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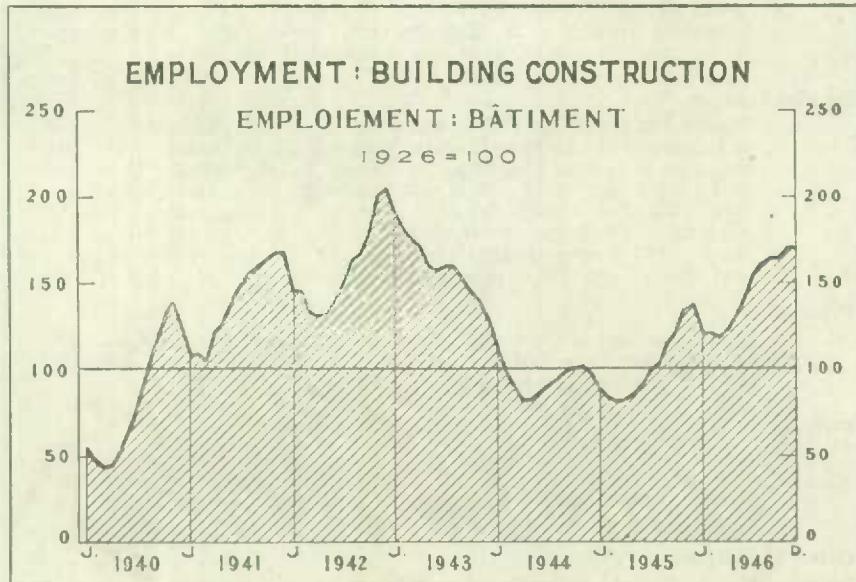
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## ECONOMIC CONDITIONS IN FEBRUARY

Further substantial improvement was shown by industrial production in January. Production of pig iron was the largest on record. Output of steel ingots moved up a further 5 per cent and production of both steel and passenger automobiles reached the highest level since last May. Activity in the rubber industry moved ahead rapidly and consumption of crude and synthetic rubber increased 18 per cent to establish a new high point. Advances in these and other lines were reflected in heavier demands for electric power and total production of central electric stations reached a new peak. Consumption of primary power was more than 6 per cent greater than in December.

Notwithstanding these gains seasonal declines in employment in construction and other industries coupled with severe weather in some areas caused a further rise in unemployment. The number of persons on the live unemployment insurance register rose by about 20,000 during January but the number registered at the end of the month about 104,000, was still over 40,000 less than at the same date in 1946. A shortage of freight cars combined with severe weather has in some instances led to delays in shipments. But the total number of revenue cars loaded up to March 8 is over 18,000 greater than in the same period of 1946. Carloadings of grain, livestock and coal are down substantially as compared with a year ago but this has been more than offset by increased loadings of lumber and other building materials, petroleum products, iron and steel products and merchandise in less than carload lots. Average hourly earnings in manufacturing industries recorded a further advance at the first of the year to bring the total increase since August to 6.2 cents, the recent gain being the result of small increases in a large number of industries.

### Agriculture

During 1946 continued rationing accompanied by further price increases reduced per capita consumption of meat to 130 lbs. as compared with 143 in 1945. Total meat production declined by about 15 per cent and exports were reduced by almost 20 per cent. In all instances, in consumption, output and exports, the sharpest decline occurred in pork products. Nor do recent statistics offer much prospect for an increased supply of meat in the near future. Data on inspected slaughterings up to the first of March show that marketings of beef cattle are down 30 per cent over the same period a year ago and marketings of hogs are lower by 23 per cent. Though part of this decline may have been due to adverse weather conditions, it also reflects a declining trend in production. An estimate of the number of cattle on farms at December 1 (excluding milk cows) showed a further decline of 2.7 per cent from the number a year earlier. Though a larger crop of pigs is expected this spring, it will not lead to increased marketings until the fall of the year. Price increases on beef which were announced recently are designed to encourage marketings during the next few months and avoid a shortage of meat such as developed a year ago. Cold storage holdings at the first of March were slightly below their level of a year ago.

Sales of fluid milk expanded sharply in the first half of 1946, but following price increases in June and October demand has fallen off. Sales in January were at about the same level as the same month a year ago. Total milk production has shown some improvement in recent months, even though the number of milk cows on farms at December 1 were down a little more than 1 per cent, when compared with December, 1945.

## Construction

Preliminary estimates place the number of dwelling units completed in 1946 at slightly over 59,800, just short of the government's original goal of 60,000. Because of fire losses and demolitions, the net addition to Canada's supply of homes would be somewhat less than indicated. A target of 80,000 units has been set for 1947, and information up to the end of February indicates that awards of contracts for the construction of new dwelling units are down about 15·6 per cent from the same months in 1946. Awards were made for 1,712 dwelling units for the first two months of 1947 as compared with 2,027 units in 1946. Construction of 80,000 dwelling units would be equivalent to the addition of about 3 per cent to the number of units available in 1941.

The Dominion Government has announced plans to stimulate the construction of a greater amount of rental housing. Under this program owners building to rent units of an approved type with a maximum rental of \$70.00 per month will receive priorities on materials and will be allowed double depreciation and longer period amortization loans under the National Housing Act. Another plan calls for legislation to allow life insurance companies to acquire and develop housing areas. In recent years construction of apartment units has declined considerably relative to total residential construction and, though there has been some rise during 1946, this type of construction is still a smaller part of the total than it was in earlier periods. Notwithstanding the urgent needs for additional housing, the major advances in construction during 1946, on the basis of the value of contracts awarded, were in the non-residential field. While awards for residential construction increased by less than 10 per cent from their total in 1945, contracts for other types of construction more than doubled.

The pattern of controlled advances in Canadian price levels has continued in recent months. Particularly sharp

advances have occurred in the wholesale prices of industrial materials and this index has increased over 13 per cent since the beginning of the year. Following a small drop in December, the cost of living index moved up almost another point during January to bring the increase from its average 1935 to 1939 level to 27·8 per cent. Though the average increase is relatively small, this average includes many substantial price rises. Thus food prices have increased by 47 per cent in this same period and some individual foods are higher by over 75 per cent. Offsetting these large increases and contributing to the smaller average gain have been the price stability shown by the index of fuel and light which has risen less than 10 per cent and the index of rents which is greater by only 13 per cent. Resumption of the upward movement in commodity prices has occurred in United States and this may delay a narrowing of the present disparity between price levels in Canada and United States.

## Consumers' Durables.

Despite the interruptions caused by industrial disputes and a shortage of materials, production of most consumers' durables was back to or above pre-war levels in 1946. One of the best gains was shown in the production of radios. Producers' shipments of receiving sets amounting to 568,320 sets were well above the previous high point of 438,976 reached in 1940. Production in December reached a new maximum of over 80,000 units. Production of electric refrigerators and domestic washing machines rose, in both instances, to about 90 per cent of the previous high position reached in 1941.

Production of passenger automobiles still had some distance to go to reach pre-war levels. The 92,456 units produced in 1946 was only about 60 per cent of the number turned out in 1937. But a higher proportion of trucks and buses was produced in 1946 and total automobile production was up to 83 per cent of the 1937 level. On the basis of the higher income levels now prevail-

ing and the still unsatisfied backlog of demand accumulated for cars and trucks during the war, a considerable further advance in sales should be possible.

### Retail and Wholesale Sales.

Dollar sales of retail stores in January, 1947, were 13 per cent greater than in the same month of 1946, about the same average gain as was shown throughout the year. Somewhat easier supply conditions are indicated by the reappearance of clearance sales of women's apparel, and these were reflected at the sales level in the 26 per cent gain shown by women's clothing stores and the 20 per cent increase for family clothing stores. Sales in furniture stores showing one of the largest gains during the past year have been aided substantially by the payment of re-establishment credits to veterans. Of the \$100 million paid on this account, over 50 per cent has been for furniture and household equipment. As to the regional picture, sales increases in the Maritimes continue to lag well behind those in the rest of Canada.

Though dollar sales have been moving steadily upward, there is evidence that the real volume of goods sold has been levelling off. When the index of retail sales is adjusted for changes in retail prices, it has been in recent months only 4 per cent above its level of the corresponding month a year ago compared with 6 to 8 per cent several months ago and 12 to 13 per cent in the spring and early summer of 1946.

At the wholesale level a flattening out even in dollar sales is indicated by sales results for recent months. Compared with the same month of the preceding year, sales in January and December were respectively 9.4 per cent and 13.8 per cent greater in contrast to an average gain of 18.7 per cent for the whole year of 1946. Accompanying this trend, there have been increases in inventories in almost all trades, and at the end of January the dollar level of inventories was 29 per cent greater than a year ago.

### Finance

In recent years savings of individuals have to an increasing extent been going into the notice deposits of the chartered banks. During 1946, these deposits increased by \$604 million in comparison with an increase of \$442 million in 1945, \$475 million in 1943, and an average increase of \$58 million in the three years 1936-1938. The record increase during 1946 was partly due to the absence of the semi-annual Victory Loan drives which in previous years caused a substantial transfer from deposits into government securities. On a smaller scale a similar transfer began in October, 1946, when the Canada Savings Bonds went on sale. While in recent years the proceeds of these savings have been invested largely in government securities, in the future they may have to find outlets to a greater extent in financing private investment. The chartered banks already show signs of such a trend, evidenced by the increase of \$359 million in their Canadian loans (excluding call loans and loans to enable subscribers to purchase Victory or Canada Savings Bonds) and by the rise of \$113 million in their non-governmental security holdings. Funds have also been supplied to private investors indirectly by their sale of government securities to the banks. In January these trends continued, as notice deposits increased \$64 million and the banks' holdings of other securities advanced by \$58 millions.

One other important recipient of individuals' savings, life insurance companies, increased their sales of new insurance during 1946 by 41 per cent over sales in 1945. Despite this gain, the total of life insurance in force is still substantially smaller relative to net national income than it was in 1938. Thus in 1945 the total of ordinary, industrial and group life insurance in force amounted to only 102 per cent of net national income, whereas in 1938 the same percentage was 168. As a consequence, a much smaller proportion of individuals' savings is currently received by life insurance companies than in pre-war years.

**I. Analytical and General**  
**BUSINESS INDEXES, SUBJECT TO REVISION**

Seasonally Adjusted Indexes 1935=100	1946												1947	
	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	
	151.2	191.4	192.6	184.3	178.9	180.3	178.1	173.3	179.0	151.3	186.7	194.2	187.9	
<b>Physical Volume of Business</b>	151.2	191.4	192.6	184.3	178.9	180.3	178.1	173.3	179.0	151.3	186.7	194.2	187.9	
INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION	188.2	199.0	197.0	189.6	179.4	181.1	175.5	172.5	184.2	180.2	180.2	187.5	190.8	
Mineral Production	98.1	143.5	142.0	155.8	158.7	155.3	158.9	147.7	146.1	138.7	141.6	158.1	165.3	
Gold, mint receipts	69.8	69.4	83.2	74.5	72.7	65.0	66.3	59.1	70.1	56.4	49.0	70.0	65.1	
Coal Production	131.3	135.2	144.2	142.4	125.2	118.2	130.9	108.5	96.5	95.3	104.1	114.8	91.0	
Manufacturing	197.9	190.7	189.9	186.9	181.4	181.2	180.6	185.7	191.5	192.2	190.8	197.8	196.8	197.3
Crop Products	203.0	191.2	185.4	181.7	177.1	172.9	165.1	162.3	173.6	185.9	182.3	191.6	183.0	
Flour production	223.5	216.8	204.2	188.2	195.7	185.4	169.5	162.2	149.5	150.4	242.7	242.7	230.4	
Oatmeal production	231.9	285.4	307.6	282.2	206.7	249.1	137.5	94.5	69.6	118.1	72.6	72.6	103.6	
Tobacco	264.3	213.1	215.0	199.0	187.0	174.9	200.8	203.8	239.2	240.8	236.0	256.8	250.7	
Cigar releases	258.0	232.9	188.7	173.3	137.3	133.5	142.1	140.6	140.1	183.9	205.0	261.7	265.3	
Cigarette releases	233.7	211.4	216.3	201.9	191.1	178.3	227.0	231.9	274.2	276.9	263.8	285.2	277.6	
Animal Products	156.6	137.4	161.1	116.5	106.9	113.9	114.0	115.7	129.0	138.4	138.3	136.6	131.0	
Inspected slaughtering	143.8	148.4	141.8	120.8	117.0	134.1	132.1	121.5	152.1	162.9	183.2	122.7	109.8	
Cattle	165.3	152.1	137.5	111.5	129.9	160.3	186.1	158.1	183.0	210.2	174.2	130.1	120.4	
Sheep	163.5	182.2	135.4	84.8	71.4	119.4	199.7	143.1	134.2	145.4	140.6	148.1	152.9	
Hogs	126.2	144.0	145.4	129.9	100.1	116.3	99.9	95.0	129.3	133.3	114.0	115.7	99.3	
Creamery butter	103.2	111.5	127.1	119.2	108.2	109.7	104.8	95.6	100.1	102.5	95.9	104.6	103.7	
Factory cheese	101.7	160.0	202.5	161.2	139.9	125.5	112.3	101.9	109.4	118.3	205.4	117.3	100.1	
Boots and shoes production	170.4	161.6	164.1	166.0	162.9	144.9	150.6	143.7	175.5	230.6	230.8	212.7		
Textiles	131.3	139.0	139.4	144.0	131.5	132.7	142.6	141.5	145.1	144.5	145.7	143.9	145.9	
Cotton consumption	128.1	136.6	126.2	131.5	91.8	94.2	102.3	112.3	127.0	120.2	121.5	110.2	124.7	
Wood and paper	150.7	149.0	144.0	143.2	128.0	143.2	149.0	150.9	156.5	157.3	158.0	160.0	164.1	
Newsprint	141.4	139.4	131.2	134.4	131.3	143.2	144.0	134.8	140.7	138.7	148.0	154.7	156.5	
Iron and steel	301.6	288.4	270.4	283.5	279.9	272.0	243.0	248.8	252.6	265.3	267.3	268.5	272.5	
Steel production	203.3	194.0	197.4	227.7	205.4	123.6	91.3	74.9	116.5	208.0	214.0	210.0	199.2	
Pig iron production	212.1	224.6	211.1	218.8	189.3	97.3	64.3	67.8	132.2	205.1	224.0	236.1	223.3	
Non-metallic minerals	160.3	157.6	201.2	160.4	158.4	156.4	172.2	173.8	177.7	190.3	181.5	173.4	170.1	
Coke production	151.7	155.8	141.5	137.9	152.8	107.9	86.2	105.3	132.5	156.3	149.0			
Construction	148.4	441.1	428.3	302.6	204.0	237.0	178.6	186.9	284.3	197.3	183.0	185.7	205.0	
Contracts awarded	147.9	418.7	418.7	286.6	206.7	224.1	156.9	150.9	271.0	178.1	151.7	156.8	205.9	
Building permits	178.5	530.4	516.2	354.5	193.3	283.3	265.0	329.9	337.0	275.5	307.5	195.7	189.4	
Electric power	152.9	155.6	164.1	166.5	154.5	168.2	164.3	155.2	155.3	154.0	155.3	173.5	172.5	
<b>DISTRIBUTION</b>	166.7	175.9	182.3	173.4	178.0	178.6	183.4	175.0	168.1	183.6	200.2	208.2	181.9	
Carloadings	147.0	150.1	143.9	146.4	141.3	150.7	146.7	129.2	140.7	150.0	155.5	164.3	150.8	
Tons loaded	182.5	198.5	197.5	188.3	176.9	169.7	168.0	149.3	146.9	161.7	176.8	194.2	184.2	
Imports	165.9	167.4	186.3	157.2	166.0	150.4	184.8	181.7	198.3	204.9	236.0	276.8	225.2	
Exports	187.5	212.7	206.6	195.6	172.3	195.1	254.6	172.5	174.1	197.3	195.5	228.6	195.1	
<b>Grain and Live Stock</b>														
Marketings	68.8	66.0	124.6	160.5	97.1	146.6	132.8	97.2	106.8	121.7	108.2	134.7	77.7	
GRAIN MARKETINGS <sup>1</sup>	52.5	54.3	129.9	177.7	92.9	148.4	133.2	96.5	103.2	111.2	98.1	140.4	70.2	
Wheat	70.3	82.1	202.0	222.0	119.3	194.8	147.3	117.4	134.4	168.6	135.9	194.0	95.8	
Oats	178.6	42.0	316.9	732.8	347.7	484.7	607.5	405.4	316.0	227.8	201.0	262.1	145.2	
LIVE STOCK MARKETINGS	139.2	117.0	101.4	86.0	115.4	138.7	131.0	68.5	122.5	150.5	152.2	109.5	103.7	
Cattle	160.7	129.5	102.1	87.3	132.1	158.0	140.4	112.5	136.3	171.4	179.1	123.8	119.6	
Calves	79.2	96.1	125.4	93.6	80.6	97.4	95.4	56.5	101.9	102.2	95.8	61.1	55.2	
Hogs	99.3	97.2	101.8	87.5	90.9	103.9	85.9	75.0	91.3	90.4	94.9	74.5		
Sheep	118.4	84.4	92.6	78.8	61.7	105.7	144.7	102.4	120.5	211.6	129.5	105.7	90.2	
<b>Cold Storage Holdings<sup>2</sup></b>	106.9	122.7	150.9	181.8	141.4	168.2	136.3	124.4	134.4	127.2	126.6	128.0	133.6	
Butter	55.7	64.5	153.1	223.3	120.7	206.3	107.3	106.2	109.5	115.5	119.5	115.1	123.2	
Cheese	97.4	102.1	134.4	190.4	174.5	134.4	93.7	86.4	98.4	94.0	98.7	98.5	98.3	
Beef	135.2	127.9	100.7	92.4	132.6	112.8	156.4	162.4	148.1	150.5	136.2	111.0	103.4	
Pork	99.2	121.7	135.9	135.2	137.5	125.4	97.6	76.3	106.4	111.2	112.2	119.0	108.2	
Mutton	76.5	87.7	81.4	91.2	113.7	231.0	86.6	27.0	106.5	93.5	89.9	88.3	75.5	
Poultry	83.3	68.2	62.8	65.9	110.3	180.2	275.9	455.5	605.5	351.4	213.7	220.5	182.5	
Lard	52.1	46.6	41.1	23.5	28.6	25.1	27.2	28.7	52.0	61.2	57.3	52.4	42.0	
Veal	100.9	127.9	142.2	116.7	112.7	116.5	127.1	109.2	197.7	122.9	101.5	91.6	65.8	
<b>Percentage of Unemployment<sup>3</sup></b>	7.6	7.3	5.8	4.6	3.9	3.2	2.9	2.7	3.0	4.0	4.9	5.2		

<sup>1</sup> Receipts at country Elevators.<sup>2</sup> First of following month.<sup>3</sup> Percentage of recorded unemployment among persons insured under Unemployment Insurance.

