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ECONOMIC CONDITIONS IN JUNE

Productive operations recorded recession in June from the preceding month, adjustment having been made for seasonal tendencies. Industrial employment recorded a continuance of the receding trend in evidence for some time. The deposit liabilities of the banks showed an important increase at the beginning of the month, reaching a new high point in history. Dominion government balances rose sharply, more than counterbalancing the recession in the other three classes. Prices of commodities at wholesale and Dominion bonds averaged slightly higher in June. The advance in common stock prices and the expansion in speculative trading were features of the month. Common stock prices were higher than at any other time since September, 1937.

The index of the physical volume of business averaged 224.3 in the first five months of the present year, a decline of nearly 8 p.c. from 1944. Wholesale prices, on the other hand, were slightly stronger, the index averaging 103.0 against 102.7. Retail distribution was at a higher level in the early months of the present year. The index of wholesale sales in the first four months rose 9.5 p.c. while the index of retail sales was 7.7 p.c. higher.

Industrial employment on May 1 recorded a downward trend in industrial activity for the fifth consecutive month. The general number was 175.5 compared with 178.2 on May 1, 1944. Important reduction was reported from Ontario where more than 12,000 persons were released. While employment dropped .8 p.c. during the month, disbursements in salaries and wages were up .9 p.c. There are still, however, acute labour shortages despite some curtailment in war industries. The latest employment placement figures, covering 17 larger centres, show that at June 22 the net labor demand exceeded available applicants by more than three to one. The net labor demand is arrived at by deducting from unfilled vacancies the number of workers who have been referred to jobs but whose placement has not been confirmed. Shortages are acute in the construction industry. The fact that the ratio of labor demand remains high to the number of unplaced applicants is clear indication that workers who have been released from war plants are being rapidly absorbed.

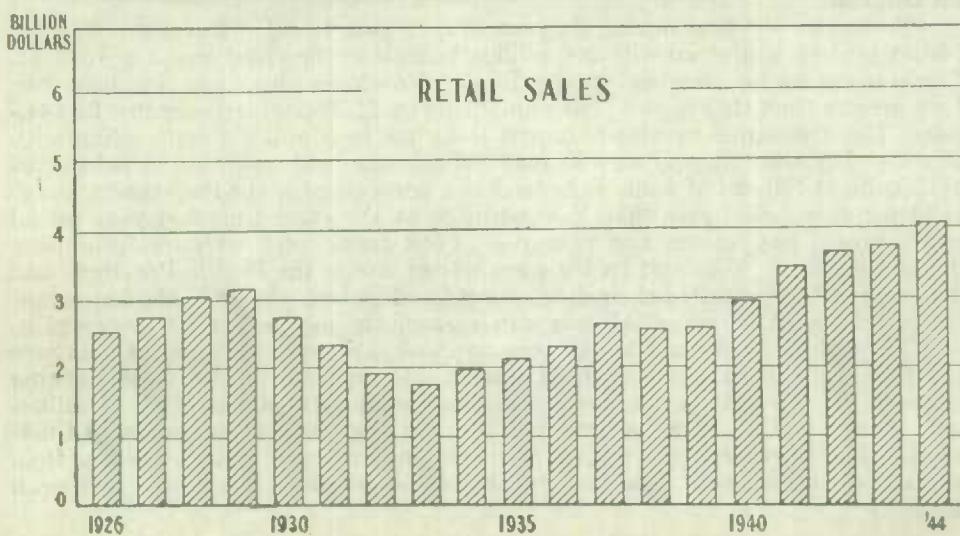
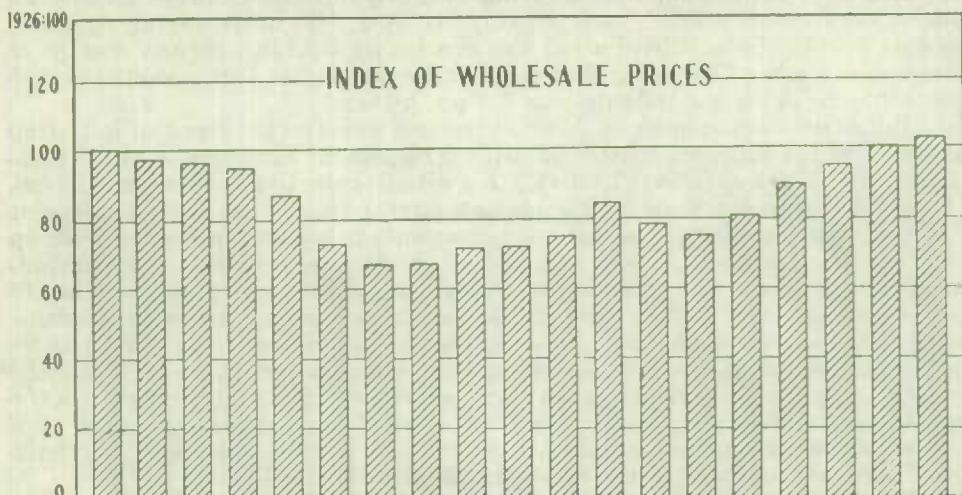
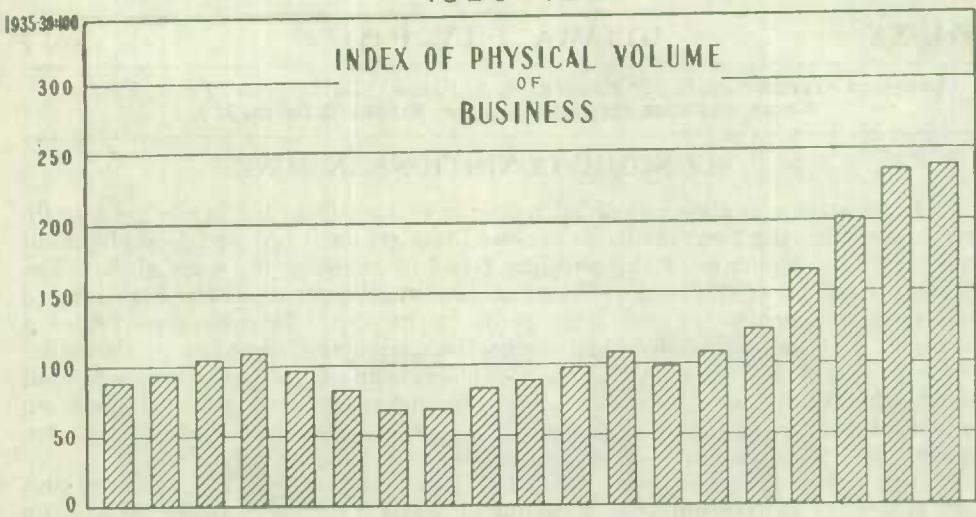
Production

Deliveries of wheat during the present crop year to July 12 amounted to 329 million bushels compared with 290 million bushels in the same period of 1943-44. The acreage seeded to wheat in the Prairie Provinces this year was less than 1 p.c. greater than that of last year, amounting to 22,566,000 acres against 22,444,000. The area sown to wheat showed a decline in Manitoba contrasting with increases in Saskatchewan and Alberta. The numerical condition of field crops in Canada at the end of June, expressed as a percentage of the long-time average yield per acre, was lower than the condition at the same time last year for all crops, except hay, clover and pastures. Feed grain crops were less promising than a year ago. Oats and barley were seeded late in the Prairie Provinces and the cool weather retarded their development. The lack of rain in the important coarse grain area of central Alberta also lessened the prospects for these crops.

The index of livestock marketings on stockyards receded about 4 points to 115.6 in June from the preceding month. Operations of the meat packing industry were also at a lower level, the index receding 10 points to 140. Declines were shown in the slaughterings of cattle and hogs even after seasonal adjustment. The increase in the output of cheese and creamery butter was less than normal for the season. The number of hogs on farms on the North American

PRODUCTION, PRICES AND RETAIL SALES

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continent reached a record level of about 99 million while at the beginning of this year the number was reduced to 74 million. The Canadian Meat Board, in charge of bacon exports to the United Kingdom, had received about 235 million pounds in June compared with 394 million pounds in the same month of last year.

Forestry

The forestry industry was somewhat more active in June than in the preceding month, the output of newsprint having advanced from 264,464 tons to 266,417. The outward shipments of planks and boards were 167.8 million feet against 133 million in May. An increase was also shown in the outward consignment of shingles. Woodpulp exports were at a somewhat lower level. Timber sealed in British Columbia amounted to 273.8 million feet in May compared with 234.7 million in the preceding month, but the increase was slightly less than normal for the season. Apparent consumption of newsprint by United States publishers totalled 272,159 tons in June as compared with 263,554 in the same month last year. Shipments from Canada in the first six months of the present year represented 75 p.c. of the total United States supply compared with 60 p.c. in the same period of 1939. A sizable improvement occurred in aggregate newspaper advertising in 52 cities of the United States. The aggregate showing for the five-month period records a reduction of 2.3 p.c., while, as a matter of interest, there is shown in comparison with the like period of 1939 the worthwhile gain of 6.3 p.c. The greatest volume of advertising to appear in any one month since 1938 was during May of the present year. In Canada an increase of 4.4 p.c. was shown in national advertising over the same month of 1944.

Mining

A majority of the factors indicating the trend of mineral production showed recession in the latest month. The production of coal was 1,271,000 tons against 1,172,000, the index rising 8 points to 127.7. Gold receipts at the Mint were 191,252 fine ounces against 221,991. Shipments of silver from Canadian mines showed minor reduction during the month. During the first five months of the current year, the output of silver was 5,623,565 ounces compared with 6,105,981 in the corresponding period of 1944. The production of lead rose from 132.5 million pounds to 139 million while zinc in the first five months of the present year was 230.5 million pounds as compared with 227.3 million in the corresponding period of last year.

Manufacturing

The index of manufacturing production averaged 268.5 in the first five months of 1945, a decline of 10.3 p.c. Compared with the preceding month, reduction was shown in the release of tobacco for consumption, the index receding from 205 to 187. The release of cigarettes was 1,182 million against 1,199 million. The cigar output receded from 17.6 million in May to nearly 17 million in the month under review. The area planted to tobacco this year has been estimated at 93,790 acres compared with 88,495 last year.

The textile industry was less active in June according to the amount of raw cotton used. The amount was 12.8 million pounds against 13.5 million. The index, after seasonal adjustment, dropped from 130 to 123. Bale openings in the first half of this year were 4.5 p.c. below that of a year ago and at the lowest level for any like period since before the war. Activity in the secondary iron and steel industry showed recession in June from the preceding month. There were 2,892 new and used vehicles financed in June for a total of \$1,473,009, compared with 3,393 vehicles with a financed value of \$1,415,253 in the corresponding month of last year. A reduction of 15 p.c. in the number of units financed resulted from continued declines in used vehicles financing. The 4 p.c. increase in the amount of financing reflects a continuation of the increased activity.

I. Analytical and General

I. BUSINESS INDEXES, 1935-39=100, SUBJECT TO REVISION

Index	1944						1945						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED													
Physical Volume of Business	238.8	232.2	233.1	231.0	228.6	227.9	223.0	228.8	216.7	225.2	232.2	218.6	219.5
INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION.....	266.8	262.1	263.5	260.4	259.7	255.4	250.0	245.6	240.3	248.0	252.2	238.0	236.2
Mineral Production.....	225.5	225.4	214.5	205.5	208.9	191.7	289.3	174.0	147.9	173.5	183.2	188.9	174.6
Gold, mint receipts.....	82.4	68.2	71.2	68.0	63.2	71.6	57.8	60.9	63.5	63.1	70.2	74.2	61.7
Coal production.....	124.0	123.2	138.6	109.6	91.3	99.2	100.7	113.6	120.0	124.5	139.2	119.7	127.7
Manufacturing.....	292.2	287.6	291.5	284.5	285.8	284.7	283.7	274.3	270.0	271.1	271.1	256.1	252.5
Crop Products.....	151.2	147.1	158.3	160.4	162.4	167.1	174.3	197.6	195.8	194.0	192.6	180.8	171.7
Flour production.....	168.5	149.2	158.3	143.6	125.9	137.7	203.9	202.6	197.1	195.7	195.8	169.2	166.6
Oatmeal production.....	555.9	135.7	109.5	107.4	63.1	33.3	130.2	143.6	267.4	227.0	242.7	130.6	130.6
Tobacco.....	149.8	131.5	178.5	185.0	188.7	199.9	219.8	283.4	250.7	231.6	236.1	205.1	187.2
Cigar releases.....	131.6	108.2	124.3	129.8	123.7	132.9	180.9	230.8	252.7	215.9	188.8	156.9	137.1
Cigarette releases.....	151.3	133.4	182.9	189.4	194.0	205.3	222.9	285.2	250.4	237.7	240.0	209.0	191.3
Animal Products.....	148.4	148.7	125.3	142.9	129.3	200.5	181.9	157.6	144.3	147.7	185.3	132.1	123.4
Inspected slaughtering.....	198.7	187.3	175.8	166.9	169.4	208.1	214.3	212.4	183.0	186.2	171.1	150.3	140.2
Cattle.....	120.6	127.4	139.7	135.7	125.7	259.8	200.7	191.0	175.9	164.2	154.5	136.4	134.6
Sheep.....	63.9	68.1	106.4	112.1	77.4	127.4	161.8	167.2	150.0	115.3	74.7	67.8	84.8
Hogs.....	265.9	239.7	207.1	193.7	207.7	249.6	227.4	231.1	190.1	206.5	188.7	165.0	147.2
Creamery butter.....	116.2	111.4	114.2	114.6	112.8	120.8	119.2	121.8	126.7	137.2	135.5	121.3	112.1
Factory cheese.....	153.8	138.0	137.4	135.8	151.5	203.0	359.1	164.7	162.7	224.9	356.7	225.6	159.5
Boots and shoes production.....	112.3	129.5	124.6	120.1	149.0	212.4	99.1	193.3	155.1	142.0	141.5	136.9	....
Textiles.....	134.5	130.9	129.5	121.0	133.0	134.4	128.2	129.5	126.5	133.6	123.4	132.5	130.7
Cotton consumption.....	124.5	111.5	121.4	118.7	132.0	139.7	122.6	127.7	130.3	141.1	129.1	130.0	122.9
Forestry.....	121.1	112.8	121.9	116.4	128.5	124.6	126.1	116.8	127.3	137.7	118.5	123.5	124.5
Newsprint.....	97.0	95.4	102.1	99.7	96.6	97.7	100.8	110.7	109.9	110.1	95.3	98.8	104.7
Iron and steel.....	590.1	582.9	593.2	574.3	573.3	558.0	147.4	532.4	516.0	513.5	514.8	482.1	478.0
Steel production.....	230.2	213.1	227.6	238.5	259.3	251.7	519.6	225.9	217.7	216.4	218.7	234.7	245.8
Pig-iron production.....	236.0	250.4	213.7	218.7	271.7	222.9	293.0	207.7	221.6	235.6	231.6	214.0	231.8
Non-metallic minerals.....	152.6	153.9	161.3	158.7	162.4	150.2	165.2	151.7	154.8	152.0	189.3	130.8	153.2
Coke production.....	170.4	171.3	176.3	177.0	161.5	160.6	153.6	156.5	159.4	160.4	162.9	167.0	168.4
Construction.....	124.9	111.9	90.1	102.7	109.2	89.5	121.0	96.0	107.7	166.2	205.2	160.2	203.6
Contracts awarded.....	124.0	106.9	80.5	82.8	102.3	82.1	120.0	95.3	101.1	147.2	194.0	148.2	199.7
Building permits.....	128.7	131.6	128.3	141.9	136.8	119.0	125.0	98.5	133.9	240.9	248.9	207.2	219.8
Cost of construction.....	138.3	139.2	137.8	137.4	140.9	140.5	139.7	138.4	140.0	141.0	140.1	134.3	135.5
Electric power.....	160.2	154.8	153.4	152.4	152.4	148.5	144.7	151.6	150.1	154.2	165.5	165.4	164.4
DISTRIBUTION.....	180.8	170.3	170.1	170.3	162.4	171.1	185.5	193.7	167.7	177.9	190.7	178.6	184.9
Carloadings.....	152.9	147.2	143.0	126.0	125.1	140.5	143.2	151.8	147.5	149.2	148.7	153.5	156.0
Tons carried.....	220.0	189.9	194.7	153.6	139.7	164.0	183.3	191.6	192.8	197.5	215.3	221.4	235.0
Imports.....	170.9	172.7	190.1	198.2	184.3	159.3	180.1	190.3	162.0	161.4	162.4	145.2	163.0
Exports.....	375.9	306.8	286.6	286.3	290.1	289.7	268.6	281.3	295.9	309.6	351.4	330.6	353.8
Grain and Live Stock													
Markетings.....	220.4	361.7	101.7	81.5	110.7	133.4	167.7	255.1	142.8	129.0	238.9	177.5	165.6
Grain marketings.....	307.8	420.6	94.8	76.9	111.1	135.0	168.9	278.0	143.1	128.4	269.3	190.2	176.4
Wheat.....	455.4	633.6	100.2	83.2	122.3	212.7	245.8	376.0	103.8	186.0	369.0	246.9	232.6
Oats.....	632.3	772.0	458.1	302.5	251.7	124.7	283.4	889.3	460.8	312.5	935.4	862.5	710.3
Live Stock Marketings.....	108.3	106.0	132.0	101.6	108.9	126.7	166.5	155.8	141.4	131.6	106.8	119.8	115.6
Cattle.....	109.6	107.0	131.5	94.9	101.6	125.1	181.0	171.4	150.2	145.3	113.7	125.9	121.7
Calves.....	83.3	87.5	107.6	77.1	96.2	86.2	109.4	103.0	84.7	97.8	111.0	111.4	95.5
Hogs.....	133.3	127.0	155.4	136.4	144.1	139.9	127.3	129.1	114.7	117.3	102.6	120.0	118.3
Sheep.....	47.9	57.2	109.9	105.9	109.4	176.7	164.0	157.9	114.8	80.8	54.7	70.0	76.9
Cold Storage Holdings ¹	197.3	187.1	175.7	173.9	181.5	180.7	190.1	195.2	203.9	207.1	235.4	217.6	155.6
Butter.....	115.5	102.5	99.7	102.1	105.0	104.9	110.6	111.3	115.0	159.0	294.5	255.3	120.6
Cheese.....	180.2	155.6	135.0	143.9	137.5	155.0	148.2	127.4	115.8	112.3	163.5	248.2	220.2
Beef.....	174.4	183.3	176.5	161.5	181.1	127.6	141.9	168.3	176.1	180.3	147.8	123.4	112.1
Pork.....	196.5	188.8	153.6	154.2	173.4	156.8	141.5	130.6	118.7	143.8	151.6	133.8	99.2
Mutton.....	385.5	371.4	370.6	162.0	75.1	76.4	83.6	94.6	86.8	84.3	78.1	80.8	114.0
Poultry.....	246.9	282.2	336.5	437.5	406.7	250.6	166.7	156.9	135.2	117.3	114.8	114.2	124.6
Lard.....	563.7	496.0	507.1	355.2	246.5	230.1	195.5	157.8	128.7	102.4	81.7	68.0	51.
Veal.....	192.7	106.1	197.3	178.7	164.3	160.0	152.0	154.3	138.1	162.5	186.6	165.0	166.3
Percentage of Unemployment ²	-21	-20	-24	-26	-36	-61	-87	1.24	1.34	1.23	-87	-75	-78

¹ Receipts at country elevators.
² First of following month.

among persons insured under Unemployment Insurance.

* Percentage of recorded unemployment

in the new vehicle field which has characterized the results for recent months. There were 430 new vehicles financed in June this year to the extent of \$572,131. Used vehicles financed in June totalled 2,462 units with a financed value of \$900,878, compared with 3,208 transactions involving \$1,187,392 in June, 1944. Used vehicles financed in the first half of 1945 totalled 12,085, compared with 17,169 used vehicles financed during the first six months of 1944.

Transport

Car loadings during the 28 weeks ended July 14 were 1,904,000 compared with 1,933,000 in the same period of last year. Operating revenue of the Canadian National Railway system showed a slight gain in the first six months over the same period of last year. The amount was \$213,869,000 against \$213,579,-000. The gross revenue of the Canadian Pacific Railway in the half year rose from \$154,575,000 to \$154,728,000. As a gain was shown over 1944, a new high record was attained during the period under review. Traffic through the Canadian and United States locks of the Sault Ste. Marie canals in June amounted to 15,467,778 tons compared with 17,043,769 tons in the corresponding month of last year.

Expenditures

The operations of the construction industry constitute one of the important factors in investment expenditures. Contracts awarded during June indicate that the industry was more successful in obtaining new business. The amount was \$58.9 million compared with \$38.3 million in the preceding month. The standing in the same month of 1944 was \$37.3 million. The aggregate for the first half of the present year was greater than in any similar period since 1941. The increase over 1944 was 15 p.c., the total in the present year having been \$175.7 million compared with \$152.7 million.

Export Trade

Canada's merchandise export trade in June was featured by a sharp reduction in the export of commodities classified as definite war materials, and a growth in the export of non-war items, especially agricultural products. The total value of merchandise produced in Canada and sent abroad in June was \$22.8 million compared with \$343.2 million in June last year. The marked advance in the export of agricultural products in June reflected the demand for Canadian foodstuffs in Europe. Canadian merchandise is playing a vital part in the rehabilitation of European countries. Wheat shipments were almost doubled, advancing from \$32,685,000 to \$16,347,000, while the export of wheat flour recorded a substantial increase from \$8,757,000 to \$11,593,000.

Retail Sales

The index of retail sales was 176 in May compared with 170.9 in the same month last year. The consumer expenditures, as indicated by the amount of retail sales, continued to exceed the levels of 1944.

Dominion Expenditures

The total ordinary expenditures of the Dominion government rose from \$103.6 million in the first two months of the last fiscal year to \$118.6 million in April and May this year. Special expenditures rose from \$467 million to \$532 million due mainly to the marked increase in the amount of Mutual Aid. The rise in this connection was from \$69 million to nearly \$226 million. War expenditures declined from \$398 million to \$305 million. The amount for last year includes \$177,600,000 subsequently transferred to the preceding fiscal year.

I. Analytical and General

2. BUSINESS BY ECONOMIC AREAS¹

Item	1944							1945					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
CANADA—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	37,315	32,228	24,151	25,288	25,925	18,902	12,730	11,722	12,933	19,651	34,296	38,271	58,875
Building permits.....\$	14,605	13,350	12,133	10,807	11,934	9,067	7,902	5,391	7,225	12,787	17,735	17,778	17,190
Electric power, 000,000 K.W.H.	3,325	3,149	3,275	3,235	3,482	3,439	3,356	3,423	3,124	3,586	3,534	3,503	3,412
Employment average, 1926=100	183-5	184-3	185-5	183-3	183-8	185-7	180-4	178-9	178-2	170-0	175-5	175-3	....
Bank debits.....	5,219	4,733	4,532	4,819	4,032	6,671	5,063	5,070	4,434	5,329	4,855	6,894	0,086
Sales of life insurance.....	53,560	51,405	41,168	42,133	48,665	52,340	46,906	47,658	48,516	53,854	57,121	51,055	54,359
MARITIME PROVINCES—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	2,255	1,901	1,981	3,003	2,135	1,393	503	775	418	1,500	1,419	2,513	5,341
Building permits.....\$000	633	2,117	340	280	380	213	127	204	161	130	730	506	618
Electric power, 000,000 K.W.H.	93	86	89	83	90	104	99	108	88	99	93	99	99
Employment average, 1926=100	187-8	185-8	184-5	189-1	187-1	191-8	182-5	179-9	179-9	180-5	183-1	181-0	....
Bank debits.....	105-0	104-3	97-8	98-2	114-8	156-2	120-5	111-2	99-3	111-8	116-6	165-2	121-7
Sales of life insurance.....\$000	3,814	3,816	3,812	3,547	3,305	4,066	4,051	3,256	3,600	3,965	4,102	4,030	3,946
QUEBEC—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	11,730	9,717	8,522	6,648	8,689	6,804	4,228	4,518	4,420	6,037	8,323	9,651	12,846
Building permits.....\$000	4,401	3,848	3,747	3,665	3,959	2,871	2,408	748	1,392	2,861	5,375	4,697	4,208
Electric power, 000,000 K.W.H.	1,936	1,803	1,892	1,860	2,002	1,928	1,805	1,858	1,727	2,026	2,030	2,073	1,956
Employment average, 1926=100	185-3	197-7	200-0	193-8	196-7	197-6	191-1	189-1	188-5	185-2	184-9	184-3	....
Bank debits.....\$000,000	1,508	1,385	1,280	1,336	1,291	1,911	1,472	1,553	1,311	1,516	1,338	1,941	1,705
Sales of life insurance.....\$000	13,661	12,805	10,086	10,608	12,445	14,096	12,309	12,571	11,833	14,289	15,142	13,623	13,943
ONTARIO—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	13,717	13,052	8,294	9,360	11,081	6,533	5,295	4,026	3,541	6,085	12,719	14,413	20,154
Building permits.....\$000	5,113	4,016	5,128	3,260	4,315	3,781	3,996	2,513	3,435	6,776	7,345	6,618	7,451
Electric power, 000,000 K.W.H.	870	830	849	840	909	907	915	917	823	953	926	938	907
Employment average, 1926=100	185-1	185-0	180-5	185-9	185-9	188-0	184-2	184-3	184-2	183-0	180-1	178-9	....
Bank debits.....\$000,000	2,247	2,011	1,937	2,193	2,191	2,969	2,269	2,226	2,049	2,673	2,201	3,183	2,817
Sales of life insurance.....	23,057	21,512	16,460	17,965	21,204	21,509	10,037	19,762	21,535	23,485	25,114	21,678	22,038
PRairie PROVINCES—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	5,481	3,645	2,664	2,835	2,521	2,561	1,550	1,450	3,202	3,063	8,441	7,399	8,862
Building permits.....\$000	2,505	1,953	1,619	2,085	1,312	1,088	886	486	783	1,820	2,844	4,265	4,379
Electric power, 000,000 K.W.H.	223	218	225	240	256	272	291	294	261	270	256	255	228
Employment average, 1926=100	148-4	151-6	150-3	148-0	148-1	151-9	149-2	145-3	141-2	141-2	139-3	141-8	....
Bank debits.....	958	936	911	921	1,043	1,237	916	872	684	703	896	1,162	1,089
Sales of life insurance.....\$000	9,055	9,414	7,585	6,693	8,191	9,146	8,323	8,410	7,877	8,293	8,689	8,099	9,333
BRITISH COLUMBIA—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	4,133	3,913	2,691	3,352	1,499	1,610	1,153	952	1,342	2,066	3,304	3,795	5,672
Building permits.....\$000	1,954	1,417	1,299	1,517	1,959	1,114	684	1,349	1,454	1,201	1,437	1,702	534
Electric power, 000,000 K.W.H.	203	206	200	212	216	230	246	246	225	238	229	228	224
Employment average, 1926=100	187-5	185-7	188-1	185-6	182-5	182-5	173-9	172-0	172-0	173-0	172-4	175-5	....
Bank debits.....\$000,000	312,8	297,4	296,9	270,2	291,4	398,3	285,1	307,3	289,9	325,8	303,7	443,2	352,1
Sales of life insurance.....\$000	3,981	3,858	3,225	3,320	3,430	3,532	3,186	3,659	3,671	3,821	4,074	3,625	4,149
POSTAL STATISTICS—													
Money Orders Sold...No. 000	1,564	1,388	1,517	1,690	1,806	1,983	2,086	1,641	1,557	2,084	1,866	1,046	....
Value...\$000	20,807	19,557	22,487	23,790	26,578	27,907	28,397	20,904	19,920	26,742	24,931	21,480

¹ Employment as at first of following month.

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SITUATION ÉCONOMIQUE EN JUIN

Les opérations productives ralentissent en juin comparativement au mois précédent, après ajustement pour tendances saisonnières. L'emploi industriel continue de décliner, tout comme il le fait depuis quelque temps. Les dépôts aux banques à charte accusent une augmentation importante au début du mois et atteignent un nouveau sommet. Les soldes du gouvernement fédéral laissent voir une vive augmentation qui fait plus que contre-balance la diminution des trois autres catégories de dépôts. Les prix de gros des denrées et les obligations du Dominion sont en moyenne légèrement plus élevés en juin. La hausse des actions ordinaires et l'expansion des opérations spéculatives sont les caractéristiques du mois. Les actions ordinaires sont plus hautes qu'en tout autre temps depuis septembre 1937.

L'indice du volume physique des affaires s'établit en moyenne à 224·3 les cinq premiers mois de cette année, déclin de près de 8 p.c. au regard de l'an dernier. D'autre part, les prix de gros sont un peu plus fermes et l'indice se place en moyenne à 103·0 contre 102·7. La distribution au détail touche un niveau plus élevé les premiers mois de l'année courante. Au cours des quatre premiers mois l'indice des ventes de gros avance de 9·5 p.c. et celui des ventes de détail, de 7·7 p.c.

L'emploi industriel au 1er mai s'oriente au déclin pour le cinquième mois consécutif. L'indice général s'établit à 175·5 contre 178·2 le 1er mai 1944. Il y a une diminution importante en Ontario, où plus de 12,000 personnes sont mises à pied. Alors que l'emploi diminue de 0·8 p.c. pendant le mois, les déboursés en salaires et gages augmentent de 0·9 p.c. Toutefois, la pénurie de main-d'œuvre est encore grave malgré un certain ralentissement dans les industries de guerre. Les derniers chiffres sur le placement des ouvriers, portant sur 17 grands centres, révèlent qu'au 22 juin la demande nette d'emplois excérait l'offre par plus de 3 à 1. La demande nette d'emplois est obtenue en soustrayant des vacances non remplies le nombre d'ouvriers à qui des emplois ont été proposés, mais dont le placement n'a pas été confirmé. La pénurie de main-d'œuvre est grave dans l'industrie de la construction. Comme la proportion de la demande de main-d'œuvre reste élevée par rapport au nombre de postulants non placés, il est évident que les ouvriers congédiés des usines de guerre sont rapidement absorbés.

Production

Les arrivages de blé s'élèvent à 329,000,000 de boisseaux du début de la campagne au 12 juillet, à rapprocher de 290,000,000 la même période de 1943-44. La superficie ensemencée de blé dans les Provinces des Prairies cette année est de moins de 1 p.c. plus vaste que l'an dernier, soit 22,566,000 acres contre 22,444,000. La superficie ensemencée de blé au Manitoba décline, tandis qu'elle augmente en Saskatchewan et en Alberta. L'état numérique des grandes cultures au Canada à la fin de juin, exprimé en pourcentage du rendement moyen à long terme par aère, est inférieur à ce qu'il était à la même époque l'an dernier pour toutes les cultures sauf le foin, le trèfle et les pâturages. Les cultures de grains fourragers sont moins prometteuses que l'an dernier. L'avoine et l'orge ont été semées tard dans les Provinces des Prairies et le temps frais en a retardé le développement. Le manque de pluie dans l'importante région à grains secondaires du centre de l'Alberta a également amoindri les perspectives de ces cultures.

