) | 764,664 | 10,866,073 |
| Chillimack | 39,525 | 50,550 | 675 | 167,910 |
| Cranbrook | 1,412 | 4,367 | 2,300 | 14,161 |
| Fernie | 1,070 | 1,050 | 1.124 | 7,723 |
| Kamloope | 12,675 | 10,995 | 1,560 | 66,655 |
| Kelowsa | 20.385 | 28,640 | 6,710 | 239,905 |
| Nanalmo | 4,305 | 9,155 | 3.276 | 38,964 |
| Hels on | 5,250 | 31,674 | 6,268 | 61,805 |
| $x$ New Westminster | No Report | 73,505 | 79,710 | 661.110 |
| North Vancouver | 64,150 | 47,005 | 89,331 | 223,505 |
| Prince George | 6,200 | 19,250 | 34,125 | 51,880 |
| Prinoo Rupert | 7,150 | 12,450 | 66,200 | 212,260 |
| Revelstoke | No Report | 2,500 | 1,215 | 9,063 |
| Rossland | N.P.I. | 4.490 | 1.325 | 7,615 |
| Trail | 5,580 | 10,890 | 2.300 | 31,390 |
| x Vancouver | 1,030,222 | 1,441,725 | 308. 710 | 8,148,548 |
| Vornon | 43,610 | 21,700 | 31,845 | 117.485 |
| $\times$ Victoria | 76,097 | 183,880 | 127,991 | 806.094 |
| TOTAL 204 Munioipalities | 12.878.145 (2) | 14,673,080(5) | 9,910,304 | 76,374,548 |
| TOTAL 58 Municipalities | 9,478,969(3) | 10,519,893 | 7,872,172 | 56,193,341 |
| TOTAL S5 Municipalitios | $8,535,127(4)$ | 9,410,559 | $6,510,576$ | 49,043,253 |

$\bar{x}$ Indicates a munccipality whose records are avalable beck to 1910.
(1) Revised figures containing returns from municipalities not included in our Jurie report.
(2) 182 yuricipalitios only, reporting.
(3) 54 liunicipalities only, reporting.
(1) 33 minicipalitioe only, reporting.
(5) Revised figures containing roturns from 205 Munioipalitios.

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IUIIDTMO PBRYTTS, JULY, 1944

Table 4. - Mmber and Description of Now Bousing Ualtb to bo Built in canade mow bhom by Buildius Permits Iesued by 204 Mualoipelities. Figure ero given for the monthe of Juse and July, 2944, togother with the ecorogete for the Pret Boven Months of this year, and for 204 Munioipelities in July, 1945.