## SITUATION ÉCONOMIQUE EN FÉVRIER

De nouveau la production industrielle s'améliore sensiblement en janvier. La production de fonte en gueuses est la plus forte jusqu'à présent. Le rendement de lingots d'acier augmente d'un nouveau 5 p.c.; la production d'acier et de voitures de tourisme atteint son point le plus élevé depuis mai dernier. L'activité dans l'industrie du caoutchouc augmente rapidement et la consommation de caoutchouc brut et de caoutchouc synthétique avance de 18 p.c. pour établir un nouveau sommet. Les gains dans ces séries d'articles et dans d'autres se reflètent dans la plus grande demande d'énergie électrique. Le rendement global des centrales électriques touche un nouveau maximum. La consommation d'énergie primaire est de plus de 6 p.c. plus élevée que celle de décembre.

En dépit de ces gains, des déclins saisonniers de l'emploi dans la construction et d'autres industries, accompagnés de grands froids dans certaines régions, entraînent une nouvelle augmentation du chômage. Le nombre de personnes dont les noms paraissent au registre actif de l'assurance-chômage augmente d'environ 20,000 en janvier, mais le nombre enregistré à la fin du mois, soit quelque 104,000, est quand même de plus de 40,000 inférieur à celui de la même date de 1946. La rareté de wagons de marchandises, ajoutée à un temps rigoureux à divers endroits, retardent les expéditions. Toutefois, le total de wagons de marchandises payantes chargés jusqu'au 8 mars dépasse de plus de 18,000 celui de la période correspondante de 1946. Les chargements de grain, de bétail et de charbon diminuent sensiblement comparativement à l'an dernier, mais ce déclin est plus que contre-balancé par les chargements plus considérables de bois d'œuvre et d'autres matériaux de construction, de produits pétroléens, de produits du fer et de l'acier et de marchandises de moins d'un plein wagon. Le gain horaire moyen dans

les industries manufacturières augmente de nouveau au début de l'année, portant l'augmentation totale depuis août à 6·2 cents; le gain récent découle de petites augmentations dans un grand nombre d'industries.

## Agriculture

En 1946, la continuation du rationnement accompagnée de nouvelles hausses de prix réduisent la consommation de viande per capita à 130 liv, en comparaison de 143 liv en 1945. La production totale de viande décline d'environ 15 p.c. et les exportations, d'à peu près 20 p.c. Dans tous les cas, pour ce qui a trait à la consommation, à la production et aux exportations, le déclin le plus brusque se fait sentir dans les produits du porc. Les statistiques récentes ne laissent guère espérer une augmentation prochaine des approvisionnements. Les données relatives aux abattages inspectés, jusqu'au premier mars, révèlent que les ventes de bêtes à cornes de boucherie ont baissé de 30 p.c. par rapport à la même période l'an dernier et celles de porcs, de 23 p.c. Bien que ce déclin soit attribuable en partie à la température défavorable, il reflète par ailleurs une tendance à la baisse de la production. Une estimation du nombre de bêtes à cornes sur les fermes le 1er décembre (sans compter les vaches laitières) montre un nouveau déclin de 2·7 p.c. auprès d'il y a un an. Bien qu'une plus forte production de porcs soit prévue au printemps, elle n'occasionnera pas une augmentation des ventes avant l'automne de cette année. La hausse du prix du bœuf, annoncée récemment, a pour fin de faciliter l'écoulement au cours des quelques prochains mois et d'éviter une disette de viande comme celle d'il y a un an. Les stocks en entrepôts frigorifiques au début de mars sont quelque peu au-dessous de leurs niveaux d'il y a un an.

Les ventes de lait fluide augmentent brusquement durant le premier semestre de 1946, mais, à la suite de la hausse de juin et d'octobre, la demande diminue. Les ventes en janvier occupent à peu près le même niveau que durant le même mois l'an dernier. La production laitière globale s'améliore depuis quelques mois, bien que le nombre de vaches laitières sur les fermes, le 1er décembre, soit inférieur d'un peu plus de 1 p.c. à celui de décembre 1945.

### Construction

Des estimations préliminaires établissent le nombre d'unités de logement terminées en 1946 à quelque peu plus de 59,800, soit très peu inférieur au nombre de 60,000, projeté par le Gouvernement. En raison des pertes par le feu et des démolitions, l'augmentation nette du nombre de maisons canadiennes serait quelque peu inférieur au total indiqué ci-haut. Un objectif de 80,000 unités a été fixé pour 1947; les renseignements obtenus jusqu'à la fin de février démontrent que les adjudications de contrats relatifs à la construction de nouvelles unités de logement sont de 15·6 p.c. au dessous de celles des mêmes mois de 1946. Durant les deux premiers mois de 1947, des contrats pour 1,712 unités de logement sont adjugés, en comparaison de 2,027 unités en 1946. La construction de 80,000 unités de logement équivaudrait à une augmentation d'environ 3 p.c. du nombre d'unités disponibles en 1941.

Le gouvernement du Dominion annonce un programme destiné à stimuler la construction d'un plus grand nombre de logements à louer. Grâce à ce programme, les propriétaires qui construisent en vue de louer des logements d'un genre approuvé, avec un loyer maximum de \$70.00 par mois, jouiront de priorités sur les matériaux, d'une double dépréciation et de prêts à plus longue échéance, subordonnément à la loi nationale sur l'habitation. Un autre programme comporte une loi permettant aux compagnies d'assurance-vie d'acquérir et de créer des districts d'habitations. Ces dernières années, la construction de maisons d'appartements décline considérablement com-

parativement à la construction totale de maisons et, bien qu'il se produise quelque augmentation en 1946, ce genre de construction demeure, par rapport au total, proportionnellement moins élevé que durant les périodes antérieures. En dépit de la nécessité urgente d'un plus grand nombre de maisons, les principales augmentations de la construction en 1946, en se fondant sur la valeur des contrats adjugés, se produisent dans la construction non résidentielle. Alors que les adjudications pour la construction de logements augmentent de moins de 10 p.c. comparativement à 1945, les contrats pour d'autres genres de construction font plus que doubler.

La tendance générale de l'augmentation surveillée des prix canadiens demeure la même ces récents mois. Les prix de gros des matériaux industriels accusent une hausse particulièrement brusque et l'indice augmente de plus de 13 p.c. depuis le début de l'année. Après un léger déclin en décembre, l'indice du coût de la vie gagne presque un autre point en janvier, portant l'augmentation à 27·8 p.e. comparativement à la moyenne de 1935-1939. Bien que l'augmentation moyenne soit relativement faible, cette moyenne comprend plusieurs hausses de prix sensibles. Ainsi, les aliments renchissent de 47 p.c. durant cette même période et certains aliments en particulier coûtent plus de 75 p.c. plus cher. La stabilité des prix démontrée par l'indice du combustible et de l'éclairage, dont la hausse n'atteint pas 10 p.c., et l'indice des loyers, qui ne gagne que 13 p.c., font contre-poids à ces augmentations prononcées et contribuent à établir le gain moyen à un niveau peu élevé. Aux Etats-Unis, les prix de denrées reprennent leur mouvement vers la hausse, ce qui peut retarder le redressement de l'écart actuel entre les niveaux de prix canadiens et américains.

### Ventes de détail et de gros

Les ventes en dollars des magasins de détail en janvier 1947 sont de 13 p.c. plus fortes que durant le même mois de 1946, soit à peu près le même gain moyen que pendant la guerre. La

reprise des ventes d'écoulement de vêtements de femmes est une indication de l'amélioration de la situation des approvisionnements. Cet état de choses se reflète dans les ventes qui augmentent de 26 p.c., dans les magasins de vêtements de femmes et de 20 p.c., dans les magasins de vêtements pour toute la famille. Les ventes des magasins de meubles, qui enregistrent les gains les plus élevés cette dernière année, profitent grandement des versements de crédits de réadaptation aux anciens combattants. Des \$100 millions de dollars versés à cette fin, plus de 50 p.c. est dépensé pour l'achat de meubles et d'accessoires ménagers. Quant à la situation régionale, l'augmentation de ventes dans les Maritimes demeurent bien inférieure à celle du reste du Canada.

Bien que les ventes en dollars augmentent régulièrement, certaines indications font voir que le volume réel de marchandises vendues se stabilise. Lorsque l'indice des ventes de détail est ajusté pour tenir compte des fluctuations des prix de détail, il n'est ces derniers mois, que de 4 p.c. au-dessus de son niveau du mois correspondant l'an dernier, en comparaison de 6 à 8 p.c. il y a plusieurs mois et de 12 à 13 p.c. au printemps et au début de l'été de 1946.

Au niveau du commerce de gros, les résultats de 5 ventes des quelques derniers mois indiquent une stabilisation même des ventes en dollars. En comparaison du même mois l'année précédente, les ventes en janvier et décembre sont respectivement de 9·4 et de 13·8 p.c. plus élevées, en contraste avec un gain moyen de 18·7 p.c. au cours de l'année entière de 1946. De pair avec cette tendance, il se produit des augmentations des stocks dans presque tous les commerces; à la fin de janvier, le niveau en dollars des stocks dépasse de 29 p.c. celui d'il y a un an.

### Finances

Ces récentes années, les économies de particuliers vont de plus en plus dans les dépôts à préavis des banques à charte. En 1946, ces dépôts augmentent de 604 millions de dollars contre un gain de 442 millions de

dollars en 1945, 475 millions de dollars en 1943 et un gain moyen de 58 millions de dollars durant les trois années de 1936-1938. L'augmentation sans précédent en 1946 découle en partie de l'absence de l'emprunt semi-annuel de la victoire qui, les années précédentes, occasionnait un transfert considérable de dépôts en fonds d'état. Un transfert semblable, sur une plus faible échelle, mais dans des proportions limitées, se produit en octobre 1946, lorsque les obligations d'épargne du Canada sont mises en vente. Bien que durant ces dernières années le produit de ces épargnes ait été engagé en grande partie dans des fonds d'état, il devra peut-être être dirigé davantage vers le financement d'entreprises privées. Les banques à charte donnent déjà des signes d'une telle tendance, comme le démontre l'augmentation de 359 millions de dollars de leurs prêts canadiens (exclusion faite des prêts remboursables sur demande et des prêts permettant aux souscripteurs d'acheter des obligations de la victoire ou d'épargne du Canada) et la hausse de 113 millions de dollars de leurs stocks de valeurs mobilières non d'état. Les portefeuillistes particuliers ont aussi obtenu indirectement des fonds par la vente de fonds publics aux banques. Ces tendances persistent en janvier; les dépôts à préavis augmentent de 64 millions de dollars et les stocks des banques en d'autres valeurs mobilières, de 58 millions de dollars. Les compagnies d'assurance-vie, qui ont reçu aussi une large part des économies de particuliers voient leurs ventes de nouvelle assurance augmenter de 41 p.c. en 1946 par rapport à 1945. En dépit de ce gain, le total de l'assurance-vie en vigueur demeure plus bas comparativement au revenu national net qu'en 1938. Ainsi, en 1945, le total de l'assurance-vie ordinaire, industrielle et de groupe en vigueur ne s'élève qu'à 102 p.c. du revenu national net, tandis qu'en 1938 le même pourcentage s'établissait à 168. Par conséquent, une proportion beaucoup plus faible des épargnes des particuliers va aux compagnies d'assurance-vie qu'au cours des années d'avant-guerre.

BUREAU FÉDÉRAL DE LA STATISTIQUE, le 31 mars 1947.

## 2. BUSINESS ACTIVITY BY ECONOMIC AREAS

## CANADA

Month	Contracts Awarded	Building Permits	Output of Electric Power	Employment	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls 8 Groups	Ordinary Claimants on Live Unemployment Register*	Cheques Cashed	Sales of Life Insurance
1945								
Aug.	40,531	23,282	3,238	175.0	57,478	28,770	4,727	50,577
Sept.	42,045	20,038	3,079	172.8	56,530	48,352	5,127	64,252
Oct.	29,428	19,643	3,309	168.7	55,324	61,565	5,749	84,814
Nov.	44,998	18,284	3,237	171.2	55,952	85,174	8,581	91,170
Dec.	25,787	15,321	3,289	173.2	55,962	113,386	6,085	81,451
1946								
Jan.	27,396	15,252	3,429	168.2	51,282	145,952	5,901	81,948
Feb.	33,092	10,563	3,183	167.2	54,349	161,997	5,336	87,621
Mar.	57,598	39,567	3,537	167.0	55,249	154,820	5,678	101,992
April	75,919	55,403	3,506	168.9	55,932	123,950	5,755	104,164
May	82,199	45,324	3,616	169.3	55,413	98,810	6,116	104,725
June	66,402	31,172	3,415	169.9	54,969	82,382	5,609	103,925
July	67,673	34,084	3,423	173.6	57,193	68,535	5,547	105,918
Aug.	50,414	30,942	3,440	172.8	57,620	61,822	4,867	85,145
Sept.	44,816	29,047	3,266	175.5	58,775	57,682	5,891	89,909
Oct.	73,308	33,611	3,550	178.1	60,327	57,036	6,313	104,876
Nov.	48,004	24,225	3,567	182.7	62,078	63,760	6,211	109,679
Dec.	36,534	23,761	3,672	185.7	64,448	84,374	5,935	96,992
1947								
Jan.	44,711	16,641	3,918	181.0	60,730	103,995	6,216	100,692
Feb.	53,452	17,598	3,589	181.1	64,985	110,062	5,597	100,577

## MARITIMES

Month	Contracts Awarded	Building Permits	Output of Electric Power	Employment	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls 8 Groups	Ordinary Claimants on Live Unemployment Register*	Cheques Cashed	Sales of Life Insurance
1945								
Aug.	2,933	663	95	176.4	4,154	2,054	104.5	4,789
Sept.	2,352	997	92	173.2	4,025	2,664	144.9	5,352
Oct.	3,343	850	103	170.5	3,956	3,123	120.4	6,269
Nov.	1,974	497	106	178.2	4,061	4,839	200.1	6,471
Dec.	1,014	194	98	186.7	4,237	6,457	137.8	5,955
1946								
Jan.	1,516	437	101	169.5	3,782	9,133	122.7	5,794
Feb.	726	263	88	165.7	3,865	10,253	106.8	5,701
Mar.	3,336	1,077	98	164.4	3,927	11,182	123.7	6,764
April	3,304	1,690	101	168.8	4,024	10,802	117.8	6,868
May	2,892	2,023	102	167.8	3,900	8,492	176.0	7,581
June	7,410	2,057	99	172.9	4,013	6,945	138.9	7,175
July	3,218	2,023	99	176.0	4,124	6,486	143.2	7,413
Aug.	1,982	1,210	96	168.4	3,920	5,617	128.4	6,298
Sept.	2,154	884	85	171.9	3,960	5,244	115.7	7,186
Oct.	3,873	1,013	102	176.7	4,145	5,981	144.4	7,714
Nov.	7,314	1,112	108	179.0	4,288	6,455	146.6	7,866
Dec.	3,114	360	111	184.5	4,341	8,363	139.6	7,321
1947								
Jan.	7,556	439	102	169.4	3,893	11,299	136.1	7,047
Feb.	3,105	373	98	167.4	4,273	13,361	117.1	6,721