L'indice des arrivages de bestiaux aux enclos perd environ quatre points en juin comparativement au mois précédent et se place à 115·6. Les opérations des salaisons ralentissent également et l'indice perd dix points, à 140. Les

3—WEEKLY INDICATORS OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY, 1945

Item	May				June					July	
	5	12	19	26	2	9	16	23	30	7	14
Statistics of Grain Trade—											
RECENT COUNTRY ELEVATORS—											
Wheat.....000 bushels.....	3,311	2,681	2,325	2,188	3,895	4,017	4,806	4,557	5,196	2,458	4,542
Oats.....000 bushels.....	2,822	2,344	1,957	1,712	2,591	2,552	3,305	3,006	3,307	1,497	2,199
Barley.....000 bushels.....	394	365	223	269	418	493	590	633	672	377	543
Flax.....000 bushels.....	20	15	7	8	18	31	28	45	43	19	42
Rye.....000 bushels.....	42	39	31	28	30	34	32	20	34	22	18
VISIBLE SUPPLY—											
Wheat.....000,000 bushels.....	321.6	311.3	303.7	293.8	282.6	273.8	268.3	261.0	254.4	246.6	236.0
Oats.....000 bushels.....	40,682	40,607	39,912	38,814	30,921	37,082	38,512	39,288	39,423	36,300	33,483
Barley.....000 bushels.....	22,923	22,217	21,491	19,741	18,232	16,225	15,315	14,064	13,604	12,573	11,432
Flax.....000 bushels.....	2,817	2,799	2,674	2,694	2,563	2,519	2,536	2,325	2,332	2,278	1,958
Rye.....000 bushels.....	3,251	3,255	2,770	2,314	2,409	2,399	2,375	2,121	1,782	1,732	2,208
AVER. CASH PRICE FORT WILLIAM AND PORT ARTHUR—Cents and eightths of a cent.											
Wheat No. 1 Man. Nor...per bush.....	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125
Oats, No. 2 C.W....."	51/4	51/4	51	51	51/1	51/2	51/3	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4
Barley No. 3 C.W....."	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/0	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6
Rye No. 2 C.W....."	149/1	151/5	153/2	156/6	159/6	153/2	153/4	161/1	161/7	161/4	159/3
Sales and Prices of Live Stock—											
SALES ON STOCKYARDS—											
Cattle.....No.	14,203	18,612	14,796	15,665	14,250	15,621	17,779	17,760	15,135	20,180	18,594
Calves....."	10,211	11,686	10,045	12,056	10,703	11,834	11,728	11,506	9,528	10,936	9,317
Hogs....."	15,663	18,333	15,221	16,710	17,012	16,645	19,307	14,815	17,173	16,094	14,617
Sheep....."	1,811	1,846	1,695	2,620	3,428	4,125	6,043	7,864	6,495	7,161	7,613
PRICES AT TORONTO—											
Steers, medium.....per cwt. \$	11.84	11.94	12.08	12.17	12.16	12.27	12.31	12.33	11.86	11.58	11.81
Calves, good veal....."	15.24	14.99	15.25	15.25	15.25	15.25	15.12	14.16	13.57	13.50	13.65
Hogs, B 1 dressed....."	17.00	17.85	17.94	18.09	18.60	18.92	18.86	17.79	18.55	19.05	19.72
Lambs, good handyweights....."	15.42	17.90	17.07	16.48	10.87	17.09	17.00	15.82	14.82	14.64	15.50
Carloadings—											
Grain.....	10,527	10,629	12,197	12,983	13,731	13,150	13,129	12,348	12,473	10,889	12,310
Grain products.....	2,796	2,219	3,019	2,945	3,048	3,069	2,995	3,075	2,929	2,243	2,748
Live stock.....	2,181	1,919	1,896	1,806	1,812	1,873	1,965	1,983	1,885	1,928	1,939
Coal.....	4,134	3,352	5,057	4,144	4,605	4,600	4,358	4,821	4,890	3,866	4,391
Coke.....	751	793	763	747	764	763	687	626	706	824	744
Lumber, lath and shingles.....	2,747	2,227	3,090	3,295	3,627	3,492	3,565	3,688	3,546	3,503	3,938
Pulpwood.....	2,803	2,739	3,343	3,336	3,285	4,062	3,906	4,110	3,343	3,111	3,200
Pulp and paper.....	2,933	2,571	3,211	3,131	3,239	3,130	3,221	3,155	2,887	2,700	3,277
Logs and other forest products.....	1,654	1,460	1,864	2,197	2,087	2,249	1,691	2,066	2,102	1,703	1,988
Ores, matte and other mine products.....	2,391	1,926	2,460	2,084	1,049	2,600	2,018	2,560	2,660	2,684	2,806
Hay and straw.....	352	363	345	394	380	312	212	254	273	252	210
Fresh fruits.....	116	50	58	42	49	33	38	57	81	48	77
Fresh vegetables.....	528	243	226	168	149	144	121	115	137	142	212
Fresh meats and packing house products.....	641	457	576	459	632	624	541	531	526	431	467
Sand, stone, gravel, lime, brick and cement.....	2,088	2,259	3,105	3,016	3,549	3,845	3,468	4,036	3,773	3,890	4,349
Petroleum oils including gasoline.....	2,785	2,452	3,030	2,768	3,204	3,079	2,920	2,814	2,805	2,658	2,973
Bags.....	280	187	283	274	275	277	369	209	260	281	485
Implements, tractors and machinery.....	590	412	452	392	447	437	509	518	572	415	538
Automobiles and parts.....	1,776	1,153	1,586	1,653	1,477	1,716	1,984	1,987	1,331	555	1,273
Mds. L. C. L.....	15,811	12,700	15,397	13,656	15,230	15,461	15,402	15,466	15,519	12,923	15,197
Miscellaneous.....	6,356	4,954	6,393	5,597	6,128	6,466	6,221	6,051	5,719	5,048	6,209
Total cars loaded.....	70,062	58,772	73,155	70,250	74,308	75,846	74,302	74,445	72,171	63,263	73,566
Total cars received from connections.....	36,783	34,994	35,710	35,373	37,322	36,967	37,268	37,345	37,038	34,642	33,91

abatages de bêtes à cornes et de porcs déclinent même après ajustement pour la saison. L'augmentation de la production de fromage et de beurre de crémerie est moins que normale pour la saison. Le nombre de porcs sur les fermes du continent nord-américain a atteint le chiffre sans précédent d'environ 99,000,000 au début de 1944, tandis que ce chiffre tombait à 74,000,000 au début de 1945. La Commission canadienne des viandes, chargée des exportations de bacon au Royaume-Uni, en avait reçu environ 235,000,000 de livres en juin contre 394,-000,000 le même mois de l'an dernier.

Industrie forestière

L'industrie forestière est un peu plus active en juin que le mois précédent, la production de papier à journal passant à 266,417 tonnes au regard de 264,464. Les expéditions de madriers et planches s'élèvent à 167,800,000 pieds contre 133,000,000 en mai. Il y a également augmentation des expéditions de bardeaux. Les exportations de pulpe de bois diminuent un peu. Le bois mesuré en Colombie Britannique s'établit à 273,800,000 pieds en mai comparativement à 234,700,000 le mois précédent, mais cette augmentation est un peu moins que normale pour la saison. La consommation apparente de papier à journal par les éditeurs des Etats-Unis est de 272,159 tonnes en juin, à rapprocher de 263,554 le même mois de l'an dernier. Les expéditions du Canada au cours des six premiers mois de cette année représentent 75 p.c. des approvisionnements globaux des Etats-Unis, au regard de 60 p.c. la même période de 1939. La publicité des journaux a passablement augmenté dans 52 villes des Etats-Unis. Au cours de la période de cinq mois l'ensemble de la publicité diminue de 2·3 p.c., alors qu'une comparaison avec la même période de 1939 révèle une augmentation remarquable de 6·3 p.c. Le volume le plus considérable de publicité en tout mois depuis 1938 a été celui de mai de cette année. Au Canada, la publicité a augmenté de 4·4 p.c. au regard du même mois de 1944.

Mines

La plupart des facteurs traçant l'orientation de la production minérale rétrogradent au cours du mois. La production de charbon s'élève à 1,271,000 tonnes contre 1,172,000; l'indice gagne huit points et se place à 127·7. Les arrivages d'or à la Monnaie s'établissent à 191,252 onces fines contre 221,991. Les expéditions d'argent des mines canadiennes diminuent un peu au cours du mois. La production d'argent durant les cinq premiers mois de cette année est de 5,623,565 onces, à rapprocher de 6,105,981 la période correspondante de 1944. La production de plomb augmente à 139,000,000 de livres les cinq premiers mois de l'année courante contre 132,500,000 la période correspondante de l'an dernier, tandis que la production de zinc s'élève à 230,500,000 livres comparativement à 227,300,000.

Industrie manufacturière

L'indice de la production manufacturière est en moyenne de 268·5 les cinq premiers mois de 1945, déclin de 10·3 p.c. Au regard du mois précédent il y a une diminution des dédouanements de tabac pour consommation, l'indice reculant de 205 à 187. Les dédouanements de cigarettes se chiffrent par 1,182,000,000 contre 1,199,000,000. La production de cigares diminue de 17,600,000 en mai à près de 17,000,000 en juin. La superficie plantée en tabac cette année est estimée à 93,790 acres comparativement à 88,495 l'an dernier.

L'industrie textile est moins active en juin si l'on en juge par la consommation de coton brut. Il s'en consomme 12,800,000 livres comparativement à 13,500,000. L'indice, après ajustement saisonnier, décline de 130 à 123. Le nombre de balles ouvertes au cours de la première moitié de cette année est de 4·5 p.c. inférieur à ce qu'il a été l'an dernier et à son plus bas niveau en toute période semblable avant le déclenchement de la guerre. L'activité dans l'industrie secondaire du fer et de l'acier ralentit en juin comparativement au mois précédent. En juin il se finance 2,892 véhicules automobiles neufs et usagés pour une valeur de \$1,473,009, à rapprocher de 3,393 voitures financées pour \$1,415,253 le mois correspondant de l'an dernier. La diminution de 15 p.c. dans

I. Analytical and General—Concluded

3. WEEKLY INDICATORS OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY—Concluded

Item	May				June				July			
	12	19	26	2	9	16	23	30	7	14	21	
Industrial Material Prices, 1926=100	100.4	99.1	99.2	99.2	99.4	99.5	99.4	99.2	99.2	99.2	99.2	
Canadian Farm Products, 1926=100	104.9	105.1	104.9	105.1	105.5	105.7	105.8	105.8	105.8	105.8	105.8	
Montreal Stock Exchange—average												
Utilities (10)	61.9	61.4	61.6	62.0	64.3	65.8	66.7	66.4	67.2	67.3	67.0	
Industrials (20)	96.3	97.4	98.6	98.8	101.9	104.3	105.4	103.1	102.7	103.3	102.0	
Paper (10)	191.11	194.64	190.39	199.63	209.59	209.71	205.37	199.13	198.54	199.48	192.52	
Toronto Stock Exchange—average												
Industrials (20)	143.96	144.90	145.20	145.85	151.01	153.01	153.51	154.20	151.75	152.62	150.42	
Golds (20)	128.14	127.58	126.53	125.68	129.27	129.03	126.95	125.88	125.54	124.74	123.53	
Base metals (10)	81.71	81.59	81.08	80.96	85.17	85.96	85.31	83.33	83.01	84.51	83.25	
Western oils (15)	30.87	30.58	30.10	29.40	30.18	30.06	30.22	29.92	29.78	29.24	28.91	

4. ENTRIES OF AUTOMOBILES INTO CANADA VIA THE INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY ON TRAVELLERS' VEHICLE PERMITS.

Economic Areas	1944						1945						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
Maritime Provinces	3,000	4,498	3,985	3,011	2,703	2,179	1,078	554	685	1,088	2,126	2,690	4,572
Quebec	7,284	12,102	11,637	10,356	7,686	5,443	2,587	1,341	1,423	3,193	5,922	7,720	12,747
Ontario	27,771	63,373	60,125	40,765	21,846	15,879	10,775	5,819	7,524	14,028	19,317	30,195	51,350
Manitoba	503	747	503	386	387	291	266	121	130	205	223	444	956
Saskatchewan	502	712	319	352	208	107	73	44	41	74	91	245	688
Alberta	194	342	203	186	167	72	77	60	67	114	106	141	206
British Columbia	4,055	6,921	8,099	6,590	5,039	4,023	4,215	2,617	3,019	3,639	4,317	5,564	8,614
Total	43,309	88,696	84,771	61,646	38,036	27,994	19,071	10,556	12,889	22,341	32,102	46,909	79,133

5. COMMERCIAL FAILURES, BY BRANCHES OF BUSINESS

Branches of Business	1945						1945						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
Trade	2	3	4	2	4	2	2	9	5	1	4	3	
Manufactures	4	6		4	2	3		1	3	2	1	2	3
Agriculture			1				1						
Logging, Fishing, Trapping				1									
Mining			2			1							
Construction	2	3	2	2	2	5		5	4	4	1	3	2
Transportation							1	2			1		
Finance	1												
Service	9	4	4	7	4	2	3	8	4	4	5	4	3
Unclassified	2		2	4							1		1
Total	20	16	15	20	8	15	7	25	16	11	13	12	9

6. CANADIAN FAILURES AS REPORTED IN DUN'S STATISTICAL REVIEW

Province	1944						1945						
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
Prince Edward Isl.													1
Nova Scotia													
New Brunswick													
Quebec	2	3	6	6	4	3	7	9	8	5	3	3	5
Ontario	2	3	3	1	2	1			1	5	1	1	
Manitoba	1					1				1			
Saskatchewan													
Alberta						1	1	1	1		1		
British Columbia	1	1					1	1	1			1	
Total Canada	3	7	9	7	7	7	8	10	11	11	7	6	5

le nombre de voitures financées résulte du déclin persistant des ventes de véhicules usagés. L'augmentation de 4 p.c. dans la valeur du financement reflète la continuation de l'activité croissante dans le domaine des véhicules neufs qui a caractérisé les résultats en ces derniers mois. En juin il se finance 430 voitures neuves pour une valeur de \$572,131. En juin également il se finance 2,462 voitures usagées (\$900,878) contre 3,208 (\$1,187,392) en juin 1944. Au cours de la première moitié de 1945 il se finance 12,085 véhicules automobiles usagés, à rapprocher de 17,169 les six premiers mois de 1944.

Transports

Les chargements ferroviaires durant les 28 semaines terminées le 14 juillet se chiffrent par 1,904,000 wagons, au regard de 1,933,000 la même période de l'an dernier. Les recettes d'exploitation des Chemins de fer Nationaux du Canada augmentent légèrement au cours du premier semestre comparativement à la même période de l'an dernier; elles s'élèvent à \$213,869,000 contre \$213,579,000. Les recettes brutes du chemin de fer Pacifique Canadien pendant le premier semestre augmentent de \$154,575,000 à \$154,728,000. Comme il y a une augmentation par rapport à 1944, une nouvelle cime est atteinte au cours de la période observée. Le trafic passant par les écluses canadienne et américaine des canaux de Sault-Sainte-Marie s'établit à 15,467,778 tonnes en juin, comparativement à 17,043,769 le mois correspondant de l'an dernier.

Dépenses

Les opérations dans l'industrie de la construction constituent l'un des importants facteurs des dépenses en immobilisations. Les contrats adjugés en juin indiquent que l'industrie a été plus heureuse dans l'obtention de nouvelles entreprises. Le montant est de \$58,900,000, contre \$38,300,000 le mois précédent et \$37,300,000 le même mois de 1944. Le total de la première moitié de l'année courante est plus considérable qu'en toute autre période semblable depuis 1941. L'augmentation est de 15 p.c. par rapport à 1944, le total de cette année étant de \$175,700,000 comparativement à \$152,700,000.

Exportations

Le commerce d'exportation de marchandises canadiennes en juin se caractérise par une vive diminution des exportations de denrées classifiées comme matériel de guerre et par une augmentation des exportations d'articles autres que pour la guerre, particulièrement de produits agricoles. Les exportations de produits canadiens ont une valeur totale de \$322,800,000 en juin cette année, à rapprocher de \$343,200,000 en juin l'an dernier. L'augmentation marquée des exportations de produits agricoles en juin reflète la demande de denrées alimentaires canadiennes en Europe. Les marchandises canadiennes jouent un rôle vital dans le rétablissement des pays européens. Les expéditions de blé sont près de deux fois plus considérables, augmentant de \$32,685,000 à \$61,347,-000, tandis que les exportations de farine de blé accusent une augmentation sensible, soit de \$8,757,000 à \$11,593,000.

Ventes de détail

L'indice des ventes de détail se place à 176 en mai contre 170.9 le même mois de l'an dernier. Les dépenses des consommateurs, comme l'indique la valeur des ventes de détail, continuent d'excéder les niveaux de 1944.

Dépenses nationales

Les dépenses ordinaires totales du gouvernement fédéral augmentent de \$103,600,000 les deux premiers mois du dernier exercice financier à \$118,600,000 en avril et mai cette année. Les dépenses spéciales passent de \$467,000,000 à \$532,000,000, en raison surtout de l'augmentation marquée des versements en vertu de l'aide mutuelle, qui s'élèvent à \$226,000,000 comparativement à \$69,-000,000. Les dépenses de guerre diminuent de \$398,000,000 à \$305,000,000. Le total pour l'an dernier comprend un montant de \$177,600,000 subséquemment transféré à l'exercice financier précédent.

II. Production

7. RECEIPTS AND VISIBLE SUPPLY OF GRAIN

Classification	1944							1945					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
*RECEIPTS COUNTRY ELEVATORS													
Wheat.....000 bus.	39,909	54,019	16,103	54,906	68,109	53,212	30,838	25,191	12,775	13,678	17,334	13,126	19,693
Oats....."	13,236	20,365	5,796	10,587	12,374	5,421	7,353	20,411	13,455	11,704	15,575	10,480	12,823
Barley....."	4,502	7,189	5,777	21,442	19,351	4,720	5,937	5,785	2,602	2,010	1,946	1,538	2,570
Rye....."	126	141	534	887	645	296	247	213	306	313	293	154	128
Flax....."	157	101	304	1,687	3,818	376	259	137	50	65	100	61	148
VISIBLE SUPPLY ¹													
Wheat.....000 bus.	282,502	297,932	288,993	310,231	338,541	365,819	371,562	369,812	359,649	347,042	327,953	282,579	254,376
Oats....."	25,944	39,398	36,321	34,744	35,258	29,497	27,747	40,437	40,622	42,258	41,914	36,921	39,423
Barley....."	22,788	22,071	22,543	37,348	45,493	37,664	36,985	37,940	35,878	32,651	25,462	18,232	13,694
Rye....."	5,750	4,552	4,189	4,435	4,374	3,501	3,348	2,968	3,078	3,282	3,027	2,409	1,782
Flax....."	3,144	2,815	2,383	3,172	6,277	6,226	5,648	5,102	4,425	4,107	3,009	2,563	2,332
CASH PRICES ²													
Wheat, No. 1 Nor..	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125
Oats, No. 2 C.W..	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/2	51/3
Barley, No. 2 C.W..	64/0	64/0	64/0	64/0	64/0	64/0	64/0	64/0	64/0	64/0	64/0	64/0	64/0
Rye, No. 2 C.W..	108/5	108/3	105	95.2	104.3	108/2	109.7	116.3	125/3	131/2	144/2	154/7	157.6
Flax, No. 1 C.W..	250	250	275	275	275	275	275	275	275	275	275	275	275

¹ First of following month. ² Cents and eighth of a cent per bushel.

* Includes Interior Private and mill and platform loadings.

8. SALES AND SLAUGHTERINGS OF LIVE STOCK

SALES ON STOCK YDS.													
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	
Cattle.....	59,372	66,204	13,878	93,133	119,505	113,394	104,807	106,944	80,764	78,672	73,126	77,683	65,896
Calves.....	40,111	38,874	42,401	35,609	46,246	33,228	27,628	27,128	19,803	33,762	50,128	55,862	45,982
Hogs.....	81,417	69,794	82,862	72,150	117,736	123,244	108,739	108,549	84,064	86,176	76,892	86,645	72,267
Sheep.....	13,444	21,285	52,866	64,287	101,307	53,137	43,757	28,217	14,110	10,203	6,295	9,061	21,560
INSPECTED SLAUGHTERINGS													
Cattle.....	80,255	95,131	116,772	125,134	132,843	160,013	153,527	159,342	128,107	128,234	114,590	107,825	98,318
Calves.....	71,883	61,988	80,184	63,673	51,921	46,394	33,152	33,779	34,175	71,903	107,311	102,719	81,560
Sheep.....	10,460	11,047	9,008	9,534	8,495	11,256	10,896	12,930	10,288	3,080	22,546	17,262	24,411
Lambs.....	13,884	35,287	87,200	113,315	131,082	131,429	72,893	61,043	46,467	42,078	1,818	1,374	10,834
Swine.....	682,884	829,575	451,820	440,581	609,072	828,418	767,689	756,446	552,718	601,317	539,865	494,450	377,021

9. COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS AT FIRST OF MONTH IN 000 LB. OR DOZ.¹

Commodity													
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	
BUTTER—													
Creamery.....	36,545	52,962	62,975	66,706	63,085	51,773	40,006	30,244	20,177	12,806	12,047	19,110	38,325
Dairy.....	71	114	18	98	86	139	129	107	44	25	70	80	65
CHEESE (not Process or Cottage).....	52,832	60,772	61,383	71,717	53,545	42,223	39,290	29,747	23,615	20,256	23,637	40,907	64,184
CONCENTRATED WHOLE MILK.....	30,003	40,853	40,058	43,378	43,244	40,618	31,542	28,172	23,203	23,804	27,910	41,645	48,304
Eggs—													
Cold Storage.....	16,153	14,534	11,340	7,532	3,486	538	231	404	93	1,000	7,443	13,378	17,304
Fresh.....	5,300	3,810	3,755	3,259	1,388	1,318	2,434	2,891	2,807	4,514	6,005	3,933	3,620
Frozen.....	37,021	42,735	44,945	44,415	43,333	37,840	30,187	24,338	18,078	11,899	11,654	18,087	25,791
POULTRY, dressed.....	10,230	10,077	10,113	11,336	14,106	18,659	24,219	20,823	15,878	11,060	8,103	5,804	5,165
PORK, grand total.....	76,254	60,179	40,722	36,584	43,054	47,495	48,686	48,045	47,712	59,170	64,181	50,161	48,483
Fresh (not frozen).....	7,902	7,104	5,329	6,130	7,574	8,850	7,093	6,999	5,982	6,250	5,445	5,142	4,433
Fresh (rozen).....	40,170	28,687	15,001	9,112	6,669	7,479	8,888	14,004	21,545	28,980	33,002	24,702	14,307
Cured or in cure.....	29,002	34,388	20,303	21,342	28,811	31,175	31,505	26,142	21,185	24,734	22,735	26,317	19,651
LARD.....	21,459	17,729	14,134	7,281	4,570	4,488	4,960	4,275	3,721	3,092	2,817	2,600	1,822
BEEF, grand total.....	20,564	20,341	21,429	24,819	25,183	30,724	31,828	35,147	31,013	29,726	21,666	16,095	13,158
VEAL.....	6,007	6,391	8,491	6,613	6,984	6,505	5,133	3,718	2,480	2,643	4,383	4,921	5,174
MUTTON AND LAMB.....	2,825	2,078	1,923	2,866	4,659	6,127	6,918	5,997	4,349	3,213	1,956	922	833
FISH—													
Frozen fresh.....	28,350	32,747	38,502	42,526	42,400	36,924	28,035	20,276	19,363	15,304	14,511	17,457	21,561
Frozen smoked.....	2,095	2,230	2,337	2,306	2,039	1,817	2,021	1,465	1,323	1,291	1,172	1,180	1,411

10. FISH CAUGHT AND LANDED

Classification	1944						1945				
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	
Catch, cwt.....	136,683	1,783,878	1,604,790	873,010	836,188	517,635	855,102	682,648	277,486		
Landed \$.....	675,244	7,726,650	4,935,210	2,534,288	1,711,536	1,801,758	1,450,235	1,212,264	1,579,221		

11. MINERAL PRODUCTION

Classification	1944												1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May				
Copper..... tons	24,180	23,874	22,703	22,655	21,673	21,137	22,027	23,030	22,191	19,902	22,866	21,477	20,583				
Nickel..... tons	12,012	10,187	11,705	11,923	11,354	10,909	11,129	10,383	11,885	10,362	11,757	10,830	11,742				
Lead..... tons	10,246	9,872	12,262	9,100	9,454	9,185	17,838	17,595	12,812	12,289	17,585	14,086	12,750				
Zinc..... tons	22,823	19,880	20,439	20,434	22,562	20,708	21,484	24,394	24,753	22,260	23,848	21,693	22,714				
Gold..... 000 oz.	250.8	239.9	235.6	230.9	236.4	230.0	223.1	228.9	233.2	212.3	228.7	223.7	256.8				
Silver..... 000 oz.	1,030	1,160	1,072	830	905	1,054	1,192	1,227	1,019	952	1,199.5	1,253.9	1,198.3				
Coal..... 000 tons	1,290	1,234	1,171	1,377	1,396	1,532	1,638	1,524	1,682	1,498	1,467	1,316	1,171.6				
Coke..... 000 tons	343	328	322	328	320	331	329	330	341	314	342	326	333				
Petroleum..... 000 bbls.	858.4	824.5	812.1	833.4	858.3	894.3	861.8	885.4	881.8	778.8	779.5	692.9	715.8				
Natural gas..... 000 M cu.	3,278	2,827	2,500	2,527	2,782	3,224	4,643	5,435	5,781	5,082	4,580	4,363	3,901				
Gypsum..... 000 tons	40	46	64	78	56	48	38	24	13	13	16	26	44				
Feldspar..... tons	1,174	2,345	1,874	1,901	2,200	2,444	1,019	2,241	1,159	1,848	2,233	1,935	2,070				
Salt (commercial)..... tons	30,634	27,649	27,541	27,538	29,130	24,555	30,236	22,644	23,583	22,787	23,226	25,884	28,806				
STRUCTURAL MATERIALS—																	
Cement..... 000 bbls.	739	995	982	944	860	878	560	190	172	194	382	616	763				
Clay products.... \$000	601	658	716	733	720	741	607	431	408	399	548	573	682				
Lime..... tons	75,478	72,947	67,109	69,953	70,379	78,983	74,398	66,144	64,895	62,522	72,467	73,221	72,661				

12. OUTPUT OF CENTRAL ELECTRIC STATIONS KILOWATT HOURS

	1944												1945				
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June				
PRODUCTION (NET):	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000	000
Hydraulic.....	3250170	3080003	3200241	3152989	3394064	3357303	3269883	3333376	3044927	3504685	3459288	3522151	3345735				
Thermal.....	75,355	69,325	74,769	81,780	87081	82348	87,410	89,307	79,308	81,827	74,860	70,923	65,938				
Total.....	3325525	3149328	3275010	3234778	3482045	3439651	3356102	3422683	3124235	3586516	3534157	3593074	3411673				

NET PROVINCIAL CONSUMPTION (FIRM AND SECONDARY POWER):

Prince Edward																	
Island.....	822	767	870	892	991	1,165	1,193	1,285	1,134	958	1,001	928	919				
Nova Scotia.....	41,568	39,872	42,306	37,141	44,337	48,099	51,439	53,124	46,820	49,800	45,873	47,276	40,998				
New Brunswick.....	47,764	43,291	43,722	42,442	51,001	51,161	43,442	49,301	36,918	43,863	41,891	46,643	47,212				
Quebec.....	1559087	1438335	1492716	1366555	1507951	1526314	1408454	1456542	1359422	1608750	1612851	1641124	1534450				
Ontario.....	1021155	900,761	1011383	948,496	1092615	1123667	1114743	1157801	1041827	1158912	1121814	1125824	1078916				
Manitoba.....	127,713	121,933	127,378	108,895	154,186	180,571	175,801	177,069	160,590	168,482	161,377	158,056	130,985				
Saskatchewan.....	51,472	51,172	51,943	52,232	66,154	59,338	62,240	63,019	56,581	55,263	51,992	54,480	53,074				
Alberta.....	45,645	46,343	47,785	47,531	48,050	52,855	54,217	55,252	45,795	48,672	46,098	46,740	44,043				
British Columbia.....	200,769	212,954	220,773	213,250	217,415	229,224	244,483	244,820	222,689	230,017	225,706	223,573	221,195				
Total.....	3096888	2815428	3038876	2817434	3262742	3252394	3155418	3258213	2071576	3370724	3308603	3344653	3157801				

DAILY AVERAGE CONSUMPTION OF FIRM POWER IN CANADA:

Prince Edward																	
Island.....	27	25	28	30	32	30	30	41	40	31	33	30	31				
Nova Scotia.....	1,388	1,286	1,365	1,238	1,430	1,603	1,689	1,714	1,672	1,607	1,529	1,525	1,567				
New Brunswick.....	1,534	1,378	1,403	1,415	1,574	1,660	1,401	1,542	1,318	1,372	1,301	1,456	1,516				
Quebec.....	46,555	44,893	44,545	45,552	47,102	43,943	37,188	37,073	37,517	39,371	40,988	40,769	38,970				
Ontario.....	31,564	29,169	30,243	31,616	32,541	34,543	33,242	34,408	34,699	34,285	33,900	33,065	33,234				
Manitoba.....	3,443	3,211	3,347	3,630	3,568	3,653	3,780	3,748	3,681	3,585	3,580	3,618	3,386				
Saskatchewan.....	1,710	1,651	1,676	1,741	1,811	1,978	2,008	2,034	2,021	1,783	1,733	1,758	1,709				
Alberta.....	1,521	1,495	1,541	1,584	1,550	1,762	1,749	1,782	1,636	1,570	1,537	1,505	1,468				
British Columbia.....	6,886	6,863	7,115	7,108	7,009	7,034	7,880	7,890	7,046	7,606	7,519	7,207	7,367				
Canada.....	94,432	89,971	91,263	93,914	96,617	96,915	98,946	90,230	90,530	91,210	92,180	90,936	89,308				

13. GENERAL MANUFACTURES

Classification	1944								1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
Flour Milling													
MILL GRINDINGS													
Wheat... .000 bush.	8,620	8,271	7,710	8,036	8,728	9,105	10,258	9,031	9,177	8,396	9,602	9,382	9,319
Oats..... "	2,053	1,817	1,256	1,708	1,871	1,992	2,191	2,017	2,242	2,043	2,141	2,070	1,897
Corn..... "	176.5	132.8	107.9	121.1	155.9	90.1	157.5	150.9	246.4	131.2	187.0	187.2	174.4
Barley... "	703.3	677.1	499.7	643.2	698.4	766.8	941.2	766.6	753.1	661.8	638.4	642.3	592.5
Mixed grain "	1,921	1,555	1,441	2,037	2,114	2,381	3,000	2,637	2,499	2,227	2,336	2,258	2,007
MILL PRODUCTION													
Wheat flour, percent-													
age of operation	86.3	81.4	78.8	84.8	89.6	93.3	98.1	90.5	90.3	89.5	93.9	96.1	94.0
Quantity... .000 bbls.	1,962	1,870	1,742	2,016	1,973	2,049	2,307	2,030	2,088	1,892	2,161	2,126	2,108
Oatmeal... .000 lbs.	3,762.3	4,435.4	4,868.9	851.1	983.4	799.3	449.5	1,061.7	1,171.1	1,744.6	1,639.6	1,823.5	1,005.4
Rolled oats..."	6,239	5,848	8,290	14,810	16,421	17,296	20,330	18,017	20,834	16,996	19,328	16,331	15,319
Corn flour, meal "	1,219	750	366	641	416	1,174	1,980	2,357	2,235	1,206	1,959	2,128	2,725
Classification	1944								1945				
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
M. and S. Con-													
tracts.	\$000	64,743	53,776	43,561	83,935	51,714	27,384	40,195	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tobacco Released													
for Consumption													
Tobacco, cut, .000 lbs	1,763	1,898	1,985	1,944	2,393	2,541	2,077	2,305	2,025	1,892	1,960	1,892	1,943
plug "	244.0	256.4	244.1	296.7	308.7	312.6	288.3	337.7	288.5	296.6	259.1	211.3	207.2
Canadian raw leaf "	176.8	221.2	176.3	181.6	203.1	242.7	279.1	207.5	216.1	201.9	163.2	184.9	198.3
Cigarettes..... mn	934.7	881.9	1097.4	1066.8	1017.9	1,043.6	1,031.8	1,159.1	1,090.7	1,087.8	1,164.5	1,199.2	1,182.4
Cigars..... .000	16,302	13,096	15,223	16,472	18,133	18,855	16,037	16,553	18,160	18,667	18,032	17,627	16,988
Snuff..... lbs.	90,080	63,817	86,589	82,497	85,797	83,765	64,478	78,657	78,774	77,102	82,627	88,407	86,395
Boots and Shoes													
600 pairs													
LEATHER or FABRIC													
UPPERS													
Welts.....	444.0	405.8	474.0	468.6	486.1	510.8	435.1	466.2	513.8	519.2	493.5	507.5	.....
McKays and all imi-													
tation welts.....	886.4	603.1	804.2	810.3	813.3	822.7	707.2	764.7	799.2	888.6	852.6	839.1	.....
Nailed, pegged.....													
screw or wire fast-													
ened.....	186.7	152.1	165.4	163.4	173.6	173.8	159.9	212.5	184.0	188.4	186.8	174.5	.....
Stitchdowns.....	272.7	226.6	237.2	245.4	254.3	278.6	221.7	214.5	267.5	302.6	278.9	277.3	.....
Total.....	2,542	2,078	2,423	2,400	2,501	2,566	2,203	2,410	2,665	2,823	2,692	2,706	.....
TOTAL FOOTWEAR													
Men's.....	770.4	663.8	752.4	752.2	761.8	794.1	698.1	748.7	779.3	832.8	801.4	846.5	.....
Boys' and youths'	195.6	167.0	204.9	200.0	210.9	208.6	197.7	189.5	208.9	217.4	199.0	201.4	.....
Women's.....	1,397.8	1,092.9	1,343.5	1,302.2	1,383.4	1,390.6	1,154.7	1,300.6	1,416.2	1,582.2	1,497.4	1,532.4	.....
Misses' and Children's.....	450.1	367.9	399.3	413.7	464.2	480.0	364.9	411.3	441.6	511.7	528.0	500.7	.....
Babies' and infants'	223.3	184.0	237.3	226.0	245.1	257.7	213.9	228.4	219.8	248.3	249.6	254.5	.....
Total.....	3,037	2,476	2,937	2,894	3,065.6	3,131.0	2,627.3	2,878.4	3,075.9	3,392.6	3,275.4	3,335.5	.....
Cotton bales, used													
Reporting Firms													
No.	24,984	23,891	25,754	24,681	26,621	28,687	25,478	26,173	27,043	29,982	26,497	27,135	25,680
000 lbs.	12,526	11,555	12,888	12,335	13,315	14,343	12,748	13,127	13,545	14,988	13,224	13,534	12,799
Total.... No.	30,530	29,195	31,471	30,160	32,531	35,055	31,143	31,963	33,046	36,658	32,379	33,159	31,381
000 lbs.	15,306	14,120	15,749	15,073	16,271	17,527	15,578	16,041	16,551	18,315	16,160	16,539	15,641
Newsprint produc-													
tion... .000 tons	246.86	244.41	262.30	244.21	258.30	256.76	244.97	264.77	239.66	263.75	245.43	264.46	266.42
Stocks ²... .000 tons	76.03	70.46	58.44	49.73	45.03	42.38	56.57	89.23	111.64	108.28	89.98	89.65	97.72
B.C. timber													
scaled Mil. bbl. ft.	315.7	233.5	246.1	250.7	280.7	270.8	229.1	162.8	197.8	211.3	234.7	273.8	297.1
Dairy Production													
Creamery butter.....	45,531	41,465	38,932	30,977	24,576	18,333	12,401	11,424	10,601	14,525	20,833	32,025	43,910
Factory cheese "	30,885	28,057	25,762	22,842	19,602	9,472	4,372	2,418	2,071	3,532	9,283	22,120	32,028
Condensed milk.....													
000 lbs.	3,239	2,750	2,983	3,537	3,315	1,738	3,118	1,680	1,978	2,214	2,827	3,391	2,445
Evaporated milk.....													
000 lbs.	26,124	21,800	18,508	14,632	14,327	10,519	8,700	9,568	7,359	13,407	17,066	25,128	20,167
Iron, Gold and Silver													
Pig iron production..... net tons	161,899	160,004	151,452	145,406	154,119	146,972	139,152	155,969	149,487	165,817	156,070	155,574	159,046
Ferro-alloys production..... net tons	17,906	14,508	18,808	14,568	15,631	15,280	12,301	12,130	13,402	16,434	18,350	19,883	18,473
Steel lugots and castings..... net tons	240,750	234,418	240,755	242,725	275,524	208,923	243,482	268,722	250,464	277,461	274,213	267,043	257,115
Gold, mint receipts..... 000 oz.	255	215	232	228	223	240	202	233	208	212	208	222	191
Silver ".....	33	28	32	32	31	32	31	33	30	29	30	31	28

¹ Including estimate for non-reporting companies belonging to mill.