|  | How Housing Units (1) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Hew Builaings |  |  |  |  |  |  | Couverstone |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | soral |  |  |  | cos |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| dyly, 1944 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| carada (2) | 2,146 | 1.863 | 1,427 | 99 | 99 | 236 | 2 | 285 | 11 | 74 | 36 | 147 | 15 |
| Prince Edward Ieland | - | - | - |  | - | - | - | - | - | $=$ | - | - | - |
| Hove Sootis | 59 | 59 | 56 | - | 3 |  | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Iew Brunswiok | 4 | 4 | 4 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Quobeo | 788 | 710 | 318 | 73 | 95 | 228 | - | 78 | 7 | 19 | 13 | 39 | - |
| Outario | 613 | 501 | 473 | 16 | 3 | 8 | 1 | 112 | 1 | 34 | 12 | 51 | 14 |
| Manitobs | 65 | 48 | 47 | - | - | - | 1 | 17 | - | 13 | - | 3 | 2 |
| Saskatchewan | 80 | 65 | 65 | - | - | - | - | 16 | - | 2 | 4 | 9 | - |
| Alborta | 214 | 207 | 201 | 4 | - | 2 | - | 7 | - | 1 | 2 | 4 | - |
| Britioh Columbia | 323 | 269 | 263 | 6 | - | - | - | 54 | 3 | 5 | 5 | 42 | - |
| Junc, 1944 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CAMADA (3) | 3,148 | 2,744 | 2,204 | 182 | 114 | 257 | 7 | 402 | 22 | 83 | 31 | 256 | 4 |
| Frince Bdwerd Is lund | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Yova Sootia. | 85 | 85 | 85 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Hew Brunswiok | 17 | 10 | 10 | - | - | - | - | 7 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 3 | - |
| Quebeo | 1,077 | 929 | 517 | 144 | 108 | 166 | 4 | 148 | 8 | 34 | 23 | 86 | 1 |
| artario | 910 | 785 | 675 | 20 | 6 | 81 | 3 | 125 | 9 | 46 | 5 | 53 | 2 |
| Manitoba | 156 | 154 | 154 | - | - | - | - | 2 | - | 2 | - | - | - |
| Saskatchown | 63 | 60 | 60 | - | - | - | - | 3 | - | 1 | - | 1 | 1 |
| Alberta | 283 | 276 | 270 | 6 | - | - | - | 7 | 1 | 4 | 2 | - | - |
| British Columbia | 554 | 444 | 432 | 12 | - | - | - | 110 | 3 | 4 | - | 103 | - |
| Prst Seven Months, 1944 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CANADA | 15,169 | 12,685 |  | 798 | 486 |  | 53 | 2,474 | 104 | 619 | 291 | 1.393 | 67 |
| Prinoe Bdward It land | 5 | 2 | 2 | - | 3 | - | - | 3 | 3 | 1 | - | 2 | - |
| Hova Sootie | 299 | 274 | 271 | - | 3 | - | - | 25 | 3 | 7 | 8 | 7 | - |
| How Brunswlok | 100 | 65 | 65 | - | - | - | - | 35 | 2 | 7 | 7 | 18 | - |
| Quebeo | 5,112 | 4. 106 | 2,123 | 517 | 450 | 978 | 38 | 1,006 | 46 | 196 | 152 | ¢11 | 21 |
| Ontario | 4,562 | 3,699 | 3,264 | 171 | 15 | 236 | 18 | 863 | 30 | 274 | 95 | 422 | 58 |
| Manitobe | 555 | 484 | 481 | 2 | - | - | 1 | 71 | - | 45 | 14 | 11 | 1 |
| Saskatchewen | 347 | 288 | 288 | - | - | - | - | 59 | 5 | 11 | 4 | 38 | 1 |
| Alberta | 1,347 | 1,300 | 1,260 | 28 | 3 | 8 | 1 | 47 | 1 | 27 | 9 | 10 |  |
| British Columbia | 2,832 | 2,467 | 2,364 | 80 | 15 | 8 | - | 365 | 17 | 51 | 28 | 275 | - |
| June. 1943 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CATADA | 1,409 | 1.279 | 1.177 | 46 | - | 49 | 7 | 230 | = | 77 | 4 | 47 | 2 |
| Prinoe Sdward Is land | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Nove Scotis | 32 | 30 | 30 | - | - | - | = | 2 | = | 2 | - | - | - |
| Mew Brunswlok | 8 | 6 | 6 | 1 | - | 10 | - | 2 | - | 2 | - | - | - |
| Queboo | 277 | 233 | 176 | 26 | - | 40 | 1 | 44 | - | 35 | 2 | 6 | 1 |
| Ontario | 654 | 596 | 558 | 26 | - | 8 | 4 | 58 | - | 21 | - | 57 | - |
| Manitobl | 58 | 49 | 49 | - | - | - | - | 9 | - | 7 | - | 1 | 1 |
| Saskatchewtan | 21 | 17 | 17 | - | - | - | - | 4 | - | 5 | - | 1 | - |
| Alborta | 269 | 164 | 159 | 2 | - | 1 | 2 | 5 | - | 5 | - | - | - |
| Britioh Columbia | 190 | $1: 34$ | 282 | 2 | - | - | - | 6 | - | 2 | 2 | 2 | - |

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(2) 182 Municipalities only, reporting.
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