## 2. BUSINESS ACTIVITY BY ECONOMIC AREAS—Continued

## QUEBEC

Month	Contracts Awarded	Building Permits	Output of Electric Power	Employment	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls 8 Groups	Ordinary Claimants on Live Unemployment Register*	Cheques Cashed	Sales of Life Insurance
	\$000	\$000	mil. k.w.h.	1926=100	\$000		\$000,000	\$000
1945								
Aug.	13,089	6,131	1,820	181·6	16,820	13,074	1,345	17,517
Sept.	13,438	5,257	1,661	178·1	16,442	20,711	1,399	18,558
Oct.	10,308	4,620	1,780	175·0	16,176	27,010	1,494	24,124
Nov.	12,531	4,130	1,708	178·8	16,429	36,575	2,478	25,906
Dec.	9,356	3,928	1,740	179·4	16,282	48,462	1,744	21,933
1946								
Jan.	12,446	2,878	1,870	171·8	14,600	58,184	1,655	21,308
Feb.	5,501	5,903	1,754	170·4	15,463	62,397	1,608	22,948
Mar.	26,450	12,835	1,959	171·8	16,057	60,640	1,638	26,544
April	20,508	15,068	1,978	172·5	16,082	50,151	1,610	27,170
May	22,801	12,960	2,085	170·3	15,598	36,030	1,885	26,531
June	15,465	7,464	1,966	174·8	16,016	30,523	1,801	27,000
July	15,934	10,560	1,995	175·4	16,212	24,631	1,797	28,363
Aug.	22,552	8,785	2,006	177·5	16,725	20,818	1,525	23,284
Sept.	20,440	9,470	1,869	181·5	17,248	19,175	1,828	23,967
Oct.	38,648	9,985	2,030	184·7	17,722	17,558	1,882	27,318
Nov.	13,163	8,393	2,020	189·1	18,217	19,760	1,822	27,889
Dec.	12,900	4,839	2,052	192·7	18,754	20,738	1,698	24,458
1947								
Jan.	11,047	5,164	2,236	186·7	17,611	32,361	2,041	26,234
Feb.	31,458	3,595	2,040	187·1	18,764	34,051	1,770	26,003

## ONTARIO

Month	Contracts Awarded	Building Permits	Output of Electric Power	Employment	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls 8 Groups	Ordinary Claimants on Live Unemployment Register*	Cheques Cashed	Sales of Life Insurance
	\$000	\$000	mil. k.w.h.	1926=100	\$000		\$000,000	\$000
1945								
Aug.	13,580	10,684	867	177·9	24,098	7,055	2,030	22,800
Sept.	14,720	6,335	857	175·2	23,449	16,122	2,419	24,865
Oct.	9,679	7,554	925	169·6	22,770	20,119	2,572	34,897
Nov.	10,058	8,453	905	170·8	22,970	27,574	4,037	37,389
Dec.	9,358	5,417	911	173·1	22,900	33,871	2,846	35,138
1946								
Jan.	8,984	5,341	925	172·2	21,373	44,525	2,854	36,440
Feb.	19,107	5,021	860	173·9	23,273	53,021	2,531	40,106
Mar.	15,683	14,869	947	173·6	23,332	47,705	2,674	46,760
April	38,082	20,696	918	175·5	23,867	35,127	2,722	46,225
May	29,968	16,530	925	176·7	23,802	32,020	2,544	45,480
June	26,685	12,262	888	178·4	23,600	24,340	2,445	45,333
July	32,900	13,335	860	170·6	24,380	21,594	2,361	44,631
Aug.	14,751	11,790	855	174·8	23,945	22,131	2,020	33,713
Sept.	11,816	11,239	835	176·0	24,120	21,006	2,515	37,178
Oct.	22,747	14,166	898	179·0	24,834	20,878	2,552	44,483
Nov.	18,534	9,541	904	185·1	25,633	21,396	2,542	46,587
Dec.	13,523	12,886	941	188·2	27,055	25,784	2,642	42,194
1947								
Jan.	19,144	6,756	1,005	186·7	25,872	30,066	2,597	44,075
Feb.	11,790	6,614	929	187·9	28,051	30,072	2,539	44,286

## 2. BUSINESS ACTIVITY BY ECONOMIC AREAS—Continued

## PRAIRIE PROVINCES

Month	Contracts Awarded	Building Permits	Output of Electric Power	Employ- ment	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls 8 Groups	Ordinary Claim- ants on Live Un- employ- ment Register*	Cheques Cashed	Sales of Life In- sur- ance
								\$000
1945								
Aug.....	7,321	3,817	223	147.5	6,530	3,473	903	10,232
Sept.....	8,404	3,860	241	147.2	6,656	3,839	861	11,126
Oct.....	5,149	4,467	260	147.4	6,649	4,779	1,155	13,747
Nov.....	5,871	2,679	278	150.6	6,778	7,664	1,300	15,554
Dec.....	2,769	2,888	291	153.6	6,927	10,599	949	12,143
1946								
Jan.....	1,496	2,575	294	150.6	6,569	15,428	899	13,058
Feb.....	2,210	1,446	265	145.7	6,559	17,070	697	12,162
Mar.....	8,597	5,786	287	145.3	6,708	17,184	806	14,436
April.....	11,343	12,646	269	146.8	6,655	13,373	861	16,221
May.....	11,907	10,241	270	149.1	6,729	9,333	1,011	16,774
June.....	8,050	7,107	236	153.3	6,900	8,357	796	16,954
July.....	11,031	3,868	234	158.2	7,132	6,498	832	16,656
Aug.....	7,566	4,983	245	161.0	5,685	5,685	802	13,675
Sept.....	7,371	4,049	245	162.1	7,468	5,924	1,008	14,037
Oct.....	5,733	5,889	380	161.1	7,540	6,095	1,227	16,915
Nov.....	4,705	1,927	296	163.8	7,697	7,934	1,213	18,731
Dec.....	4,202	3,386	310	164.7	7,893	12,007	973	14,933
1947								
Jan.....	4,465	973	315	158.3	7,427	16,782	917	15,562
Feb.....	2,951	3,012	284	155.4	7,600	18,531	701	15,180

## BRITISH COLUMBIA

Month	Contracts Awarded	Building Permits	Output of Electric Power	Employ- ment	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls 8 Groups	Ordinary Claimants on Live Un- employ- ment Register*	Cheques Cashed	Sales of Life In- sur- ance
	\$000	\$000	mil. k.w.h.	1926=100	\$000		\$000,000	\$000
1945								
Aug.	3,608	1,981	233	180·1	5,876	3,114	334·4	4,140
Sept.	3,066	3,574	228	183·6	5,957	5,016	333·1	4,351
Oct.	949	2,150	241	174·2	5,767	6,534	408·4	5,777
Nov.	5,564	2,524	240	172·5	5,714	8,522	565·7	5,850
Dec.	3,200	2,894	249	171·5	5,615	13,997	408·2	6,282
1946								
Jan.	2,953	4,022	239	163·7	4,957	18,682	459·7	5,348
Feb.	5,549	3,930	216	159·8	5,188	19,256	393·3	6,704
Mar.	3,532	5,000	246	156·4	5,225	17,909	436·7	7,488
April	2,681	5,302	240	160·7	5,304	14,506	443·4	7,680
May	14,631	3,570	234	163·9	5,385	12,935	500·0	8,370
June	8,792	2,282	226	139·3	4,440	12,217	428·7	7,463
July	4,581	3,321	235	162·2	5,344	9,326	413·4	8,805
Aug.	3,563	4,174	238	170·4	5,702	7,571	391·0	7,527
Sept.	3,036	3,406	232	176·9	5,929	6,332	424·2	7,541
Oct.	2,306	2,558	240	179·3	6,203	6,524	507·2	8,446
Nov.	4,288	3,252	239	182·2	6,242	8,215	487·3	8,606
Dec.	2,796	2,290	258	184·6	6,335	11,482	482·8	8,086
1947								
Jan.	2,499	3,309	260	180·4	5,926	13,487	525·6	7,774
Feb.	4,148	3,804	216	180·9	6,296	14,047	469·4	8,297

\*SOURCE: Report on the Operation of Unemployment Insurance Act.

## 3. WEEKLY INDICATORS OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY

Week	Receipts—Country Elevators					Visible Supply		
	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Flax	Rye	Wheat	Oats	Barley
1946	000 bus.	000 bus.	000 bus.	000 bus.	000 bus.	000,000 bus.	000 bus.	000 bus.
Nov. 16.....	12,355	3,088	1,412	329	157	160·6	37,005	29,012
Nov. 23.....	9,863	2,024	1,023	100	100	159·6	36,781	27,424
Nov. 30.....	4,703	1,248	752	30	46	158·6	35,842	26,766
Dec. 7.....	4,702	1,075	694	9	70	157·1	35,809	25,306
Dec. 14.....	5,920	1,344	1,006	21	88	158·4	35,622	25,094
Dec. 21.....	3,183	956	730	10	62	154·3	34,874	24,776
Dec. 28.....	2,929	1,706	1,126	5	36	152·2	35,393	25,352
1947								
Jan. 4.....	2,197	1,329	871	3	23	149·6	35,227	25,095
Jan. 11.....	2,694	1,146	811	1	34	146·6	35,083	24,695
Jan. 18.....	3,561	1,581	935	3	25	142·9	34,631	24,386
Jan. 25.....	1,778	731	441	5	23	138·5	33,689	23,755
Feb. 1.....	2,421	1,015	621	4	34	134·7	32,877	23,117
Feb. 8.....	1,107	414	278	1	20	129·7	31,783	22,248
Feb. 15.....	899	391	226	3	53	125·9	30,432	21,262
Feb. 22.....	1,701	984	488	3	57	122·1	29,378	20,704
Mar. 1.....	2,241	2,297	906	2	60	119·3	29,252	20,451
Mar. 8.....	2,133	2,305	977	2	57	116·9	29,707	20,168
Mar. 15.....	2,596	2,460	1,110	2	124	115·6	29,941	19,971

Week	Visible Supply		Ave.* Cash Price Lake- head Rye No. 2 C.W.	Carloadings					
	Flax	Rye		Grain	Lumber Lath and Shingles	Auto- mobiles and Parts	Coal	Mdse. less than Car Lots	Total Cars Loaded
1946	000 bus.	000 bus.	cents and eighths of a cent						
Nov. 16.....	4,410	3,971	251·5	10,905	3,798	940	5,734	17,222	79,772
Nov. 23.....	4,162	3,887	258	9,149	4,068	952	6,227	17,715	78,711
Nov. 30.....	3,883	3,711	275	8,630	3,740	934	6,889	17,599	78,037
Dec. 7.....	3,968	3,050	270·1	7,891	3,766	956	7,702	17,916	78,711
Dec. 14.....	3,818	3,267	280·2	6,499	3,550	1,110	7,476	18,019	74,396
Dec. 21.....	3,642	3,258	275·5	6,317	3,697	1,104	6,764	17,765	73,367
Dec. 28.....	3,605	3,265	265	4,117	1,850	769	3,474	12,710	48,205
1947									
Jan. 4.....	3,418	3,188	245	4,184	1,826	663	3,942	12,484	50,455
Jan. 11.....	3,044	3,193	250·7	7,369	2,951	1,001	6,748	16,058	71,219
Jan. 18.....	3,070	2,961	256·5	5,440	3,417	1,186	6,227	17,244	71,894
Jan. 25.....	2,956	2,891	263·3	4,480	3,448	1,182	6,011	17,484	70,502
Feb. 1.....	2,782	2,952	271·3	4,128	3,314	1,245	5,315	17,525	69,902
Feb. 8.....	2,789	2,568	282·5	3,177	3,075	1,191	4,400	16,895	65,241
Feb. 15.....	2,614	2,081	288·3	3,425	3,149	972	5,508	16,597	65,909
Feb. 22.....	2,534	2,130	294·1	4,610	3,588	1,020	4,738	17,113	68,503
Mar. 1.....	2,444	2,027	308·3	6,323	3,575	1,045	4,260	16,724	70,306
Mar. 8.....	2,387	2,011	328·3	5,363	3,217	1,003	3,992	16,007	65,561
Mar. 15.....	2,324	1,970	343·1	5,439	3,275	1,192	4,399	17,635	72,728

\*Prices per bushel unchanged for the period.—Oats No. 2 C.W. 51/4. Barley No. 3 C.W. 64/6. The price per bushel of wheat No. 1. Man. Nor. was changed on Feb. 18 from 125 to 155.

## 3. WEEKLY INDICATORS OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY—Concluded

Week	Sales on Stockyards				Prices at Toronto			
	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep	Steers, Medium	Calves Good Veal	Hogs B 1 Dressed	Lambs, Good Handy- weights
	No.	No.	No.	No.	\$ per cwt.	\$ per cwt.	\$ per cwt.	\$ per cwt.
1946								
Nov. 21.....	36,671	8,517	19,338	14,250	12.00	15.50	20.17	14.96
Nov. 28.....	37,144	9,321	20,141	15,116	12.06	15.92	20.30	15.14
Dec. 5.....	35,687	8,087	20,094	11,210	12.17	16.50	20.41	15.50
Dec. 12.....	26,623	6,372	15,942	7,216	12.26	16.50	20.60	15.64
Dec. 19.....	19,281	4,673	17,916	7,170	12.25	16.50	20.85	15.65
Dec. 26.....	13,661	2,930	15,326	5,089	12.39	16.50	21.35	15.75
1947								
Jan. 2.....	8,099	1,761	7,511	2,246	12.50	16.50	21.60	15.75
Jan. 9.....	4,987	624	5,886	1,048	12.38	16.50	21.60	15.75
Jan. 16.....	20,811	3,406	21,395	5,547	12.82	16.55	22.03	15.91
Jan. 23.....	17,418	3,339	14,330	4,178	13.08	16.50	21.97	15.71
Jan. 30.....	17,102	3,126	15,083	4,415	12.96	16.50	21.35	15.57
Feb. 6.....	16,924	3,283	13,409	3,705	13.05	16.48	21.35	15.55
Feb. 13.....	13,560	2,661	10,679	3,143	13.36	15.75	21.35	15.75
Feb. 20.....	16,331	2,759	13,480	2,751	13.76	17.50	21.42	15.78
Feb. 27.....	17,840	4,511	17,676	3,033	13.40	16.50	21.35	15.75
Mar. 6.....	12,929	3,084	12,732	2,058	13.30	16.50	21.45	15.89
Mar. 13.....	11,233	3,332	11,164	2,353	13.79	16.50	21.41	15.96

Week	Commodity Prices		Stock Averages as of Thursday						
	Indus- trial Materi- als	Can- adian Farm- Pro- ducts	Montreal Stock Exchange			Toronto Stock Exchange			
			Utili- ties (10)	Indust- rial (20)	Paper (10)	Indust- rial (20)	Golds (20)	Base Metals (10)	Western Oils (15)
1946	1926 = 100								
Nov. 7.....	105.6	113.5	75.0	120.5	321.22	174.13	106.95	80.96	20.22
Nov. 14.....	105.6	113.4	76.6	122.6	327.83	173.95	105.80	82.35	20.52
Nov. 21.....	105.6	113.4	73.7	119.2	311.14	167.15	101.73	79.09	21.29
Nov. 28.....	105.8	113.3	75.1	120.5	335.01	172.17	102.14	82.30	20.71
Dec. 5.....	105.9	113.3	75.2	120.9	336.63	171.77	100.18	82.73	20.82
Dec. 12.....	106.2	113.4	75.6	124.3	340.75	176.14	103.01	84.37	20.69
Dec. 19.....	106.4	113.6	75.5	126.3	358.76	177.87	102.54	85.73	21.14
Dec. 26.....	106.3	113.5							
1947									
Jan. 2.....	106.5	113.5				178.53	107.39	85.77	22.54
Jan. 9.....	106.4	113.7	76.6	126.2	363.24	170.88	110.70	85.90	23.21
Jan. 16.....	107.5	113.9	75.4	122.8	338.57	174.33	106.32	84.37	23.45
Jan. 23.....	113.8	114.0	75.0	124.3	343.24	177.26	110.43	87.59	22.61
Jan. 30.....	114.1	113.9	76.0	125.9	345.47	179.15	110.14	92.16	23.07
Feb. 6.....	116.7	114.5	76.6	127.1	354.88	180.82	113.56	94.50	24.31
Feb. 13.....	117.5	115.1	77.0	129.5	356.41	183.16	113.09	94.32	26.76
Feb. 20.....	120.5	115.4	78.2	128.2	354.68	181.46	111.15	91.81	26.93
Feb. 27.....			78.4	126.4	342.92	178.76	113.27	90.99	26.40
Mar. 6.....			78.3	126.8	341.96	178.78	109.95	88.92	25.12
Mar. 13.....			76.5	124.1	335.98	173.03	106.43	85.66	23.69

## 4. CANADIAN FAILURES, BY BRANCHES OF BUSINESS

Month	Total	Trade	Manufactures	Logging, Fishing, Trapping	Mining	Construction	Transportation	Finance	Service	Un-classified
<b>1945</b>										
June.....	9	.....	3	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	3	1
July.....	13	2	2	.....	1	3	1	.....	2	2
Aug.....	7	2	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	1
Sept.....	12	3	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	3	2
Oct.....	11	6	1	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2	.....
Nov.....	15	3	1	.....	.....	3	1	.....	6	1
Dec.....	11	3	.....	.....	.....	4	1	.....	2	1
<b>1946</b>										
Jan.....	20	5	9	.....	.....	1	1	.....	4	.....
Feb.....	14	5	2	.....	.....	1	.....	1	5	.....
Mar.....	20	6	5	1	1	1	.....	2	3	1
April.....	21	8	3	.....	.....	1	2	1	6	.....
May.....	18	3	5	.....	.....	3	1	1	3	2
June.....	20	4	6	.....	1	2	.....	1	4	2
July.....	25	4	4	.....	.....	4	1	.....	8	4
Aug.....	14	3	3	1	.....	3	1	.....	3	.....
Sept.....	25	7	3	1	.....	2	3	.....	6	3
Oct.....	36	11	6	1	1	5	.....	1	8	3
Nov.....	26	8	2	.....	.....	5	2	.....	5	4
Dec.....	20	7	3	.....	.....	2	3	.....	3	2