² This figure includes stocks held in warehouse but still

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14. CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS AWARDED IN THOUSAND DOLLARS

Classification	1944							1945						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	
Contracts Awarded—														
Apartments.....	1,674	605	297	330	708	524	232	49	277	430	1,227	1,037	371	
Residences.....	20,030	17,057	8,651	9,048	8,524	7,315	4,864	4,263	6,055	8,829	15,378	23,340	31,745	
TOTAL	21,704	17,662	8,947	9,387	9,322	7,839	5,096	4,312	6,331	9,259	16,605	24,379	32,116	
Residential.....	154	109	181	218	166	195	38	108	225	38	160	132	338	
Churches.....	223	235	297	166	278	170	115	72	99	127	129	122	280	
Public garages.....	1,003	1,980	4,009	3,846	2,697	424	52	34	270	2,209	5,595	994	3,577	
Hotels and clubs.....	290	150	118	125	142	201	231	303	120	109	158	123	280	
Office buildings.....	455	252	310	452	272	281	331	104	151	197	422	299	377	
Public buildings.....	691	827	1,182	2,315	602	854	1,169	485	142	1,171	365	420	380	
Schools.....	835	1,138	1,401	272	741	897	210	559	411	521	272	1,656	1,581	
Stores.....	435	367	299	374	421	310	296	424	413	342	418	518	788	
Theatres.....	12	50	37	33	21	23	60	4	21	23	75	46	63	
Warehouses.....	1,907	1,515	1,426	1,492	1,327	1,275	850	2,301	1,254	864	1,690	1,629	3,238	
TOTAL BUSINESS	6,003	6,623	9,258	9,792	6,726	4,028	3,352	4,573	3,106	5,600	9,284	5,937	10,992	
TOTAL INDUSTRIAL	4,461	4,168	3,226	3,623	7,929	3,865	3,482	2,149	2,259	2,437	4,807	6,178	12,005	
Bridges.....	435	217	205	55	15	24	—	—	3	1,010	—	14	64	236
Dams and wharves.....	2,700	163	196	94	401	327	380	105	54	597	308	67	230	
Bewars and water mains.....	206	240	282	523	95	107	156	370	56	134	296	248	321	
Roads and streets.....	1,383	1,964	1,740	1,495	1,270	688	35	41	7	122	2,340	917	2,401	
General Engineering.....	424	1,182	288	318	167	1,427	229	169	111	1,768	583	483	574	
TOTAL ENGINEERING	5,147	3,775	2,721	2,486	1,949	2,569	800	687	1,237	2,355	3,601	1,779	3,762	
GRAND TOTAL	37,315	32,238	24,151	25,288	25,925	18,902	12,730	11,722	12,933	19,651	34,296	38,271	58,875	
Prince Edward Island														
Residential.....	20	28	4	17	13	12	—	—	10	6	—	34	62	
Business.....	13	19	1	408	7	7	2	—	—	11	—	26	65	
Industrial.....	—	—	—	74	8	23	—	—	—	8	—	188	2	
Engineering.....	14	—	—	241	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	—	—	
TOTAL	46	48	5	873	27	47	2	—	10	14	21	248	129	
Nova Scotia														
Residential.....	611	604	202	151	150	132	77	41	75	259	287	683	887	
Business.....	308	110	286	408	160	579	182	206	47	458	237	577	2,297	
Industrial.....	67	50	5	74	497	53	80	7	2	16	—	100	204	
Engineering.....	120	157	469	241	452	259	28	229	—	292	432	10	94	
TOTAL	1,106	921	942	873	1,271	1,023	368	543	124	1,023	957	1,370	3,482	
New Brunswick														
Residential.....	404	280	332	259	289	102	44	70	108	172	301	718	885	
Business.....	233	223	232	1,842	424	112	38	124	119	269	94	111	450	
Industrial.....	—	155	422	32	113	51	16	38	32	22	35	66	273	
Engineering.....	465	295	49	41	11	59	37	—	25	—	12	—	113	
TOTAL	1,102	933	2,174	837	323	133	232	284	463	442	895	1,731		
Quebec														
Residential.....	7,270	4,326	3,893	2,987	4,060	2,543	1,791	1,021	1,486	2,697	4,841	5,867	7,300	
Business.....	2,259	3,601	2,844	2,766	2,006	1,879	1,200	2,640	1,023	1,515	1,662	2,093		
Industrial.....	1,958	717	752	427	2,293	1,567	980	787	814	568	1,762	1,728	2,580	
Engineering.....	243	1,073	1,232	468	330	815	258	70	1,106	1,469	205	395	883	
TOTAL	11,730	9,717	8,522	6,648	8,689	4,804	4,228	4,518	4,429	6,037	8,323	9,651	12,846	
Ontario														
Residential.....	6,576	7,799	2,000	3,401	2,719	2,474	1,776	1,565	1,538	2,490	3,557	8,630	12,011	
Business.....	1,820	1,046	4,424	1,877	2,598	1,130	1,329	1,056	1,063	1,948	5,871	1,306	3,606	
Industrial.....	1,749	2,850	1,120	2,480	4,712	1,691	2,005	1,197	850	1,351	1,464	3,284	8,353	
Engineering.....	3,571	1,349	650	1,603	1,052	1,237	183	209	90	296	1,826	1,195	2,155	
TOTAL	13,717	13,052	8,294	9,360	11,081	6,533	5,295	4,026	3,541	6,085	12,719	14,413	26,154	
Manitoba														
Residential.....	1,938	729	455	459	523	830	371	472	647	1,062	1,285	2,171	2,985	
Business.....	226	379	266	374	184	199	112	463	292	142	305	882		
Industrial.....	311	51	165	144	43	30	146	—	13	204	1,061	140	109	
Engineering.....	95	16	87	18	68	18	99	—	—	203	71	17	115	
TOTAL	2,570	1,176	973	906	1,007	1,062	815	584	1,123	1,651	2,559	2,633	4,092	
Saskatchewan														
Residential.....	368	356	259	166	181	161	76	94	280	426	1,129	1,049	1,110	
Business.....	286	282	193	157	103	60	76	57	150	113	287	301	459	
Industrial.....	87	25	64	83	20	246	6	6	—	14	24	16	41	
Engineering.....	47	—	—	—	—	13	22	45	160	—	6	108	101	
TOTAL	742	709	516	405	304	485	168	176	430	554	1,440	1,534	1,711	
Alberta														
Residential.....	1,453	1,363	867	923	883	690	326	301	1,444	1,386	3,425	3,129	2,244	
Business.....	349	207	247	335	305	204	119	190	182	120	160	394	474	
Industrial.....	117	44	35	236	23	98	87	39	24	53	136	209	254	
Engineering.....	250	146	26	31	22	47	160	—	—	715	—	87		
TOTAL	2,169	1,760	1,175	1,524	1,211	1,014	577	690	1,650	1,558	4,436	3,732	3,059	
British Columbia														
Residential.....	3,064	2,197	1,045	1,025	501	896	635	749	743	761	1,768	2,097	4,601	
Business.....	509	757	785	2,094	742	467	208	129	60	1,099	978	1,197	687	
Industrial.....	172	267	664	148	221	100	161	75	524	201	315	447	190	
Engineering.....	388	693	108	85	35	147	150	—	—	15	5	333	55	
TOTAL	4,133	3,913	2,691	3,352	1,499	1,610	1,153	952	1,342	2,066	3,394	3,795	5,672	

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15. BUILDING PERMITS¹

Province and City	1944						1945					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000
Building Permits—												
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND—												
Charlottetown.....	7	2	1	5		2		152	7	5	3	5
NOVA SCOTIA.....	377	2,006	254	166	247	153	101	107	118	98	621	372
Dartmouth.....	22	10	12	5	19	14	5		12	14	10	8
Halifax.....	190	1,859	124	57	99	44	32	89	62	42	475	133
Sydney.....	36	64	50	27	26	25	20	3	3	10	54	63
NEW BRUNSWICK.....	248	109	85	110	143	58	26	35	37	27	106	129
Fredericton.....	6	2	9	5	1	4		6	2	2		17
Moncton.....	87	10	9	52	73	9	13	20	16	9	60	68
Saint John.....	138	89	61	48	54	40	13	9	18	17	30	26
QUEBEC.....	4,401	3,848	3,747	3,665	3,959	2,871	2,408	748	1,392	2,861	5,378	4,697
Chicoutimi.....	36	56	15	49	193	1		14	0	73	312	61
Hull.....	14	110	55	11	11	6		3	26	42	151	89
Lachine.....	14	86	60	13	207	52	26	29	25	23	37	247
Montreal and Maisonneuve.....	2,133	1,871	1,593	1,409	1,656	1,684	1,417	396	601	1,427	2,188	2,137
Quebec.....	494	294	273	274	446	221	614	132	301	106	322	334
Shawinigan.....	79	73	77	121	21	60	8		5	358	105	120
Sherbrooke.....	64	96	207	224	45	136	33	10	73	132	137	243
Three Rivers.....	43	73	124	20	150	17	5	11	5	76	89	93
Verdun.....	48	89	41	336	60	120	28		22	40	132	161
Westmount.....	15	6	4	6	134	1	80	9	13	4	22	83
ONTARIO.....	5,113	4,016	5,128	3,260	4,315	3,781	3,996	2,513	3,435	6,776	7,345	6,618
Brantford.....	47	32	35	27	27	6	607	1	8	13	49	130
Chatham.....	68	14	14	79	44	79	2	4	5	20	27	52
Etobicoke Twp.....	207	164	226	133	141	189	61	60	152	579	536	300
Fort William.....	128	55	115	22	30	11	8	6	13	23	245	186
Hamilton.....	236	243	1,069	304	303	229	90	722	1,083	111	835	114
Kingston.....	104	53	84	40	42	107	18	63	1	52	91	79
Kitchener.....	90	103	100	34	91	31	28	10	13	301	128	153
London.....	160	67	91	123	120	76	63	75	52	82	141	135
Ottawa.....	437	223	189	227	272	256	48	176	140	189	447	316
Port Arthur.....	87	89	76	52	31	30	11	1	4	38	66	244
Sault Ste. Marie.....	80	37	54	76	38	15	242	14	9	22	54	152
Scarboro.....	102	110	102	101	94	57	24	25	22	109	131	199
St. Catharines.....	87	158	54	54	74	65	3	7	27	185	113	75
Toronto.....	854	474	872	308	817	484	554	327	371	765	1,557	621
York Township.....	351	91	315	88	109	142	47	61	110	279	295	275
East.....	160	138	94	70	170	147	59	30	61	272	126	232
North.....	301	137	230	218	188	230	36	11	744	2,260	455	373
Windsor.....	138	94	233	160	313	248	1,347	125	68	150	172	226
MANITOBA.....	967	749	505	972	505	462	294	124	242	462	775	1,274
Brandon.....	158	70	23	20	36	32	4	2	9	12	23	72
St. Boniface.....	176	153	131	543	124	105	50	9	30	49	52	169
Winnipeg.....	559	462	308	360	323	314	234	108	190	388	647	918
SASKATCHEWAN.....	314	315	378	305	225	81	49	63	73	275	519	891
Moose Jaw.....	16	35	9	56	9	4	12	20	19	4	63	55
Prince Albert.....	73	67	98	50	25	6	1		4	10	25	100
Regina.....	83	123	150	69	80	26	14	16	21	125	250	456
Saskatoon.....	88	57	82	18	50	23	8	12	23	114	115	148
ALBERTA.....	1,314	889	736	807	581	545	343	298	468	1,082	1,549	2,090
Calgary.....	527	338	290	268	287	184	151	158	277	560	715	736
Edmonton.....	575	467	320	429	206	304	164	106	159	340	582	1,047
Lethbridge.....	180	44	44	55	43	50	24	34	29	137	176	222
Medicine Hat.....	28	40	69	23	45	6	4		1	34	69	80
BRITISH COLUMBIA.....	1,954	1,417	1,299	1,517	1,050	1,114	684	1,349	1,454	1,201	1,437	1,702
New Westminster.....	74	69	139	49	89	38	26	99	67	59	55	63
Prince Rupert.....	12	7	4	7	5	5			15	2	15	13
Vancouver.....	1,442	1,030	840	924	1,448	819	413	1,001	1,086	831	1,142	1,324
North.....	47	64	14	11	18	19	26	21	12	13	25	40
Victoria.....	194	70	163	351	154	114	165	171	163	114	97	137
Totals.....	14,605	13,350	12,133	10,807	11,934	9,067	7,902	5,391	7,225	12,787	17,735	17,778
												17,190

Dominion and provincial totals include a number of other municipalities and are not comparable prior to January, 1940.

IV. Internal Trade

16. INDEXES OF RETAIL AND WHOLESALE SALES 1935-1939 = 100

Type of Business	1944						1945						
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
Unadjusted—													
Wholesale Sales.....	195.2	190.0	179.8	199.4	205.4	202.6	195.3	170.8	182.3	178.6	201.8	196.5	205.9
Automotive equipment.....	197.6	201.0	194.5	222.1	235.9	221.4	166.4	203.6	211.3	235.4	235.6	217.0	
Drugs.....	205.0	184.8	181.7	202.4	207.0	236.7	231.8	187.1	218.3	202.6	209.4	220.0	
Clothing.....	165.2	145.3	140.1	104.6	184.4	222.8	195.9	120.6	232.0	218.1	223.3	183.5	
Footwear.....	195.2	101.0	126.0	228.3	212.8	227.9	189.4	139.8	221.0	215.6	229.0	246.0	
Dry Goods.....	165.7	156.0	133.9	174.8	189.5	186.5	158.7	113.2	181.8	173.1	191.4	106.6	
Groceries.....	173.0	177.9	168.7	184.6	188.3	183.0	185.3	162.9	165.3	155.6	170.5	160.5	
Fruits and vegetables.....	261.2	232.4	230.0	230.9	249.1	218.2	206.6	232.7	188.8	192.3	238.3	251.5	
Hardware.....	195.8	193.1	177.9	191.2	198.0	193.1	197.9	156.0	173.0	188.7	217.6	212.8	
Tobacco, confectionery.....	256.9	248.9	227.2	236.1	236.8	251.2	242.7	239.3	223.9	215.1	251.0	241.9	
Retail Sales.....	177.8	178.0	155.1	161.2	178.6	182.6	190.6	237.4	143.1	116.7	194.3	174.6	182.1
Country general.....	177.7	169.1	170.5	174.4	171.5	174.0	165.9	196.3	127.0	127.2	157.9	169.1	182.0
Department.....	166.2	150.3	116.8	139.4	183.8	193.1	225.2	253.9	122.6	136.2	200.5	164.8	162.9
Variety.....	191.1	190.1	181.1	172.4	191.4	199.8	216.9	172.3	139.6	151.9	207.9	179.5	192.3
Food.....	179.0	194.2	164.6	170.9	175.1	168.9	168.5	204.6	166.5	167.5	201.1	181.7	182.2
Restaurants.....	189.1	186.0	194.9	198.6	102.1	196.1	104.8	196.8	179.7	171.3	195.4	192.4	182.3
Family clothing.....	199.7	189.4	100.2	150.1	189.9	229.9	223.6	292.9	124.2	128.5	220.3	184.9	190.5
Men's clothing.....	181.3	188.4	142.4	125.2	174.8	207.7	228.6	290.6	118.3	120.8	205.8	165.8	167.7
Women's clothing.....	201.8	191.9	155.3	153.8	200.8	218.8	226.6	203.3	130.0	138.3	257.8	199.5	199.1
Shoes.....	197.5	213.1	163.4	154.9	196.7	173.6	181.1	245.2	99.4	108.3	225.9	170.6	188.5
Drugs.....	168.4	108.1	168.0	170.5	177.3	186.2	181.3	201.2	176.5	167.6	188.4	175.2	178.5
Furniture.....	165.8	139.2	116.4	122.6	134.8	142.9	145.3	149.2	89.6	112.6	143.1	159.3	107.0
Hardware.....	109.8	194.2	175.0	180.1	182.7	184.7	181.7	192.3	119.9	119.0	167.2	190.6	204.5
Jewellery.....	182.0	195.3	177.5	191.4	202.4	203.6	255.6	605.9	148.7	168.0	204.1	187.6	108.8
Radio and electrical.....	114.6	110.7	91.9	94.9	112.4	113.0	117.6	135.8	99.0	93.8	110.5	110.5	116.2
Adjusted Sales.....	170.9	173.0	170.9	173.0	170.9	174.7	181.9	172.8	175.0	185.6	201.7	179.7	176.0
Country general.....	164.1	163.4	159.9	161.0	154.0	160.6	160.2	183.1	166.0	171.8	179.2	178.2	168.6
Department.....	160.0	143.2	150.9	165.4	179.7	171.4	194.7	158.4	163.3	181.1	215.5	171.7	157.3
Variety.....	191.8	189.5	186.8	184.4	191.2	199.0	217.2	184.1	223.0	223.6	233.7	212.0	195.2
Food.....	175.9	192.1	174.8	183.0	168.2	175.1	172.3	176.2	176.2	182.4	188.1	185.4	189.6
Restaurants.....	185.1	186.4	187.5	182.7	184.4	195.1	204.4	190.8	189.1	194.0	195.0	185.8	187.6
Family clothing.....	189.0	183.4	191.8	184.0	195.2	198.0	198.1	183.3	184.7	198.6	231.9	173.1	185.2
Men's clothing.....	165.6	180.0	179.2	169.4	172.2	180.8	187.2	172.5	166.8	192.1	217.5	159.0	173.7
Women's clothing.....	191.3	179.5	190.0	196.9	204.5	101.3	204.8	190.6	191.1	221.7	259.1	175.2	191.0
Shoes.....	177.2	165.6	183.8	181.3	169.9	175.9	191.3	168.8	143.7	183.1	243.1	161.6	171.3
Drugs.....	173.4	177.0	171.2	172.0	172.3	182.8	184.6	205.5	187.5	185.9	186.5	184.4	183.8
Furniture.....	132.3	140.6	155.0	120.2	112.6	124.2	137.8	125.7	151.1	144.3	165.5	147.1	154.8
Hardware.....	148.5	160.7	162.6	168.3	153.5	164.4	181.0	177.8	199.8	218.0	229.0	186.2	154.9
Jewellery.....	202.9	206.0	218.1	158.7	224.4	228.2	250.2	238.6	208.3	241.2	267.0	227.8	221.3
Radio and electrical.....	99.5	115.5	110.3	104.3	99.7	97.6	103.0	106.6	118.6	122.3	131.2	112.7	100.0

17. AUTOMOBILE FINANCING

Classification	1944						1945					
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
Automobile Financing—												
TOTAL NEW AND USED CARS.....	3,182	2,768	2,597	2,339	2,304	1,589	1,491	1,742	2,422	2,792	2,420	2,462
Number.....	-27.2	-31.5	-24.3	-23.2	-16.7	-32.1	-32.1	-24.0	-19.0	-19.0	-33.0	-23.3
Percentage change.....	1,336	1,275	1,185	1,062	1,056	853	853	809	1,277	1,478	1,151	901
Financing.....	-12.6	-17.2	-11.7	-15.9	-10.6	-12.6	-16.0	-15.0	+5.0	+4.0	-33	-34

V. External Trade

18. EXTERNAL TRADE EXCLUDING GOLD (\$000's)

Imports.....	148452	157324	150710	160050	141617	127217	129685	112373	132486	133627	143844	146479
Domestic Exports.....	27713	257021	264619	313962	312491	266879	230498	230364	301175	312323	315192	322846
Foreign Exports.....	3,070	2,165	2,722	4,487	4,982	32,170	3,364	3,998	5,831	5,788	3,631	4,299
Total Trade.....	430235	416510	427051	478500	459090	397366	363546	352736	439493	451938	402568	473624
Positive Balance of Trade.....	133331	101862	107631	158399	175856	142933	104177	127990	174521	184284	174879	180665
Net exports of non-monetary gold.....	6,600	10,000	8,700	8,400	10,100	5,900	8,700	8,400	10,200	6,800	10,200	4,700
Duty collected.....	13,278	15,954	15,428	15,461	14,013	13,061	13,198	12,189	10,243	14,154	14,076	14,719

V. External Trade

19. IMPORTS BY PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES, EXCLUDING GOLD
(in thousands of dollars)

	1944							1945					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
All countries.....	152,478	148,452	157,324	159,710	160,050	141,617	127,217	129,685	112,373	132,486	133,827	143,844	146,479
Empire countries....	20,278	16,002	11,242	16,389	31,736	19,127	16,805	21,429	13,622	19,555	20,598	30,101	24,816
Foreign countries....	132,201	132,450	146,082	143,321	128,314	122,490	110,412	108,256	98,751	112,931	113,229	113,743	121,664
British East Africa.....	150	74	25	86	59	197	54	191	29	152	132	346	164
British South Africa.....	431	271	151	403	575	454	866	350	594	510	927	635	343
Southern Rhodesia.....	2	.....	1	40	51	36	53	6	99	58	53	53	171
British West Africa.....	622	384	31	90	744	562	91	651	1,290	1,559	927	1,491	298
Bermuda.....	3	15	8	.....	10	2	3	1	1	1	.....	20	.....
British India.....	2,270	2,629	1,150	2,272	3,015	2,517	1,076	6,054	1,363	3,099	1,752	4,400	876
Ceylon.....	403	2	1	439	336	614	.....	1,404	4	528	450	1,161	12
British Guiana.....	681	1,078	961	653	557	346	231	464	509	860	1,059	885	1,279
Barbados.....	700	680	502	722	1,438	605	478	130	685	494	336	384	1,406
Jamaica.....	1,369	1,191	1,413	871	1,890	493	530	746	211	422	201	540	966
Trinidad and Tobago.....	239	106	84	369	74	27	16	153	317	27	838	113	45
Other British West Indies.....	106	25	46	49	81	104	89	195	96	104	45	32	55
Newfoundland.....	1,144	1,352	1,298	1,033	667	1,004	505	433	350	383	428	852	971
Australia.....	834	1,597	915	876	2,466	356	1,726	502	467	1,713	1,410	1,363	3,268
Fiji.....	447	.....	.....	889	.....	417	630	.....	638	.....	.....	38	.....
New Zealand.....	1,441	691	6	275	1,687	206	825	595	81	137	40	2,132	708
United Kingdom.....	9,412	5,863	4,564	7,002	18,086	11,137	9,395	9,393	6,741	9,284	11,974	15,179	11,843
United States.....	122,240	124,005	138,252	135,588	121,359	116,087	102,945	101,833	92,805	105,334	102,697	104,753	110,715
Argentina.....	373	521	842	941	547	548	692	726	447	737	905	1,009	1,055
Bolivia.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	5	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Brazil.....	1,384	673	307	473	334	567	333	251	295	451	1,043	259	349
Chile.....	122	21	75	45	147	100	27	45	36	76	26	65	72
China.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Colombia.....	1,610	1,071	1,631	916	2,039	1,094	992	842	537	1,062	1,030	1,012	1,063
Costa Rica.....	250	32	207	370	37	27	33	25	36	3	2	27	33
Cuba.....	338	315	426	227	261	260	168	422	642	156	224	615	1,842
Ecuador.....	88	9	10	96	3	186	5	170	137	26	262	282	24
Egypt.....	9	6	36	3	1	26	10	25	58	42	.....	.....	.....
Guatemala.....	752	78	64	2	7	11	35	28	95	47	155	105	430
Haiti.....	693	768	265	13	25	14	22	16	48	38	30	48	32
Honduras.....	92	86	112	135	170	193	231	408	382	659	862	721	900
Mexico.....	957	1,283	937	999	751	988	1,218	732	1,065	1,687	1,590	1,392	802
Netherlands West Indies.....	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	149	180	77	54	101	.....
Nicaragua.....	1	2	.....	.....	2	.....	1	.....	.....	8	5	19	.....
Panama.....	26	.....	54	43	11	5	.....	10	12	30	9	.....	34
Paraguay.....	21	17	.....	1	11	4	2	5	7	14	56	11	17
Peru.....	110	123	159	77	69	117	126	89	65	60	82	103	176
Portugal.....	719	65	167	165	22	84	61	89	.....	419	268	220	.....
Salvador.....	305	882	8	859	15	332	751	534	280	166	770	373	327
San Domingo.....	195	200	242	117	246	250	571	257	163	131	445	393	361
Spain.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	1	.....	.....	5	.....
Sweden.....	660	375	400	204	118	77	894	206	100	453	443	606	764
Switzerland.....	12	16	6	4	7	9	.....	9	.....	.....	3	1	.....
Puerto Rico.....	55	33	.....	.....	38	.....	6	15	1	.....	18	6	3
Uruguay.....	834	1,682	1,349	1,523	1,859	1,374	1,225	960	1,087	926	1,582	1,003	1,773

V. External Trade

20. SUMMARY OF CANADA'S IMPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD)
(in thousands of dollars)

	1944							1945					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
Total Imports (excluding gold)....	152,478	148,452	157,324	159,710	160,050	141,617	127,217	129,685	112,373	132,486	133,827	143,844	146,479
Agricultural products (total)....	22,750	18,872	14,806	15,031	18,873	15,220	16,026	19,201	14,816	17,877	20,729	22,554	22,092
Fruits.....	6,493	6,826	6,403	5,217	5,436	4,223	5,619	4,798	3,830	5,081	5,128	6,351	8,004
Nuts.....	1,369	903	617	589	993	1,162	1,988	729	771	647	614	1,323	1,269
Vegetables.....	2,016	733	100	110	552	655	996	1,474	1,392	1,953	2,228	2,729	2,724
Grains and products.....	837	1,570	935	434	888	1,235	930	585	794	1,101	880	851	899
Oils, vegetable.....	671	972	717	1,027	1,264	781	883	999	676	1,138	1,442	1,467	632
Cocoa and chocolate.....	347	398	33	114	528	8	25	90	737	123	630	508	109
Coffee and chicory.....	3,360	1,155	1,101	869	1,120	878	327	240	73	168	86	912	884
Tea.....	789	896	.....	907	1,529	1,685	.....	4,311	689	1,991	1,420	3,243	223
Alcoholic beverages.....	374	459	350	350	452	822	614	697	433	514	430	477	504
Gums and resins.....	448	207	216	186	183	283	465	453	500	482	250	376	293
Animal products (total)....	2,900	2,535	1,848	2,561	3,456	3,411	3,843	3,841	3,251	3,575	3,679	4,234	3,031
Furs (chiefly raw)....	544	334	236	784	1,314	1,369	1,729	2,073	1,042	1,560	1,640	808	1,133
Hides, raw.....	421	311	231	374	481	336	271	510	144	228	119	759	90
Fibres and Textiles (total)....	16,908	14,745	13,471	12,609	20,032	17,628	16,107	16,683	13,201	21,113	16,705	17,000	15,472
Cotton (total)....	8,155	8,036	8,268	10,103	7,029	9,674	8,661	7,454	6,970	10,281	7,205	6,203	5,940
Raw, and linters.....	3,365	3,524	3,675	2,230	2,474	5,764	4,562	3,330	3,011	4,271	3,070	2,269	2,376
Yarn.....	651	220	515	1,022	798	575	773	538	313	850	650	506	704
Fabrics.....	3,558	3,767	3,585	2,423	3,158	2,831	2,889	3,071	4,417	2,861	2,841	2,357	2,357
Flax, hemp and jute (total)....	1,447	1,506	1,536	1,124	1,726	1,523	1,310	2,585	593	1,359	999	2,115	808
Wool (total)....	3,587	2,321	1,005	1,968	6,886	2,560	2,685	3,368	2,287	4,339	3,931	4,089	4,577
Wood and Paper (total)....	3,341	3,325	3,026	3,787	4,501	3,932	3,501	3,595	3,165	4,423	4,298	4,330	4,057
Wood, unmanufactured (total)....	423	460	526	586	602	471	390	438	338	661	570	622	498
Wood, manufactured.....	562	553	559	605	728	672	650	656	537	734	703	751	709
Paper.....	976	951	1,020	1,014	1,229	1,169	967	984	915	1,182	1,191	1,192	1,218
Books and printed matter.....	1,379	1,361	1,521	1,583	1,942	1,619	1,493	1,517	1,375	1,846	1,835	1,766	1,632
Iron and products (total)....	33,216	35,201	43,259	35,917	36,969	30,926	29,760	32,588	27,923	34,699	34,079	35,038	36,778
Castings and forgings.....	508	456	414	605	674	595	823	722	832	975	838	902	777
Rolling mill products.....	3,701	4,291	4,943	4,845	5,449	4,682	4,016	3,533	3,670	4,893	5,063	4,616	4,777
Engines and boilers.....	3,808	5,384	13,334	3,388	5,311	3,403	3,627	3,173	2,369	2,648	1,858	2,492	4,165
Farm implements.....	3,868	5,097	4,085	3,593	3,594	2,517	2,872	4,315	2,935	4,429	4,491	4,328	4,585
Machinery (except agricultural)....	6,934	5,670	6,598	5,818	5,352	5,618	4,962	6,133	5,268	7,935	8,052	8,971	9,541
Tools.....	876	657	602	605	672	701	513	646	614	659	678	612	635
Vehicles.....	7,482	6,863	7,071	6,974	8,408	6,944	7,611	9,007	7,941	7,754	7,734	7,175	7,002
Non-ferrous metals (total)....	10,088	7,816	8,358	10,321	8,000	7,602	7,268	8,006	7,094	9,367	9,600	10,168	10,723
Electrical apparatus.....	5,465	3,994	4,377	6,390	4,149	3,730	3,364	3,976	3,278	4,586	4,226	3,964	3,590
Non-metallic minerals (total)....	24,618	23,467	26,638	26,112	27,539	24,682	18,159	16,059	15,703	10,030	21,144	21,837	24,555
Clay products.....	1,062	778	676	728	1,732	1,394	1,086	1,031	767	1,145	1,262	1,185	1,253
Coal.....	9,587	10,180	10,813	11,541	19,604	10,164	7,678	6,887	6,810	7,570	7,513	7,151	8,254
Coke.....	874	907	919	961	805	799	516	467	459	843	1,040	1,202	1,056
Glass and glassware.....	1,001	838	1,042	1,158	1,713	1,402	1,177	1,163	1,046	1,603	1,630	1,507	1,402
Petroleum products.....	9,759	8,628	11,180	9,162	10,413	8,632	6,002	4,930	5,130	5,915	7,389	8,527	10,188
Stone and products.....	1,082	1,002	1,055	1,039	1,073	828	729	736	612	807	708	807	910
Chemicals (total)....	7,519	6,471	6,867	5,979	7,086	6,654	5,881	6,146	5,336	7,501	6,801	7,010	6,643
Cellulose products.....	436	400	368	394	477	425	407	390	399	475	461	518	466
Drugs and medicines.....	596	520	656	553	737	705	697	859	501	805	822	925	944
Dyeing and tanning materials.....	637	482	705	491	612	649	555	457	614	801	689	735	691
Fertilizers.....	228	298	399	290	301	377	302	219	245	259	263	255	214
Paints and varnishes.....	598	583	576	564	756	631	557	651	541	797	801	783	756
Inorganic chemicals (total)....	1,044	939	1,109	874	1,201	891	672	775	651	971	919	1,008	804
Soda and compounds.....	371	284	252	248	484	436	258	314	259	258	256	337	341
*Miscellaneous commodities (total)....	31,069	36,020	38,451	47,303	33,594	31,561	26,671	23,564	21,884	14,902	16,732	21,666	22,528
Scientific equipment.....	749	741	583	634	824	729	579	778	688	814	776	741	847
Vehicles, n.o.p. (except iron)....	5,444	4,587	6,895	5,759	5,217	4,456	5,072	2,444	2,093	2,117	1,676	1,668	1,521

* Included certain military stores.