## REPRESENTATIVE FACTORS, JANUARY, 1929-1947

	Production Steel Short Tons	Building Permits 58 Municipalities \$000	Retail Sales = 100	Exports \$000	Tons Loaded by Railways 000 tons	Employment Eight Groups 1926 = 100	Whole-Sale Prices 1935-39 = 100	Money Supply \$000,000
1929.....	130,211	8,417	119.1	96,383	5,344	109.1	122.0	2,464
1930.....	129,024	7,217	117.1	71,967	5,030	111.2	123.7	2,366
1931.....	64,510	8,401	101.3	43,428	3,903	101.7	98.5	2,216
1932.....	28,067	3,211	84.6	38,750	3,093	91.6	90.2	2,168
1933.....	45,658	1,186	69.2	31,808	2,473	78.5	82.8	2,049
1934.....	68,081	708	73.2	46,873	3,661	88.6	91.7	2,046
1935.....	66,669	883	73.8	44,174	3,559	94.4	92.7	2,191
1936.....	112,252	1,303	77.0	54,011	3,624	99.1	94.6	2,371
1937.....	129,065	1,722	83.0	77,837	4,013	103.8	106.3	2,566
1938.....	125,866	1,859	81.8	71,512	4,350	113.4	108.7	2,555
1939.....	87,478	1,721	79.3	70,810	3,773	108.1	95.0	2,696
1940.....	186,476	2,416	90.0	90,854	5,244	116.2	107.2	3,091
1941.....	208,659	3,570	100.7	88,953	5,936	134.2	110.0	3,289
1942.....	257,516	4,246	125.9	152,307	6,845	165.8	122.1	3,666
1943.....	207,008	1,701	128.9	178,535	6,517	183.7	126.0	4,251
1944.....	242,186	4,328	133.8	245,990	8,103	185.7	133.0	5,165
1945.....	268,722	4,330	142.8	233,862	7,747	180.4	133.5	6,075
1946.....	244,623	12,355	160.0	191,344	7,648	168.2	135.7	7,059
1947.....	249,798	13,271	181.1	210,484	7,852	181.4	148.1	7,545

## 6. FARM PRODUCTS

Month	Wheat							Oats
	Receipts <sup>1</sup> Country Elevators	Visible Supply	Mill Grindings	Railway Freight Loaded	Exports		Overseas Clear- ances <sup>2</sup>	Receipts <sup>1</sup> Country Elevators
	000 Bus.	000 Bus.	000 Bus.	Tons	000 Bus.	\$000	000 Bus.	000 Bus.
1945								
Aug.....	10,040	193,937	8,970	2,089,060	43,095	60,821	35,358	7,519
Sept.....	41,962	201,241	9,105	1,746,118	30,134	43,572	26,645	13,136
Oct.....	66,875	222,958	9,926	1,882,628	31,350	48,138	37,551	12,901
Nov.....	36,712	204,786	10,214	1,667,283	38,316	58,530	29,679	7,907
Dec.....	13,240	187,095	9,658	1,131,048	38,099	58,798	20,163	8,891
1946								
Jan.....	14,820	163,684	9,965	908,314	15,248	23,655	19,984	16,874
Feb.....	4,633	136,483	9,519	631,213	9,848	15,390	19,592	5,216
Mar.....	6,036	106,202	10,662	788,501	15,385	24,078	22,780	6,574
April.....	9,487	81,562	9,839	920,203	13,443	21,236	16,220	5,277
May.....	11,697	63,853	10,400	784,206	15,497	24,271	15,131	8,904
June.....	10,103	47,009	9,726	520,752	9,947	15,620	16,161	6,278
July.....	10,960	39,621	9,626	666,277	13,635	21,124	6,471	7,262
Aug.....	23,678	51,022	9,565	655,852	8,442	13,024	5,981	7,687
Sept.....	77,479	107,025	9,938	1,397,169	5,775	9,110	10,134	14,188
Oct.....	72,659	149,578	10,847	1,764,073	19,217	30,600	12,478	15,565
Nov.....	42,184	158,560	11,239	1,647,860	16,852	27,967	20,494	9,901
Dec.....	17,039	149,552	10,499	935,626	14,240	24,231	10,815	5,231
1947								
Jan.....	13,001	134,728	11,077	.....	14,198	22,770	14,303	6,016
Feb.....	6,314	119,299	9,918	.....	8,101	12,973	10,439	4,230

Month	Oats					Barley		
	Visible Supply	Mill Grindings	Railway Loadings	Exports		Receipts <sup>1</sup> Country Elevators	Visible Supply	Mill Grindings
	000 Bus.	000 Bus.	Tons	000 Bus.	\$000	000 Bus.	000 Bus.	000 Bus.
1945								
July.....	31,502	1,697	279,946	9,261	6,070	2,944	10,819	420.3
Aug.....	30,530	1,790	192,719	6,636	4,346	6,057	12,730	463.6
Sept.....	36,527	1,907	257,781	3,640	2,361	11,369	20,640	496.8
Oct.....	39,140	2,226	313,822	4,699	3,134	21,788	37,714	743.7
Nov.....	33,740	2,051	264,930	6,047	4,051	9,847	37,537	766.0
Dec.....	34,347	1,713	184,153	4,822	3,341	3,126	35,610	728.2
1946								
Jan.....	42,647	2,213	208,506	1,584	1,211	2,508	32,914	729.4
Feb.....	39,799	2,244	204,274	1,182	864	928	29,832	597.8
Mar.....	37,746	2,372	232,557	1,296	1,133	1,365	26,150	603.0
April.....	34,996	2,412	235,189	636	553	1,703	22,547	689.0
May.....	28,848	2,699	234,835	2,054	1,616	2,819	19,145	778.9
June.....	24,522	2,206	179,827	3,860	3,238	2,222	16,650	686.3
July.....	23,436	2,127	163,260	4,079	3,027	3,146	14,350	673.4
Aug.....	24,820	2,229	266,323	1,612	1,359	8,532	18,930	769.7
Sept.....	30,333	2,291	308,640	2,229	1,671	15,559	30,187	805.8
Oct.....	34,483	2,556	295,355	4,529	2,942	9,570	29,141	924.3
Nov.....	35,842	2,700	271,414	5,203	3,988	5,002	26,766	1,010.1
Dec.....	35,227	2,350	188,165	1,976	1,505	3,649	25,085	869.5
1947								
Jan.....	32,877	2,371	.....	1,457	1,265	3,800	23,117	732.1
Feb.....	29,253	2,108	.....	957	893	2,080	20,451	587.4

<sup>1</sup> Includes Interior Private and mill receipts and platform loadings.<sup>2</sup> Revised.

## 6. FARM PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Barley			Rye					
	Railway Loadings	Exports		Receipts <sup>1</sup> Country Elevators	Visible Supply	Railway Loadings	Exports		Price <sup>2</sup>
	Tons	000 Bus.	\$000	000 Bus.	000 Bus.	Tons	Bus.	\$	Cents and eighths per Bus.
1945									
Aug.	92,088	1,813	1,918	547	1,559	4,669	553,006	849,293	153/6
Sept.	274,149	1,409	1,697	606	1,559	18,934	287,746	466,476	168/1
Oct.	417,181	1,412	1,641	884	2,440	19,185	295,388	471,199	172
Nov.	352,333	732	715	414	1,860	21,759	749,748	1,328,232	187
Dec.	196,932	57	68	73	1,460	8,365	622,291	1,132,951	182/6
1946									
Jan.	159,846	8	13	88	1,458	4,179	130,000	252,200	205/7
Feb.	79,250	26	47	56	1,240	7,944	20,000	38,800	252/1
Mar.	92,376	8	14	35	1,173	6,822	30	60	243/5
April	119,241	4	6	48	818	11,575	125,423	298,180	264/5
May	134,654	.....	.....	59	666	7,973	19,089	39,476	274
June	113,575	.....	.....	33	351	3,014	110,031	281,218	290/7
July	107,030	8	15	135	374	2,522	125,184	351,982	292/4
Aug.	201,934	137	220	1,318	1,990	21,780	258,970	643,871	209/7
Sept.	308,640	74	126	1,384	3,078	27,202	247,425	579,824	228/4
Oct.	219,295	2,837	4,228	903	3,930	35,022	73,906	163,943	236/2
Nov.	194,501	1,779	2,649	482	3,711	24,663	539,330	1,381,413	260/7
Dec.	165,404	1,419	2,369	260	3,188	23,910	2,040,882	4,872,785	272/5
1947									
Jan.	437	845	143	2,952	.....	.....	372,836	654,229	258/2
Feb.	19	26	192	2,027	.....	.....	50,136	130,637	291/2

Month	Flax				Corn			
	Receipts <sup>1</sup> Country Elevators	Visible Supply	Railway Loadings Flax- seed	Exports		Mill Grindings	Railway Loadings	Mill Produc- tion Corn- flour, Meal
				Flax Seed				
	000 Bus.	000 Bus.	Tons	Bush.	\$	000 Bus.	Tons	000 Lbs.
1945								
Aug.	118	1,909	13,699	1,960	6,076	223.0	10,419	2,477
Sept.	388	1,864	8,285	.....	.....	180.4	5,204	1,899
Oct.	3,048	4,721	46,241	.....	.....	124.9	3,091	2,072
Nov.	677	4,192	51,173	1,688	5,740	87.4	13,867	1,403
Dec.	176	4,014	21,183	355,994	1,103,590	177.6	19,865	2,037
1946								
Jan.	137	3,387	20,271	.....	.....	191.0	24,364	1,629
Feb.	39	2,997	13,309	7,537	37,435	205.9	27,933	1,846
Mar.	53	2,577	16,743	40	274	214.0	16,491	1,846
April	40	2,128	14,704	7,744	38,848	195.8	18,711	1,265
May	38	1,767	10,117	2,732	11,413	156.9	9,715	1,723
June	41	1,348	18,804	.....	.....	122.5	7,638	1,275
July	19	1,002	11,082	13	37	140.2	2,235	971
Aug.	278	982	2,414	1,363	6,693	188.9	3,633	1,755
Sept.	1,114	1,895	18,440	.....	.....	165.5	3,056	1,161
Oct.	2,543	3,899	42,840	1,400	4,900	212.8	3,743	1,904
Nov.	781	3,883	57,928	4,190	28,761	209.0	17,499	1,854
Dec.	42	3,418	21,612	7,930	53,893	224.5	35,496	3,389
1947								
Jan.	17	2,782	.....	13,280	74,269	237.6	.....	3,633
Feb.	11	2,444	.....	16,292	102,801	245.3	.....	3,271

<sup>1</sup> Includes Interior Private and mill receipts and platform loadings.<sup>2</sup> Grade 2 C.W. Basis in store at Fort William—Port Arthur and Vancouver.

## 6. FARM PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Cattle					Cattle and Calves, Railway Loadings	Calves		
	Stock- yard Sales	Inspected Slaughter- ings	Exports Except for Stock		Prices Steers, Good, up to 1,050 lbs.		Stock- yard Sales	Inspected Slaughter- ings	
			No.	\$000					
1945	No.	No.	No.	\$000	\$ per cwt.	Tons	No.	No.	
Aug.	107,423	143,990	5,453	624	11.70	68,467	35,624	64,218	
Sept.	124,012	180,774	5,253	692	11.03	85,484	38,199	59,825	
Oct.	175,478	224,173	4,012	529	10.56	104,030	48,554	60,236	
Nov.	171,396	250,378	4,313	576	10.70	116,383	44,844	59,904	
Dec.	121,626	179,294	4,075	572	11.60	69,096	24,792	31,445	
1946									
Jan.	100,295	159,635	3,534	479	11.88	53,906	17,595	29,590	
Feb.	81,545	121,104	4,241	609	12.10	43,988	18,515	31,419	
Mar.	70,149	114,982	4,631	642	12.12	42,775	33,177	68,556	
April	65,643	87,748	5,621	776	12.28	39,585	56,177	109,636	
May	53,830	76,851	8,800	1,222	12.60	37,026	46,927	95,216	
June	71,551	103,666	8,597	1,220	13.89	49,650	38,808	69,974	
July	97,785	123,771	9,405	1,323	13.22	55,986	43,310	73,831	
Aug.	118,082	166,550	6,627	985	12.54	73,043	37,602	69,182	
Sept.	110,362	154,233	6,730	973	12.35	72,734	32,805	53,277	
Oct.	160,412	208,625	7,030	1,039	12.28	99,553	48,980	67,692	
Nov.	155,432	216,513	6,917	975	12.37	100,842	39,864	55,033	
Dec.	103,726	132,632	4,949	756	12.61	57,469	23,744	29,411	
1947									
Jan.	77,242	109,166	3,191	476	13.36	.....	13,778	22,330	
Feb.	60,600	88,694	.....	.....	13.98	.....	13,615	22,345	

Month	Sheep and Lambs		Inspected Slaughter- ings		Hogs			
	Stock- yard Sales	Railway Loadings	Sheep	Lambs	Stock- yard Sales	Inspected Slaughter- ings	Railway Loadings	Price "B" 1 Dressed Toronto
			No.	No.				
1945	No.	Tons	No.	No.	No.	No.	Tons	\$ per cwt.
Aug.	56,247	3,866	18,025	112,195	67,466	299,713	20,913	18.70
Sept.	70,570	5,557	22,765	136,760	60,266	299,181	17,769	17.93
Oct.	127,793	13,470	40,441	213,001	93,164	454,638	22,939	17.32
Nov.	99,563	11,125	51,306	161,760	96,058	527,803	27,855	17.37
Dec.	43,402	3,310	27,703	56,603	85,926	459,398	27,598	17.80
1946								
Jan.	26,910	3,119	18,316	69,315	84,257	477,592	28,977	18.80
Feb.	14,601	2,776	7,799	54,055	72,799	373,681	22,938	18.67
Mar.	10,661	3,037	5,064	66,305	71,471	419,451	24,612	17.73
April	10,656	1,777	43,119	1,055	76,100	416,102	22,602	19.35
May	9,045	659	22,090	1,229	63,211	389,377	21,857	19.86
June	17,304	1,071	21,143	16,067	55,522	280,132	16,077	20.82
July	39,324	1,986	25,047	56,161	57,110	256,802	14,000	20.90
Aug.	69,657	6,079	30,492	150,300	45,820	217,912	12,705	21.15
Sept.	62,183	5,904	30,767	126,030	39,680	216,104	11,678	20.42
Oct.	111,639	13,270	44,579	197,152	74,571	379,254	18,457	19.87
Nov.	70,204	7,667	39,946	110,676	79,670	442,247	22,482	20.17
Dec.	34,532	3,713	27,073	45,771	81,028	384,857	22,990	20.80
1947								
Jan.	18,893	.....	19,594	45,966	70,703	378,666	.....	21.71
Feb.	11,085	.....	14,601	43,270	54,567	293,977	.....	21.38

## 6. FARM PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Live Stock		Exports	Meats and Poultry			Poultry	Lard			
	Marketings	Whole-sa- le Prices		Fresh	Cured, Salted	Whole- sale Prices					
				Railway Loadings							
1945	1935-39 = 100	1926=100	\$000	Tons	Tons	1926=100	000 lbs.	000 lbs.			
Aug.	128.6	148.3	8,114	16,842	13,098	115.4	6,021	1,704			
Sept.	119.0	142.1	7,425	21,141	8,033	114.8	5,635	941			
Oct.	136.6	137.8	9,948	35,782	16,763	114.7	6,437	807			
Nov.	166.9	138.5	17,706	36,344	22,840	114.7	9,869	774			
Dec.	176.1	148.8	19,771	39,505	20,031	115.2	15,446	814			
1946											
Jan.	140.9	151.9	14,302	34,949	17,781	115.3	16,182	954			
Feb.	139.2	153.7	14,132	24,750	16,536	115.3	12,252	897			
Mar.	117.0	153.1	12,598	22,162	14,815	115.3	9,520	1,507			
April	101.4	156.3	9,333	17,063	17,774	120.6	6,409	1,407			
May	86.0	160.5	11,498	10,678	16,246	120.6	4,433	1,419			
June	115.4	171.7	7,673	12,909	13,574	124.5	3,386	1,282			
July	138.7	165.7	7,220	16,335	14,044	124.4	4,570	1,017			
Aug.	131.0	160.1	12,972	17,496	12,884	121.3	6,412	832			
Sept.	68.5	158.4	7,210	22,243	11,342	120.7	8,286	689			
Oct.	122.5	156.8	8,072	25,264	8,507	120.7	12,112	588			
Nov.	150.5	158.2	7,833	26,539	18,013	120.7	18,062	978			
Dec.	152.2	162.4	16,091	24,957	17,278	120.7	25,972	1,190			
1947											
Jan.	109.5	171.4	11,783			126.6	30,970	1,455			
Feb.	103.7	176.2	10,205			127.0	29,307	1,419			

Month	Cold Storage Holdings of Meats—Thousand Pounds							
	Beef	Veal	Mutton and Lamb	Total	Pork			
					Fresh, not Frozen	Fresh, Frozen	Cured or in cure	
1945								
Aug.	14,222	5,666	1,162	28,885	3,656	8,584	16,646	
Sept.	19,504	5,735	2,296	24,494	4,235	5,475	14,784	
Oct.	33,935	6,855	4,329	24,993	4,462	4,392	16,140	
Nov.	35,957	6,917	6,291	28,027	5,661	4,037	18,329	
Dec.	42,278	7,192	7,815	30,236	5,711	5,249	19,276	
1946								
Jan.	40,515	5,282	7,775	32,755	4,794	10,805	17,156	
Feb.	30,699	3,113	5,730	36,783	3,767	18,169	14,847	
Mar.	23,801	1,812	3,832	40,719	4,347	20,882	15,490	
April	21,435	2,080	3,345	50,731	4,773	27,880	17,285	
May	14,762	3,341	2,040	57,584	5,525	35,379	16,680	
June	12,044	3,481	1,040	56,750	4,591	36,294	15,865	
July	15,596	3,505	831	53,473	3,517	35,204	14,752	
Aug.	12,503	3,798	1,292	39,940	3,253	21,231	15,456	
Sept.	18,891	4,138	3,454	25,870	3,249	7,899	14,722	
Oct.	24,757	4,021	3,650	18,055	3,287	3,006	11,762	
Nov.	28,768	4,573	6,641	26,398	4,989	3,894	17,515	
Dec.	36,009	4,977	7,719	33,608	5,728	12,403	15,477	
1947								
Jan.	30,551	3,427	7,070	38,600	3,555	21,072	13,973	
Feb.	23,175	2,208	5,593	43,790	4,349	23,581	15,860	