V. External Trade

21. CANADA'S DOMESTIC EXPORTS BY PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES, EXCLUDING GOLD

(in thousands of dollars)

	1944							1945					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
All countries.....	343,158	278,713	257,021	264,819	313,962	312,491	266,879	230,498	236,364	301,175	312,323	315,192	322,846
Empire countries....	164,197	147,204	123,676	117,114	151,502	145,102	108,579	116,940	104,236	154,935	157,326	154,044	156,379
Foreign countries....	178,951	131,509	133,145	147,505	162,370	167,389	158,304	113,558	132,128	146,237	164,997	161,148	168,467
British East Africa.....	349	1,145	368	604	497	916	256	516	399	187	91	210	190
British South Africa.....	2,417	2,645	1,281	2,616	1,821	2,409	1,328	2,365	2,156	2,958	2,390	2,151	3,186
Southern Rhodesia.....	165	164	50	168	128	124	35	143	195	184	138	319	183
British West Africa.....	197	17	188	15	230	230	31	72	122	108	135	52	106
Bermuda.....	213	164	143	132	183	199	134	177	342	222	211	123	171
British India.....	13,359	19,091	16,813	6,684	20,064	24,220	17,016	18,022	22,080	31,030	29,138	23,030	41,730
Ceylon.....	443	803	555	268	384	463	1,670	676	721	378	327	840	330
British Guiana.....	806	98	183	747	92	719	347	351	441	590	854	717	424
Barbados.....	532	517	507	215	358	843	463	25	301	248	374	414	703
Jamaica.....	1,410	2,162	1,456	611	1,001	1,041	900	1,591	715	952	1,473	887	1,433
Trinidad and Tobago.....	1,835	1,440	1,682	1,100	1,440	1,510	732	1,357	840	1,274	2,223	1,437	1,297
British West Indies, other.....	763	564	592	350	418	525	490	205	438	603	579	488	743
Newfoundland.....	5,756	4,077	4,381	5,446	5,308	4,483	4,106	3,787	1,532	2,072	3,017	3,741	4,465
Australia.....	3,860	7,370	1,504	2,066	4,190	2,211	1,594	1,790	3,521	581	5,761	1,087	3,412
Fiji.....	113	4	.....	3	111	41	2	0	0	6	8	03	5
New Zealand.....	3,122	239	1,274	25	1,901	700	69	1,382	1,753	867	926	1,250	543
Palestine.....	130	155	393	328	260	327	204	16	191	349	121	153	229
Ire.....	546	1,529	1,697	782	432	1,321	975	598	766	698	286	1,224	1,502
United Kingdom.....	127,929	104,906	90,202	94,425	112,639	102,214	77,883	83,230	67,451	108,802	109,091	115,574	94,634
United States.....	111,157	98,790	85,945	110,457	123,050	118,914	126,369	84,703	91,518	103,343	109,121	117,228	112,326
Argentina.....	139	536	227	212	211	386	259	109	462	487	484	516	263
Bolivia.....	22	8	24	14	21	26	10	27	3	.....	.....	.....	24
Brazil.....	529	699	807	773	836	1,049	524	707	339	723	1,013	1,454	1,257
Chile.....	211	177	72	135	296	112	156	121	84	216	191	182	172
China.....	7,002	1	21	5	7	8	2	1	4	17	1	1	69
Colombia.....	232	99	221	196	290	240	163	101	165	411	332	456	440
Costa Rica.....	13	16	25	9	32	8	11	9	29	.....	.....	.....	37
Cuba.....	281	266	237	283	647	437	243	462	271	411	363	271	382
Ecuador.....	26	20	8	28	47	19	33	14	9	.....	.....	.....	53
Egypt.....	20,588	9,047	9,928	5,317	2,390	7,273	3,081	2,314	5,016	5,743	4,411	4,284	6,711
French Possessions.....	3,172	3,180	770	2,027	4,255	4,332	2,312	1,146	1,165	1,760	1,190	326	4,076
Greece.....	17	55	26	21	46	30	9	36	19	15	27	50	20
Guatemala.....	72	39	20	17	52	39	76	12	51	36	90	30	44
Haiti.....	5	8	.....	2	15	22	14	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	27
Honduras.....	275	331	307	116	36	112	320	249	107	512	182	743	400
Iceland.....	968	970	404	108	103	235	67	231	112	90	154	73	757
Iraq.....	19,080	4,052	20,641	12,768	9,158	13,589	11,107	12,711	19,234	14,340	14,731	12,230	3,638
Mexico.....	570	371	419	501	771	691	508	621	560	660	606	541	783
Morocco.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	483
Netherlands.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,700
Netherlands West Indies.....	111	17	62	17	43	27	37	40	40	51	74	83	76
Nicaragua.....	27	24	21	5	54	24	8	19	39	38	13	33	13
Norway.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,170
Panama.....	82	28	35	39	120	40	62	31	70	53	114	46	68
Persia.....	10	94	180	142	106	138	.....	126	7	25	487	186	421
Peru.....	146	53	107	122	120	141	80	148	174	189	136	246	97
Portugal.....	127	126	66	21	26	34	6	45	60	22	32	175	175
Portuguese Africa.....	48	109	2	7	28	54	12	47	419	73	78	20	49
Russia.....	9,828	10,429	6,961	9,059	8,276	13,501	7,634	4,380	4,602	4,655	6,223	10,392	5,977
Salvador.....	20	16	21	10	27	34	32	12	7	.....	.....	.....	39
San Domingo.....	43	31	45	11	25	18	44	51	28	55	70	43	50
Spain.....	65	1	22	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	400	.....	145	17	8
Switzerland.....	2,647	347	2,324	1,155	1,702	1,454	999	919	1,228	1,380	1,549	692	355
Turkey.....	88	3	64	.....	44	63	254	31	89	17	106	113	72
Hawaii.....	235	264	412	204	236	19	126	403	321	312	410	270	299
Puerto Rico.....	205	63	231	253	183	142	184	97	201	277	290	121	288
Uruguay.....	63	148	113	75	110	238	27	107	38	91	224	159	129
Venezuela.....	98	81	144	96	290	191	174	154	69	404	317	501	457

V. External Trade

22. SUMMARY OF CANADA'S EXPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD)

(in thousands of dollars)

	1944							1945						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	
Total Domestic Exports.....	343,158	278,713	257,021	264,619	313,962	312,491	266,870	230,498	236,364	301,175	312,323	315,192	322,846	
Agricultural products (total).....	67,192	61,735	42,644	66,131	74,544	66,807	68,545	26,415	32,328	41,949	60,618	76,919	99,833	
Fruits.....	212	117	613	1,309	2,082	2,509	1,899	928	1,044	1,216	776	648	340	
Vegetables.....	1,132	665	1,082	750	1,744	1,991	1,434	1,525	2,905	2,777	2,213	1,393	1,134	
Grains (total).....	47,950	37,270	27,920	45,393	63,187	42,840	45,256	9,472	12,598	16,378	33,651	50,046	73,457	
Barley.....	2,677	3,410	3,397	3,486	9,390	4,160	551	298	275	5,652	3,863	5,338		
Wheat.....	32,655	32,255	21,243	33,970	36,754	29,837	34,393	6,606	9,205	12,971	20,591	40,303	61,347	
Wheat flour.....	8,757	6,701	4,961	7,915	7,162	6,404	8,106	5,643	6,799	8,188	9,225	9,584	11,593	
Alcoholic beverages.....	1,568	1,227	1,630	1,750	2,250	2,652	2,177	2,197	2,370	2,593	2,424	2,803	2,732	
Seeds.....	499	27	785	2,609	1,781	3,341	3,614	1,560	1,420	3,024	3,278	1,622	409	
Animal products (total).....	37,868	34,370	32,062	27,659	23,678	32,846	27,448	30,513	24,061	40,090	34,798	33,913	29,182	
Cattle (except for stock).....	620	601	481	447	468	467	366	258	270	388	802	877	858	
Fishery products.....	5,474	7,012	5,515	6,930	4,892	7,547	4,287	4,361	4,405	5,447	6,006	6,288	7,270	
Furs (chiefly raw).....	2,005	2,094	940	922	1,286	1,094	3,782	3,900	2,664	2,527	1,945	1,888	2,426	
Hides, raw.....	50	51	46	58	35	15	24	33	.....	1	46	23	12
Leather, unmanufactured.....	298	239	190	246	233	264	193	268	282	332	386	380	349	
Leather, manufactured.....	583	397	342	266	230	344	200	214	139	377	206	203	441	
Meats.....	23,564	16,496	13,284	11,064	7,221	14,787	11,848	15,875	11,351	21,761	14,584	16,133	13,009	
Butter.....	174	200	178	114	136	132	140	84	159	219	206	170	205	
Cheese.....	602	1,865	5,649	2,908	4,290	2,874	3,164	1,107	799	1,602	506	350	64	
Eggs.....	2,459	2,027	2,123	1,556	2,638	2,342	1,723	2,270	1,038	6,281	7,249	5,281	2,164	
Fibres and Textiles (total).....	5,472	3,700	4,164	4,701	7,431	8,143	6,983	5,033	4,654	7,908	7,401	4,201	6,027	
Cotton.....	713	408	439	367	2,601	1,331	811	765	1,308	1,452	1,249	385	858	
Flax.....	226	102	228	216	200	37	101	55	41	372	157	136	269	
Wool.....	2,655	1,342	1,835	1,706	2,757	2,733	3,497	1,595	1,137	1,916	3,523	559	1,658	
Artificial silk.....	281	497	666	846	659	863	337	892	851	424	1,312	1,307	1,108	
Wood and paper (total).....	38,820	37,565	39,704	39,775	45,890	42,111	35,737	31,854	33,052	39,149	37,018	30,209	41,193	
Planks and boards.....	7,078	7,631	8,382	9,661	10,516	10,014	8,597	8,402	6,821	7,467	6,500	6,746	8,397	
Timber, square.....	55	70	56	187	100	110	67	67	84	40	22	49	107	
Shingles, red cedar.....	507	610	616	569	630	622	568	651	705	782	615	663	725	
Pulpwood.....	1,517	1,650	2,247	2,335	2,876	1,693	1,271	1,526	1,369	1,241	891	1,253	2,275	
Wood pulp.....	9,045	7,891	9,812	8,191	11,294	8,420	7,860	6,922	7,617	9,845	8,262	10,190	8,875	
Paper, newsprint.....	14,391	13,842	13,420	13,437	14,255	14,015	12,179	11,313	11,852	14,125	14,819	14,684	14,765	
Iron and products (total).....	86,271	80,827	50,165	40,221	65,344	71,127	43,050	65,719	54,321	67,620	68,419	59,719	68,614	
Pipes, ingots etc.....	1,025	1,630	1,240	2,301	1,631	1,489	1,334	1,239	1,244	1,082	1,738	2,435	1,811	
Rolling mill products.....	1,263	1,033	889	349	1,244	1,027	1,019	586	648	1,610	1,056	1,181	878	
Tubes and pipes.....	307	108	185	637	238	248	121	231	202	360	225	285	397	
Farm implements.....	1,137	1,449	887	831	1,228	1,425	611	914	1,525	1,598	1,705	1,024	2,327	
Hardware and cutlery.....	290	267	263	295	330	416	209	252	300	335	407	271	404	
Machinery, other than farm.....	1,914	2,734	1,869	1,768	2,322	3,270	1,944	2,145	1,949	1,900	1,917	1,884	1,868	
Motor vehicles and parts.....	38,088	38,725	27,881	27,044	40,035	42,972	21,924	37,354	34,211	41,634	43,088	35,474	49,414	
Non-ferrous metals (excluding gold).....	36,699	21,821	22,619	26,186	34,427	37,140	27,405	31,283	33,970	40,356	38,426	29,801	26,325	
Non-metallic minerals (total).....	6,056	4,616	5,353	5,509	6,170	4,943	3,609	4,503	3,058	4,628	4,755	4,736	6,073	
Coal.....	536	681	479	623	392	391	502	448	424	460	452	413	478	
Petroleum.....	1,457	780	1,203	1,256	2,110	933	280	1,167	92	354	179	267	2,645	
Stone.....	1,426	957	1,547	1,355	1,212	1,250	1,007	934	1,196	1,306	1,288	1,401	1,440	
Chemicals (total).....	11,530	7,199	7,318	7,293	9,535	10,155	8,116	8,011	10,678	12,924	12,685	13,324	9,881	
Acids.....	218	131	202	249	196	198	282	142	188	354	342	370	422	
Fertilizers.....	2,090	1,216	1,965	1,656	2,271	1,726	1,936	2,428	2,823	2,372	2,170	2,921	2,068	
Fuels.....	152	112	136	458	563	614	456	528	428	697	537	565	483	
*Miscellaneous (total).....	54,241	36,878	52,992	47,054	46,944	39,219	46,072	37,168	30,642	45,592	50,171	53,129	34,818	
Electric energy.....	737	700	321	981	731	553	603	533	466	434	608	687	683	
Films.....	182	167	163	45	170	69	155	269	251	202	121	144	137	

*Includes certain military stores.

23. CANAL CARGO TRAFFIC

Canal	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
Sault Ste. Marie 000 tons	17,044	17,448	17,199	15,962	14,863	9,188	747	.....	.....	.....	9,780	15,548	15,468
Welland.....000 tons	1,524	1,640	1,520	1,605	1,252	1,241	124	.....	.....	.....	1,054	1,668	1,706
St. Lawrence 000 tons	829	924	994	814	827	660	8	.....	.....	.....	345	966	872

VI. Transportation

24. RAILWAY FREIGHT LOADED IN TONS

Commodity	1944						1945			
	April	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS—										
Wheat.....	1,365,103	1,808,931	1,751,712	1,384,887	1,932,827	1,332,380	959,159	604,500	805,884	1,167,737
Corn.....	6,367	3,598	3,706	20,345	36,517	34,462	21,027	21,251	26,834	18,951
Oats.....	355,857	262,159	294,235	244,100	192,606	160,428	269,111	363,563	306,147	333,463
Barley.....	210,927	190,102	357,436	509,001	181,647	180,745	311,948	206,698	140,669	109,053
Rye.....	15,687	5,321	18,032	14,872	14,171	13,095	10,175	10,480	11,000	21,265
Flaxseed.....	18,374	17,081	22,076	67,120	77,589	30,916	22,643	13,698	17,333	19,855
Other grain.....	1,510	1,398	1,208	1,587	2,374	980	5,702	2,523	4,830	4,779
Flour.....	187,186	147,560	138,446	163,238	167,266	158,847	160,686	145,235	181,403	179,397
Other mill products.....	209,427	203,826	210,805	220,698	227,048	207,901	196,573	193,470	210,600	179,433
Hay and straw.....	42,008	12,570	38,004	57,836	64,888	33,705	27,478	31,875	42,507	16,707
Cotton.....	1,039	1,804	1,302	1,973	1,116	948	1,526	1,306	1,508	787
Apples (fresh).....	7,030	4,718	20,956	53,865	62,518	43,405	22,408	23,152	18,851	10,348
Other fruit (fresh).....	1,177	21,450	40,587	15,174	2,860	2,716	1,265	1,171	1,172	1,464
Potatoes.....	54,690	14,485	25,766	72,403	82,421	59,298	47,686	58,338	77,346	65,578
Other fresh vegetables.....	7,525	17,195	28,890	28,995	28,088	13,026	12,917	16,672	16,376	9,163
Other animal products.....	36,444	29,935	46,581	187,900	149,533	133,901	60,891	37,985	42,953	42,911
ANIMAL PRODUCTS—										
Horses.....	10,589	4,768	4,980	5,424	5,271	4,461	3,733	3,332	9,484	11,514
Cattle and calves.....	41,841	57,503	64,607	73,054	78,767	81,589	56,884	45,596	49,667	45,634
Sheep.....	2,798	4,079	5,820	11,873	12,328	4,148	3,124	3,775	2,061	2,046
Hogs.....	53,510	32,252	28,055	36,105	50,778	49,173	45,646	36,521	38,338	32,029
Dressed meats (fresh).....	13,392	11,222	10,635	22,056	22,492	21,767	33,982	31,336	33,496	24,322
(cured, salted, canned).....	43,867	29,947	23,235	17,433	31,492	31,710	32,468	20,734	28,408	24,783
Other packing house products (edible).....	7,556	10,938	9,873	9,912	6,675	6,025	4,502	4,323	4,774	4,391
Poultry.....	715	873	1,190	1,989	2,080	10,217	1,160	368	43	76
Eggs.....	9,008	6,135	5,742	5,967	3,225	2,902	6,024	6,984	12,688	12,748
Butter and cheese.....	7,016	17,290	12,411	17,360	11,519	9,906	7,689	6,420	6,059	4,116
Wool.....	2,823	3,609	2,126	2,505	3,400	2,684	3,078	2,657	4,507	3,770
Hides and leather.....	6,099	3,944	5,327	8,281	6,296	6,621	7,612	7,830	8,239	5,438
Other animal products.....	8,185	6,052	7,596	11,988	12,816	10,885	10,053	11,427	12,696	10,498
MINE PRODUCTS—										
Anthracite coal.....	1,398	979	617	220	883	824	536	142	697	57
Bituminous coal.....	791,314	602,644	695,006	692,608	705,095	638,892	702,075	652,306	707,722	614,364
Lignite coal.....	163,080	265,310	300,335	381,630	411,914	402,946	433,553	375,205	314,234	231,233
Coke.....	101,990	111,644	108,473	106,557	127,826	108,876	110,978	115,604	116,898	107,829
Iron ores.....	44,576	74,251	60,666	88,712	73,237	474	219	124	126	54,648
Other ores and concentrates.....	440,479	453,863	416,787	427,289	436,902	460,981	447,493	460,835	477,338	514,740
Base bullion and matte.....	113,301	80,583	110,785	100,121	114,481	110,983	109,003	108,153	141,603	118,927
Gravel, sand, stone (crushed).....	179,518	447,617	439,058	441,775	358,721	165,894	134,525	125,204	171,188	225,763
Slate or block stone.....	917	1,601	2,717	2,940	2,016	570	1,000	1,028	1,342	1,752
Crude petroleum.....	38,104	25,884	23,121	35,558	31,576	29,567	33,734	24,841	19,289	26,482
Asphalt.....	7,282	40,357	30,587	23,388	11,665	7,120	7,585	8,257	8,938	10,425
Salt.....	31,539	34,798	35,956	32,861	33,264	31,838	32,780	28,419	32,525	30,495
Other mine products.....	212,701	254,578	234,257	253,854	225,396	181,681	166,038	191,260	208,820	223,364
FOREST PRODUCTS—										
Logs, posts, poles, cordwood.....	196,237	176,152	160,426	181,326	202,406	172,870	176,317	202,243	226,347	146,439
Ties.....	17,821	20,638	18,053	14,160	15,519	14,104	10,865	9,679	10,911	10,154
Pulpwood.....	339,045	403,242	359,685	322,988	230,020	232,850	408,962	563,509	568,615	408,680
Lumber, timber, box, crate, and cooperage material.....	402,715	564,123	519,764	507,072	474,010	300,543	336,094	380,050	491,468	407,921
Other forest products.....	18,959	48,798	48,431	30,449	27,366	41,198	15,537	20,611	20,181	18,256

VI. Transportation

24. RAILWAY FREIGHT LOADED IN TONS

Commodity	1944						1945				
	April	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	
MANUFACTURERS AND MISCELLANEOUS—											
Gasoline, petroleum products	232,798	314,022	300,303	294,049	247,015	215,434	216,655	201,573	261,973	245,105	
Sugar	22,266	29,479	28,216	36,731	35,779	25,020	19,002	20,104	20,335	21,781	
Iron, pig and bloom	41,896	47,109	43,601	45,979	64,107	46,307	42,584	62,831	65,279	60,457	
Rails and fastenings	23,252	16,334	14,330	21,233	10,688	19,516	18,301	11,061	19,858	12,407	
Iron and steel (bar, etc.)	100,529	100,132	103,617	128,949	119,046	97,277	97,039	104,604	125,720	108,676	
Castings, machinery and boilers	13,642	12,970	13,175	14,212	14,826	13,845	13,201	14,973	15,047	14,444	
Cement	43,803	104,177	85,531	81,602	44,155	14,963	11,915	13,728	33,178	63,800	
Brick and artificial stone	15,406	24,085	23,283	23,881	20,711	17,437	15,923	16,501	19,791	24,464	
Lime and plaster	37,587	32,138	34,973	35,474	33,165	31,426	30,991	28,281	36,561	40,590	
Sewer pipe and drain tile	1,600	5,299	3,739	3,356	2,960	1,806	1,959	1,284	1,747	4,231	
Agricultural implements and vehicles other than autos	19,468	16,340	10,422	13,231	19,075	12,299	19,686	13,597	22,473	27,552	
Automobiles and auto trucks	176,258	148,431	165,638	144,982	101,856	138,633	158,658	159,234	189,434	172,376	
Household goods	6,429	2,104	2,800	5,248	4,708	2,039	1,566	1,345	5,527	7,018	
Furniture	4,320	3,424	3,601	4,091	3,721	3,508	4,149	3,950	4,725	4,251	
Beverages	46,018	47,725	45,395	44,693	49,117	50,276	42,121	41,453	45,332	56,203	
Fertilizers, all kinds	190,957	97,810	111,012	122,594	115,944	109,246	121,611	149,459	191,326	217,173	
Paper, printed matter, books	247,571	263,861	248,003	267,212	266,392	250,024	243,779	378,368	304,122	279,308	
Wood pulp	143,318	146,508	125,955	135,903	135,307	125,098	120,936	132,100	159,925	152,274	
Fish (fresh, frozen, cured)	6,489	10,015	8,678	10,166	11,363	11,472	10,444	13,539	13,874	10,017	
Canned goods (except meats)	28,590	45,276	58,631	58,494	64,443	53,626	41,384	43,152	48,910	43,088	
Other manufactures and miscellaneous	726,826	758,903	747,992	799,935	775,007	693,525	713,269	694,077	888,091	904,181	
Merchandise	238,113	220,496	231,713	233,813	235,555	203,420	226,985	211,427	275,564	252,887	
Grand Total 000 tons	8,335	9,289	9,298	9,561	9,528	7,895	7,747	7,483	8,488	8,231	

25. RAILWAY OPERATING STATISTICS

Classification	1944						1945					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
Canadian National—												
Operating revenues \$000	33,213	34,348	34,257	33,972	33,269	32,809	34,598	28,546	27,089	32,403	31,715	33,270
Operating expenses \$000	25,662	26,398	29,085	28,899	29,056	28,374	28,506	25,354	24,743	25,787	24,524	26,485
Operating income \$000	7,025	7,451	4,683	4,041	3,746	3,912	5,562	2,725	1,571	6,040	6,694	6,332
No. of tons carried 000 tons	5,973	5,639	6,066	5,022	6,050	5,969	5,006	4,943	4,958	5,963	5,521	5,952
Ton miles 000,000 tons	2,576	2,756	2,670	2,752	2,746	2,647	2,684	2,186	2,093	2,405	2,521	2,752
Passengers carried 000	2,872	3,164	3,127	2,737	2,690	2,574	3,003	2,821	2,609	2,873	2,483	2,392
Passengers carried one mile 000,000 pass	321	351	336	283	262	243	361	229	203	252	224	244
Total pay-roll \$000	14,672	14,924	15,249	15,943	16,224	15,536	15,824	16,299	14,083	15,819	15,135	16,026
Number of employees 000	94	95	95	95	96	93	92	94	96	93	90	92
Canadian Pacific—												
Operating revenues \$000	20,885	27,435	28,567	27,783	28,248	27,288	25,572	24,235	23,336	26,426	28,451	26,669
Operating expenses \$000	19,317	20,855	30,540	28,387	28,846	26,524	20,507	21,123	20,100	21,772	21,081	21,081
Operating income \$000	4,538	3,659	-3,408	3,691	5,759	6,030	4,750	1,662	1,751	2,604	3,014	2,537
No. of tons carried 000 tons	4,792	4,478	4,754	4,779	5,023	5,097	4,263	4,154	4,147	4,580	4,496	4,673
Ton miles 000,000 tons	2,309	2,323	2,303	2,293	2,497	2,406	2,341	2,088	2,035	2,226	2,280	2,420
Passengers carried one mile 000	1,572	1,981	1,875	1,522	1,398	1,236	1,790	1,467	1,398	1,628	1,312	1,330
Passengers carried one mile 000,000 pass	265	312	309	258	220	210	261	199	183	216	197	217
Total pay-roll \$000	10,463	10,527	10,835	11,196	11,443	11,309	11,283	11,770	10,636	11,617	11,379	11,555
Number of employees 000	63	63	64	63	63	62	64	64	63	63	64	64
All Railways—												
Carloadings 000 cars	315,00	297,00	317,00	317,00	330,00	327,00	272,00	279,00	264,00	300,00	292,00	310,00
Operating revenues \$000	67,010	69,026	68,900	68,253	68,258	66,294	66,104	58,389	56,112	64,089	64,772	66,312
Operating expenses \$000	49,504	51,805	63,581	56,030	54,536	53,404	53,235	50,759	48,959	51,726	49,896	51,964
Operating income \$000	12,577	12,577	2,207	8,984	10,503	10,640	11,258	4,687	4,377	9,238	10,772	10,759
No. of tons carried 000 ton	14,079	14,067	14,704	14,467	15,131	14,941	12,979	12,403	12,364	14,207	13,918	14,508
No. of tons carried one mile 000,000 tons	5,457	5,040	5,947	5,563	6,212	5,597	5,192	4,750	4,612	5,175	5,368	5,739
Passenger carried 000	4,901	5,648	5,559	4,761	4,405	4,145	5,237	4,098	4,362	4,823	4,120	4,042
Passenger carried one mile 000,000 pass	638	714	702	591	532	487	682	471	420	497	452	402
Total pay-roll \$000	27,004	27,378	28,089	29,136	29,654	28,777	29,017	29,974	28,180	29,305	28,415	29,538
Number of employees 000	167	169	170	169	170	167	165	168	170	166	164	167

Carloadings, June, 322,000.

VII. Employment

26. UNADJUSTED INDEXES OF EMPLOYMENT, FIRST OF MONTH—1926=100

Classification	1944										1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May		
All Industries.....	178.2	180.5	183.5	184.8	185.5	183.3	183.8	185.7	180.4	178.9	178.2	176.9	175.5		
MANUFACTURING.....	223.1	223.1	225.9	225.0	226.2	223.7	221.3	220.1	212.7	215.0	214.3	212.9	210.6		
Animal products—edible.....	215.0	226.1	235.3	239.1	234.9	229.1	232.6	238.0	228.4	222.9	209.7	204.2	207.9		
Fur and products.....	127.8	125.9	126.8	123.6	125.3	126.9	129.1	134.8	131.9	130.7	130.9	133.7	140.5		
Leather and products.....	139.3	137.1	137.5	136.4	136.1	135.6	135.7	136.8	135.5	139.7	140.3	140.6	140.7		
Lumber and products.....	115.7	120.9	128.0	131.3	132.6	126.1	123.3	120.7	115.2	117.3	118.2	120.2	120.3		
Rough and dressed lumber.....	92.2	99.2	107.4	110.0	112.1	104.4	100.2	96.3	91.1	93.2	94.1	97.1	97.6		
Furniture.....	123.3	125.3	129.8	129.3	129.2	124.9	126.5	129.2	126.8	129.6	129.3	128.5	126.2		
Other lumber products.....	196.7	198.3	203.4	213.2	213.0	209.1	207.2	204.2	195.2	197.9	199.1	199.9	200.4		
Musical instruments.....	29.3	28.8	30.1	28.4	29.3	28.6	27.7	29.7	29.3	29.7	28.6	27.7	27.7		
Plant products—edible.....	151.3	152.8	163.1	170.1	186.7	174.1	189.9	185.6	185.4	165.4	162.2	160.5	156.8		
Pulp and paper products.....	133.3	134.6	137.2	138.9	139.7	137.7	138.1	138.4	135.8	137.1	137.8	137.5	135.1		
Pulp and paper.....	118.9	122.5	123.2	128.0	128.6	125.3	124.0	122.6	119.9	121.7	122.1	121.2	122.8		
Paper products.....	206.8	204.7	205.6	206.7	212.5	209.4	212.3	214.1	208.1	210.1	211.5	213.6	212.4		
Printing and publishing.....	127.3	126.9	128.9	130.3	130.3	130.3	131.7	133.7	132.3	132.7	133.7	133.3	133.3		
Rubber products.....	163.7	164.4	164.2	163.6	170.7	171.2	173.8	179.2	174.1	181.3	180.9	181.3	179.4		
Textile products.....	159.7	157.6	158.5	153.2	153.4	154.9	157.7	159.2	152.8	159.7	161.1	160.9	158.8		
Thread, yarn and cloth.....	159.0	158.5	158.0	157.3	155.3	154.0	156.8	159.0	153.8	160.0	160.6	160.0	157.5		
Hosiery and knit goods.....	150.0	148.7	146.6	143.2	143.3	143.6	146.2	147.5	143.9	148.8	147.2	145.5			
Garments and personal furnishings.....	160.7	159.3	157.8	150.4	152.6	155.7	158.0	159.6	150.5	155.1	160.7	163.0	162.0		
Other textile products.....	173.9	169.1	167.4	165.1	167.1	170.4	175.6	177.0	171.4	180.9	183.0	178.5	174.0		
Tobacco.....	130.8	125.5	123.6	123.4	120.9	124.5	131.2	132.2	142.2	152.3	154.0	145.8	135.8		
Beverages.....	236.3	241.4	246.7	258.8	261.7	203.4	269.4	261.8	260.1	252.3	251.1	253.1	250.7		
Chemicals and allied products.....	588.5	593.8	607.9	608.6	614.4	611.6	616.5	616.0	602.8	609.2	604.2	597.0	579.2		
Clay, glass and stone products.....	136.6	138.6	139.0	136.9	134.4	130.9	131.6	133.0	131.0	133.0	133.4	134.7	135.8		
Electric light and power.....	135.6	140.0	145.7	149.2	150.6	147.3	145.1	144.2	143.0	141.4	141.2	140.5	143.2		
Electrical apparatus.....	320.9	329.5	332.1	332.8	327.8	323.1	323.6	319.9	308.9	305.9	298.1	293.2	288.7		
Iron and steel products.....	334.2	330.7	331.6	326.8	325.5	318.9	313.2	309.4	299.5	300.6	300.2	296.0	291.6		
Crude, rolled and forged products.....	249.3	247.9	252.7	250.1	246.4	245.5	246.9	250.1	247.4	250.1	250.2	246.2	244.1		
Machinery.....	222.6	220.6	223.0	222.9	220.1	218.1	222.3	219.9	223.4	222.8	220.6	217.1			
Agricultural implements.....	121.7	122.1	120.9	128.9	127.8	128.1	125.6	130.6	130.7	137.2	137.5	132.3	143.4		
Land vehicles.....	305.5	302.4	303.0	302.1	301.1	290.4	288.9	295.4	277.9	274.1	269.2	261.6	255.4		
Automobiles and parts.....	286.5	282.7	292.9	294.7	293.1	291.0	291.3	292.7	289.0	289.8	288.2	285.8	278.1		
Steel shipbuilding and repairing.....	1653.0	1625.3	1643.0	1537.1	1513.1	1471.0	1460.2	1409.4	1323.6	1343.3	1325.0	1251.3	1251.8		
Heating appliances.....	164.3	164.1	167.2	168.0	173.6	173.2	178.1	181.8	177.1	180.9	193.2	193.8	193.7		
Iron and steel fabrication.....	228.3	239.1	234.2	324.5	325.3	313.4	313.0	308.3	297.4	304.3	283.0	281.0	274.9		
Foundry and machine shop products.....	267.8	260.1	232.9	230.7	234.0	234.0	236.1	235.2	233.2	239.3	240.4	237.2	231.9		
Other iron and steel products.....	383.4	379.5	377.9	374.3	377.1	361.8	347.4	340.5	324.8	331.4	337.3	338.6	328.4		
Non-ferrous metal products.....	454.3	453.0	441.6	435.7	427.2	411.9	403.3	399.9	382.2	384.7	398.5	305.1	292.1		
Non-metallic mineral products.....	207.5	211.4	220.6	221.2	216.3	212.1	207.5	208.0	208.2	214.2	213.4	213.7	214.1		
Miscellaneous.....	271.6	372.4	370.3	373.6	360.8	350.9	350.5	359.8	352.2	353.4	356.2	349.7	345.6		
LOGGING.....	162.4	175.9	175.4	155.8	155.0	181.0	239.8	300.9	313.0	312.3	309.9	267.6	205.8		
MINTING.....	155.4	152.9	153.1	155.1	152.4	150.6	152.9	151.5	146.4	151.5	150.7	149.5	145.7		
Coal.....	97.0	94.8	95.9	96.0	95.6	95.7	97.4	91.2	97.2	96.2	94.7	92.7	92.7		
Metallic ores.....	283.3	273.3	269.9	268.6	262.7	257.6	253.2	258.1	256.8	264.0	263.1	261.7	251.6		
Non-metallic (except minerals).....	156.7	162.2	165.4	181.3	175.2	173.5	171.3	170.4	162.8	160.0	160.5	161.0			
COMMUNICATIONS.....	106.1	107.8	110.0	112.9	113.1	111.6	110.7	110.6	110.7	112.1	112.2	112.1	112.6		
Telegraphy.....	128.2	129.8	131.3	130.3	131.3	129.8	129.1	129.5	128.7	127.4	126.1	127.2	128.4		
Telephones.....	100.1	102.1	104.2	107.4	107.6	106.0	105.6	105.4	105.8	105.5	106.8	107.6	108.5		
TRANSPORTATION.....	120.9	122.4	124.4	125.2	124.1	125.2	123.9	124.2	122.3	118.2	117.9	120.7	124.4		
Street railways and cartage.....	182.0	185.4	188.8	188.7	189.3	188.7	188.6	189.5	192.7	186.7	184.6	186.4	188.3		
Steam railways.....	105.1	106.0	106.7	107.7	107.8	107.9	107.5	108.0	107.7	107.2	106.7	107.2	107.0		
Shipping and stevedoring.....	110.3	111.7	119.2	117.3	111.6	118.0	112.8	113.2	111.6	97.3	81.6	81.4	115.6		
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE.....	87.2	101.3	110.8	124.5	130.8	114.2	112.7	109.5	98.2	89.9	89.2	87.0	98.8		
Building.....	83.9	86.2	90.7	94.3	99.6	100.0	102.8	98.8	87.2	83.3	81.5	82.0	85.5		
Highway.....	99.8	132.1	151.3	185.6	199.2	149.0	144.0	141.1	115.8	89.0	84.2	87.8	131.6		
Railway.....	78.9	88.1	93.9	98.9	100.4	97.2	94.6	91.8	93.3	96.5	101.4	90.3	82.0		
SERVICES.....	200.7	202.2	207.7	207.9	207.1	205.4	204.6	204.6	201.1	198.0	199.0	201.1	202.4		
Hotels and restaurants.....	197.8	199.7	204.6	209.9	210.8	207.8	205.7	206.4	204.0	197.7	198.9	200.5	201.6		
Personal (chiefly laundries).....	205.6	206.6	209.6	204.5	200.8	201.3	202.6	201.4	195.9	198.4	199.1	202.3	204.0		
TRADE.....	160.4	161.3	161.2	161.7	162.0	165.7	170.3	179.5	180.8	169.4	167.0	172.6	171.0		
Retail.....	167.7	168.6	167.5	167.4	166.7	171.8	177.7	190.6	192.9	177.3	172.8	180.4	177.8		
Wholesale.....	142.1	142.7	145.3	147.3	150.0	150.5	151.6	151.9	150.7	150.1	153.6	154.5			

VII. Employment—Concluded

27. SEASONALLY ADJUSTED INDEXES OF EMPLOYMENT, FIRST OF MONTH
1926 = 100

Classification	1944										1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May		
All Industries	185.1	180.5	180.1	179.3	178.4	174.4	175.9	181.3	187.3	185.8	185.6	187.4	182.2		
MANUFACTURING	221.2	218.7	221.2	219.9	219.8	216.6	219.1	222.8	227.7	223.7	218.9	214.4	208.7		
Leather and products	133.7	133.2	138.1	133.5	131.6	131.1	136.8	142.1	153.3	145.5	138.6	136.2	135.0		
Rough and dressed lumber	98.3	88.5	88.0	87.9	92.2	92.5	100.0	107.2	116.9	115.1	115.0	117.0	104.1		
Furniture	125.0	127.2	122.7	135.7	131.2	119.1	117.6	120.9	134.5	129.2	129.8	130.9	128.0		
Musical Instruments	36.1	34.8	33.4	28.3	25.4	23.5	22.0	23.5	29.5	32.6	34.0	34.9	34.2		
Pulp and paper	120.0	120.2	121.2	120.5	123.8	121.5	120.2	123.2	124.6	129.6	128.8	126.5	123.0		
Paper products	207.6	203.1	208.8	206.1	209.4	204.1	205.7	207.7	218.6	217.0	214.9	215.9	203.2		
Printing and publishing	128.5	126.9	129.9	130.4	131.0	130.3	131.0	131.7	131.0	131.4	135.1	134.3	134.5		
Rubber products	165.2	165.1	164.4	165.1	171.9	171.5	172.4	174.1	177.1	182.2	178.8	180.4	181.0		
Textile products	155.4	155.5	158.2	158.4	155.6	153.1	155.2	160.2	160.8	160.7	158.1	155.9	154.5		
Thread, yarn and cloth	159.0	156.2	158.2	158.4	154.8	155.7	156.5	157.0	155.5	160.3	158.7	158.6	157.5		
Hosiery and knit goods	148.7	149.7	149.5	146.9	145.5	143.3	141.3	142.8	148.2	151.1	148.5	144.7	144.2		
Clay, glass and stone products	137.8	127.3	125.6	122.8	124.1	119.8	125.1	135.6	145.7	155.7	155.9	151.7	136.8		
Electric light and power	138.2	140.1	143.8	144.7	144.5	142.0	142.8	145.8	145.3	145.9	145.9	144.7	146.0		
Electric apparatus	334.9	332.6	329.1	332.8	321.4	310.7	309.7	316.1	315.8	313.8	307.0	300.7	293.1		
Iron and steel products	314.7	315.9	326.1	334.5	315.5	336.0	326.3	317.0	315.9	298.8	288.4	279.0	274.6		
Crude, rolled and forged products	239.0	238.6	252.4	252.4	251.4	253.0	250.4	254.4	272.8	246.9	246.3	229.2	234.0		
Machinery other than vehicles	223.0	218.4	218.8	218.5	220.9	216.0	216.2	220.3	224.8	230.1	227.1	228.8	217.5		
Agricultural implements	109.6	109.2	110.3	123.1	143.8	153.6	152.4	152.0	147.4	140.3	126.2	119.8	129.2		
LOGGING	226.2	229.0	246.7	236.1	236.6	209.0	203.1	207.7	216.0	214.9	249.3	340.0	286.6		
MINING	162.0	157.5	156.5	155.7	160.9	145.9	141.4	145.8	146.0	151.2	152.8	154.3	151.9		
Metallic ores	288.1	278.3	269.9	263.3	275.3	250.8	244.2	244.7	263.1	269.6	268.5	267.8	286.6		
Non-metallic minerals (except coal)	186.2	187.8	156.6	167.7	160.4	158.2	159.8	167.2	174.1	183.1	180.6	177.3	170.7		
Telephones	191.8	102.6	103.5	105.0	104.7	104.7	104.8	104.6	106.4	108.1	10.92	109.6	110.4		
TRANSPORTATION	122.4	121.2	120.8	120.4	118.3	119.0	119.9	122.1	128.2	124.9	125.7	128.4	125.0		
Street railway and cartage	184.4	185.4	184.8	185.9	183.8	182.1	185.9	180.3	196.2	192.1	189.7	191.1	190.8		
Steam railways	108.1	107.7	105.6	104.8	103.7	103.5	105.0	107.4	108.7	110.7	111.7	110.9	110.1		
Shipping and stevedoring	107.8	102.0	107.8	104.8	99.4	103.1	101.5	100.0	123.8	103.9	103.3	117.6	113.1		
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE	100.2	101.4	97.2	102.8	107.1	93.5	99.1	112.7	119.6	113.9	111.1	111.5	113.0		
Building	91.2	84.7	83.7	82.0	86.0	85.2	87.7	94.5	102.6	102.0	102.0	101.8	92.9		
Highway	117.7	137.7	130.1	151.7	163.5	123.5	119.5	142.5	139.5	113.9	105.9	113.3	155.2		
Railway	85.7	80.3	81.2	85.3	84.4	85.7	83.2	106.4	112.2	110.2	113.4	106.5	87.6		
HOLES AND RESTAURANTS	209.8	203.2	195.1	190.1	187.4	205.1	209.6	213.2	209.9	206.4	208.5	213.5	213.8		
TRADE	160.2	160.8	159.3	162.8	163.3	165.2	168.1	172.6	173.2	176.1	177.1	173.6	170.8		
Retail	180.1	169.8	167.3	172.0	171.5	174.2	177.4	182.4	175.1	180.4	177.2	184.8	179.2		
Wholesale	144.4	143.4	144.7	146.0	147.6	146.1	147.3	149.1	152.8	153.5	157.6	156.0	157.0		
Economic Areas—	184.9	179.6	180.6	178.7	178.1	183.1	179.0	191.0	184.5	185.5	187.2	192.0	191.7		
Maritime Provinces	199.8	194.1	191.8	192.9	192.3	185.6	184.9	188.4	198.0	197.2	197.4	199.8	194.0		
Quebec	182.8	180.8	181.6	182.5	183.2	179.6	181.5	188.7	192.1	190.2	187.6	187.9	182.1		
Ontario	150.3	147.3	144.1	143.3	139.4	135.4	139.0	150.0	156.2	155.1	152.0	154.7	148.5		
Prairie Provinces	185.9	180.9	180.1	173.1	173.5	174.6	178.4	185.3	188.2	186.6	184.2	182.3	174.8		
British Columbia	190.8	182.9	181.4	179.7	180.1	178.3	176.7	179.7	180.8	188.7	186.6	185.4	178.5		
Cities—	269.1	263.6	267.6	261.0	259.7	259.8	248.5	247.9	244.7	237.4	237.9	230.4			
Montreal	198.5	196.5	198.6	195.7	195.1	190.7	192.2	192.8	198.5	197.3	196.4	193.3	189.2		
Toronto	162.8	162.3	165.0	165.4	166.2	165.2	168.8	175.1	181.4	174.1	170.1	167.2	160.5		
Ottawa	179.3	178.8	182.9	179.8	181.6	180.5	179.7	182.6	183.8	184.3	183.4	181.3	182.3		
Hamilton	256.4	263.1	281.2	301.1	319.7	311.2	308.4	304.1	305.6	270.4	286.4	250.0	243.2		
Windsor	144.9	114.6	142.3	142.4	138.5	140.5	145.0	148.9	152.9	151.1	145.3	149.3			
Winnipeg	241.0	238.7	242.4	228.5	227.3	220.1	228.1	234.9	237.6	235.1	228.7	227.1	221.4		
Vancouver															

28. OTHER LABOUR FACTORS—VITAL STATISTICS, IMMIGRATION

Classification	1944										1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May		
Labour Factors—															
Percentage unemployment in trade unions... p.c.	0.3					0.3			0.6				0.7		
Employment: Applications No.	246306	207653	192847	226032	196572	254937	229290	156930	249212	174360	169305	228035	107010		
Vacancies... No.	312200	230868	206835	265146	236504	271350	205131	149643	224962	177950	197221	291722	182908		
Placements... No.	182572	148478	140507	155117	141641	179860	156438	106916	151490	119386	116653	161993	118483		
Strikes and Lockouts—															
Disputes in existence... No.	25	23	21	25	9	12	10	11	16	17	21	9	9		
Number of employees... No.	20,043	5,075	9,696	12,771	1,034	4,157	1,456	2,133	5,409	4,962	4,670	4,363	3,035		
Time loss in working days	128422	9,491	25,968	121343	800	6,935	4,357	11,484	32,142	6,821	8,503	25,169	6,340		
Vital Statistics—															
Births	12,035	11,802	12,051	11,203	10,422	10,997	10,421	10,982	11,200	10,218	11,809	11,817	11,634		
Deaths	5,233	4,773	4,484	4,757	4,481	4,562	4,730	4,859	5,355	4,708	5,358	4,815	4,847		
Marriages	4,529	6,873	5,777	4,788	5,323	4,799	3,759	4,184	3,166	3,061	2,687	3,835	4,345		
Immigration	Total	783	857	916	1,207	976	2,216	1,624	1,493						
	Returned Canadians from U.S.	236	257	206	201	206	197	206	157						

* Statistics are given for four or five-week periods. See Labour Gazette for further information.

† Cities of 10,000 or over.

29. EMPLOYMENT AND EARNINGS

Geographical and Industrial Unit	Aggregate Weekly Earnings in \$100 Paid on or About First of Month												
	1944							1945					
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
(a) PROVINCES													
Maritime Provinces.	4,269	4,071	4,300	4,252	4,236	4,492	4,427	4,494	3,863	4,321	4,395	4,348	4,385
Prince Edward Island.....	65	69	74	74	74	72	73	74	64	65	73	66	64
Nova Scotia.....	2,770	2,607	2,727	2,612	2,632	2,785	2,783	2,828	2,211	2,688	2,714	2,635	2,698
New Brunswick.....	1,434	1,395	1,498	1,565	1,529	1,636	1,571	1,593	1,587	1,588	1,608	1,647	1,587
Quebec.....	17,241	17,307	17,282	17,414	17,832	17,854	18,056	17,970	18,475	17,171	17,577	16,886	17,218
Ontario.....	24,247	24,327	24,673	24,774	25,055	25,280	25,317	25,644	23,085	25,064	25,416	24,570	24,736
Prairie Provinces.....	6,128	6,282	6,409	6,540	6,403	6,586	6,585	6,735	6,468	6,384	6,393	6,250	6,209
Manitoba.....	2,863	2,903	2,929	2,955	2,915	2,962	3,008	3,091	2,961	2,939	2,937	2,963	2,846
Saskatchewan.....	1,117	1,192	1,230	1,251	1,241	1,240	1,234	1,264	1,231	1,190	1,182	1,165	1,163
Alberta.....	2,148	2,188	2,250	2,323	2,337	2,384	2,344	2,379	2,275	2,255	2,274	2,221	2,209
British Columbia.....	6,065	5,963	6,120	5,990	6,052	6,037	5,915	5,929	5,317	5,606	5,747	5,640	5,751
Canada.....	57,958	57,958	58,784	58,870	59,671	60,258	60,301	60,771	55,208	58,546	59,528	57,694	58,262
(b) CITIES													
Montreal.....	9,200	9,110	9,002	8,890	9,201	9,322	9,250	9,212	8,112	8,806	8,941	8,712	8,959
Quebec City.....	1,141	1,187	1,148	1,167	1,202	1,197	1,190	1,035	932	953	970	922	998
Toronto.....	8,472	8,290	8,371	8,224	8,276	8,273	8,280	8,352	7,427	8,005	8,148	7,945	8,214
Ottawa.....	597	607	618	630	622	625	641	647	628	632	627	610	616
Hamilton.....	1,078	1,010	1,966	1,065	1,938	1,950	1,904	2,055	1,774	2,013	2,030	1,998	2,034
Windsor.....	1,435	1,607	1,714	1,724	1,700	1,705	1,702	1,731	1,418	1,708	1,685	1,602	1,613
Winnipeg.....	1,763	1,761	1,739	1,744	1,720	1,747	1,789	1,802	1,760	1,792	1,781	1,731	1,735
Vancouver.....	2,982	2,933	3,000	2,898	2,878	2,817	2,730	2,792	2,505	2,737	2,789	2,719	2,797

Geographical and Industrial Unit	Average Per Capita Weekly Earnings Paid on or About First of Month												
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	
(a) PROVINCES													
Maritime Provinces.....	31.88	30.11	30.12	30.08	30.11	31.10	31.01	30.69	27.73	31.40	31.85	31.48	31.04
P.E.I.....	26.86	26.19	26.40	26.09	26.78	27.05	26.82	27.02	25.29	25.58	25.19	26.41	27.26
Nova Scotia.....	33.41	31.89	32.01	31.39	31.82	32.52	32.70	32.27	28.28	33.50	33.93	32.81	32.84
New Brunswick.....	29.53	27.43	27.37	28.31	27.72	29.14	28.80	28.49	27.10	28.50	29.40	29.77	28.54
Quebec.....	30.59	30.11	29.91	29.77	30.08	31.05	30.92	30.63	29.04	30.57	31.35	30.62	31.24
Ontario.....	32.97	32.79	32.68	32.70	32.65	33.02	33.06	33.09	30.39	32.97	33.43	32.49	33.22
Prairie Provinces.....	31.82	31.65	31.55	31.49	31.48	32.37	32.20	32.23	31.48	31.88	32.84	32.04	32.25
Manitoba.....	31.51	31.20	30.94	30.80	30.94	31.70	31.61	31.90	31.02	31.31	32.37	31.65	31.94
Saskatchewan.....	30.43	30.62	30.45	30.17	30.06	31.15	30.59	30.56	30.65	30.89	31.56	30.68	30.62
Alberta.....	33.05	32.87	33.06	33.08	32.99	33.95	34.03	33.65	32.60	33.22	34.20	33.35	33.63
British Columbia.....	35.51	34.83	31.97	34.57	34.46	34.80	34.66	34.72	32.66	34.81	35.66	34.81	35.60
(b) CITIES													
Montreal.....	31.64	31.30	31.06	30.95	32.00	32.49	32.50	32.59	29.61	32.12	32.69	31.73	32.70
Quebec City.....	29.24	30.60	29.33	29.91	30.60	30.87	31.28	29.93	27.17	28.29	28.89	27.32	29.63
Toronto.....	33.21	32.50	32.42	32.25	32.32	32.65	32.51	32.57	29.72	32.26	33.10	31.90	33.01
Ottawa.....	27.78	27.92	27.94	28.04	27.59	27.83	28.33	28.28	27.11	28.43	28.70	28.09	28.88
Hamilton.....	33.74	32.68	32.60	32.99	32.77	32.95	33.31	33.42	30.06	33.56	33.77	33.15	33.98
Windsor.....	38.54	43.14	43.55	43.63	43.44	43.95	43.37	43.49	36.29	44.22	43.74	41.93	42.80
Winnipeg.....	29.40	28.97	28.70	28.45	28.53	28.69	28.72	29.20	27.86	28.80	30.00	29.29	29.70
Vancouver.....	34.33	33.62	33.89	34.06	33.81	33.83	33.23	33.35	31.20	34.01	34.65	33.64	34.74

EMPLOYMENT AND PAYROLLS JUNE 1, 1941 = 100

All Industries—Employment.....	116.5	118.1	120.0	120.7	121.5	119.7	120.0	121.2	117.9	117.0	116.7	115.8	114.9
Aggregate payrolls.....	146.2	140.0	148.1	148.4	149.6	149.0	149.9	151.0	137.6	145.6	148.8	144.1	145.4
Per capita earnings.....\$	32.26	31.81	31.72	31.63	31.68	32.36	32.29	32.19	30.10	32.15	32.82	32.00	32.55
Manufacturing—Employment.....	132.9	132.8	134.4	133.9	134.6	133.2	131.7	131.0	126.8	128.0	127.6	126.7	125.4
Aggregate payrolls.....	168.1	166.7	167.7	166.8	168.0	169.2	168.1	168.0	147.1	162.6	164.7	158.7	161.9
Per capita earnings.....\$	32.92	32.64	32.44	32.38	32.55	33.02	33.20	33.36	30.22	33.05	33.57	32.55	33.58

30. INDEX NUMBERS OF EMPLOYMENT IN CITIES 1926 = 100

Without seasonal adjustment

Cities—Montreal.....	188.9	188.9	188.1	186.3	186.2	185.6	184.1	182.8	177.1	177.2	176.7	177.1	176.7
Quebec.....	269.1	268.1	270.5	269.6	271.4	268.7	263.7	247.8	237.6	231.0	229.6	230.8	230.4
Toronto.....	197.7	197.5	199.8	197.3	198.0	195.8	198.8	198.0	192.9	191.4	190.5	189.4	188.4
Ottawa.....	183.0	165.2	168.1	170.5	170.9	170.1	170.8	172.8	174.7	167.7	164.8	163.7	160.7
Hamilton.....	178.9	178.4	183.8	181.6	180.3	180.3	182.4	185.5	179.8	182.4	182.8	183.3	181.9
Windsor.....	288.4	288.9	288.5	289.7	288.4	284.1	288.8	289.5	284.2	280.8	280.3	277.2	273.6
Winnipeg.....	142.4	144.3	144.8	145.5	143.0	144.6	144.6	151.3	149.8	147.3	140.5	139.9	138.3
Vancouver.....	242.9	243.5	247.0	237.6	237.4	232.0	229.0	232.6	222.9	222.9	223.0	223.9	223.2

31. EMPLOYMENT AND EARNINGS

Geographical and Industrial Unit	Number of Employees Reported at First of Month												
	1944							1945					
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
(a) PROVINCES													
Maritime Provinces	133,917	135,214	142,776	141,349	140,677	144,417	142,706	146,409	130,320	137,615	137,575	133,124	140,105
P.E.I.	2,421	2,627	2,819	2,844	2,771	2,757	2,727	2,751	2,539	2,550	2,911	2,494	2,348
Nova Scotia	82,023	81,756	85,215	83,216	82,740	83,612	85,106	87,590	78,211	80,240	79,972	80,306	82,142
New Brunswick	48,573	50,771	54,742	55,289	55,166	56,118	54,033	56,128	58,570	54,823	54,692	55,324	55,615
Quebec	563,214	574,758	577,823	585,003	592,748	574,582	583,935	586,502	587,747	551,639	560,330	551,530	551,201
Ontario	735,874	741,815	754,939	757,596	767,452	755,633	765,820	775,044	750,642	760,190	750,252	755,251	744,636
Prairie Provinces	192,461	198,514	203,073	207,691	206,275	203,483	204,478	208,350	205,433	200,271	194,693	195,065	192,502
Manitoba	90,855	93,032	94,662	95,656	94,213	93,452	95,476	96,919	95,464	93,863	90,731	90,474	89,105
Saskatchewan	36,664	38,931	40,400	41,797	41,279	39,805	40,320	41,326	40,181	38,533	37,454	38,006	37,971
Alberta	64,948	66,551	68,011	70,238	70,781	70,223	68,682	70,705	69,788	67,875	66,508	66,589	65,426
British Columbia	170,868	171,189	175,097	173,286	175,640	173,484	170,674	170,767	162,802	161,063	161,131	162,035	161,526
(b) CITIES													
Montreal	290,963	291,045	289,973	297,225	287,534	286,873	281,057	282,689	274,007	274,222	273,478	274,563	273,991
Quebec City	38,015	38,771	39,150	39,020	39,240	38,767	38,048	35,780	34,321	33,694	33,587	33,757	33,703
Toronto	255,122	255,107	258,079	255,054	256,047	233,392	254,610	250,443	249,883	248,135	247,150	249,065	248,814
Ottawa	21,407	21,740	22,171	22,485	22,588	22,449	22,624	22,507	23,164	22,229	21,849	21,720	21,316
Hamilton	59,614	58,439	60,278	59,557	50,143	59,181	59,867	60,900	59,033	59,972	60,110	60,277	59,886
Windsor	39,270	39,338	39,456	39,522	39,344	38,761	39,128	38,810	39,083	38,616	38,538	38,200	37,699
Winnipeg	55,962	60,810	60,605	61,259	60,294	60,912	62,590	63,758	63,166	62,222	59,357	59,105	58,423
Vancouver	86,973	87,201	88,532	85,064	85,007	83,259	82,246	83,713	80,302	80,469	80,504	80,844	80,515
(c) INDUSTRIES													
Manufacturing	1188047	1167907	1182380	1178509	1165226	1172486	1150923	1153809	1115037	1127233	1124103	1116933	1104502
Durable Goods	650,109	646,902	651,586	644,805	641,249	625,226	614,937	607,585	586,613	589,577	588,564	585,264	577,668
Non-Durable	300,674	303,183	312,231	315,425	324,590	328,501	326,517	327,929	320,510	319,702	317,514	313,754	308,770
Light and Power	17,264	17,822	18,547	18,099	19,171	18,750	18,471	18,355	18,208	18,004	17,978	17,945	18,254
Logging	48,614	52,000	52,437	46,529	46,562	54,135	71,801	90,096	33,718	93,797	93,062	80,350	62,029
Mining	72,515	71,704	71,892	72,808	71,564	70,804	70,145	71,255	68,889	71,281	70,879	70,330	68,626
Communications	28,354	28,800	29,486	30,252	30,306	29,905	29,056	29,640	29,882	29,545	29,898	30,048	30,192
Transportation	152,815	154,737	157,294	158,310	159,613	161,041	159,734	159,706	157,616	152,327	152,018	153,910	160,601
Construction and Maintenance	110,006	127,756	139,820	157,089	166,754	145,735	143,820	139,720	125,264	114,784	113,874	111,262	126,544
Services	45,286	45,934	47,346	47,547	47,065	47,517	47,422	47,510	46,702	47,597	48,832	49,603	50,100
Trade	170,703	171,992	172,979	173,875	175,300	179,978	185,151	105,858	197,562	184,248	181,415	188,540	187,286
Eight Leading Industries	1796340	1821490	1853615	1848495	1882790	1881590	1867673	1887752	1834450	1820842	1813991	1803016	1789970
Finance	64,749	64,749	64,982	65,170	65,165	66,512	66,545	60,485	60,430	60,576	66,655	66,675	66,651
Nine Leading Industries	1861089	1886238	1918540	1930895	1917953	1925111	1931319	1954237	1900580	1887418	1886646	1869690	1856621
31A. Number of persons signing the Live Unemployment Register during the Six working days of specified months													
Province	1944							1945					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
	A—Total							A—Total					
P.E.I.	30	30	18	25	30	42	138	157	130	145	120	65	78
Nova Scotia	136	141	188	275	378	324	409	938	832	908	693	1,118	1,274
New Brunswick	47	60	257	92	104	162	251	410	539	485	375	383	325
Quebec	1,581	1,326	1,338	1,678	2,684	5,887	9,847	13,131	14,948	13,524	8,838	6,987	8,051
Ontario	538	551	584	523	619	1,203	1,803	2,800	2,968	2,720	1,882	2,133	3,147
Manitoba	265	338	471	564	734	1,026	1,357	2,461	2,076	2,630	2,219	2,192	1,786
Saskatchewan	210	197	172	148	198	389	599	904	1,091	914	597	424	482
Alberta	1,490	1,384	1,776	1,665	1,692	1,885	1,940	2,010	2,832	2,826	2,314	1,899	846
British Columbia	410	461	604	776	1,570	2,510	2,972	3,643	3,512	2,952	2,161	1,444	1,063
Total	4,707	4,488	5,408	5,746	8,009	13,431	19,313	27,305	29,692	27,110	18,197	16,645	17,242
	B—Male							B—Male					
P.E.I.	14	14	10	14	13	20	115	132	108	108	70	30	45
Nova Scotia	68	69	96	167	228	153	246	656	577	384	665	814	
New Brunswick	33	34	234	47	58	102	182	250	320	333	254	287	257
Quebec	1,173	1,040	1,051	1,249	2,012	4,806	7,955	10,782	11,872	10,614	8,243	4,149	4,360
Ontario	312	262	227	211	265	603	1,181	2,078	2,874	1,999	1,105	1,072	1,200
Manitoba	153	188	207	236	326	606	847	1,548	1,821	1,624	1,328	1,002	917
Saskatchewan	72	80	76	90	114	249	439	600	738	655	423	295	304
Alberta	1,412	1,292	1,611	1,453	1,405	1,544	1,617	2,000	2,231	2,330	1,975	1,615	632
British Columbia	265	323	406	471	786	1,241	1,702	2,000	1,834	1,487	1,104	830	701
Total	3,502	3,308	3,918	3,938	5,207	9,324	14,344	20,046	21,706	19,727	12,886	10,044	9,230
	C—Female							C—Female					
P.E.I.	16	16	8	11	17	22	20	25	22	37	50	32	33
Nova Scotia	68	72	92	108	150	171	163	282	324	331	307	483	460
New Brunswick	14	26	23	45	46	60	60	160	210	152	121	96	268
Quebec	408	280	287	429	672	1,081	1,802	2,531	2,976	2,910	2,695	2,835	3,691
Ontario	226	289	357	312	354	600	622	791	602	727	777	1,061	1,947
Manitoba	112	150	284	328	408	420	510	913	1,150	1,006	891	1,100	869
Saskatchewan	138	117	96	58	84	140	160	304	325	259	174	129	178
Alberta	78	92	165	212	287	344	323	610	601	496	339	284	214
British Columbia	145	138	198	305	784	1,269	1,210	1,643	1,677	1,465	1,057	608	352
Total	1,205	1,180	1,490	1,308	2,802	4,107	4,969	7,259	7,986	7,383	6,311	6,601	8,012