## 6. FARM PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Butter						Cheese	
	Creamery		Dairy Storage Holdings	Exports		Prices, Creamery, Firsts, Montreal	Production (Factory)	Storage Holdings (Not Process or Cottage)
	Production	Storage Holdings	000 lbs.	Cwt.	\$000	\$ per pound		
000 lbs.	000 lbs.	000 lbs.					000 lbs.	000 lbs.
1945								
Aug.	37,979	55,636	109	4,227	174	.367	28,897	66,399
Sept.	30,272	66,799	66	3,665	154	.366	24,657	64,357
Oct.	23,931	70,735	57	8,371	323	.374	17,902	62,827
Nov.	14,329	64,659	43	4,414	192	.380	7,238	54,938
Dec.	10,591	50,832	15	5,773	224	.380	2,965	43,166
1946								
Jan.	9,675	35,694	64	2,939	127	.380	1,752	26,492
Feb.	8,671	22,362	21	2,576	108	.380	1,358	24,118
Mar.	11,839	9,782	19	3,640	146	.380	2,709	19,859
April	19,704	5,190	22	1,865	76	.420	7,421	17,970
May	31,864	6,236	28	2,120	90	.415	17,005	21,131
June	42,323	17,453	32	2,052	92	.403	27,945	31,602
July	41,000	38,378	30	3,331	148	.417	25,200	50,865
Aug.	34,268	57,598	49	9,311	420	.430	21,399	51,818
Sept.	25,867	67,650	16	5,874	266	.420	17,350	34,731
Oct.	22,043	70,158	20	2,794	126	.420	13,190	38,646
Nov.	13,859	65,909	31	4,470	211	.420	5,717	32,279
Dec.	10,253	57,022	20	4,023	192	.420	2,463	25,710
1947								
Jan.	9,807	43,937	13	4,198	197	.420	1,722	26,128
Feb.	8,674	31,392	9			.420	1,275	23,004

Month	Cheese Exports	Butter and Cheese, Railway Loadings	Milk				Eggs	
			Con-densed	Evap-orated	Concen-trated Whole Milk.	Milk and its Products, Wholesale Price	Exports	Railway Loadings
			Production	000 pounds	Storage Holdings			
\$000	Tons	000 pounds	000 pounds	000 lbs.	1926 = 100	\$000	Tons	
1945								
Aug.	5,390	14,553	2,852	21,618	44,852	98.7	2,892	4,423
Sept.	5,437	10,516	3,082	17,907	47,662	98.7	1,806	6,038
Oct.	5,554	11,714	2,111	14,348	39,513	99.3	4,494	7,511
Nov.	2,148	8,220	2,196	8,881	33,175	100.9	4,690	3,669
Dec.	2,710	14,206	1,452	9,388	24,267	101.0	1,964	2,043
1946								
Jan.	1,919	3,678	1,262	7,538	22,752	101.0	2,757	4,902
Feb.	1,152	3,002	1,116	7,779	14,355	101.3	2,000	5,937
Mar.	64	2,036	2,035	14,410	9,031	101.4	4,358	6,240
April	80	2,321	3,357	18,617	13,071	105.4	2,088	6,196
May	89	3,962	3,104	24,168	16,651	105.0	2,837	5,972
June	85	7,125	3,745	29,132	19,734	104.0	858	3,321
July	53	12,381	2,529	24,608	30,743	105.1	2,184	2,339
Aug.	7,062	9,850	2,935	21,035	31,391	105.3	2,745	1,517
Sept.	5,204	8,083	3,548	16,334	34,731	105.3	923	5,409
Oct.	3,190	6,085	3,644	12,719	32,123	118.5	1,650	7,486
Nov.	1,749	3,579	2,095	8,084	28,010	118.8	3,132	1,942
Dec.	1,302	2,753	1,887	7,763	23,700	119.2	1,267	2,892
1947								
Jan.	467		1,345	8,090	21,260	119.1	1,214	
Feb.	388		1,626	7,609	16,888	119.2	3,953	

## 6. FARM PRODUCTS—Concluded

Month	Eggs					Commodities and Services Used by Farmers		
	Storage Holdings			Price, Grade A, Montreal	Price	Com- posite	Feed	Wages
	Cold Storage	Fresh	Frozen			Price Indexes 1935-9=100		
1945	000 doz.	000 doz.	000 lbs.	\$ per Dozen	1926 = 100			
Aug.	18,454	2,263	29,861	.499	97.3	123.7	129.6	301.0
Sept.	17,337	2,652	28,943	.503	94.6			
Oct.	11,733	2,043	27,076	.505	109.8			
Nov.	4,875	620	22,043	.505	113.8			
Dec.	1	538	14,288	.442	92.3			
1946								
Jan.	71	1,876	8,679	.383	82.4	124.6	129.6	247.4
Feb.	838	2,240	5,386	.384	84.0			
Mar.	497	1,950	4,501	.393	86.1			
April	2,088	3,195	3,840	.378	84.6	126.1	130.0	299.1
May	7,668	3,132	4,842	.394	86.0			
June	11,248	2,857	7,296	.406	87.2			
July	14,025	2,165	9,383	.492	99.9			
Aug.	13,665	2,017	10,073	.505	102.7	130.5	130.6	316.5
Sept.	12,819	1,557	10,551	.505	104.8			
Oct.	8,519	1,758	9,476	.505	106.1			
Nov.	1,924	985	8,405	.505	107.0			
Dec.	9	1,442	6,877	.468	97.9			
1947								
Jan.	14	2,248	5,438	.423	90.8	132.2	131.7	273.4
Feb.	78	2,052	4,895	.393	86.6			

## 7. FISH AND FURS

Month	Fish				Fishery Products		Furs		
	Caught and Landed		Storage Holdings		Exports	Whole- sale Prices	Exports	Imports	Whole- sale Prices
	Cwt.	\$000	000 lbs.	000 lbs.					
1945									
Aug.	1,601,948	7,631	31,454	1,961	8,926	130.0	1,120	771	111.5
Sept.	1,274,798	5,314	35,334	2,255	9,150	130.0	1,087	1,387	101.7
Oct.	1,304,662	3,728	38,079	1,956	6,073	130.0	1,374	2,304	101.7
Nov.	966,904	2,349	38,901	1,801	7,675	130.7	1,675	3,594	101.7
Dec.	726,945	2,478	33,791	1,572	6,171	130.7	6,330	3,054	106.5
1946									
Jan.	549,843	1,381	27,443	1,766	6,729	130.7	5,997	3,635	106.5
Feb.	286,330	945	19,386	1,358	5,218	134.5	3,866	3,689	114.1
Mar.	448,822	2,021	16,882	1,125	6,830	132.5	3,056	2,503	108.0
April	320,301	2,203	17,530	1,250	5,205	138.7	3,551	2,015	105.1
May	1,216,259	7,882	15,536	1,441	5,865	138.7	4,265	1,879	106.6
June	1,250,254	7,750	22,308	1,735	8,761	138.7	1,960	1,568	109.6
July	1,646,197	7,742	32,188	1,849	9,307	144.5	1,512	1,540	107.0
Aug.	1,690,606	8,940	38,269	2,983	7,768	150.9	1,830	1,074	107.0
Sept.	1,392,958	7,890	45,426	3,227	8,037	150.9	2,637	2,304	98.5
Oct.	1,236,666	4,030	44,996	3,008	10,085	150.9	837	1,957	98.5
Nov.	1,057,220	2,439	44,321	2,731	7,016	150.9	513	2,161	98.5
Dec.	903,083	2,701	42,822	2,855	5,665	160.2	2,266	1,966	91.5
1947									
Jan.	899,030	1,882	38,575	3,081	7,554	160.2	3,154	1,862	88.3
Feb.	161,100	590	32,486	2,232	5,737	157.1	2,633	1,633	67.5

## 8. METALS AND MINERALS

Month	Copper		Nickel		Lead		Zinc		Alumi-
	Production	Exports	Production	Exports	Production	Exports	Production	Exports	nium
<b>1945</b>									
Aug.	39,480,312	1,960	21,991,592	4,538	28,127,996	1,104	41,520,857	1,887	8,319
Sept.	35,023,084	2,534	16,506,248	3,336	29,175,590	340	38,459,108	1,145	11,155
Oct.	35,171,852	4,794	17,244,911	3,571	32,609,258	297	38,859,858	1,388	16,829
Nov.	32,239,787	5,867	15,483,999	4,028	35,000,437	2,388	40,609,351	1,674	7,313
Dec.	34,930,910	5,794	15,276,195	3,357	34,475,531	596	40,213,452	3,183	2,202
<b>1946</b>									
Jan.	32,021,065	3,675	13,823,097	2,996	34,160,146	980	41,734,017	2,482	1,685
Feb.	27,698,802	2,307	12,450,169	2,346	30,477,148	893	39,784,315	2,358	774
Mar.	32,343,606	3,506	15,677,068	4,484	31,287,569	2,173	42,957,226	2,567	1,593
April	31,886,954	2,851	18,479,026	8,413	30,864,007	1,949	41,594,847	2,507	2,679
May	30,993,228	3,793	14,733,775	4,219	30,050,050	1,066	40,904,913	2,435	6,359
June	30,885,633	1,600	15,188,844	3,874	30,927,636	1,303	39,261,780	1,548	5,440
July	31,008,539	2,507	16,240,647	4,247	31,659,550	1,633	39,550,943	2,446	1,303
Aug.	29,947,283	4,983	15,437,106	6,844	30,094,381	1,380	39,162,797	2,191	14,035
Sept.	28,846,510	2,819	15,960,785	4,214	29,041,992	1,850	38,564,105	1,241	4,437
Oct.	30,232,466	1,174	17,218,750	4,640	29,745,248	974	36,831,243	1,765	1,852
Nov.	35,414,858	2,191	17,467,701	4,290	22,679,455	1,121	37,012,081	2,029	11,803
Dec.	30,327,690	5,220	16,988,037	4,639	26,556,720	1,525	37,071,231	4,151	4,068
<b>1947</b>									
Jan.	28,630,929	3,222	19,447,552	5,108	25,152,806	1,812	35,062,672	3,994	3,051
Feb.		2,797		4,241		1,564		1,712	2,028

Month	Gold			Silver			Petroleum		
	Production	Receipts at Mint	Non-monetary Gold Net Exports	Production	Receipts at Mint	Exports in Ore and Bullion	Producers Shipments	Railway Loadings	Crude Imported
<b>1945</b>									
	Fine Ounces	Fine Ounces	\$000	Fine Ounces	Fine Ounces	Fine Ounces	000 barrels	Tons	000 gal.
Aug.	211,754	209,014	8,500	1,055,488	30,203	371,478	678.1	24,527	200,020
Sept.	211,529	192,735	6,800	962,889	27,287	298,491	650.6	19,560	196,360
Oct.	229,550	223,334	7,700	1,036,259	31,041	220,313	675.9	13,146	219,840
Nov.	220,755	204,975	9,800	1,096,306	27,944	305,481	652.1	12,213	163,331
Dec.	239,749	194,941	6,200	1,153,013	28,375	332,934	660.1	13,611	140,188
<b>1946</b>									
Jan.	238,450	249,308	9,300	1,204,506	36,388	271,577	680.3	13,478	135,025
Feb.	229,090	228,564	9,500	1,041,585	35,198	255,863	610.3	12,813	106,046
Mar.	247,918	232,876	10,000	1,165,684	34,650	111,285	663.5	10,764	116,613
April	238,216	246,832	7,200	1,055,917	33,601	21,948	644.4	15,613	181,632
May	240,339	223,035	10,000	1,037,921	30,020	182,705	649.9	31,197	207,612
June	234,383	225,161	7,700	1,174,600	30,283	34,368	621.9	23,545	203,384
July	239,554	208,069	6,600	1,266,925	28,780	438,568	635.0	19,463	207,807
Aug.	231,200	215,858	7,500	1,185,906	29,684	466,616	623.3	18,374	230,008
Sept.	229,904	197,832	6,800	953,495	26,144	289,061	625.0	18,916	203,816
Oct.	240,828	247,956	8,500	929,274	30,315	469,852	639.2	18,762	231,128
Nov.	231,204	188,605	6,000	842,279	26,525	1,271,712	619.8	18,263	203,345
Dec.	227,469	171,483	6,700	1,013,438	22,497	366,951	594.5	16,610	192,047
<b>1947</b>									
Jan.	233,825	267,502	9,000	767,095	30,621	937,473	597.6		166,224

## 8. METALS AND MINERALS—Concluded

Month	Coal								Natural Gas Shipments
	Production	Imports	Exports	Anthra-	Bitu-	Sub-	Ligne-	Em-	
				cite	minous	bitu-	nite	ploy-	
Railway Traffic Loaded									
1945	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	No.	Mil. Cu. Ft.
July.....	1,077,871	2,996,281	51,953	128	559,444	144,201	19,187	23,822	3,338
Aug.....	1,202,560	2,799,328	59,340	263	506,732	236,577	26,272	23,799	3,348
Sept.....	1,178,016	2,815,695	78,507	747	541,896	240,399	76,789	23,930	3,697
Oct.....	1,194,386	2,661,949	74,778	354	562,757	211,657	94,480	24,479	4,337
Nov.....	1,790,504	2,269,439	70,374	391	702,130	380,946	101,147	26,007	5,298
Dec.....	1,550,868	2,106,493	60,019	913	593,435	407,875	99,069	26,287	5,738
1946									
Jan.....	1,816,640	1,204,823	44,963	318	640,813	318,757	150,043	26,385	5,640
Feb.....	1,638,333	1,302,801	43,656	489	669,702	315,467	143,833	26,206	5,231
Mar.....	1,593,556	1,452,876	63,080	449	768,848	252,536	104,109	25,765	4,627
April.....	1,363,552	1,331,983	62,745	120	686,876	172,768	53,716	24,877	3,972
May.....	1,395,599	520,907	69,371	274	714,620	168,168	46,039	24,743	3,683
June.....	1,258,782	1,510,509	88,025	1,079	670,237	163,329	44,131	24,750	3,442
July.....	1,152,994	3,226,170	64,354	609	621,018	119,587	39,363	24,814	3,184
Aug.....	1,346,087	3,750,917	87,803	1,061	653,353	208,308	49,829	24,601	3,271
Sept.....	1,426,929	3,509,474	75,174	702	649,299	206,353	95,925	24,773	3,558
Oct.....	1,620,428	4,069,680	85,428	983	745,958	223,190	136,021	25,330	4,364
Nov.....	1,576,999	3,465,368	74,588	863	727,287	240,719	151,364	26,303	5,293
Dec.....	1,572,356	1,477,345	103,285	983	705,997	285,159	161,470	26,331	5,845

Month	Asbestos Exports	Producers' Shipments							Salt, Commercial Railway Loadings
		Asbes-	Gyp-	Felds-	Cement	Clay Prod-	Lime	Salt, Commer-	
		tos	srum	par		ucts		cial	
\$000		Tons	Tons	Tons	000 bbls	\$000	Tons	Tons	Tons
1945									
July.....	1,932	37,134	82,461	2,115	1,160	775	70,681	27,580	29,210
Aug.....	1,877	40,595	98,990	2,973	1,048	814	68,717	28,798	31,648
Sept.....	2,100	38,475	132,350	2,553	1,008	829	68,277	28,614	30,989
Oct.....	1,695	35,268	150,722	2,253	1,104	953	75,122	29,246	36,624
Nov.....	1,587	36,184	110,000	3,507	694	906	89,534	31,401	33,034
Dec.....	1,418	32,367	50,489	2,954	306	681	70,747	24,696	31,878
1946									
Jan.....	1,673	36,863	18,927	1,876	311	766	70,077	21,533	28,349
Feb.....	1,268	29,614	21,976	2,158	273	684	64,330	22,547	28,512
Mar.....	1,654	36,305	54,530	2,027	604	801	72,247	24,762	31,321
April.....	1,581	47,601	110,481	2,485	1,002	863	71,681	27,424	30,980
May.....	2,185	52,833	142,809	2,686	1,536	1,001	75,199	31,341	34,266
June.....	2,295	47,353	150,427	3,414	1,460	1,022	73,817	28,646	34,925
July.....	2,262	45,735	201,724	2,449	1,352	1,222	63,041	21,490	20,734
Aug.....	2,464	53,688	243,654	3,068	1,231	1,181	60,568	16,558	19,892
Sept.....	2,333	51,092	248,525	3,121	1,141	1,112	57,594	19,835	26,718
Oct.....	2,213	55,670	271,355	2,745	1,192	1,231	73,663	21,752	28,892
Nov.....	2,208	52,307	242,496	3,510	931	1,127	76,165	37,491	36,920
Dec.....	2,338	48,487	106,824	4,520	532	868	74,417	40,698	45,730
1947									
Jan.....	2,150	44,058	95,370	1,952	404	880	74,595	46,580	.....