**32. PER CAPITA WEEKLY EARNINGS AT FIRST OF MONTH IN DOLLARS
AND CENTS**

	1944												1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May				
	32.92	32.64	32.44	32.38	32.55	33.03	33.18	33.35	30.22	33.08	33.57	32.55	33.58				
MANUFACTURING	32.92	32.64	32.44	32.38	32.55	33.03	33.18	33.35	30.22	33.08	33.57	32.55	33.58				
Animal products—edible	30.86	29.81	29.66	29.45	29.04	30.02	30.21	30.82	28.19	30.33	31.18	31.17	31.23				
Fur and products	29.05	30.01	29.60	28.98	29.50	29.00	30.54	31.33	29.96	30.27	29.82	29.74	29.72				
Leather and products	23.64	23.14	23.55	23.54	23.65	23.86	24.06	23.37	22.01	24.03	24.42	23.75	24.50				
Boots and shoes	22.75	22.23	22.64	22.48	22.63	22.95	23.08	23.37	20.98	23.30	23.78	23.06	23.78				
Lumber and its products	27.78	27.17	27.65	27.59	27.70	28.15	28.48	28.32	25.49	28.27	28.52	27.11	28.23				
Rough and dressed lumber	28.63	28.03	28.47	28.39	28.25	28.87	29.36	28.97	26.49	29.10	29.60	27.93	28.75				
Furniture	26.56	26.09	26.82	26.17	26.30	26.57	26.98	27.35	24.64	26.95	27.06	25.85	27.31				
Plant products—edible	26.50	26.14	25.93	25.59	24.54	24.20	25.27	25.81	25.25	26.02	26.51	26.35	26.75				
Pulp and paper products	33.33	33.16	33.19	33.38	33.32	33.66	33.76	33.70	31.11	33.27	33.77	33.61	34.11				
Pulp and paper	36.94	36.83	36.59	37.27	37.09	37.13	37.16	37.08	33.86	36.28	37.03	36.86	37.17				
Paper products	26.35	25.90	26.03	26.06	26.04	26.71	27.02	27.01	24.13	26.57	27.21	26.48	27.16				
Printing and publishing	32.83	32.57	32.87	32.41	32.49	33.08	32.26	33.29	31.52	33.23	33.37	33.55	34.16				
Rubber products	32.99	32.39	31.80	32.10	32.20	32.68	32.73	32.40	30.25	33.34	33.51	32.94	30.64				
Textile products	23.55	22.79	22.60	22.98	23.28	23.44	23.82	23.96	21.50	23.89	24.15	23.12	24.33				
Hosiery and knit goods	21.43	20.94	20.75	20.30	20.81	21.11	21.01	21.65	19.84	21.36	21.47	20.39	21.62				
Garments and personal furnishings	23.38	22.73	22.73	22.77	23.06	22.58	23.65	23.59	21.36	23.74	24.31	23.21	24.53				
Tobacco	23.20	23.32	22.78	23.11	24.24	24.90	24.65	25.04	20.15	24.49	24.80	21.97	25.06				
Beverages	34.59	34.81	34.89	34.84	34.99	34.52	33.55	34.67	33.48	34.43	34.84	34.22	35.01				
Chemicals	32.37	31.88	31.40	31.90	31.69	32.04	32.51	32.85	31.30	32.81	33.36	32.17	33.68				
Electrical apparatus	33.31	32.18	32.32	31.83	32.64	32.94	33.45	34.04	30.61	33.70	34.37	32.07	34.81				
Iron and steel products	37.54	37.70	37.36	37.22	37.81	38.84	38.70	38.85	34.21	38.44	39.05	37.81	39.03				
Crude, rolled and forged products	36.96	36.94	36.80	36.81	36.93	37.38	37.41	37.43	33.48	37.04	37.24	35.74	37.61				
Machinery (other than vehicles)	36.31	34.83	35.27	35.60	35.67	36.31	36.98	36.78	32.06	36.37	36.70	35.14	36.39				
Land vehicles and aircraft	37.34	38.78	38.27	37.49	38.40	39.76	39.29	39.69	35.47	39.94	40.63	39.66	40.15				
Automobiles and parts	36.98	43.05	43.42	43.10	43.13	43.87	43.77	44.13	36.06	44.47	44.03	42.06	43.35				
Steel shipbuilding and repairing	40.10	39.32	39.57	40.11	41.08	42.05	42.23	41.40	35.85	39.80	39.97	39.65	41.42				
Non-ferrous metal products	35.12	34.83	34.73	34.57	34.71	35.14	35.18	35.25	33.26	34.77	35.83	34.73	35.75				
Non-metallic mineral products	38.45	38.09	37.47	37.82	38.04	38.44	39.16	39.20	37.08	39.02	39.28	39.03	39.21				
Electric light and power	37.53	37.24	37.15	37.04	36.88	37.08	37.35	37.03	36.80	37.48	37.78	37.00	37.93				
Durable goods	35.87	35.76	35.50	35.33	35.82	36.69	36.67	36.83	32.77	36.43	37.04	35.78	36.97				
Non-durable goods	28.92	28.48	28.39	28.53	28.40	28.56	28.06	29.23	27.05	29.06	29.47	25.73	29.57				
LOGGING	28.96	26.31	26.75	26.78	27.29	26.54	25.70	25.01	27.02	25.13	27.61	28.18	26.83				
MINING	39.19	37.45	37.67	38.04	38.27	39.12	39.49	39.79	34.86	39.32	40.01	38.44	39.26				
COMMUNICATIONS	30.97	31.27	30.41	30.73	30.76	31.30	31.15	31.04	31.20	31.43	31.26	31.51	31.31				
Telegraphs	28.90	28.02	28.78	29.19	29.22	31.07	31.16	30.37	30.46	30.94	30.83	30.76	31.21				
Telephones	31.69	32.05	30.98	31.25	31.39	31.11	31.15	31.26	31.44	31.69	31.40	31.70	31.34				
TRANSPORTATION	37.38	36.92	36.54	36.68	36.71	38.72	38.31	38.64	38.77	38.99	40.20	39.17	38.39				
Street railways and cartage	24.10	33.30	33.59	33.49	33.49	33.87	33.57	33.70	32.94	33.73	34.76	33.84	34.60				
Steam railways	40.65	40.34	39.91	40.03	40.07	43.05	42.53	42.87	44.04	42.98	44.66	43.34	42.50				
Shipping and stevedoring	32.21	31.02	30.85	31.37	30.87	32.83	32.39	32.88	30.26	33.33	32.61	33.79	31.42				
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE	29.73	29.08	29.77	28.86	28.42	30.82	30.60	29.76	28.84	29.98	30.69	30.06	29.01				
Building	34.62	33.78	33.66	33.78	33.90	34.21	34.19	36.04	30.60	33.95	34.95	33.66	34.50				
Highway	27.22	26.42	28.21	27.15	25.52	29.48	29.16	26.72	27.08	28.52	20.34	28.10	25.46				
Railway	27.37	28.09	28.27	27.00	28.21	29.19	28.63	29.47	29.16	27.83	28.29	28.48	28.43				
SERVICES	19.68	19.40	19.28	19.08	19.28	19.45	19.69	19.82	19.37	19.70	20.16	19.74	20.00				
Hotels and restaurants	19.03	18.66	18.74	18.30	18.52	18.65	18.91	19.08	19.20	19.07	19.62	18.81	19.12				
Personal (chiefly laundries)	20.78	20.66	20.22	20.50	20.67	20.88	21.07	21.15	19.65	20.85	21.20	21.51	21.69				
TRADE	26.40	26.36	26.58	26.54	26.44	26.30	26.01	25.53	25.44	26.50	26.83	26.48	26.85				
Retail	24.16	24.16	24.38	24.35	24.29	24.06	23.73	23.20	25.13	24.28	24.50	24.26	24.56				
Wholesale	33.10	32.91	32.98	32.79	32.45	32.71	32.73	32.85	32.81	32.91	33.08	32.80	33.24				
Eight Leading Industries	32.26	31.81	31.71	31.62	31.60	32.36	32.29	32.19	30.10	32.15	32.82	32.00	32.55				
FINANCE	32.60	32.68	32.73	32.65	32.52	32.41	32.44	32.42	32.50	32.83	32.86	33.58	33.64				
Banks and trust companies	28.40	28.40	28.36	28.43	28.33	29.04	29.07	29.07	29.15	29.59	29.62	29.62	29.61				
Brokerage and stock market	35.08	37.39	38.25	36.26	35.49	35.07	35.02	35.60	35.26	39.35	38.66	38.27	36.90				
Insurance	38.68	38.72	38.82	38.62	38.49	37.14	37.10	37.45	37.25	37.15	37.22	39.07	39.38				
Total	32.28	31.84	31.75	31.65	31.72	32.37	32.29	32.26	30.18	32.18	32.62	32.66	32.59				

**33. AGGREGATE WEEKLY PAYROLL AT FIRST OF MONTH
IN THOUSANDS DOLLARS**

	1944								1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar	April	May
MANUFACTURING.....	38,447	38,125	38,355	38,162	38,581	38,729	33,486	38,487	33,695	37,258	37,734	36,355	37,092
Animal products, edible.....	1,327	1,351	1,402	1,413	1,373	1,389	1,420	1,489	1,308	1,372	1,327	1,297	1,323
Fur and products.....	87	89	88	84	87	87	93	99	93	94	93	95	100
Leather and products.....	693	658	671	665	667	671	677	690	619	698	712	694	716
Boots and shoes.....	398	388	393	380	389	393	392	400	362	411	421	410	424
Lumber and its products.....	1,735	1,775	1,913	1,959	1,987	1,926	1,905	1,855	1,592	1,709	1,829	1,769	1,840
Rough and dressed lumber.....	933	984	1,084	1,106	1,124	1,071	1,046	992	858	965	990	966	997
Furniture.....	301	301	321	312	313	309	318	329	291	323	326	309	321
Plant products—edible.....	1,302	1,301	1,377	1,422	1,580	1,696	1,584	1,563	1,368	1,411	1,410	1,389	1,375
Pulp and paper products.....	2,776	2,793	2,849	2,901	2,913	2,901	2,918	2,918	2,644	2,854	2,913	2,887	2,944
Pulp and paper.....	1,331	1,368	1,389	1,440	1,452	1,416	1,402	1,382	1,236	1,344	1,376	1,360	1,389
Paper products.....	433	422	431	428	433	437	449	453	393	437	451	444	452
Printing and publishing.....	1,012	1,003	1,020	1,026	1,029	1,049	1,066	1,083	1,015	1,073	1,086	1,084	1,104
Rubber products.....	881	871	659	663	694	706	718	735	665	763	772	752	693
Textile products.....	3,268	3,120	3,087	3,062	3,106	3,157	3,265	3,317	2,858	3,319	3,385	3,230	3,366
Hosiery and knit goods.....	487	471	466	440	447	459	465	484	433	482	485	455	477
Garments and personal furnishings.....	1,163	1,122	1,112	1,062	1,090	1,091	1,163	1,167	997	1,104	1,214	1,174	1,230
Tobacco.....	250	241	232	235	242	256	267	273	236	308	315	286	281
Beverages.....	444	450	469	491	501	498	496	498	477	476	480	476	495
Chemicals.....	2,380	2,365	2,385	2,477	2,484	2,500	2,557	2,582	2,407	2,550	2,573	2,450	2,488
Electrical apparatus.....	1,612	1,554	1,576	1,555	1,571	1,563	1,590	1,590	1,389	1,519	1,505	1,418	1,475
Iron and steel products.....	17,126	17,024	16,912	16,609	16,821	16,910	16,650	16,419	13,992	15,779	16,010	15,314	15,550
Crude, rolled and forged products.....	1,262	1,255	1,275	1,262	1,247	1,256	1,266	1,263	1,136	1,270	1,277	1,206	1,200
Machinery (other than vehicles).....	865	823	842	854	854	855	870	883	762	870	875	830	846
Land vehicles and aircraft.....	7,207	7,306	7,279	7,192	7,354	7,495	7,219	7,202	6,288	6,956	6,950	6,593	6,517
Automobiles and parts.....	1,553	1,783	1,807	1,900	1,891	1,910	1,908	1,922	1,560	1,928	1,899	1,795	1,806
Steel shipbuilding and repairing.....	2,898	2,794	2,843	2,695	2,718	2,704	2,696	2,556	2,073	2,338	2,376	2,516	2,631
Non-ferrous metal products.....	2,344	2,278	2,232	2,132	2,096	2,049	2,008	1,995	1,799	1,891	1,959	1,940	1,982
Non-metallic mineral products.....	611	619	635	643	632	619	617	619	596	631	639	636	640
Electric light and power.....	648	664	689	704	707	696	690	680	570	678	679	663	692
Durable goods.....	23,319	23,130	23,133	22,755	22,969	22,939	22,550	22,375	19,224	21,480	21,803	20,934	21,355
Non-durable goods.....	14,481	14,332	14,533	14,703	14,905	15,095	15,246	15,431	13,820	15,104	15,262	14,758	15,045
LOGGING.....	1,408	1,384	1,403	1,246	1,265	1,437	1,850	2,254	2,532	2,357	2,570	2,265	1,664
MINING.....	2,842	2,688	2,708	2,770	2,738	2,789	2,770	2,836	2,401	2,802	2,836	2,704	2,894
COMMUNICATIONS.....	878	901	897	930	932	930	924	920	928	929	932	941	945
Telegraphs.....	213	214	217	223	223	231	231	226	225	226	223	225	226
Telephones.....	665	686	680	707	709	699	693	694	701	702	706	720	717
TRANSPORTATION.....	5,713	5,713	5,748	5,808	5,860	6,236	6,110	6,174	6,110	5,939	6,111	6,107	6,165
Street railways and cartage.....	1,522	1,516	1,541	1,558	1,565	1,584	1,578	1,582	1,584	1,574	1,610	1,595	1,648
Steam railways.....	3,403	3,406	3,391	3,434	3,527	3,792	3,734	3,780	3,872	3,703	3,914	3,794	3,711
Shipping and stevedoring.....	788	791	815	816	764	860	808	812	654	602	587	717	806
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE.....	3,271	3,715	4,163	4,533	4,740	4,491	4,401	4,159	3,813	3,441	3,495	3,345	3,671
Building.....	1,289	1,271	1,334	1,392	1,477	1,500	1,546	1,474	1,173	1,242	1,253	1,228	1,301
Highway.....	1,074	1,380	1,687	1,993	2,014	1,740	1,680	1,492	1,240	1,015	977	658	1,335
Railway.....	928	1,064	1,141	1,148	1,249	1,251	1,195	1,102	1,199	1,185	1,265	1,134	1,035
SERVICES.....	891	890	913	907	919	924	934	942	905	938	955	970	1,002
Hotels and restaurants.....	541	540	563	559	571	669	573	582	579	588	628	612	629
Personal(chiefly laundries).....	350	351	350	348	348	355	361	366	326	349	356	367	374
TRADE.....	4,507	4,533	4,598	4,614	4,635	4,734	4,817	5,001	5,026	4,882	4,867	4,993	5,028
Retail.....	3,088	3,110	3,138	3,137	3,134	3,208	3,278	3,443	3,479	3,324	3,270	3,385	3,387
Wholesale.....	1,419	1,423	1,460	1,477	1,501	1,526	1,538	1,558	1,547	1,559	1,597	1,608	1,642
Eight Leading Industries.....	57,958	57,950	58,784	58,870	59,671	60,250	60,300	60,771	55,208	55,546	59,528	57,694	58,262
FINANCE.....	2,111	2,116	2,127	2,128	2,119	2,158	2,159	2,155	2,150	2,186	2,190	2,239	2,242
Banks and trust companies.....	1,070	1,070	1,069	1,074	1,069	1,118	1,121	1,119	1,121	1,141	1,143	1,143	1,143
Brokerage and stock market.....	59	63	60	66	64	65	66	66	65	74	74	76	78
Insurance.....	982	983	991	988	985	972	972	971	972	970	974	1,020	1,022
Total.....	60,869	60,066	60,910	61,037	61,730	62,406	62,466	62,926	57,387	60,331	61,719	59,932	60,561

VIII. Prices

34. INDEX NUMBERS OF COST OF LIVING 1935-39=100

Classification	1944							1945					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
Cost of Living—													
Total.....	119.0	119.0	119.0	118.8	118.6	118.9	118.5	118.6	118.6	118.7	118.7	119.0	119.0
Food.....	131.1	132.0	131.5	131.2	130.8	131.6	130.3	130.2	130.6	131.0	131.0	131.7	133.4
Fuel.....	112.5	108.9	108.7	108.7	108.7	108.1	108.1	109.1	107.4	107.3	106.7	106.6	106.6
Rent.....	111.9	111.9	111.9	111.9	112.0	112.0	112.0	112.0	112.0	112.0	112.0	112.1	112.1
Clothing.....	121.5	121.5	121.5	121.5	121.6	121.6	121.6	121.8	121.7	121.7	121.8	122.0	122.1
Sundries.....	109.0	109.0	109.0	109.0	108.9	108.9	108.9	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.4	109.4

35. WHOLESALE PRICES INDEXES, 1926=100

Group	1944							1945					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
Totals.....	102.5	102.5	102.3	102.3	102.4	102.4	102.5	102.8	102.9	103.0	103.4	103.6	103.2
Component Material—													
Vegetable products.....	95.0	95.1	94.6	94.4	94.7	94.6	95.0	95.7	95.8	96.0	96.0	97.0	98.0
Animal products.....	106.1	105.0	106.0	106.0	106.3	106.7	106.0	106.7	106.9	107.0	106.9	107.2	107.5
Textiles.....	91.9	91.7	91.7	91.7	91.7	91.7	91.7	91.7	91.7	91.7	91.7	91.7	91.7
Wood and paper.....	118.0	118.0	118.0	118.1	118.1	118.1	118.1	118.3	118.3	118.3	120.5	117.6	117.6
Iron and its products.....	117.1	117.0	117.0	117.0	117.0	117.0	117.0	117.1	117.2	117.2	117.2	115.3	115.3
Non-ferrous metals.....	79.7	79.7	79.7	79.7	79.7	79.7	79.7	79.7	79.7	79.7	79.7	79.7	79.7
Non-metallic minerals.....	102.5	102.3	102.3	102.3	101.8	101.8	102.7	102.7	103.1	103.1	102.6	102.0	102.0
Chemicals.....	100.1	100.0	100.3	100.1	100.1	99.9	100.1	100.1	100.1	100.1	100.0	98.6	98.6
Purpose—Consumers' goods.....	97.4	97.4	97.2	97.2	97.1	97.1	97.0	97.4	97.4	97.5	97.6	98.0	98.4
Foods, beverages and tobacco.....	101.2	101.2	100.8	100.7	100.8	100.8	100.7	101.5	101.7	101.9	102.0	103.0	104.0
Producers' goods.....	100.2	99.9	99.7	99.6	99.7	99.7	100.1	100.4	100.4	100.7	101.0	100.5	100.5
Producers' equipment.....	118.7	118.5	118.5	118.5	118.4	118.3	120.0	120.0	121.1	121.1	121.1	119.6	119.6
Producers' materials.....	98.1	97.8	97.6	97.5	97.6	97.6	97.9	98.2	98.2	98.4	98.8	98.2	98.4
Building and construction materials.....	127.4	127.2	127.2	127.4	127.4	127.4	127.9	127.9	127.9	127.9	128.0	122.3	122.3
Manufacturers' materials.....	93.1	92.8	92.6	92.4	92.5	92.6	92.9	93.2	93.2	93.4	93.0	94.1	94.4
Origin—Raw and partly manufactured.....	104.2	103.0	103.6	103.4	103.3	103.3	103.6	104.3	104.5	104.7	104.7	105.0	105.8
Fully and chiefly manufactured.....	93.5	93.4	93.5	93.6	93.6	93.7	93.7	93.8	93.8	93.7	94.2	93.8	93.7
FIELD ORIGIN—													
Raw.....	92.6	92.3	91.6	91.3	91.6	91.4	92.0	92.9	93.1	93.3	93.3	94.9	96.6
Manufactured.....	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	88.9	88.9
Totals.....	90.7	90.5	90.2	90.1	90.2	90.1	90.4	90.8	90.9	91.0	91.0	91.7	92.4
ANIMAL ORIGIN—													
Raw.....	109.5	109.8	109.7	109.4	108.6	108.9	108.6	109.6	109.6	109.7	109.8	110.4	111.1
Manufactured.....	92.9	92.8	93.0	93.4	93.8	94.2	94.2	94.3	94.3	94.2	94.2	94.0	93.8
Totals.....	100.1	100.2	100.2	100.3	100.2	100.6	100.4	100.9	100.9	101.0	101.1	101.3	101.3
CANADIAN FARM PRODUCTS—													
Field.....	91.1	91.8	91.2	91.0	91.6	91.5	92.2	93.5	93.8	94.0	94.0	94.8	95.8
Animal.....	120.2	119.0	117.9	117.8	122.0	122.5	122.0	122.7	122.7	123.6	124.2	121.1	122.4
Totals.....	102.0	102.0	101.2	101.0	103.0	103.1	103.3	104.4	104.6	105.1	105.3	104.6	105.7
MARINE ORIGIN—													
Raw.....	117.3	117.6	117.0	117.6	117.6	117.6	117.6	123.0	123.0	123.0	123.7	125.5	125.5
Manufactured.....	133.8	134.4	134.4	134.4	135.3	135.3	135.3	135.3	135.3	135.3	135.3	133.9	133.9
Totals.....	129.3	129.8	129.8	129.8	130.5	130.5	130.5	132.0	132.0	132.0	131.1	131.1	131.1
FOREST ORIGIN—													
Raw.....	150.7	150.7	150.7	150.9	150.9	151.3	151.3	151.3	151.3	151.3	151.6	145.5	145.5
Manufactured.....	87.9	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0	91.8	91.8
Totals.....	117.2	117.2	117.2	117.3	117.3	117.3	117.3	117.5	117.5	117.5	119.7	116.8	116.8
MINERAL ORIGIN—													
Raw.....	99.0	99.0	98.9	99.0	99.0	99.0	99.7	99.7	99.7	99.7	100.2	100.1	100.1
Manufactured.....	102.0	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.3	101.3	101.4	101.5	101.5	101.5	101.4	100.1	100.1
Totals.....	100.7	100.5	100.4	100.5	100.3	100.3	100.6	100.7	100.7	100.9	100.8	100.1	99.8

VIII. Prices

36. WHOLESALE PRICES INDEXES, 1926=100 BY COMMODITY GROUPS

Commodity Group	1944							1945					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
Fruits.....	116.4	118.2	118.7	117.6	118.7	117.9	117.3	115.3	114.0	116.2	118.0	125.1	126.0
Grains.....	90.0	90.0	90.3	90.0	90.4	90.5	90.5	90.6	90.6	90.7	90.8	90.8	91.0
Flour and milled products.....	79.1	79.1	79.1	79.1	79.0	79.0	79.0	79.0	79.0	79.0	79.0	79.0	79.0
Bakery products.....	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8
Rubber and its products.....	75.7	75.7	75.7	75.7	75.7	75.7	75.7	75.7	75.7	75.7	75.7	75.7	75.7
Sugar and its products.....	120.7	120.7	120.7	120.7	120.7	120.7	120.7	120.7	120.7	120.7	120.7	120.7	120.7
Tea, coffee, cocoa and spices.....	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.7	113.7	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3	114.3
Vegetables.....	97.2	98.8	88.2	83.5	80.4	77.5	84.9	97.4	98.8	98.4	98.0	111.0	124.4
Fishery products.....	127.4	127.9	127.9	127.9	128.2	128.2	128.2	130.1	130.1	130.1	129.8	130.4	
Furs.....	100.0	100.2	100.2	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.1	101.6	100.9	96.0	96.0	100.1	100.1
Hides and skins.....	94.2	94.2	94.2	94.2	94.2	94.2	94.2	94.2	94.2	94.2	94.2	94.2	97.0
Leather, unmanufactured.....	111.9	111.9	111.9	111.9	111.9	111.9	111.9	111.9	111.9	111.9	111.9	111.9	111.9
Boots and shoes.....	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	108.9	108.9	108.9	108.9	108.9	108.9	108.9	108.9
Live stock.....	151.5	147.7	141.8	140.4	137.2	138.0	142.4	145.2	144.9	147.8	150.6	155.5	159.2
Meats and poultry.....	114.4	113.5	113.3	113.4	113.3	113.3	113.5	114.8	114.9	114.9	114.9	115.3	115.7
Milk and its products.....	97.8	97.7	98.3	99.0	99.1	99.2	99.2	99.1	99.1	99.1	99.0	98.5	99.1
Eggs.....	82.4	84.1	86.5	87.6	91.4	94.3	82.0	80.4	81.1	82.6	81.4	81.3	82.9
Cotton fabrics.....	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.5
Flax, hemp and jute products.....	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2
Rayon fabrics.....	67.2	67.2	67.2	67.2	67.2	67.2	67.2	67.2	67.2	67.2	67.2	67.2	67.2
Rayon yarns.....	49.0	49.0	49.0	49.0	49.0	49.0	49.0	49.0	49.0	49.0	49.0	49.0	49.0
Wool raw.....	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7
Woollen hosiery and knit goods.....	108.8	108.8	108.8	108.8	108.8	108.8	108.8	108.8	108.8	108.8	108.8	108.8	108.8
Newsprint.....	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	90.7	90.7	
Lumber.....	159.2	159.2	159.2	159.5	159.5	159.5	159.5	160.0	160.0	160.5	151.8	151.8	
Pulp.....	131.2	131.2	131.2	131.2	131.2	131.2	131.2	131.2	131.2	131.2	131.2	131.2	
Furniture.....	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	
Pig iron and steel billets.....	104.8	104.8	104.8	104.8	104.8	104.8	104.8	104.8	104.8	104.8	104.8	104.8	
Rolling mill products.....	123.5	123.5	123.5	123.5	123.5	123.5	123.5	123.5	123.5	123.5	123.5	123.5	
Hardware.....	93.9	93.9	93.9	93.0	93.0	93.0	93.9	93.9	93.9	93.9	93.9	93.9	
Wire.....	105.5	105.5	105.5	105.5	105.5	105.5	105.5	105.5	105.5	105.5	105.5	105.5	
Scrap.....	110.3	110.3	110.3	110.3	110.3	110.3	110.3	110.3	110.3	110.3	110.3	110.3	
Brass, copper and products.....	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	
Lead and its products.....	62.1	62.1	62.1	62.1	62.1	62.1	62.1	62.1	62.1	62.1	62.1	62.1	
Zinc and its products.....	59.2	59.2	59.2	59.2	59.1	59.1	59.1	59.1	59.1	59.1	59.1	59.1	
Clay and allied material products.....	102.4	103.6	103.6	103.6	103.6	103.6	103.6	103.6	103.6	103.6	102.0	102.0	
Coal.....	122.6	122.7	122.6	122.2	122.7	122.7	124.5	125.8	125.8	125.8	125.8	125.8	
Coke.....	123.2	123.2	123.7	123.2	123.3	123.2	123.2	123.2	123.2	123.2	123.2	123.2	
Manufactured gas.....	100.6	100.6	100.6	100.6	100.6	100.6	100.6	100.6	100.6	100.6	100.6	100.6	
Glass and its products.....	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	114.4	102.1	
Petroleum products.....	82.4	82.4	82.4	82.4	82.4	82.4	82.4	80.9	80.9	80.9	80.9	80.9	
Salt.....	130.6	130.6	130.6	130.6	130.6	130.6	130.6	130.6	130.6	130.6	130.6	130.6	
Cement.....	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	104.6	104.6	
Building stone.....	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	65.5	
Asbestos.....	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	
Inorganic chemicals.....	89.7	89.1	89.6	88.7	88.8	88.5	88.9	88.9	88.8	88.8	88.2	88.2	
Organic chemicals.....	87.5	87.5	87.5	87.5	87.4	87.4	87.4	87.4	87.4	87.4	87.4	87.4	
Coal tar products.....	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.1	
Dyeing and tanning materials.....	138.6	135.5	138.6	138.6	138.6	138.6	138.6	138.6	138.6	138.6	138.6	138.6	
Explosives.....	73.1	73.1	73.1	73.1	73.1	73.1	73.1	73.1	73.1	73.1	73.1	73.1	
Paints, prepared.....	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.5	76.3	
Drugs.....	162.6	162.6	162.6	162.6	162.6	162.6	162.6	162.6	162.6	162.6	162.6	162.6	
Fertilizer.....	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	87.21	87.9	

37. PRICES OF REPRESENTATIVE COMMODITIES

Group	1944							1945						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Wholesale Prices of Important Commodities—														
Oats, No. 2 C.W. bush.	.515	.515	.515	.513	.515	.515	.515	.515	.515	.515	.515	.515	.513	.514
Wheat, No. 1 Man. Northern "	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250
Flour, First Patent 2-98's cotton bags, Toronto.....	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900
Sugar, granulated, Montreal cwt.	6-803	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893
Cattle, steers, good, up to 1,050 lbs. cwt.	12-040	11-710	11-100	11-040	10-510	10-630	11-040	11-370	11-130	11-540	11-900	12-310	12-500	
Hogs, B 1 dressed Toronto* "	17-210	17-330	17-430	17-420	17-270	17-240	17-630	17-630	17-460	17-800	17-470	17-620	18-500	
Beef hides, packer hides native steers lbs.	.150	.150	.150	.150	.150	.150	.150	.150	.150	.150	.150	.150	.150	.150
Leather, green hide crops. "	.480	.480	.480	.480	.480	.480	.480	.480	.480	.480	.480	.480	.480	.480
Bone sides, B, Osawawa. ft.	.240	.240	.240	.240	.240	.240	.240	.240	.240	.240	.240	.240	.240	.240
Butter, creamery, finest, Montreal. lb.	.355	.356	.362	.367	.368	.369	.369	.369	.369	.369	.369	.368	.362	.360
Eggs, Grade "A", Montreal. doz.	.303	.405	.447	.455	.480	.494	.410	.397	.390	.384	.376	.371	.388	
Cotton yarns, 10's white, single. "	.293	.293	.293	.293	.293	.293	.293	.293	.293	.293	.293	.293	.293	.293
Wool, eastern bright & blood. "	.310	.310	.310	.310	.310	.310	.310	.310	.310	.310	.310	.310	.310	.310
Wool, western range, semi-bright, & blood. "	.260	.260	.260	.260	.260	.260	.260	.260	.260	.260	.260	.260	.260	.260
Pulp, groundwood, No. I. ton	55-000	55-000	55-000	55-000	55-000	55-000	55-000	55-000	55-000	55-000	55-000	55-000	55-000	55-000
Pig-iron, foundry No. 1. "	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500	25-500
Steel, merchant bars, mill. 100 lb.	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754	2-754
Copper, electrolytic domes- tic, Montreal. cwt.	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500
Lead, domestic, Montreal. 5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000
Tin ingots, Straits, Toronto. lb.	.620	.620	.620	.620	.620	.620	.620	.620	.620	.620	.620	.620	.620	.620
Zinc, domestic, Montreal. cwt.	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150	5-150
Coal, anthracite, Toronto. ton	12-360	12-360	12-360	12-300	12-360	12-380	12-360	12-360	12-360	12-360	12-360	12-360	12-360	12-360
Coal, bituminous, N.S. run-of-mine. ton	6-650	6-650	6-650	6-650	6-650	6-650	6-650	6-650	6-650	6-650	6-650	6-650	6-650	6-650
Gasoline, Toronto. gal.	.205	.205	.205	.205	.205	.205	.195	.195	.195	.195	.195	.195	.195	.195
Sulphuric acid, 66° Baume net ton	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000

*Dressed weight grading.

38. INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES 1935-39 = 100

Security Prices—														
	COMMON STOCK PRICES							MINING STOCK PRICES						
Total (100)	83-7	87-5	86-8	85-0	86-2	86-0	86-6	89-4	92-9	93-2	94-2	97-2	102-5	
Industrials, total (74)	78-0	83-3	82-3	80-4	81-5	81-0	80-7	83-6	87-5	88-2	89-0	92-4	95-7	
Machinery and equipment (10)	113-0	116-2	117-3	114-4	116-6	116-7	119-4	120-7	122-8	123-1	123-1	131-6	138-2	
Pulp and paper (7)	118-5	134-0	135-2	129-6	138-0	137-5	135-5	149-8	154-0	152-4	147-4	151-3	160-5	
Milling (4)	97-3	100-3	100-7	102-1	101-0	101-0	106-7	108-7	108-4	102-4	106-4	110-1	117-2	
Oils (4)	73-4	76-6	74-6	72-9	72-8	72-9	72-2	74-8	77-9	79-1	77-8	78-9	82-8	
Textiles and clothing (10)	122-5	125-2	127-3	127-0	129-4	130-7	133-4	135-5	136-2	136-3	136-5	140-3	149-7	
Food and allied products (13)	94-6	101-2	103-2	102-4	101-1	101-4	104-2	105-8	106-8	106-2	107-1	105-7	107-6	
Beverages (8)	150-9	154-3	154-5	150-9	156-3	166-7	168-0	175-5	184-9	182-0	194-4	202-6	212-1	
Building materials (16)	93-3	98-9	97-2	95-3	96-8	97-3	98-6	102-4	103-0	102-6	104-7	107-8	116-9	
Industrial mines (2)	70-2	75-8	74-6	72-4	74-6	71-7	69-8	73-2	79-6	80-4	82-5	88-7	89-5	
Utilities, total (18)	102-0	104-3	101-5	98-1	100-0	100-8	105-4	107-7	111-6	110-1	112-4	115-0	127-0	
Transportation (2)	125-7	142-5	130-1	121-9	129-7	125-2	136-8	136-9	152-9	146-4	154-1	162-5	200-9	
Telephone and telegraph (2)	99-4	99-3	99-9	100-1	102-4	104-2	103-7	105-2	104-5	105-5	105-5	106-6	108-5	
Power and traction (14)	05-6	03-9	02-9	08-9	08-6	01-8	06-0	09-3	100-9	100-7	101-6	102-8	109-7	
Banks (8)	78-1	78-2	85-6	87-1	86-7	86-0	88-1	90-6	90-0	89-5	90-0	90-1	96-6	
MINING STOCK PRICES—														
Total (25)	82-2	87-3	85-3	84-9	84-1	83-1	80-6	85-0	91-7	89-8	90-5	94-3	96-5	
Gold (22)	74-1	80-0	78-4	77-3	75-6	75-9	74-4	80-5	87-3	84-7	85-3	90-6	92-2	
Base metals (3)	97-1	100-2	97-3	98-7	99-8	95-9	91-6	93-9	98-2	97-9	98-6	99-1	102-7	
Preferred Stocks.	122-2	124-7	125-9	126-3	126-7	128-8	129-8	131-8	132-1	130-9	130-3	132-4	137-2	
BOND PRICES AND YIELDS—														
Treasury Bill yields.....	0-385	0-380	0-383	0-380	0-380	0-380	0-372	0-371	0-371	0-365	.....	.....	.....
Dominion of Canada yields.....	2-99	2-99	2-99	2-99	2-99	2-99	2-98	2-98	2-97	2-97	2-96	2-96	2-96	
Index of.....	97-0	97-0	97-0	97-0	97-0	97-0	96-9	96-7	96-6	96-3	96-0	96-0	96-0	
Capitalized yields.....	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-2	103-4	103-5	103-8	104-2	104-2	104-2	

IX. Finance

39. ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE BANK OF CANADA, 1945

Item	May 23	May 30	May 31	June 6	June 13	June 20
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
LIABILITIES						
1. Capital paid up.....	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000
2. Rest fund.....	10,050,357	10,050,367	10,050,367	10,050,357	10,050,357	10,050,367
3. Notes in circulation.....	1,057,799,359	1,055,953,544	1,055,820,308	1,057,815,832	1,055,989,668	1,055,224,655
4. Deposits—						
(a) Dominion Government.....	70,559,117	45,087,514	33,560,233	68,622,186	60,866,718	57,027,474
(b) Provincial Governments.....	444,837,944	443,092,664	464,814,581	450,437,870	484,459,058	488,648,012
(c) Chartered Banks.....	45,772,625	40,816,017	32,442,527	32,580,440	30,572,543	34,064,955
(d) Other.....	561,199,686	529,027,096	530,817,361	551,540,506	565,898,320	579,740,401
Total.....	561,199,686	529,027,096	530,817,361	551,540,506	565,898,320	579,740,401
5. Liabilities, Sterling U.S.A. currency.....	176,272,273	176,272,273	176,272,273	175,062,529	175,062,529	174,402,529
6. All other liabilities.....	18,174,942	19,441,332	43,733,642	23,784,152	18,206,016	16,958,433
Total.....	1,828,496,856	1,795,744,611	1,821,693,950	1,823,253,386	1,828,206,900	1,841,376,478
ASSETS						
1. Reserve—						
Gold coin and bullion.....						
Silver bullion.....						
Sterling and U.S.A. dollars.....	187,272,273	176,272,273	177,922,273	175,062,529	175,062,529	183,752,529
Other currencies, of countries on a gold standard.....						
Total.....	187,272,273	176,272,273	177,922,273	175,062,529	175,062,529	183,752,529
2. Subsidiary coin.....	483,207	510,318	505,176	508,272	483,893	483,003
3. Bills discounted.....						
4. Advances to—						
(a) Dominion Government.....						
(b) Provincial Governments.....						
(c) Chartered and Savings Bank.....	2,500,000	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	500,000
Total.....	2,500,000	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	500,000
Bills bought except treasury bills.....						
Investments—						
(a) Dominion and Provincial Government short securities.....	1,076,377,592	1,056,090,195	1,068,334,269	1,058,124,338	1,050,506,768	1,002,471,100
(b) Other Dominion and Provincial Government securities.....	526,662,757	529,792,029	533,479,002	544,551,701	561,266,451	505,052,700
(c) Other securities.....	10,000,000	10,000,000	10,000,000	10,000,000	10,000,000	10,000,000
Total.....	1,613,040,379	1,595,885,231	1,611,813,271	1,612,670,039	1,630,773,219	1,658,423,800
7. Bank Premises.....	1,939,896	1,939,896	1,939,896	1,939,896	1,939,896	1,939,896
8. All other Assets.....	23,269,901	19,633,003	28,013,335	32,069,651	18,947,564	16,277,160
Total.....	1,828,496,856	1,795,744,611	1,821,693,950	1,823,253,386	1,828,206,900	1,841,376,478

40. EQUATION OF EXCHANGE

Millions of Dollars

	1944												1945					
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May					
<i>Circulating Media—</i>																		
Bank Notes in Circulation—																		
Bank of Canada.....	911.5	920.5	942.4	960.4	982.8	1012.5	1007.8	1036.0	1020.6	1028.6	1048.7	1062.3	1055.8					
Chartered Banks.....	37.4	38.6	36.0	35.8	35.3	35.8	34.0	32.2	33.6	32.0	31.3	30.6	30.0	29.4				
Notes in hands of public.....	809.5	853.1	856.2	868.2	906.1	913.5	902.6	930.2	908.7	928.3	965.0	952.6	937.2					
Subsidiary coin in hands of public.....	55.4	56.8	56.7	57.1	60.4	58.4	59.0	59.9	58.1	58.5	60.3	59.7	59.8					
Total Circulating Media in hands of public (M).....	864.9	909.8	912.6	925.3	968.5	971.9	981.6	990.1	986.8	986.9	1026.3	1012.3	997.0					
Deposits—																		
Deposits with Chartered Banks—																		
Dominion Government.....	952.8	699.9	521.8	293.1	171.1	203.3	969.6	763.2	609.2	420.1	159.8	210.6	1,168.1					
Provincial Government.....	91.5	100.6	110.7	110.1	117.3	120.1	94.5	88.4	100.0	110.9	119.2	142.1	92.4					
Demand.....	1711.4	1840.7	1818.9	1894.1	1973.8	2144.5	1813.3	1562.3	1816.1	1859.4	1934.3	2113.3	1792.4					
Notice.....	2093.9	2194.5	2261.5	2369.6	2464.2	2488.9	2343.1	2420.3	2524.0	2630.6	2724.7	2734.7	2562.9					
Total.....	4849.6	4835.7	4715.9	4666.9	4726.3	4956.7	5220.6	5136.8	5449.3	5521.0	4938.4	5209.7	5615.8					
Deposits with Bank of Canada—																		
Dominion Government.....	101.8	8.2	43.0	53.9	21.9	76.9	10.8	12.9	23.2	27.9	18.7	39.5	33.6					
Other.....	26.6	22.0	22.3	34.3	33.3	32.4	20.4	27.7	36.0	37.2	52.7	50.8	32.4					
Total.....	128.4	30.2	65.3	88.1	55.2	109.3	31.2	40.6	59.2	65.1	71.3	90.3	66.0					
Total Deposits (M).....	4978.0	4865.8	4781.2	4755.0	4781.5	5066.1	5251.7	5177.4	5108.4	5086.1	5009.8	5300.1	5661.9					
Money Supply (M+M ₁).....	5842.9	5775.7	5693.9	5680.3	5478.1	6038.0	6213.3	6167.5	6075.2	6073.0	6036.0	6312.3	6678.9					
<i>Cash and Cheque Payments—</i>																		
Bank Debits.....	6652.6	5219.4	4733.5	4531.8	4818.6	4931.9	6671.2	5063.0	5070.0	4433.5	5329.0	4855.1	6894.0					
Bank Debits less 5 large centres.....	1309.0	1083.1	1023.8	1006.7	1009.3	1109.2	1389.1	1119.1	1130.5	949.7	1033.7	1040.4	1392.1					
Estimated total cheque payments (M ₁ V ₁).....	7725.4	6036.7	5420.6	5257.1	5585.1	5731.8	7692.0	5767.0	5807.5	5108.2	6165.0	5639.8	7962.1					
Velocity of deposits (V ₁).....	1.55	1.24	1.13	1.11	1.17	1.18	1.49	1.11	1.13	1.00	1.22	1.09	1.45					
Cash Payments (M ₁).....	1562.0	1314.7	1201.0	1196.4	1317.4	1336.4	1669.3	1280.2	1272.3	1149.7	1458.3	1285.6	1884.0					
Cash and Cheque Payments (M ₁ V ₁).....	9287.4	7351.4	6821.7	6453.5	6802.5	7068.3	9361.2	7047.8	7084.6	6257.9	7623.3	6825.4	9646.1					

IX. Finance—Continued
41. CANADIAN CHARTERED BANKS
 Millions of Dollars

	1944								1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
Assets—													
CANADIAN CASH RESERVE—													
Notes of Bank of Canada	133.71	103.44	121.86	127.37	111.91	133.95	139.40	139.41	143.80	131.52	113.38	139.69	147.97
Deposits with Bank of Canada	377.65	414.89	414.88	432.51	454.77	454.34	437.22	401.72	413.15	387.63	422.03	448.95	464.81
Total	516.37	518.13	536.74	559.89	566.68	588.28	576.63	541.13	557.05	529.16	535.41	588.64	612.78
Gold and coin	11.74	10.75	11.49	11.53	10.62	11.36	11.50	10.79	12.86	12.72	10.92	11.83	12.04
Foreign currency	106.04	118.50	121.94	123.33	124.04	119.73	110.24	101.43	100.41	95.78	90.52	95.88	96.48
Notes and Cheques on other banks	203.45	216.50	213.09	211.82	212.67	215.04	232.44	243.30	200.02	202.79	196.73	231.87	244.59
Balances at other banks—													
United Kingdom banks	41.04	40.06	41.12	40.93	41.88	41.95	39.20	40.04	42.97	42.47	43.28	46.09	46.62
Other foreign banks	207.32	259.57	175.36	170.66	157.70	170.61	193.04	172.74	186.09	208.09	182.25	211.97	182.68
Canadian chartered banks	2.76	2.26	2.44	2.36	2.51	3.72	3.38	2.38	2.52	2.68	2.73	2.46	3.36
SECURITIES—													
Dom.-Prov. Government	3,011.6	2,982.3	3,005.3	2,993.1	2,787.0	2,959.4	2,928.2	2,936.2	2,904.5	2,950.3	2,916.6	3,089.9	3,176.0
Canadian municipal	67.80	82.81	81.10	82.36	85.30	85.07	76.81	76.51	83.12	84.05	82.97	83.18	80.15
Foreign public	215.33	213.71	226.86	214.22	209.35	205.65	196.02	210.05	212.78	208.08	218.23	230.55	233.43
Other	79.46	79.47	74.87	78.64	78.10	79.20	82.58	95.82	94.19	98.57	100.76	100.35	99.61
Total	3,374.2	3,358.3	3,388.1	3,368.3	3,159.8	3,329.3	3,283.6	3,318.6	3,294.5	3,341.0	3,318.5	3,504.1	3,589.2
CALL AND SHORT LOANS—													
In Canada	80.57	71.30	63.35	61.44	56.24	56.26	80.74	91.78	94.72	80.01	77.52	82.27	125.43
Elsewhere	100.25	100.01	101.14	98.55	113.73	112.23	91.15	95.93	109.07	95.03	90.99	100.82	113.17
CURRENT LOANS—													
In Canada	9.34	6.83	5.37	4.30	5.06	4.97	7.66	11.53	8.74	5.07	6.90	6.68	20.61
Prov. Governments	48.65	36.05	33.02	31.78	32.01	33.24	36.49	17.47	14.28	17.66	20.25	18.26	28.99
Municipalities, etc.	1117.46	1060.78	1024.11	966.29	939.28	953.69	1231.09	1182.19	1132.75	1102.11	1066.86	1022.51	1249.15
Elsewhere than in Canada	117.93	110.10	110.46	111.83	115.32	116.53	128.96	130.33	125.59	123.70	119.90	121.54	124.06
OTHER ASSETS—													
Non-current loans	1.96	1.81	1.74	1.69	1.65	1.55	1.53	1.36	1.32	1.24	1.22	1.21	1.19
Bank premises	64.22	64.03	64.05	64.10	63.94	63.02	62.51	62.53	62.41	62.43	62.46	62.16	62.27
Other real estate	3.93	3.82	3.71	3.65	3.30	3.18	3.02	2.47	2.39	2.35	2.31	2.28	2.22
Mortgages	2.53	2.46	2.40	2.32	2.35	2.37	2.30	2.28	2.28	2.26	2.12	2.08	2.14
Loans to controlled companies	10.68	10.62	10.67	10.61	10.64	10.30	10.67	10.59	10.94	10.86	10.76	10.81	10.54
Note circulation deposit	3.29	3.31	2.26	2.26	2.26	2.26	2.26	2.26	2.27	2.27	2.27	2.27	2.27
Letters of credit	107.26	112.31	117.59	117.92	128.23	124.36	124.06	121.13	120.33	112.74	112.97	120.82	123.35
Other assets	2.74	2.75	2.67	2.60	2.77	3.06	4.17	4.17	4.29	4.24	4.27	4.11	4.06
Total Assets	6,142.7	6,210.3	6,032.8	5,970.2	6,043.1	6,261.0	6,527.6	6,459.1	6,364.7	6,339.6	6,248.6	6,545.5	6,957.2
Liabilities—													
Notes in circulation	37.43	36.60	36.05	35.82	35.25	35.00	34.24	33.60	32.02	31.29	30.57	30.02	29.36
Deposit Liabilities—													
Government Deposits—													
Dominion	952.78	869.86	521.75	293.08	171.07	203.26	969.60	763.17	609.16	420.07	159.79	219.61	1,168.13
Provincial	91.64	100.55	110.60	110.09	117.30	120.09	94.51	88.37	100.02	110.91	119.17	142.11	92.37
Public Deposits—													
Demand in Canada	1711.41	1840.71	1818.94	1894.10	1973.78	2144.45	1813.34	1862.33	1816.06	1859.43	1934.78	2113.33	1792.41
Time in Canada	2,093.0	2,194.5	2,264.5	2,369.6	2,464.2	2,488.9	2,343.1	2,423.0	2,524.0	2,630.6	2,724.7	2,734.7	2,562.9
Foreign	744.63	790.90	737.93	723.05	673.07	673.85	677.67	650.33	681.22	703.90	684.55	710.45	716.03
Deposits of other Banks—													
Canadian chartered banks	14.11	21.20	15.08	18.78	17.89	20.70	17.59	19.07	14.03	16.36	16.56	18.21	16.82
United Kingdom banks	30.22	32.65	33.04	31.38	31.58	32.80	32.87	32.01	37.57	36.01	41.49	35.97	38.20
Other banks	52.02	72.56	66.49	63.78	57.36	55.70	55.05	52.03	56.14	54.53	56.21	54.18	53.72
Total Deposit Liabilities	5,690.6	5,753.0	5,568.5	5,803.8	5,507.5	5,739.5	6,000.9	5,934.0	6,838.2	5,832.7	5,737.2	6,028.5	6,440.6
of which: Canadian currency	4,806.5	4,824.2	4,699.6	4,656.3	4,708.2	4,033.2	5,212.4	5,145.4	5,023.9	5,012.2	4,937.9	5,175.2	5,594.4
Other Liabilities—													
Bills payable	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Letters of Credit	107.26	112.31	117.59	117.92	128.23	124.36	124.06	121.13	120.33	112.74	112.97	120.82	123.35
Other	5.08	5.65	5.67	6.14	5.97	6.78	6.30	5.85	5.46	5.47	5.02	5.22	5.21
Liabilities to Shareholders													
Dividends	1.79	1.18	2.16	1.80	1.28	2.26	1.50	1.18	2.45	1.52	1.19	2.46	1.50
Reserve	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75
Capital paid up	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50
Total liabilities	6,125.3	6,191.0	6,012.2	5,947.8	6,017.8	6,245.8	6,510.3	6,440.9	6,344.6	6,317.5	6,224.0	6,524.6	6,935.3
Daily Average Data—													
Canadian currency deposits	4,634.7	4,656.8	4,671.7	4,595.0	4,556.5	4,763.8	5,079.0	5,098.9	5,039.3	4,958.6	4,911.8	4,992.7	5,344.4
Canadian cash reserve	531.1	547.5	543.0	545.8	572.9	584.5	594.7	574.5	578.1	560.0	554.7	585.9	602.1
Total public note circulation*	804.5	810.4	832.8	851.5	863.1	892.8	891.9	909.5	898.4	910.2	931.4	940.2	929.9
Daily Average Ratio: Cash to Deposits	11.5	11.8	11.6	11.9	12.6	12.3	11.7	11.3	11.5	11.3	11.3	11.7	11.3

* Chartered bank note circulation and Bank of Canada notes not held by chartered banks.

IX. Finance—Continued

42. BANK DEBITS IN MILLION DOLLARS

Areas and Cities	1944							1945					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
BANK Debits—													
MARITIME PROVINCES													
Halifax.....	53.5	55.8	50.9	51.9	64.9	86.5	62.1	59.6	52.0	59.1	59.7	88.0	68.7
Moncton.....	19.3	16.5	18.0	19.2	21.0	24.9	22.1	18.4	17.8	19.9	19.8	22.3	19.8
Saint John.....	32.2	32.0	29.0	27.1	28.8	44.7	36.2	33.1	29.5	32.8	37.1	54.9	33.2
Totals.....	105.0	104.3	97.8	98.2	114.8	186.2	120.5	111.2	99.3	111.8	116.6	165.2	121.7
QUEBEC—													
Montreal.....	1,434.0	1,255.8	1,147.2	1,199.8	1,144.0	1,712.5	1,314.3	1,378.4	1,193.8	1,366.9	1,206.9	1,764.8	1,556.3
Quebec.....	150.9	117.3	129.7	124.4	134.1	152.5	144.1	162.8	106.4	136.7	117.7	157.8	134.6
Sherbrooke.....	12.6	11.5	11.9	12.2	12.8	15.8	13.2	11.9	11.2	12.5	13.0	18.0	14.4
Totals.....	1,507.6	1,384.6	1,288.7	1,336.4	1,209.9	1,910.8	1,471.7	1,553.0	1,311.4	1,516.1	1,337.6	1,940.6	1,705.3
ONTARIO—													
Brantford.....	20.9	20.4	18.3	18.9	21.4	25.1	19.8	18.2	17.4	18.7	20.5	27.7	22.5
Chatham.....	10.6	11.3	10.9	10.0	12.3	16.2	14.4	14.0	15.0	15.6	12.2	14.7	12.4
Fort William.....	12.5	13.2	22.6	12.8	14.5	18.8	13.9	13.0	11.6	13.1	13.9	17.3	13.9
Hamilton.....	108.9	111.3	100.6	106.7	118.4	142.0	124.8	109.7	113.7	105.9	100.2	141.8	113.0
Kingston.....	12.3	12.9	12.8	12.9	13.9	16.9	14.1	13.0	11.1	12.6	12.4	17.4	13.5
Kitchener.....	21.1	20.1	20.1	21.2	22.2	32.0	23.0	23.4	20.8	23.0	22.6	41.6	25.3
London.....	59.8	57.6	43.6	51.1	51.3	66.8	65.1	66.8	44.1	60.8	50.9	86.2	72.0
Ottawa.....	534.1	518.0	523.5	724.9	894.7	784.0	511.5	492.2	444.6	804.0	709.7	742.2	506.5
Peterborough.....	12.4	10.9	11.3	11.7	13.4	14.3	12.8	12.1	11.3	12.7	13.9	15.6	14.1
St. Catharines.....	19.6	17.7	17.1	18.9	19.0	28.1	21.2	18.3	17.1	20.5	18.2	28.0	22.1
Sarnia.....	16.8	14.8	15.7	13.3	15.9	20.2	17.2	18.2	15.1	17.7	20.8	23.8	20.5
Sudbury.....	9.3	9.1	9.2	9.3	10.0	10.5	10.1	9.6	7.9	9.4	10.4	11.7	10.1
Toronto.....	1,333.8	1,114.7	1,052.7	1,103.2	994.1	1,606.5	1,336.3	1,334.2	1,240.0	1,477.7	1,121.0	1,923.6	1,882.1
Windsor.....	74.7	79.2	78.9	78.0	79.3	97.3	84.8	83.3	69.9	80.8	74.6	91.0	89.1
Totals.....	2,246.5	2,011.0	1,937.3	2,193.0	2,181.3	2,968.8	2,269.5	2,226.0	2,048.6	2,672.5	2,201.1	3,182.5	2,817.1
PRairie PROVINCES—													
Brandon.....	7.2	7.8	6.9	7.3	8.5	9.6	7.5	6.9	5.7	6.7	7.8	9.4	6.8
Calgary.....	121.0	121.0	118.2	108.6	128.7	158.9	117.0	137.6	103.5	104.8	117.4	143.5	116.9
Edmonton.....	83.9	83.6	89.8	81.3	85.3	104.9	89.6	86.3	88.2	83.6	94.1	114.0	79.7
Lethbridge.....	12.1	9.0	9.0	9.4	10.0	12.5	9.6	8.5	7.6	8.9	10.1	9.8	9.2
Medicine Hat.....	5.2	5.2	5.1	6.3	6.6	6.0	5.1	4.9	4.2	4.9	5.2	5.7	4.8
Moose Jaw.....	11.8	12.0	15.2	15.5	15.8	17.5	14.9	12.1	12.5	13.8	14.3	14.8	13.9
Prince Albert.....	6.3	6.7	6.5	6.7	7.1	7.9	7.1	6.8	6.0	6.8	7.3	7.3	6.4
Regina.....	102.7	95.2	79.9	100.1	110.7	136.3	94.0	93.2	75.7	70.7	83.6	125.1	85.6
Saskatoon.....	21.0	21.6	21.0	20.2	23.5	24.5	24.8	22.0	19.5	22.8	23.1	25.7	23.1
Winnipeg.....	586.3	574.1	559.3	565.2	647.2	759.0	546.7	494.2	361.4	379.6	533.3	707.2	742.9
Totals.....	957.6	936.1	911.0	920.8	1,043.5	1,237.1	916.3	872.4	684.3	702.8	895.1	1,162.4	1,089.3
BRITISH COLUMBIA—													
New Westminster.....	14.5	14.4	14.8	14.1	14.7	17.7	14.9	15.7	13.5	16.5	14.7	17.8	15.0
Vancouver.....	248.1	247.1	242.4	216.2	232.7	330.1	234.7	240.5	234.9	267.0	243.9	364.1	287.8
Victoria.....	50.1	36.0	39.7	39.0	44.0	50.5	35.5	51.1	41.5	42.3	45.1	61.3	49.3
Totals.....	312.8	297.4	296.9	270.2	291.4	398.3	285.1	307.3	289.9	325.8	303.7	443.2	352.1
Canada.....	5,219.4	4,733.5	4,531.8	4,818.6	4,931.9	6,671.2	5,063.0	5,070.0	4,433.5	5,329.8	4,855.1	6,894.0	6,085.5

CANADIAN CHARTERED BANKS

Index Number— (1935-39=100)	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
Canadian deposits (daily average).....	199.0	199.9	200.6	197.3	195.6	204.5	218.1	218.9	216.4	212.9	210.8	214.4	229.5
Canadian cash re- serve (daily av- erage).....	220.7	227.6	225.9	226.8	238.1	242.9	247.2	238.8	240.3	232.8	230.5	243.5	250.2
Current loans in Canada.....	143.3	136.0	131.3	123.9	120.4	122.3	157.8	151.6	145.2	141.3	136.8	131.1	160.2
Total securities.....	248.8	247.6	249.8	248.3	233.0	245.5	242.1	244.7	242.9	246.3	244.7	258.4	264.6
Total public note circulation*.....	414.1	417.1	428.6	438.2	446.8	459.5	459.0	468.1	462.4	468.5	479.4	483.9	478.6

*Chartered bank note circulation and Bank of Canada notes not held by chartered banks.

IX. Finance—Continued

43. DOMINION GOVERNMENT REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE, 1945, AND FROM APRIL 1 TO JUNE 30, 1945, AND FOR THE CORRESPONDING PERIODS IN THE PREVIOUS FISCAL YEAR

	Month of June 1945 (Unrevised)	Month of June 1944	April 1, 1945 to June 30, 1945 (June unrevised)	April 1, 1944 to June 30, 1944		
	\$	cts.	\$	cts.	\$	cts.
RECEIPTS						
Customs Import Duties.....	12,975,868 68		12,811,897 54		36,918,034 83	
Excise Duties.....	14,550,306 13		11,766,379 22		41,299,277 50	
Excise Taxes, Sales Stamps, etc.....	54,943,491 41		73,320,698 63		136,200,585 75	
Income Tax and Excess Profits.....	111,134,336 11		125,372,791 02		388,094,214 54	
Post Office.....	4,200,000 00		4,400,000 00		14,500,000 00	
Sundry Departments.....	6,081,634 60		4,441,161 51		14,676,598 18	
Total Ordinary Revenue.....	23,915,636 93		23,112,927 92		631,688,710 82	
Special Receipts.....	7,421,505 78		5,306,770 22		15,451,772 34	
Total.....	311,337,142 71		237,419,698 14		647,114,483 12	
DISBURSEMENTS						
Ordinary Expenditure—						
Agriculture.....	851,768 38		748,553 49		2,279,775 88	
Auditor General's Office.....	32,020 58		30,653 85		94,445 44	
Chief Electoral Officer, including Elections.....	898,709 19		2,631 10		1,058,424 51	
Civil Service Commission.....	30,259 13		40,259 42		116,376 88	
External Affairs.....	175,483 77		187,514 56		595,330 95	
Finance—						
Compensation to Provinces re Taxation Agreements.....	28,276,599 79		28,932,221 49		34,582,781 63	
Interest on Public Debt.....	33,468,665 53		16,741,837 37		93,096,849 43	
Other Public Debt Charges.....	352,602 04		724,131 94		2,925,464 23	
Old Age Pensions.....	2,208,827 27		2,000,987 70		2,206,256 33	
Office of the Comptroller of the Treasury.....	371,078 75		215,993 40		994,932 31	
Superannuation, Retirement Benefits and Sundry Pensions.....	14,525 49		38,329 36		89,155 92	
General Expenditure (Finance Department).....	71,263 12		46,297 87		153,883 01	
Miscellaneous Grants and Contributions.....	6,250 00		68,083 33		105,875 00	
Miscellaneous Offices and Commissions.....	65,735 46		74,315 82		174,151 53	
Fisheries.....	179,206 40		151,404 72		475,171 16	
Governor General and Lieutenant Governor.....	28,938 98		27,475 53		55,370 49	
Insurance.....	15,450 79		14,483 88		40,128 18	
Justice.....	493,083 77		497,421 00		1,420,590 54	
Labour.....	149,103 65		92,158 89		327,764 64	
Unemployment Insurance Commission.....	1,450,798 26		1,380,168 52		4,053,844 73	
Legislation—Houses of Parliament and Library.....	69,349 17		313,525 25		376,962 68	
Mines and Resources.....	999,104 20		877,770 32		2,763,185 91	
Munitions and Supply (Coal Subsidies, etc.).....	180,643 35		379,216 07		463,006 56	
National Health and Welfare.....	230,809 28		101,258 29		524,757 73	
National Revenue.....	1,787,533 42		1,607,416 38		5,203,573 67	
National War Services.....	12,096 84		17,590 10		36,533 95	
Post Office.....	4,583,567 23		4,437,780 16		11,084,833 19	
Privy Council.....	6,725 21		4,096 81		20,136 69	
Public Archives.....	9,665 93		10,971 95		29,117 26	
Public Printing and Stationery.....	18,555 91		19,497 96		38,272 80	
Public Works.....	1,078,695 33		1,131,111 63		2,411,706 49	
Reconstruction—						
National Research Council.....	60,352 61		84,195 63		256,830 98	
Royal Canadian Mounted Police.....	630,165 04		652,511 97		1,835,000 74	
Secretary of State.....	72,857 31		72,042 34		216,610 37	
Trade and Commerce.....	561,649 91		452,908 35		1,448,845 32	
Transport—						
Maritime Freight Rates Act.....	1,052,024 62		1,190,777 34		2,914,394 15	
Veterans Affairs.....	339,951 46		586,640 76		1,130,922 37	
Soldier Settlement and Veterans' Land Act.....	12,573,901 99		4,810,302 04		36,083,991 75	
	194,781 44		131,848 47		475,301 03	
Total Ordinary Expenditure.....	93,658,748 05		68,999,061 11		212,393,144 37	
Capital Expenditure—						
Transport.....	447,973 65		154,252 03		845,116 33	
Special Expenditure—						
Agricultural Assistance and Completion of Relief Works.....	330,219 31		529,627 78		577,461 18	
War Expenditure.....	202,589,507 27		280,185,998 67		511,515,272 36	
Mutual Aid.....	124,208,416 72		16,130,407 32		350,142,859 92	
Total Special Expenditure	327,128,143 30		302,846,121 77		862,235,593 46	
Government Owned Enterprises—						
Canadian National Railways—						
P.E.I. Car Ferry and Terminal—Deficit.....	61,000 00		100,000 00		216,000 00	
						188,000 00

IX. Finance—Concluded

43. DOMINION GOVERNMENT REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES—Concluded

	Month of June, 1945 (Unrevised)	Month of June, 1944	April 1, 1945 to June 30, 1945 (June unrevised)	April 1, 1944 to June 30, 1944
	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
Other Charges—				
Consolidated Fund—Miscellaneous.....	259 63	13,598 53	18,778 32	93,165 12
Grand Total Expenditure	421,296,124 63	372,112,963 47	1,075,708,632 53	943,834,995 74
Loans and Advances—				
To Railway and Steamship Companies—				
Canadian National Railways.....	Cr. 9,933,286 67	60,729,850 65	Cr. 11,408,317 19	92,247,275 83
To Foreign Exchange Control Board.....	100,000,000 00		200,000,000 00	40,000,000 00
Sundry Government Agencies—				
Soldier Settlement and Veterans' Land Act.....	383,552 49	275,391 41	696,447 89	678,651 30
Commodity Prices Stab. Corp. Ltd.....	5,000,000 00	4,700,000 00	15,000,000 00	24,575,000 00
Sundry	1,804,328 03	Cr. 2,504,957 05	737,512 81	Cr. 5,992,633 69
To Provincial and Municipal Governments.....	Cr. 343 30	Cr. 88 30	Cr. 565,274 00	Cr. 5,340 94
To United Kingdom and Other Governments.....	Cr. 5,333,607 32	18,072,744 39	Cr. 23,445,549 71	19,009,311 37
Miscellaneous	Cr. 267,584 01	490,293 35	Cr. 256,613 18	693,182 82
Investments—				
Miscellaneous	Cr. 60,884,828 60	1,808,974 61	Cr. 4,664,136 19	Cr. 1,006,370 89
Total Loans and Investments	21,768,230 62	82,844,309 06	176,095,070 34	170,121,055 80

44. STOCK MARKET TRANSACTIONS AND BOND FINANCING

¹ Month end values of all listed stocks. ² Source: A. E. Ames & Co. ³ Totals shown by quarters. Sources: Statistical Summary, Bank of Canada.