9. ELECTRIC POWER IN THOUSAND KILOWATT HOURS<sup>1</sup>

Month	Production						
	Hydrau-	Thermal	Total	Daily Average		Primary	Secondary
				Amount	1935-9=100		
1945							
Aug.	3,168,366	69,247	3,237,613	104,439	154.6	2,649,876	587,737
Sept.	3,001,877	77,433	3,079,310	102,644	146.3	2,533,105	546,205
Oct.	3,220,107	88,914	3,309,021	106,743	144.8	2,656,027	652,994
Nov.	3,145,837	91,149	3,236,986	107,900	139.7	2,552,584	684,402
Dec.	3,197,817	90,893	3,288,710	106,087	141.8	2,610,232	678,478
1946							
Jan.	3,337,395	91,378	3,428,773	110,606	151.8	2,665,534	763,239
Feb.	3,103,061	79,950	3,183,011	113,679	152.9	2,464,610	718,401
March	3,458,571	78,533	3,537,104	114,100	155.6	2,703,096	834,008
April	3,438,705	67,553	3,506,258	116,875	164.2	2,653,744	852,514
May	3,548,487	67,290	3,615,777	116,638	166.5	2,742,089	873,688
June	3,348,860	68,446	3,415,306	113,844	164.5	2,621,976	793,330
July	3,350,646	72,180	3,422,826	110,414	168.2	2,621,903	800,923
Aug.	3,361,475	78,459	3,439,934	110,966	164.3	2,666,162	773,772
Sept.	3,177,979	87,881	3,265,860	108,862	155.2	2,591,794	674,066
Oct.	3,447,855	102,140	3,550,010	114,516	155.3	2,844,171	677,841
Nov.	3,453,879	112,823	3,566,742	118,890	154.0	2,888,861	677,841
Dec.	3,564,265	107,851	3,672,116	118,455	158.3	2,907,925	674,191
1947							
Jan.	3,807,240	110,778	3,918,018	126,387	173.5	3,183,295	734,723
Feb.	3,504,761	84,464	3,589,225	128,187	172.5	2,895,592	693,633

Month	Exports and Consumption in Canada							
	Exports to United States			Consumption				
	Total	Primary	Second-	Total	Primary	Second-	Daily	Primary Power
1945								
Aug.	229,746	123,850	105,896	3,007,867	2,599,952	407,915	81,485	176.2
Sept.	215,831	120,030	95,801	2,863,479	2,481,256	382,223	80,436	167.4
Oct.	224,801	117,507	107,294	3,084,220	2,644,952	439,268	81,888	164.2
Nov.	218,587	108,535	110,052	3,018,399	2,444,050	574,349	81,468	160.1
Dec.	217,737	112,674	105,063	3,070,973	2,631,864	439,109	80,566	163.7
1946								
Jan.	198,522	115,299	83,223	3,230,251	2,709,399	520,852	82,206	169.1
Feb.	178,681	106,200	72,461	3,004,350	2,488,479	515,871	84,229	173.2
Mar.	219,274	113,340	105,934	3,317,830	2,748,404	569,426	83,540	174.7
Apr.	236,170	118,938	117,232	3,260,484	2,708,459	561,025	84,494	179.1
May	237,035	121,834	115,201	3,378,742	2,784,995	593,747	84,524	181.1
June	229,685	116,350	113,335	3,185,621	2,653,700	531,861	83,521	178.7
July	251,522	120,043	131,479	3,171,304	2,648,654	522,650	80,705	179.5
Aug.	232,402	119,746	112,656	3,207,532	2,681,548	525,984	82,142	177.6
Sept.	199,879	115,466	84,413	3,065,981	2,610,168	455,815	82,544	171.8
Oct.	184,891	120,542	64,349	3,366,893	2,725,412	641,481	87,917	178.3
Nov.	140,005	111,775	28,230	3,426,697	2,777,086	649,611	92,571	182.8
Dec.	166,716	120,914	45,802	3,505,400	2,877,071	628,399	92,807	188.6
1947								
Jan.	168,163	118,649	49,514	3,751,312	3,060,103	685,209	98,860	198.4
Feb.	151,786	110,598	41,188	3,437,439	2,784,994	652,445	99,464	199.3

<sup>1</sup>Includes the output of Central Electric Stations only.

9. ELECTRIC POWER IN THOUSAND KILOWATT HOURS<sup>1</sup>—Concluded

Month	Total Consumption after Deducting Inter-Provincial Transfers								
	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunsw- ick	Quebec	Ontario	Mani- toba	Saskat- chewan	Alberta	British Colum- bia
<b>1945</b>									
Aug.	864	48,190	42,661	1,436,724	1,023,238	125,270	52,578	47,712	230,630
Sept.	893	43,732	44,919	1,300,136	1,004,886	144,838	52,434	48,100	223,541
Oct.	939	46,836	52,129	1,376,616	1,104,746	158,643	54,616	50,550	239,145
Nov.	1,124	49,346	52,274	1,200,776	1,100,807	169,184	58,900	52,980	243,008
Dec.	1,115	50,242	44,004	1,314,120	1,117,055	175,020	62,423	56,201	250,793
<b>1946</b>									
Jan.	1,125	54,705	42,574	1,428,434	1,170,742	176,288	63,923	58,183	236,217
Feb.	1,105	49,425	35,445	1,374,524	1,061,898	159,997	57,715	49,894	214,347
Mar.	976	50,595	43,275	1,567,490	1,122,490	176,311	61,585	51,428	243,680
April	1,027	48,935	47,673	1,549,281	1,114,577	166,726	57,544	47,970	235,742
May	951	52,150	45,980	1,628,500	1,147,386	165,555	58,314	48,787	231,029
June	936	47,680	47,746	1,539,659	1,087,306	136,870	55,084	45,943	224,397
July	869	47,586	47,591	1,583,834	1,022,326	133,223	55,563	47,605	232,707
Aug.	1,047	49,120	43,095	1,602,423	1,028,989	140,423	55,419	50,728	236,288
Sept.	1,039	48,218	36,188	1,475,926	1,020,556	142,859	56,109	48,607	229,479
Oct.	1,112	51,234	47,970	1,604,415	1,140,488	166,473	63,008	54,271	237,872
Nov.	1,263	50,908	52,652	1,580,154	1,192,835	177,167	64,647	56,372	241,739
Dec.	1,252	53,677	52,248	1,599,459	1,229,625	184,623	68,847	59,049	256,620
<b>1947</b>									
Jan.	1,283	55,702	41,829	1,755,438	1,329,307	179,258	69,489	50,537	258,011
Feb.	1,240	47,695	45,714	1,601,634	1,228,679	165,444	59,700	49,649	237,731

Month	Daily Average Consumption of Primary Power								
	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunsw- ick	Quebec	Ontario	Mani- toba	Saskat- chewan	Alberta	British Colum- bia
<b>1945</b>									
Aug.	28	1,554	1,367	33,879	30,746	3,243	1,696	1,539	7,433
Sept.	30	1,458	1,480	31,762	31,317	3,593	1,748	1,603	7,445
Oct.	30	1,511	1,652	31,190	32,710	3,689	1,762	1,631	7,707
Nov.	37	1,645	1,706	28,888	33,560	3,807	1,963	1,760	8,096
Dec.	36	1,621	1,415	28,610	33,072	3,903	2,014	1,813	8,082
<b>1946</b>									
Jan.	36	1,767	1,374	29,059	34,572	3,971	2,062	1,812	7,613
Feb.	39	1,765	1,266	31,122	34,644	3,902	2,061	1,782	7,648
Mar.	32	1,632	1,330	32,485	32,737	3,824	1,987	1,659	7,854
April	34	1,631	1,526	32,454	33,094	3,706	1,918	1,600	7,851
May	31	1,682	1,400	33,222	33,410	3,818	1,881	1,574	7,440
June	31	1,589	1,571	33,026	32,880	3,581	1,836	1,532	7,475
July	28	1,535	1,519	33,784	29,579	3,431	1,792	1,536	7,501
Aug.	34	1,585	1,383	34,386	30,055	3,660	1,788	1,636	7,617
Sept.	35	1,540	1,200	33,370	31,404	3,860	1,870	1,620	7,645
Oct.	36	1,654	1,535	34,718	34,388	4,134	2,033	1,751	7,668
Nov.	42	1,697	1,727	34,864	37,683	4,172	2,155	1,879	8,051
Dec.	40	1,732	1,641	34,697	38,022	4,278	2,221	1,905	8,271
<b>1947</b>									
Jan.	41	1,797	1,349	38,342	40,835	4,017	2,242	1,921	8,316
Feb.	44	1,703	1,633	37,984	41,742	3,971	2,132	1,870	8,376

<sup>1</sup> Includes the output of Central Electric Stations only.

## 10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS

Month	Wheat Flour				Mill Production		Mill Grindings Mixed Grain	Total Grain Exports
	Mill Production		Exports		Oatmeal	Rolled Oats		
	P.C. of Capacity	000 Barrels	000 Barrels	\$000	000 Pounds	000 Pounds		
1945								
Aug.	87.8	2,021	1,106	8,173	1,406	11,699	2,034	67,975
Sept.	96.4	2,046	954	7,140	1,937	13,433	2,092	48,123
Oct.	95.0	2,227	1,064	8,021	241	15,765	2,505	53,407
Nov.	97.5	2,285	1,000	7,651	2,962	13,126	2,682	64,716
Dec.	96.4	2,169	965	7,404	1,714	9,152	2,709	63,724
1946								
Jan.	95.6	2,240	1,139	8,842	1,710	17,496	2,498	25,385
Feb.	99.6	2,146	1,129	8,801	1,513	18,916	2,292	16,594
Mar.	102.4	2,383	1,042	8,252	2,062	18,431	2,275	25,405
April	98.6	2,217	1,478	11,936	2,312	19,703	2,317	22,440
May	100.5	2,344	1,668	13,655	2,172	24,400	1,978	26,047
June	97.2	2,184	1,060	8,792	1,649	18,158	1,475	19,220
July	91.1	2,164	1,172	9,646	1,594	19,117	1,658	24,606
Aug.	86.5	2,159	1,977	16,382	1,069	18,874	1,576	15,326
Sept.	100.6	2,228	1,236	10,831	866	20,011	1,895	11,591
Oct.	101.4	2,433	986	9,304	881	22,271	2,197	38,200
Nov.	103.9	2,519	1,368	13,000	1,593	21,266	2,454	36,529
Dec.	101.2	2,350	722	7,250	931	17,681	2,402	33,685
1947								
Jan.	103.1	2,478	1,380	13,737	592	17,041	2,226	23,935
Feb.	99.6	2,212	1,230	12,269	676	12,649	2,307	14,672

Month	Tobacco Released from Bond						Tobacco Industry		
	Cigarettes	Cigars	Tobacco			First of Month			
			Cut	Plug	Snuff	Canadian Raw Leaf	Employ- ment Unad- justed	Per Capita Weekly Earnings	Aggre- gate Weekly Payrolls
1945	000,000	000	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	1926=100	\$	\$
Aug.	1,178.5	15,368	2,211,483	258,246	79,064	189,605	113.3	25.19	236,186
Sept.	1,122.9	16,372	2,195,316	291,121	77,064	226,066	121.5	25.72	258,679
Oct.	1,394.2	19,416	2,608,923	311,276	80,571	221,285	126.3	25.56	267,304
Nov.	1,423.2	18,427	2,499,952	282,467	83,836	204,240	131.3	25.79	279,125
Dec.	1,166.3	16,565	1,914,225	238,565	74,207	131,485	146.9	24.99	300,211
1946									
Jan.	1,491.2	17,905	2,061,638	252,704	77,133	138,326	143.9	18.83	224,196
Feb.	1,105.1	18,675	1,988,709	234,130	76,883	152,285	145.9	24.92	300,885
Mar.	967.4	20,139	1,750,179	223,517	76,562	148,885	137.0	23.91	273,951
April	1,049.2	18,972	1,897,951	253,548	76,268	146,376	127.8	24.39	259,019
May	1,158.2	18,345	2,195,726	259,490	86,582	171,274	114.5	25.66	243,979
June	1,180.7	17,016	1,992,498	245,621	84,042	154,915	114.3	26.09	247,604
July	1,179.0	16,165	2,223,839	232,733	62,620	169,566	117.9	23.30	229,875
Aug.	1,362.5	17,411	2,426,070	256,819	86,342	221,300	114.4	26.71	252,581
Sept.	1,305.7	17,833	2,274,189	259,855	75,870	178,670	121.0	26.99	271,331
Oct.	1,439.0	20,657	2,573,913	285,419	89,804	219,965	124.4	27.24	281,611
Nov.	1,407.7	19,704	2,202,503	217,794	86,955	197,423	126.1	26.99	282,707
Dec.	1,221.2	18,173	1,975,502	216,457	78,688	172,160	136.2	27.39	309,880
1947									
Jan.	1,246.7	18,065	1,968,066	206,214	87,228	132,080	139.9	21.12	245,470
Feb.	1,209.1	19,067	2,012,381	211,733	81,511	107,098	151.7	27.05	340,813

## 10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Four-Week Period Ending	Raw Sugar—000 Pounds				Refined Sugar—000 Pounds			
	Stock on hand at begin- ning of Period	Receipts	Meltings and Sales	Stock on hand at end of Period	Stocks on hand at beginning of Period		Manufactured	
					Beet	Cane	Granu- lated	Yellow and Brown
1945								
Oct. 6.....	172,419	39,749	64,479	147,688	62,448	57,838	6,559	64,397
Nov. 3.....	147,688	26,843	66,059	108,473	49,334	103,930	7,900	111,830
Dec. 1.....	108,473	37,055	63,266	82,262	90,583	105,508	9,677	115,184
Dec. 31.....	82,262	64,392	56,321	90,333	144,815	84,809	7,608	92,417
1946								
Jan. 26.....	90,333	47,648	57,464	80,517	111,527	71,705	66,696	6,768
Feb. 23.....	80,517	44,283	63,199	61,601	114,102	86,822	53,633	6,822
Mar. 23.....	61,601	57,419	51,017	68,003	100,874	104,810	44,543	6,714
April 20.....	68,003	44,526	26,541	85,989	88,790	120,451	22,252	3,154
May 18.....	85,989	84,455	50,773	119,670	75,684	97,587	41,382	5,536
June 15.....	119,070	38,660	65,539	92,792	63,687	89,158	53,031	7,074
July 13.....	92,792	85,121	62,802	115,048	53,704	90,358	53,211	6,791
Aug. 10.....	115,048	55,417	73,856	96,608	42,337	77,131	61,808	7,203
Sept. 7.....	96,608	79,130	74,405	101,333	29,118	69,551	63,424	7,003
Oct. 5.....	101,333	103,629	70,743	134,219	17,861	65,852	67,187	7,486
Nov. 2.....	134,219	77,817	73,565	138,471	13,292	48,336	121,442	9,235
Nov. 30.....	138,471	77,867	67,939	148,398	56,826	57,624	116,875	9,807
Dec. 31.....	148,398	15,853	52,838	111,414	101,826	72,116	92,656	8,201
1947								
Jan. 25.....	111,414	56,652	33,117	134,949	132,748	71,360	49,732	5,069
Feb. 22.....	134,949	19,977	44,031	110,894	141,279	60,798	38,764	7,400
1947								

Four-Week Period Ending	Refined Sugar—000 Pounds								
	Total Domestic Sales		Sales Granulated		Sales Yellow and Brown	Total Sales		Stocks on Hand End of Period	
	Beet	Cane	Beet	Cane	Cane	Cane	Cane	Beet	Cane
1945									
Oct. 6.....		76,806		69,576	7,937	77,513		49,334	
Nov. 3.....		70,273		62,143	8,451	70,595		90,583	
Dec. 1.....		60,587		52,450	8,505	60,955		144,815	
Dec. 31.....		53,989		45,983	8,025	54,008		111,527	
1946									
Jan. 26.....		55,730		49,902	6,371	55,773	114,102	86,822	
Feb. 23.....		55,256		48,993	6,706	55,700	100,874	104,810	
Mar. 23.....	12,084	35,485	12,084	30,449	5,175	12,084	35,625	88,790	
April 20.....	13,103	47,894	13,103	42,135	6,139	13,103	48,274	75,686	
May 18.....	11,994	55,104	11,994	48,841	6,457	11,994	55,297	63,690	
June 15.....	9,983	59,395	9,983	52,767	6,743	9,983	59,509	53,704	
July 13.....	11,363	73,127	11,363	67,104	6,124	11,363	73,228	42,337	
Aug. 10.....	13,216	76,518	13,216	70,524	6,219	13,216	76,588	29,118	
Sept. 7.....	11,242	73,844	11,242	66,963	7,163	11,242	74,126	17,862	
Oct. 5.....	11,287	84,732	11,267	76,896	8,497	11,267	85,394	13,292	
Nov. 2.....	16,247	61,540	16,247	52,760	8,845	16,247	61,505	56,826	
Nov. 30.....	16,595	50,554	16,595	41,722	8,873	16,595	50,595	101,826	
Dec. 31.....	18,746	52,404	18,746	43,591	8,813	18,746	52,404	132,281	
1947									
Jan. 25.....	13,440	40,232	13,440	34,099	6,184	13,440	40,283	144,322	
Feb. 22.....	14,241	43,554	14,242	37,085	6,790	14,242	43,876	133,529	

## 10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Production of Boots and Shoes in Pairs							
	Leather or Fabric Uppers				Total Footwear			Total
	Welts	McKays and all Imitation Welts	Nailed Pegged Screw or Wire Fastened	Stitch Downs	Total	Men's	Women's	
1945								
Aug.	402,707	798,333	162,540	258,564	2,408,500	841,263	1,428,017	3,246,398
Sept.	379,194	836,260	162,114	237,406	2,343,401	806,330	1,373,409	3,126,099
Oct.	455,735	930,109	205,104	279,005	2,760,684	949,963	1,683,741	3,746,710
Nov.	460,163	946,500	195,277	208,459	2,732,784	945,371	1,621,840	3,655,440
Dec.	385,685	843,800	161,026	173,933	2,308,515	801,815	1,434,202	3,060,809
1946								
Jan.	476,016	976,027	197,650	273,069	2,783,150	891,606	1,530,465	3,400,437
Feb.	496,892	1,009,451	202,158	266,564	2,817,992	898,745	1,559,372	3,496,811
Mar.	523,556	1,126,037	227,634	359,567	3,213,581	986,308	1,892,582	4,019,660
April	488,347	1,053,020	223,891	335,161	3,120,286	952,234	1,824,811	3,878,052
May	528,862	1,143,379	218,734	338,200	3,282,456	1,021,189	1,901,385	4,103,104
June	461,213	1,043,192	196,976	311,334	2,911,207	912,018	1,081,984	3,055,444
July	401,261	803,906	181,700	244,302	2,325,123	770,685	1,342,036	2,990,641
Aug.	492,662	1,023,483	199,787	251,502	2,928,729	3937,21	1,710,694	3,729,059
Sept.	453,317	918,220	196,793	264,527	2,735,129	891,449	1,616,176	3,489,258
Oct.	517,835	883,042	215,901	286,914	2,945,241	1,007,493	1,717,136	3,772,592
Nov.	497,107	815,635	203,239	281,073	2,787,222	1,011,169	1,569,558	3,565,800
Dec.	463,429	817,755	184,583	266,197	2,554,324	886,186	1,369,464	3,144,192
1947								
Jan.	476,016	976,027	197,650	273,069	2,783,150	891,606	1,530,465	3,400,437

Month	Boots and Shoes							
	Production in Pairs			Employment and Payrolls				
	Boys' and Youths'	Misses' and Childrens'	Babies' and Infants'	Employ- ment 1926=100	Per capita Weekly Earnings	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls	Prices 1926=100	
1945								
Aug.	206,044	499,663	272,511	129.2	23.25	414,268	108.9	
Sept.	202,334	469,077	274,949	131.0	23.62	426,748	108.9	
Oct.	216,267	546,471	350,288	132.0	23.93	435,682	108.9	
Nov.	236,772	509,006	342,451	134.8	24.23	450,201	108.9	
Dec.	195,221	383,220	240,351	136.3	24.42	459,132	108.9	
1946								
Jan.	212,069	468,601	292,096	133.2	21.77	399,860	108.9	
Feb.	240,585	504,997	287,112	137.4	24.17	458,498	110.2	
Mar.	261,215	550,661	328,894	139.3	24.48	468,184	110.2	
April	252,353	537,951	310,703	142.1	24.85	486,086	110.2	
May	250,718	598,492	331,320	143.1	24.11	476,560	110.2	
June	228,201	543,991	289,250	143.7	23.75	471,256	110.6	
July	191,715	449,183	237,022	142.6	23.98	472,270	110.6	
Aug.	217,081	548,292	308,412	143.4	24.82	489,342	111.0	
Sept.	210,532	484,573	286,528	144.0	25.22	501,695	113.7	
Oct.	240,340	497,284	310,339	145.3	25.43	510,471	113.7	
Nov.	226,286	478,968	279,819	147.3	25.83	514,673	113.7	
Dec.	206,845	399,698	274,746	144.4	23.21	463,805	117.1	
1947								
Jan.	217,669	468,601	292,096	147.2	26.18	533,358	125.5	

## 10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Raw Cotton Opened				Cotton Imports				Cotton Exports	
	By Reporting Firms		Total <sup>1</sup>		Total	Raw and Linters	Yarn	Fabrics		
	Number of Bales	000 pounds	Number of Bales	000 pounds						
1945					\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	
Aug.	25,298	12,595	29,212	14,548	6,350	3,351	585	1,979	588	
Sept.	24,743	12,340	28,572	14,253	6,565	3,380	527	2,284	468	
Oct.	29,137	14,538	33,645	16,792	8,864	3,705	597	3,709	742	
Nov.	27,083	13,526	31,273	15,623	8,008	3,836	344	3,108	868	
Dec.	24,287	12,149	28,045	14,032	9,200	4,961	850	2,582	754	
1946										
Jan.	28,224	14,106	32,591	16,292	9,425	4,358	797	3,561	1,158	
Feb.	28,521	14,258	32,034	16,469	7,741	3,414	490	3,088	793	
Mar.	30,250	15,080	34,930	17,417	8,478	3,408	699	3,632	976	
April	27,847	13,806	32,155	16,050	8,387	2,780	709	4,029	722	
May	29,256	14,574	33,782	16,832	9,395	4,154	655	3,730	986	
June	19,932	9,947	23,016	11,489	9,308	3,627	786	3,802	632	
July	20,379	10,152	23,532	11,725	8,521	3,265	693	3,756	945	
Aug.	22,196	11,133	25,630	12,859	9,097	3,314	766	4,296	894	
Sept.	24,653	12,269	28,467	14,170	6,904	2,179	579	3,246	709	
Oct.	27,808	14,088	32,110	16,272	10,155	2,889	1,043	5,112	823	
Nov.	26,672	13,313	30,806	15,376	14,524	4,737	907	7,377	773	
Dec.	26,192	13,044	30,252	15,066	17,192	6,272	1,074	8,413	1,140	
1947										
Jan.	24,328	11,877	28,099	13,718	17,316	5,316	.....	.....	743	
Feb.	26,679	13,294	30,814	15,354	.....	.....	.....	.....	572	

Month	Wool				Rayon				Finished Textiles Employment	
	Imports	Exports	Railway Loadings	Employment Woolen Yarn and Cloth Mills	Exports	Employment Rayon and Silk Goods	Prices Rayon Fabrics	Hosiery and Knit Goods	Garments and Personal Furnishings	
									\$000	
1945										1926=100
Aug.	3,427	829	3,331	108.3	238	611.0	68.9	144.3	153.5	
Sept.	2,983	2,620	4,254	167.0	459	614.8	68.9	145.7	158.4	
Oct.	3,676	819	5,211	168.7	483	622.8	68.9	148.8	163.7	
Nov.	3,058	1,112	2,901	173.6	327	632.0	68.9	153.0	164.7	
Dec.	4,070	2,765	2,564	178.1	409	648.0	68.9	156.8	163.3	
1946										
Jan.	5,045	2,519	2,516	178.5	553	673.8	68.9	151.1	151.6	
Feb.	3,490	1,732	2,367	184.3	175	702.4	71.6	159.0	159.9	
Mar.	4,645	996	2,356	187.4	654	713.0	71.6	160.5	163.3	
April	4,494	2,286	2,578	188.7	385	710.0	71.6	160.8	165.2	
May	4,915	3,871	2,150	184.5	916	710.3	71.6	150.5	164.1	
June	4,778	380	3,357	176.3	353	702.9	71.6	159.3	163.6	
July	4,982	2,275	4,680	187.3	923	711.0	71.6	154.3	161.1	
Aug.	6,030	1,676	3,068	186.4	1,070	706.4	71.6	153.2	156.4	
Sept.	6,019	939	3,574	187.5	703	710.2	71.6	157.0	159.8	
Oct.	7,038	868	3,299	189.4	536	714.1	71.6	157.1	164.3	
Nov.	6,743	907	2,986	193.5	986	719.6	71.6	159.2	167.4	
Dec.	6,388	486	2,799	200.1	973	730.1	71.6	162.0	168.9	
1947										
Jan.	6,128	690	.....	194.2	766	740.3	71.6	158.1	161.7	
Feb.	491	.....	200.3	513	765.9	71.6	162.3	171.3		

<sup>1</sup> Including estimate for non-reporting companies.

## 10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Pulpwood			Wood Pulp					
	Exports		Rail-way Loadings	Production		Exports		Rail-way Loadings	Price Ground Wood No. 1
	Quantity	Value		Mechani-cal	Chemical	Quantity	Value		
1945	Cords	\$000	Tons	Tons	Tons	Cwt.	\$000	Tons	\$ per Ton
Aug.	197,264	3,255	487,879	291,576	187,357	2,470,154	9,268	153,717	55.00
Sept.	180,499	2,702	400,884	275,888	171,246	2,415,942	8,923	129,548	55.00
Oct.	161,072	2,543	337,517	313,300	191,878	2,475,572	9,218	147,996	55.00
Nov.	172,832	2,907	267,119	301,933	189,634	2,406,609	8,912	126,949	55.00
Dec.	84,174	1,201	320,477	276,363	173,040	2,506,802	8,620	146,263	55.00
1946									
Jan.	136,231	1,962	710,451	319,623	190,812	2,209,328	8,249	130,029	55.00
Feb.	134,376	1,879	879,406	296,403	177,153	2,426,209	8,971	128,286	55.00
Mar.	142,205	1,995	870,879	327,126	196,850	2,304,947	8,660	149,720	55.00
April	92,126	1,305	412,480	330,856	198,688	2,421,107	9,284	143,859	55.00
May	80,563	1,348	429,122	352,880	207,149	2,549,153	10,450	146,205	63.80
June	126,464	2,316	500,746	327,891	189,720	2,236,786	9,057	148,227	63.80
July	209,820	3,599	612,463	338,928	199,377	2,409,411	9,375	136,329	63.80
Aug.	228,689	3,972	543,335	346,912	219,564	2,314,216	9,391	146,107	63.80
Sept.	91,491	2,608	447,846	314,926	190,634	2,184,855	9,313	134,334	64.00
Oct.	242,045	4,346	363,388	360,080	224,939	2,453,388	10,179	149,340	64.00
Nov.	117,952	2,034	296,055	350,081	218,553	2,598,225	10,867	142,318	64.00
Dec.	85,354	1,343	334,720	331,534	204,760	2,263,533	10,224	149,933	75.00
1947									
Jan.	135,590	2,124		353,127	224,702	2,513,510	11,916		75.00
Feb.		1,837		328,733	207,762	2,295,765	11,202		75.00

Month	Newsprint						Pulp and Paper Products Employment	Advertising Linage		
	Production	Shipments	Stocks	Exports		Prices				
				Quantity	Value					
1945	Tons	Tons	Tons	Cwt.	\$000	1926=100	1926=100	000 lines		
Aug.	287,030	304,120	69,210	5,181,607	15,506	90.7	146.3	23,375		
Sept.	269,963	277,017	62,156	5,827,130	17,291	90.7	148.3	25,012		
Oct.	310,975	308,090	65,041	5,393,391	16,026	90.7	148.1	29,412		
Nov.	299,158	298,005	66,194	6,037,366	18,064	90.7	149.8	27,529		
Dec.	276,931	262,765	80,360	5,368,520	15,840	90.7	151.3	26,931		
1946										
Jan.	328,414	316,320	92,454	5,834,037	18,728	99.9	150.0	23,178		
Feb.	308,382	285,304	115,532	5,252,026	17,259	99.9	152.9	24,047		
Mar.	334,127	320,351	129,308	5,903,456	19,527	99.9	153.8	28,618		
April	337,862	348,103	119,067	6,280,305	20,999	100.7	155.2	29,335		
May	359,943	367,251	111,750	6,521,206	21,808	100.7	157.0	30,778		
June	334,207	322,805	123,161	6,415,118	21,535	100.7	159.5	26,121		
July	357,027	364,591	115,597	6,873,481	22,729	100.7	163.6	24,751		
Aug.	370,676	356,572	129,701	7,457,028	25,248	100.7	165.7	27,269		
Sept.	330,063	335,874	123,890	5,745,862	19,559	101.0	167.3	28,936		
Oct.	376,436	387,294	113,032	6,811,641	24,007	114.8	167.3	33,432		
Nov.	364,304	391,388	85,948	7,365,499	28,697	114.8	167.6	34,278		
Dec.	341,951	340,125	87,774	6,694,652	25,697	114.8	167.0	32,513		
1947										
Jan.	370,000	344,543	113,231	6,545,466	24,913	114.7	164.1	28,461		
Feb.		341,268	319,831	134,668	21,921	114.7	166.0	28,695		

## 10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Exports						B.C. Timber Scaled	Price Index of Lumber		
	Planks and Boards		Timber, Square		Shingles, Red Cedar					
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value				
1945	M ft.	\$	M ft.	\$	Squares	\$	M bd. ft.	1926=100		
Aug.	194,195	9,623,086	3,143	144,234	142,267	697,938	261,332	160.5		
Sept.	157,866	8,230,233	1,342	60,651	126,346	604,486	264,353	160.5		
Oct.	224,664	11,345,033	2,999	139,414	146,450	705,144	325,095	160.5		
Nov.	192,118	9,812,856	1,099	43,369	150,399	731,761	242,891	160.5		
Dec.	173,748	8,641,545	4,362	202,901	102,024	503,599	223,248	160.5		
1946										
Jan.	144,978	7,603,365	640	34,534	99,403	528,566	175,883	161.9		
Feb.	127,444	6,600,896	542	31,815	148,106	785,977	198,471	162.5		
Mar.	151,237	7,824,251	1,603	79,420	142,027	776,558	253,630	162.5		
April	141,016	7,610,252	2,116	111,972	174,471	1,009,630	291,447	170.4		
May	141,445	8,168,251	3,490	174,658	156,890	909,737	228,427	170.4		
June	100,639	6,008,827	416	22,654	9,281	64,003	104,438	170.4		
July	171,114	10,909,968	769	34,146	130,005	839,447	256,577	168.7		
Aug.	169,865	10,873,410	410	26,207	151,934	970,447	330,675	168.7		
Sept.	220,904	13,706,269	869	51,629	181,558	1,229,725	331,968	168.7		
Oct.	252,177	15,999,938	1,018	57,191	211,080	1,423,701	297,160	170.8		
Nov.	236,871	15,161,213	1,646	120,184	153,766	1,062,409	288,015	177.3		
Dec.	211,386	14,924,194	290	16,422	185,409	1,429,199	208,286	177.3		
1947										
Jan.	180,169	13,024,216	269	21,819	120,717	1,114,554	204,755	189.5		
Feb.	204,528	15,676,359			143,157	1,388,248	225,727	193.0		

## CURRENT PRODUCTION, 1946-1947

—	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
<b>MINING</b>									
Cement... barrels	857,190	1,047,367	1,062,671	1,040,279	989,714	1,041,130	973,812	721,264	852,767
Salt... short tons	60,118	59,000	28,701	15,625	19,150	25,904	54,994	71,516	76,005
Commercial....	28,883	28,078	19,577	15,107	18,749	20,198	38,763	44,305	45,167
Industrial....	31,235	30,922	9,124	518	401	5,706	16,231	27,211	30,838
<b>MANUFACTURING</b>									
Rigid insulating board... M sq. ft.	14,284	12,122	12,978	15,174	14,567	15,588	16,344	13,821	15,750
Sawmills(1) M bbd. ft.	187,050	240,193	246,854	211,918	147,435	98,589	63,809	48,606	.....
Soft Woods....	150,211	200,974	211,819	186,622	133,338	91,346	58,036	42,918	.....
Spruce and									
Balsam Fir...	82,370	123,835	131,369	115,064	77,279	55,663	45,026	32,382	.....
Jack Pine...	16,257	18,200	18,573	20,243	15,601	11,573	5,368	6,485	.....
Hemlock....	9,644	11,057	10,414	9,344	7,043	2,948	2,073	887	.....
Red Pine....	11,609	6,259	8,923	7,662	8,875	6,891	2,302	36	.....
White Pine....	26,595	37,684	38,154	31,217	21,487	11,894	2,328	997	.....
Others....	3,735	3,939	4,386	3,092	3,053	2,377	939	2,131	.....
Hardwoods....	36,839	39,219	35,035	25,296	14,097	7,243	5,773	5,688	.....
Yellow Birch...	19,443	21,706	17,201	10,263	4,307	2,339	1,672	2,358	.....
Maple....	7,477	7,260	6,744	4,881	2,904	1,913	1,468	994	.....
Basswood....	2,701	2,622	2,331	1,184	619	429	245	228	.....
Others....	7,218	7,631	8,759	8,968	6,207	2,562	2,388	2,108	.....
Gypsum.. M. sq. ft.									
Wallboard....	18,175	16,161	15,702	17,724	15,519	18,938	18,978	17,206	.....
Lath....	6,468	6,615	7,143	6,999	8,593	9,180	7,060	7,436	.....
Block and tile....	52	45	58	29	52	21	2	.....	.....
Plasters....	11	10	10	9	9	10	10	10	.....
Concrete products									
Brick.... no.	749,693	348,735	1,069,385	624,667	609,632	622,339	860,774	583,248	410,832
Hollow block... no.	1,230,147	1,319,763	1,328,859	1,251,644	1,240,376	1,231,216	1,078,544	768,375	779,775
Cinder block... no.	552,686	561,717	627,706	541,299	554,424	514,318	364,188	287,571	403,182
Cement Pipe... tons	7,405	7,048	8,762	8,682	8,222	8,550	8,527	6,593	6,919

(1) Figures do not include returns for British Columbia.