X—Other Countries

45. INDEXES OF WHOLESALE PRICES IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES*, 1944-1945
 Jan.—June 1939 = 100

Country	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mur.
Canada.....	141	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	141
United States.....	136	136	136	137	136	136	136	136	137	137	137	138	138
Argentina.....	201	203	205	207	207	208	208	208	209	210	211		
Chile.....	196	197	197	202	207	212	214	215	218	216	212	222	
Mexico.....	171	181	188	190	193	183	193	183	196	192	190	190	193
Peru.....	206	206	206	206	205	207	207	208	208	210	214	215	
Venezuela.....	128	128	132	133	136	130	125	129	132	135	135	139	
China-Manchuria.....	187	190			212								
India.....	302	294	294	303	303	302	305	301	303	305			
Iran.....	503	544	538	524	518	517	517	517	451	454	507	524	
Japan.....	150	158	155	157	158	159	164	165					
Palestine.....	330	337	325	321	325	342	345	349	353	340	342	340	
Germany.....	110	110	110	110	111	111	110	110	111				
Denmark.....	197	197	197	198	198	198	199	199	199	199	199	199	
Spain.....	189	190	190	191	194	194	199	203					
Finland.....	267	268	268	268	270	271	272	272	273	277			
Norway.....	180	180	181	182	182	182	182	182	182	182	182	182	
Portugal.....	244	246	256	253	246	249	251	250	251	250	247	248	
United Kingdom Board of Trade.....	169	170	171	171	172	172	172	171	172	172	172	172	172
Sweden.....	179	179	180	180	181	180	179	179	179	179	179	179	179
Switzerland.....	210	211	211	211	212	211	210	210	210	209	209	209	209
Australia.....	137	133	138	139	140	140	139	139	139	139	138		
New Zealand.....	148	148	148	149	149	148	148	148	149	150	149	150	
Union S. Africa.....	156	157	157	155	155	155	156	156	157	156			
Egypt.....	298	299	304	311	312	314	326	326	327	328			

*Source: League of Nations Bulletin.

46. SIGNIFICANT STATISTICS OF THE UNITED STATES¹

Classification	1944									1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	
Production and Related Series—														
Industrial production, 1935-9=100	236	236	232	235	234	234	232	230	230	232	232	229	227	
Mineral production, 1935-9=100	146	146	143	147	146	145	140	132	140	141	142	140	141	
Manufacturing production, 1935-9=100	253	251	246	248	246	248	248	249	251	253	252	247	242	
Cattle receipts, primary markets, 000	2,010	2,030	2,210	2,681	2,863	3,587	2,985	2,211	2,372	1,951	2,101	2,194	2,104	
Hog receipts, primary market 000	4,161	3,862	3,231	2,704	2,304	2,743	3,390	3,365	3,361	2,013	2,082	1,932	2,019	
Sheep and lambs, receipts, 000	2,455	2,704	2,563	2,765	3,421	3,732	2,801	2,134	2,297	1,643	1,725	1,737	2,576	
Poultry receipts 5 markets 000 lb.	28,982	38,578	42,059	38,688	46,753	62,047	62,046	60,236	33,085	18,917	20,842	20,435	17,693	
Newsprint Production—														
Production, 000 s. tons	60·9	61·1	59·9	60·6	61·5	62·0	62·5	61·2	60·4	58·2	64·7	59·8	63·8	
Consumption ²	107·4	191·1	174·8	182·4	189·6	218·1	211·6	206·0	185·2	175·1	202·8	203·2	205·8	
Pig iron consumption, 000 s. tons	5,218	4,980	5,062	5,150	4,893	5,108	4,987	4,059	4,911	4,563	5,228	4,796	5,016	
Steel ingot production, 000 s. tons	7,680	7,217	7,474	7,470	7,103	7,578	7,259	7,361	7,204	6,653	7,708	7,292	7,477	
Contracts awarded, \$000,000	144·2	163·0	100·5	169·3	175·7	144·6	164·9	188·5	140·9	147·0	328·9	395·8	242·5	
Car loadings, 000 cars	3,446	3,445	4,361	3,580	4,428	3,560	3,306	3,699	3,002	3,050	4,019	3,374	3,453	
Electric power production														
19,873	18,595	18,792	19,573	18,516	19,027	18,947	19,602	20,280	18,021	19,527	18,640	19,372		
Tobacco Consumption—														
Cigars, mn.	400	384	352	418	391	412	446	395	379	387	418	388	414	
Cigarettes, mn.	21,065	21,160	20,475	22,305	20,021	19,771	20,554	17,826	20,077	18,673	18,670	17,000	21,280	
Mid. tobacco and snuff, 000 lbs.	23,968	23,350	21,338	26,971	25,335	28,793	30,729	26,017	27,519	25,089	27,045	25,212	28,074	
Petroleum production, mn. bbls.	141·3	137·2	141·3	145·3	143·0	146·9	142·4	145·3	147·2	133·2	148·8	144·0	.....
Consumption (to stills), mn. bbls.	139·5	139·9	143·4	143·0	140·5	143·7	140·0	145·1	145·1	134·9	146·3	143·2	.....
Stocks, end of month														
Refinable un U.S., mn. bbls.	235·2	229·6	223·5	223·9	222·9	223·5	222·8	330·7	221·7	220·2	224·0	224·2	.....
Gasoline production, 000 bbls.	61,181	61,719	63,480	64,064	63,674	65,514	64,842	65,800	66,662	63,503	67,995	65,770	.....
Stocks, end of month, 000 bbls.	74,519	70,246	68,921	66,542	64,914	65,886	68,107	73,622	78,877	85,473	85,654	79,653	.....
Gasoline consumption, 000 bales	832	806	724	841	793	795	837	761	850	781	858	770	831	
Internal Trade—														
All retail stores, \$000,000	5,856	5,710	5,513	5,717	5,981	6,135	5,214	7,445	5,462	5,106	6,347	5,460	5,880	
Chain store sales, 1935-39=100	169·9	168·1	172·2	175·8	172·7	178·0	182·6	177·3	185·4	183·7	185·6	163·2	166·5	
Departmental stores, (adjusted), 1935-39=100	181	175	194	187	183	194	210	193	200	211	223	181	187	
External Trade—														
Imports, \$000,000	386·0	330·3	293·2	302·4	280·4	327·2	321·9	336·0	334·0	323·8	364·7	366·1	371·4	
Exports, \$000,000	1446·1	1286·8	1190·1	1180·5	1186·5	1134·7	1176·4	940·0	893·0	873·0	1010·0	987·0	1121·2	
Employment—Adjusted—														
Total, 000	38,749	38,706	38,700	38,654	38,400	38,150	38,044	38,164	38,426	38,469	38,450	37,975	37,723	
Manufacturing, 000	16,203	16,093	16,012	15,943	15,764	15,614	15,529	15,554	15,633	15,595	15,445	15,178	14,928	
Mining, 000	843	848	833	830	822	812	808	802	808	806	796	765	730	
Construction, 000	673	677	653	648	627	609	613	619	633	658	691	726	732	
Transportation, 000	3,768	3,765	3,753	3,762	3,735	3,745	3,771	3,789	3,797	3,848	3,846	3,814	3,805	
Trade, 000	6,997	7,012	7,084	7,059	7,085	7,077	7,052	7,015	7,210	7,164	7,214	7,009	7,045	
Pay Rolls—Manufacturing, 1939=100	334·3	334·6	326·8	330·3	329·1	330·3	327·3	331·8	330·3	320·0	325·5	317·2	.....
Durable goods, 1939=100	470·9	469·0	453·8	458·1	453·3	455·6	450·3	455·9	454·3	451·1	444·0	430·8	.....
Nondurable goods, 1939=100	200·7	203·2	202·6	205·2	207·5	207·8	207·0	210·5	209·2	209·5	209·7	206·1	.....

46. SIGNIFICANT STATISTICS OF THE UNITED STATES—Concluded

Classification	1944								1945				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
Prices—													
WHOLESALE PRICES....1926=100													
Department of Labour.....	104.0	104.3	104.1	103.9	104.0	104.1	104.4	104.7	104.9	105.2	105.3	105.7	106.0
BOND PRICES—Dollars													
All issues, New York, S.E.....	100.62	100.53	100.71	100.74	100.61	100.71	100.92	103.15	101.91	102.58	102.53	103.10	103.01
U.S. Treasury (taxable).....	100.2	100.2	100.2	100.4	100.4	100.3	100.3	100.3	101.0	101.8	101.6	101.7	101.7
PRICES COMMON STOCKS													
(402).....1935-39=100	97.2	101.5	104.3	102.7	100.7	103.5	102.7	104.7	108.4	113.0	111.8	114.4	118.2
Standard and Poor's Corporation													
Industrials (354).....	99.0	103.9	106.7	104.7	102.6	105.6	104.6	106.4	110.4	115.2	114.0	116.5	120.3
Railways (20).....	99.3	100.8	105.3	102.5	98.7	103.4	104.9	113.9	120.7	125.3	123.6	129.3	134.5
Utilities (28).....	87.8	89.6	91.3	92.1	91.4	92.7	92.1	92.4	93.8	96.8	96.1	98.0	101.2
Cost of living.....1935-39=100	125.1	125.4	126.1	126.4	126.5	126.5	126.6	127.0	127.1	126.8	126.8	127.1	128.0
Retail Prices, Dec. 31, 1930=100	113.4	113.4	113.4	113.4	113.4	113.4	113.4	113.4	113.4	113.4	113.4	113.4	113.4
Finance—													
Stock sales, N.Y....Mil. Shares	17.2	37.7	28.2	20.8	15.9	17.5	18.0	31.3	38.9	32.6	27.5	28.2	32.0
Bond sales, N.Y....Mil. Dollars	213.7	243.8	103.7	137.6	132.2	166.6	196.9	268.5	342.0	191.7	206.8	246.5	263.5
BANK DEBITS, N.Y....Mil. Dollars	24,708	33,563	28,474	26,165	26,860	28,558	30,016	37,678	34,990	29,065	31,884	29,413	33,678
Outside, 141 centres, Mil. Dollars	36,067	42,613	37,624	36,420	36,765	38,308	40,312	45,400	40,292	34,730	41,715	37,838	40,635
Income Payments and Expenditures—													
Income Payments...Mil. Dollars	12,387	13,573	12,928	12,586	13,670	13,684	13,253	14,405	13,357	12,743	13,686	13,194	12,856
Index.....1935-39=100	231.1	232.6	232.2	233.7	232.7	235.5	237.5	239.0	241.9	245.2	244.1	242.3	242.8
*Expenditures—													
Goods.....\$000,000	16,327												
Services.....\$000,000	7,718												
Goods, adjusted..1935-39=100	172.7												
Services.....1935-39=100	144.5												

¹ Courtesy of the Survey of Current Business.² Based on sample of 422 publishers.³ Quarterly Totals.

47. SIGNIFICANT STATISTICS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM

Classification	1944								1945				
	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
Banking—													
BANK OF ENGLAND ¹ —													
Private deposits.....£ mn.	232.6	256.0	235.1	255.2	234.6	232.0	233.7	240.5	232.5	271.1	242.9	246.1	175.1
Bank and currency notes £ mn.	1120.8	1126.3	1128.7	1136.8	1150.6	1150.0	1160.4	1177.3	1225.7	1220.4	1218.9	1221.8	1222.0
Gold reserve.....£ mn.	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
LONDON CLEARING BANKS—													
Deposits.....£ mn.	4,017	4,051	4,100	4,121	4,161	4,251	4,342	4,398	4,545	4,462	4,405	4,460	.....
Discounts.....£ mn.	149	174	202	213	211	209	170	198	147	159	140	140	.....
Advances.....£ mn.	754	756	770	755	742	735	735	738	754	753	759	771	.....
Investments.....£ mn.	1,152	1,161	1,169	1,175	1,180	1,183	1,507	1,102	1,165	1,165	1,160	1,153	.....
Money—													
Day-to-day rate.....p.c.	1.13	1.13	1.13	1.13	1.13	1.13	1.13	1.13	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Three months rate.....p.c.	1.03	1.03	1.03	1.03	1.03	1.03	1.00	1.00	1.03	1.03	1.03	1.03	1.03
Wholesale Prices.....1930=100													
Cereals.....	169.5	169.2	167.9	166.2	163.3	164.0	165.6	166.2	166.6	165.5	165.8	165.5	164.1
Meat, fish and eggs.....	121.8	121.8	121.8	121.8	121.8	121.8	121.8	121.8	121.8	121.8	121.8	121.8	121.8
Other food and tobacco.....	181.0	181.8	181.4	190.8	188.4	182.2	178.3	177.8	179.4	179.8	179.8	179.7	179.7
Total—Food and tobacco.....	158.1	158.1	157.6	160.5	158.8	158.8	155.9	155.9	156.6	156.4	156.5	156.4	156.0
Total—Industrial materials and mfrs.....	169.0	169.9	170.3	170.1	171.7	172.2	172.1	172.5	172.6	172.8	172.7	173.5	173.7
Total—All articles.....	165.5	166.1	166.1	167.1	167.5	167.1	166.7	166.9	167.2	167.2	167.2	167.8	167.7
Basic materials.....	183.0	185.4	186.1	186.0	186.0	186.0	185.9	186.8	187.2	187.4	187.3	186.6	186.6
Intermediate products.....	174.7	176.2	176.3	176.1	176.2	176.2	176.2	176.2	176.2	176.9	178.9	179.6	181.0
Manufactured articles.....	157.8	157.7	158.1	157.9	158.9	159.9	159.9	160.2	160.3	160.1	160.1	161.0	160.4
Employment—													
Number unemployed ².....000	73				62			79		95			89

¹ Middle of month.² Number of persons on the Registers of Employment Exchanges in Great Britain only.

STATEMENT OF THE PUBLIC DEBT AND THE REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE OF THE DOMINION
OF CANADA FOR FISCAL YEARS ENDED MARCH 31, 1944 AND 1945

COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET

	1945		1944		1945		1944	
	\$	cts.	\$	cts.	\$	cts.	\$	cts.
LIABILITIES								
Floating Debt—								
Matured Funded Debt Outstanding.....	18,700,784	69	19,597,310	03				
Stock and other obligations payable on demand.....	418,829	10	1,118,829	10				
Interest due and outstanding.....	28,834,902	98	19,195,824	99				
Outstanding cheques and warrants.....	112,547,248	19	59,984,028	89				
Post Office Account.....	4,565,614	17	6,554,243	51				
Deposit and Trust Accounts—								
Post Office Savings Bank.....	33,468,686	68	28,296,551	57				
Bank Circulation Redemption Fund.....	2,259,510	67	3,272,631	47				
Miscellaneous.....	857,873,250	80	831,317,515	21				
Insurance, Pension and Guaranty Accounts—								
Government Annuities.....	243,537,624	00	213,541,537	00				
Insurance and Guaranty Funds.....	68,836,230	98	64,351,112	88				
Pension and Retirement Funds.....	94,098,063	49	88,727,887	09				
Deferred Credits.....							406,471,918	47
Sundry Suspense Accounts.....							26,378,545	80
Province Debt Accounts.....							81,334,199	55
Reserve for Certain Contingent Liabilities—							11,919,968	64
Reserve for losses on Wheat Marketing Guarantees.....								
Reserve for Contingent Liabilities, Crown Companies.....								
Funded Debt Unmatured—								
Payable in Canada—								
Bonds, Deposit Certificates and Treasury Bills.....	13,194,427,059	46	10,366,444,849	67				
Refundable Portion of Personal Income Tax and Excess Profits Tax (estimated).....	444,270,982	59	224,981,041	02				
Payable in London.....	13,638,698,042	05	10,591,425,890	69				
Payable in New York.....	12,065,532	86	12,405,650	32				
	333,000,000	00	333,000,000	00				
ASSETS								
Cash—								
In Current Deposits.....	154,974,071	16	15,343,758	05				
In Special Deposits.....	2,792,497	53	2,895,363	36				
Government Working Capital Advances.....								
Trade and Advances—								
To Railway and Steamship Companies.....	656,304,582	57	572,750,589	33				
To Foreign Exchange Control Board.....	850,000,000	00	584,000,000	00				
To Sundry Government Agencies.....	282,169,910	94	305,858,514	70				
To Provincial and Municipal Governments.....	178,253,940	46	162,655,193	02				
To United Kingdom and Other Governments.....	1,151,852,580	00	1,190,124,510	66				
Miscellaneous.....	35,066,037	57	28,405,281	59				
Investments—								
Bank of Canada—Capital Stock.....	5,920,000	00	5,920,000	00				
Central Mortgage Bank—Capital Stock.....	250,000	00	250,000	00				
Canadian Farm Loan Board—Advances and Capital Stock.....	24,024,189	00	29,025,335	00				
Miscellaneous.....	343,712,367	21	190,160,114	33				
Province Debt Accounts.....								
Deferred Charges—Unamortized Discounts and Commissions on Loans.....								
Sundry Suspense Accounts.....								
Total Active Assets.....							4,538,819,500	49
Less—Reserve for possible losses on ultimate realization of active assets.....							-125,000,000	00
Net Debt represented by—								
Non-active Assets—								
Capital Expenditures.....	1,004,768,615	21	1,002,333,058	35				
Other.....	553,017,914	82	530,690,104	66				
Consolidated Deficit Account.....	9,740,575,487	74	7,207,055,729	96				
							11,298,362,017	77
							15,712,181,527	26
							12,359,123,230	16

REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES

	1944-45	1943-44
	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
ORDINARY REVENUE		
Tax Revenues—		
Customs import duties—net	115,091,376 28	167,882,089 30
Excise duties—		
Spirits, malt, etc.	72,132,953 04	65,922,476 40
Cigars, cigarettes and tobacco	83,142,072 84	79,905,088 20
Licences	36,705 00	36,626 00
	155,311,730 88	145,864,790 69
Less refunds	3,389,500 93	3,740,459 87
	151,922,139 95	142,124,330 82
Excise taxes—		
Sales	404,108,503 57	339,255,631 15
Manufacturers—		
Automobiles, rubber tires and tubes	6,480,462 12	6,000,652 24
Gasoline	29,670,682 70	24,930,251 56
Cigars, cigarettes and tobacco	62,306,521 92	54,688,440 54
Cigarettes papers and tubes	6,657,857 31	6,158,637 02
Beverages	10,441,671 64	10,058,710 84
Matches and lighters	3,116,793 43	2,873,900 65
Sugar	11,743,788 57	13,048,519 52
Toilet preparations and soap	6,346,834 75	5,327,001 24
Electric and gas appliances	4,056,842 45	3,302,021 62
Phonographs, radios and tubes	1,111,859 60	491,003 77
Furs	5,217,094 71	4,199,236 35
Trunks, bags, luggage, etc.	4,134,018 90	4,169,895 10
Candy and chewing gum	12,874,282 39	12,402,327 53
Wines	1,772,375 12	1,710,213 79
Sundry	2,977,174 50	2,570,393 79
Amusements	12,283,988 04	12,018,953 29
Tax on pari-mutuel bets	1,904,004 49	1,682,545 33
Special excise on importations	544,729 03	507,635 34
Transportation and communication	24,205,479 13	22,379,006 39
Stamps, etc., including taxes on jewellery, chinaware, cabaret attendance, etc.	18,295,688 99	16,733,839 07
Licences, interest and miscellaneous	308,720 52	322,365 84
War Exchange Tax	98,184,426 59	118,913,440 29
	737,783,898 47	672,911,480 31
(a) 194,718,627 10	34,347,167 71	
	543,065,271 37	638,614,222 11
Income Tax—		
Individuals	767,755,081 95	813,423,127 31
Less estimated refundable portion	95,000,000 00	115,000,000 00
	672,755,081 95	698,423,127 31
Corporations	276,403,848 45	311,538,714 84
Dividends, Interest, etc.	27,052,691 98	25,671,903 64
Rents and Royalties	1,546,445 35	1,272,339 21
	977,758,067 73	1,036,737 03
Excess profits tax	465,805,356 79	468,717,840 17
Less estimated refundable portion	124,500,000 00	40,000,900 00
	341,305,356 79	428,717,840 17
Succession Duties	17,250,797 83	15,019,870 35
Taxes on Banks, Insurance Companies, etc.—		
Chartered Banks—note circulation	350,005 80	457,639 00
Insurance Companies	7,181,660 88	6,480,701 55
Miscellaneous	702,071 66	752,725 21
Total revenue from taxes	2,154,620,648 35	2,436,811,484 20
Non-tax Revenues—		
Post Office Receipts	66,055,519 74	61,070,919 37
Return on investments	60,740,185 56	48,281,313 26
Bullion and coinage	4,586,427 25	8,731,929 67
Premium, Discount and Exchange		
Privileges, Licences and Permits		
Proceeds from sales	2,883,477 55	2,510,846 60
Services and Service Fees	1,794,230 10	1,575,263 78
Refunds of previous years' expenditure	7,542,301 46	7,608,183 46
Miscellaneous	641,051 50	482,079 14
	1,218,531 91	862,525 42
Total non-tax revenue	145,470,725 07	133,282,939 73
Total Ordinary Revenues	2,300,097,373 42	2,570,094,423 99

(a) Includes refunds and drawbacks to Department of Munitions and Supply of \$177.0 Million.

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	1944-45	1943-44
	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
SPECIAL RECEIPTS AND OTHER CREDITS		
To Consolidated Deficit Account—		
Refunds of previous years' special expenditures.....	52,506 33	220,971 23
Refunds of previous years' war expenditures.....	268,626,384 64	44,248,846 85
Miscellaneous war revenue.....	45,883,833 51	48,506,925 12
Sale of surplus war assets.....	8,408,286 67	6,161,983 17
War donations.....	177,023 92	216,280 92
Special donations for relief of those in distress.....	48 00	615 00
Balance of award "I'm Alone" case.....		25,000 00
Canadian Wheat Board—Reduction in Reserve Account—		
Adjustment based on operations of the Board calculated as at July 31, 1944 and 1943.....	589,360 17	2,970,769 57
Surpluses in certain special accounts.....	2,624,659 06	
Canadian National Railways—		
Net credit due to increase in Canadian National Railways Securities Trust Stock (contra).....	22,400,052 60	37,837,580 54
Previous year's war expenditure on investment in Crown plants transferred to active assets.....		53,447,641 49
Asset value of property disposed of under Lease Purchase Option Agreement.....	7,143,065 95	
	385,005,220 86	193,636,613 89
Capital Accounts—		
Refunds of previous years' expenditures.....	728,195 16	93,305 32
Non-active Accounts—		
National Harbours Board—		
Reduction in indebtedness.....	18,907 52	
Canadian National (West Indies) Steamships, Limited—		
Reduction in indebtedness.....	540,096 08	164,523 15
Canadian Pacific Railway—		
Repayment of loan made under Unemployment Relief Act, 1932.....		1,000,000 00
Write-downs to Consolidated Deficit Account—		
Seed grain and relief accounts, Department of Mines and Resources.....	36,006 17	28,847 05
	387,237,425 78	194,923,289 41
Total Special Receipts and Other Credits.....		2,687,334,799 20
Grand Total Revenue.....	2,687,334,799 20	2,765,017,713 40
ORDINARY EXPENDITURE		
Public Debt Charges—		
Interest on Public Debt.....	318,094,820 53	242,681,180 44
Annual amortization of bond discounts and commissions.....	12,800,996 86	10,661,399 67
Sinking of Public Debt.....	172,907 57	172,436 54
Cost of Loan Flotations.....	7,877,686 56	8,624,002 25
	330,846,411 52	262,139,019 10
Total Public Debt Charges.....		
Grants to Provinces.....	14,445,267 22	14,449,353 22
Compensation to Provinces under Dominion-Provincial Taxation Agreements—		
Income and Corporation Taxes.....	82,977,055 66	83,678,253 47
Gasoline Tax.....	10,356,874 39	11,756,608 46
Old Age Pensions and Pensions to Blind Persons.....	32,187,184 66	30,377,467 87
Premises, Discount and Exchange.....	16,348,192 80	
Finance—General Expenditure.....	7,747,862 01	7,481,370 52
Agriculture.....	9,424,273 61	8,841,402 94
Justice, including Penitentiaries.....	5,631,914 73	5,472,034 44
Unemployment Insurance Act, administration and Government's contribution.....	17,858,806 25	17,915,322 07
Mines and Resources.....	12,285,531 52	10,588,573 36
National Defence.....	67,293 64	68,173 23
National Revenue.....	20,114,268 20	17,720,859 30
Post Office.....	54,629,281 07	48,485,008 55
Public Works.....	13,168,726 28	12,280,674 07
Toronto Canadian Mounted Police.....	7,182,680 03	6,677,804 47
Trade and Commerce.....	6,699,469 81	6,245,071 96
Transport.....	18,238,851 81	17,658,931 90
Veterans Affairs.....	81,031,272 65	54,062,035 51
Other Departments.....	17,124,706 03	14,882,998 36
	767,375,932 89	630,380,759 90
Total Ordinary Expenditure.....	767,375,932 89	630,380,759 90
CAPITAL EXPENDITURE		
Public Works.....	2,534,113 10	1,929,595 91
Railways.....	629,638 92	692,382 47
	3,163,752 02	2,621,978 38
Total Capital Expenditure.....		

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	1944-45	1943-44
	\$ cts.	\$ cts.
WAR EXPENDITURE		
War Appropriation Acts—		
Department of—		
National Defence—Army.....	1,261,754,886 29	1,328,804,798 66
Navy.....	417,098,882 88	369,556,013 39
Air.....	1,259,455,861 03	930,665,807 03
Munitions and Supply.....	215,814,257 22	687,761,094 68
Canadian Mutual Aid Board.....	50,198,770 18	
Agriculture.....	88,053,717 25	64,292,780 62
Finance—Wartime Prices and Trade Board.....	120,404,038 35	95,468,164 65
Other.....	56,115,303 71	32,992,639 54
Labour.....	19,664,331 73	19,638,438 34
Mines and Resources.....	5,813,737 23	9,404,869 05
National War Services.....	25,081,837 62	15,186,970 69
Public Works.....	6,500,141 71	6,466,696 45
Royal Canadian Mounted Police.....	3,708,926 99	4,267,289 96
Trade and Commerce.....	7,419,316 41	9,543,051 97
Transport.....	34,738,310 68	76,541,185 88
Veterans Affairs.....	32,758,551 32	16,845,248 18
Other Departments.....	9,589,741 86	6,984,824 44
War Appropriation (United Nations Mutual Aid) Acts.....	3,615,100,612 46	3,874,410,873 51
Total War Expenditure.....	803,345,702 75	912,603,220 34
	4,418,446,315 21	4,587,023,093 85
SPECIAL EXPENDITURE		
Relief and other projects.....	4,055,126 98	3,751,536 67
Prairie Farm Assistance Act, 1939—		
Administration.....	188,155 82	216,777 47
Advances to Prairie Farm Emergency Fund.....	1,294,957 83	2,577,647 17
Wheat Acreage Reduction Plan—		
Administration.....	260,970 78	848,514 09
Payments of awards to farmers.....	1,706,568 98	30,101,735 63
Total Special Expenditure.....	7,505,786 39	37,496,230 35
GOVERNMENT OWNED ENTERPRISES		
Net Income Deficits for calendar years 1944 and 1943—		
National Harbours Board, Churchill Harbour.....	58,907 04	29,628 21
Prince Edward Island Car Ferry and Terminals.....	773,383 66	695,384 21
Total Losses charged to Consolidated Deficit Account.....	832,290 70	727,011 42
Loans and Advances Non-active—		
National Harbours Board.....	525,787 33	577,407 39
Total Government Owned Enterprises.....	1,358,058 03	1,306,263 21
OTHER CHARGES		
Write-down of Active and Non-active Assets to Consolidated Deficit Account—		
Reduction of Soldier and General Land Settlement Loans.....	324,874 99	563,355 31
Cancellation of Canadian Farm Loan Board Capital Stock.....	1,146 00	5,662 00
Seed Grain and Relief Accounts—Department of Mines and Resources.....	36,009 17	23,567 00
Provision for reserve for possible losses on ultimate realization of active assets.....	25,000,000 00	25,000,000 00
Total Other Charges charged to Consolidated Deficit Account.....	25,362,026 86	25,586,524 36
Non-active Accounts—		
Canadian National Railways Securities Trust Stock—		
Changes in Dominion's equity in the Canadian National Railways for the calendar years 1944 and 1943—		
Increase due to—		
Surplus earnings of the Canadian National Railways.....	23,026,924 35	35,639,412 23
Capital gain on repatriation of Canadian National Railways' securities.....	626,871 75	2,430,284 25
Decrease due to capital loss on abandonments.....	23,026,924 35	38,069,696 48
Total (contra).....	626,871 75	232,115 94
Total Other Charges.....	22,400,052 60	37,837,580 54
Grand Total Expenditure.....	47,762,079 46	63,424,404 90
Excess of Expenditure over Revenue or Increase in Net Debt.....	5,245,611,924 00	5,322,253,505 27
	2,558,277,124 80	2,557,235,791 87

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