## 10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Iron and Steel							
	Iron Ore				Production			
	Imports		Exports		Railway Loadings	Pig Iron	Ferro-Alloys	Steel Ingots and Castings
	net tons	\$	net tons	\$	net tons	net tons	net tons	net tons
1945								
Aug.	401,019	913,489	171,929	559,911	175,580	139,812	15,668	224,928
Sept.	419,505	989,998	144,709	472,270	128,424	135,227	13,517	198,508
Oct.	474,026	1,075,013	94,697	306,116	121,776	140,693	14,555	205,846
Nov.	778,309	1,712,424	104,125	320,586	202,820	134,651	13,360	207,981
Dec.	50,024	93,961	.....	.....	47,934	135,225	15,456	219,281
1946								
Jan.	1,811	7,441	46	134	1,007	143,685	10,878	244,623
Feb.	928	4,165	.....	.....	2,780	143,171	10,872	233,893
Mar.	4,367	17,793	.....	.....	25,066	157,936	8,405	249,117
April	1,650	6,707	.....	.....	113,856	142,240	13,083	247,519
May	44,732	179,556	70,253	258,739	118,063	159,101	14,069	259,826
June	136,601	394,770	64,668	244,307	148,395	129,890	11,684	214,861
July	403,897	1,047,061	205,394	839,002	270,294	64,472	6,243	135,914
Aug.	158,739	457,245	181,010	758,887	261,545	46,494	6,013	88,729
Sept.	344,611	983,505	200,710	810,590	261,965	45,078	6,164	76,564
Oct.	520,409	1,466,582	230,873	768,548	284,631	74,958	8,448	123,841
Nov.	479,500	1,367,388	191,228	671,179	160,121	135,269	9,370	222,264
Dec.	178,432	534,560	1,074	1,585	53,217	161,464	11,766	237,300
1947								
Jan.	24,296	84,511	3,245	4,785	.....	177,313	9,644	249,798
Feb.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	150,632	9,357	220,222

Month	Iron and Steel Imports, Thousand Dollars							
	Iron and its Products	Castings and forgings	Rolling Mill Products	Engines and Boilers	Farm Implements	Machinery except Agricultural	Tools	Vehicles
1945								
July	34,745	621	5,649	2,172	4,127	8,642	655	7,421
Aug.	32,680	602	5,023	2,317	4,451	8,053	682	6,273
Sept.	28,528	496	4,650	1,495	4,269	6,876	643	4,487
Oct.	31,547	575	4,621	1,887	4,708	8,411	806	4,636
Nov.	29,078	451	4,443	1,640	3,845	7,696	661	3,728
Dec.	26,777	527	4,110	1,824	3,950	7,203	655	3,822
1946								
Jan.	31,881	595	4,463	1,725	4,376	9,454	786	5,264
Feb.	24,721	283	1,292	1,404	3,857	7,559	688	5,065
Mar.	29,979	424	3,398	1,527	3,692	8,711	786	6,439
April	41,132	594	5,622	1,969	4,667	10,662	963	10,134
May	41,664	563	4,890	2,562	5,127	11,093	860	9,654
June	40,453	517	3,954	2,615	5,428	11,290	769	8,993
July	43,665	722	4,165	4,942	6,674	10,890	835	8,263
Aug.	43,946	645	4,645	1,930	8,072	11,195	889	8,843
Sept.	42,814	560	4,794	2,209	5,873	10,915	758	10,226
Oct.	50,215	796	5,588	2,567	6,495	12,665	991	11,994
Nov.	51,591	984	5,871	2,675	7,043	12,786	990	11,764
Dec.	49,003	763	4,696	3,331	7,048	13,069	822	11,027
1947								
Jan.	48,813	652	5,282	2,796	7,164	13,206	972	10,865

## 10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Iron and Steel Exports, Thousand Dollars							
	Iron and its Products	Pigs, Ingots, etc.	Rolling Mill Products	Tubes and Pipes	Farm Imple- ments	Hard- ware and Cutlery	Machin- ery, Other than Farm	Motor Vehicles and Parts
<b>1945</b>								
Aug.	49,659	739	825	265	1,593	402	1,624	33,207
Sept.	29,050	335	651	117	1,740	341	1,297	18,481
Oct.	20,200	821	958	323	1,280	361	1,664	8,922
Nov.	17,181	691	625	303	1,552	356	1,586	9,126
Dec.	17,340	133	270	171	1,971	285	1,035	9,590
<b>1946</b>								
Jan.	17,928	720	1,072	186	2,338	312	850	9,009
Feb.	19,637	513	572	77	1,320	193	715	10,362
Mar.	18,167	170	753	214	2,525	356	1,218	7,558
April	18,939	362	415	90	4,466	319	970	8,889
May	17,810	713	673	69	3,282	353	1,178	7,234
June	24,706	520	647	36	2,450	307	1,153	14,504
July	21,936	145	616	92	2,975	319	1,085	12,253
Aug.	30,954	5	483	132	2,126	682	1,598	17,755
Sept.	10,842		331	73	1,392	315	1,035	5,795
Oct.	10,658	518	332	40	1,861	300	2,083	3,957
Nov.	18,921		772	20	2,137	330	1,791	8,100
Dec.	16,728	181	861	63	1,787	390	1,859	6,414
<b>1947</b>								
Jan.	21,425	238	356	25	2,200	451	2,496	.....
Feb.	20,089	519	849		2,712	429	1,363	.....

Month	Iron and Steel Prices and Price Indexes							
	Iron and its Products	Pig Iron and Steel Billets	Rolling Mill Products	Hard- ware	Wire	Scrap	Pig Iron Foundry No. 1	Steel Merchant Bars Mill
<b>1945</b>								
			1926=100					\$ per 100 lbs.
Aug.	117.1	104.8	123.7	93.9	105.5	110.3	25.50	2.754
Sept.	117.1	104.8	123.7	93.9	105.5	110.3	25.50	2.754
Oct.	116.9	104.8	123.3	93.9	105.5	110.3	25.50	2.754
Nov.	116.9	104.8	123.3	93.9	105.5	110.3	25.50	2.754
Dec.	117.0	104.8	123.6	93.9	105.5	110.3	25.50	2.754
<b>1946</b>								
Jan.	117.4	104.8	124.2	94.0	105.5	110.3	25.50	2.754
Feb.	118.2	104.8	125.0	97.6	105.5	110.3	25.50	2.754
Mar.	118.0	104.8	124.6	98.2	105.5	110.3	25.50	2.754
April	127.9	123.5	136.1	100.8	122.6	110.3	30.50	3.240
May	128.1	123.5	136.3	101.5	122.6	110.3	30.50	3.240
June	128.4	123.5	136.3	104.2	122.6	110.3	30.50	3.240
July	128.3	123.5	136.0	104.2	122.6	110.3	30.50	3.240
Aug.	128.5	123.5	135.9	104.2	119.3	110.3	30.50	3.240
Sept.	128.6	123.5	135.9	104.4	119.3	110.3	30.50	3.240
Oct.	128.6	123.5	135.9	104.4	119.3	110.3	30.50	3.240
Nov.	128.6	123.5	135.9	104.4	119.3	110.3	30.50	3.240
Dec.	128.6	123.5	135.9	104.4	119.3	110.3	30.50	3.240
<b>1947</b>								
Jan.	131.4	123.5	137.6	107.1	119.3	110.3	30.50	3.240
Feb.	131.9	123.5	137.8	110.7	119.3	110.3	30.50	3.240

## 10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Iron and Steel Products. Employment Unadjusted. 1926=100								
	Total	Crude Rolled and Forged Products	Mach- inery	Agricul- tural Imple- ments	Land Vehicles		Steel Ship- building and Repair- ing	Heat- ing Appli- ances	Iron and Steel Fabri- cation
					Total	Auto- mobiles and Parts			
<b>1945</b>									
Aug.	273.3	241.3	215.0	145.4	235.6	272.5	1,212.4	178.8	257.5
Sept.	253.7	237.7	216.3	139.9	212.1	269.3	1,068.2	180.0	249.5
Oct.	215.0	228.8	213.7	140.3	161.2	171.3	876.3	178.4	235.5
Nov.	208.6	225.2	217.6	149.6	154.4	168.5	836.7	183.0	224.5
Dec.	200.8	222.0	222.6	158.2	145.6	139.9	722.9	191.4	220.3
<b>1946</b>									
Jan.	200.0	248.4	222.3	161.0	155.8	186.4	613.4	190.7	178.1
Feb.	204.3	253.9	225.9	164.8	160.8	214.6	575.4	193.6	180.1
Mar.	202.7	254.1	229.2	169.3	159.1	207.2	538.7	193.5	177.1
April	206.8	257.4	232.5	166.5	166.2	229.1	544.5	193.0	176.3
May	209.1	259.0	232.7	164.6	172.5	256.8	535.0	191.6	178.7
June	208.9	257.3	234.2	164.0	173.1	263.8	527.4	191.1	181.1
July	205.6	255.9	233.7	165.3	167.3	241.1	509.7	194.1	182.1
Aug.	197.0	190.9	230.0	165.3	165.8	241.6	490.8	198.3	178.9
Sept.	196.5	184.5	234.2	160.8	164.8	240.3	477.1	198.2	181.7
Oct.	194.2	182.4	237.8	166.8	161.8	236.0	475.1	194.6	181.1
Nov.	203.2	248.5	239.7	168.9	163.4	244.6	478.4	200.8	175.2
Dec.	206.3	259.4	249.7	170.8	166.0	253.3	474.4	203.5	185.9
<b>1947</b>									
Jan.	204.7	260.0	253.2	167.3	165.7	249.2	453.1	196.3	187.5
Feb.	208.4	260.8	256.4	172.3	167.6	258.3	474.0	208.2	193.1

Month	Iron and Steel Products								
	Employment. 1926=100						Per Capita Weekly Earnings		
	Unadjusted		Seasonally Adjusted				Total	Crude, Rolled and Forged	Mach- inery other than Vehicles
Foundry and Machine Shop Products	Other Iron and Steel Products	Total	Crude, Rolled and Forged Products	Mach- inery other than Vehicles	Agricul- tural Imple- ments				
<b>1945</b>									
Aug.	226.9	289.9	279.7	243.5	210.8	139.0	37.84	38.62	35.48
Sept.	211.9	277.6	265.9	242.6	215.2	157.4	37.15	37.27	35.48
Oct.	198.3	241.5	228.7	236.6	211.6	168.2	37.67	37.57	36.45
Nov.	197.2	229.0	217.3	228.4	215.7	176.1	37.68	37.36	36.42
Dec.	199.0	229.3	205.1	225.8	220.6	176.8	37.16	36.90	36.66
<b>1946</b>									
Jan.	198.1	212.0	211.1	273.9	227.7	181.5	32.70	33.08	30.59
Feb.	204.3	223.6	201.8	250.6	232.2	161.7	37.36	37.18	35.76
Mar.	210.9	223.5	194.8	250.1	233.6	153.4	36.69	37.22	35.84
April	222.8	222.7	194.4	237.7	233.5	147.5	37.36	37.41	35.77
May	220.4	221.0	196.7	247.2	233.2	150.0	36.42	36.64	34.53
June	213.6	221.0	199.4	247.6	232.8	146.7	35.47	36.89	33.61
July	211.0	222.7	202.2	255.6	229.4	143.0	36.04	37.07	35.17
Aug.	209.0	218.5	201.6	192.6	231.4	158.0	36.12	35.60	35.10
Sept.	216.6	219.2	206.0	193.0	232.8	186.7	36.22	36.05	35.69
Oct.	215.3	217.1	204.6	188.6	235.4	199.0	37.02	36.69	36.71
Nov.	218.1	223.3	212.0	252.4	238.2	197.1	37.59	38.46	36.73
Dec.	221.8	221.4	266.0	263.9	247.5	196.1	39.19	40.94	37.19
<b>1947</b>									
Jan.	217.0	218.9	216.2	286.7	258.9	188.6	36.01	37.37	33.97
Feb.	224.3	222.4	207.2	257.5	264.1	169.3	40.10	42.49	38.51

## 10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Iron and Steel Products								
	Per Capita Weekly Earnings			Aggregate Weekly Payrolls					
	Land Vehicles and Aircraft	Automobiles and Parts	Steel Ship-Building and Repairing	Total	Crude, Rolled and Forged Products	Machinery other than Vehicles	Land Vehicles and Aircraft	Automobiles and Parts	Steel Ship-building and Repairing
1945	\$	\$	\$	\$ 000	\$ 000	\$ 000	\$ 000	\$ 000	\$ 000
Mar.	40.63	44.03	39.97	16,010	1,277	875	6,950	1,890	2,376
April	39.66	42.06	39.65	15,314	1,206	830	6,593	1,798	2,517
May	40.15	43.35	41.42	15,550	1,260	846	6,517	1,806	2,631
June	38.61	40.10	40.38	14,751	1,239	821	6,142	1,670	2,529
July	39.56	40.22	39.82	14,680	1,238	835	6,125	1,671	2,531
Aug.	38.47	39.10	40.21	14,129	1,283	814	5,762	1,598	2,473
Sept.	38.29	39.20	37.59	12,875	1,220	818	5,163	1,585	2,037
Oct.	38.67	39.62	39.66	11,006	1,184	831	3,962	1,016	1,763
Nov.	38.91	39.62	40.36	10,738	1,159	845	3,819	1,000	1,713
Dec.	38.55	38.39	39.18	10,151	1,128	868	3,533	769	1,437
1946									
Jan.	35.37	33.66	33.11	8,904	985	729	3,447	940	1,030
Feb.	40.00	41.77	38.70	10,273	1,270	856	4,014	1,346	1,126
Mar.	38.21	36.17	38.45	10,078	1,272	886	3,802	1,131	1,051
April	39.70	41.79	38.73	10,461	1,285	896	4,114	1,439	1,072
May	38.66	40.18	36.97	10,301	1,273	866	4,159	1,550	999
June	37.36	36.24	36.09	10,033	1,279	856	4,037	1,435	965
July	37.46	38.06	37.39	10,038	1,284	886	3,912	1,379	953
Aug.	37.40	37.86	37.73	9,642	920	893	3,862	1,370	930
Sept.	37.50	36.90	37.06	9,606	914	925	3,851	1,323	884
Oct.	38.25	36.55	37.89	9,734	919	966	3,855	1,287	900
Nov.	38.78	37.09	39.45	10,289	1,319	984	3,947	1,356	948
Dec.	41.22	41.70	38.89	10,893	1,514	1,062	4,264	1,577	901
1947									
Jan.	39.15	39.07	33.90	9,963	1,378	980	4,049	1,464	748
Feb.	41.84	42.98	39.18	11,256	1,548	1,139	4,378	1,662	893

Month	Iron and Steel Production									
	Steel Wire—Short tons					Wire Fencing—Short tons				
	Total	Plain	Galvanized	Other, Coated	Barbed	Total	Woven Farm Wire	Woven Lawn Wire	Woven Chain Link Fabric	
1946										
Jan.	23,781	17,253	5,075	413	1,040	2,385	2,231	17	137	
Feb.	20,740	15,287	4,036	558	859	1,887	1,740	13	125	
Mar.	23,547	16,978	5,056	399	1,114	2,109	1,968	9	132	
April	23,332	16,746	5,068	372	1,146	2,473	2,347	.....	126	
May	24,280	17,414	5,250	483	1,133	2,400	2,242	11	156	
June	22,146	15,870	4,899	409	968	2,133	1,985	19	120	
July	16,020	11,092	4,048	252	628	1,992	1,830	28	134	
Aug.	5,295	4,017	1,077	88	113	882	783	15	84	
Sept.	3,746	3,548	176	22	.....	241	184	1	56	
Oct.	10,706	8,029	2,182	192	303	744	641	.....	103	
Nov.	21,749	16,494	4,036	394	825	1,239	1,137	.....	102	
Dec.	21,635	15,865	4,637	365	768	1,727	1,583	.....	144	
1947						2,323	2,122	.....	201	
Jan.										

## 10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Iron and Steel								
	Production of Nails, Tacks and Staples—Short Tons					Railway Loadings, Tons			
	Total	Wire Nails	Cut Nails	Wire Staples	Tacks	Iron, Pig and Bloom	Rails and Fastenings	Bar, etc.	Castings, Machinery and Boilers
<b>1945</b>									
Aug.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	33,713	18,681	95,681	11,570
Sept.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	36,656	4,075	88,456	11,073
Oct.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	45,961	7,990	104,902	17,404
Nov.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	46,057	7,322	107,782	17,095
Dec.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	39,981	11,214	109,176	18,022
<b>1946</b>									
Jan.	6,804	6,394	82	126	202	38,432	25,923	89,580	13,928
Feb.	5,990	5,531	90	154	215	35,711	24,451	90,362	13,517
Mar.	6,096	5,614	98	162	222	57,624	24,314	110,108	20,403
April	6,773	6,276	74	223	200	44,493	23,696	97,664	18,553
May	7,265	6,730	77	224	234	50,756	19,596	109,804	15,674
June	6,208	5,686	90	235	197	51,108	11,588	96,467	16,628
July	4,453	4,123	50	146	134	22,844	6,520	72,358	13,827
Aug.	2,430	2,148	62	33	187	11,099	3,203	31,439	13,252
Sept.	1,937	1,640	79	64	154	10,712	3,071	33,520	10,776
Oct.	3,331	3,000	92	58	181	30,649	2,472	81,107	14,964
Nov.	6,486	6,002	92	193	199	47,785	11,223	95,904	14,402
Dec.	6,120	5,764	71	107	178	57,662	5,409	87,931	13,799

Month	Iron and Steel Products. Average Hours Worked per Week								
	Total	Crude, Rolled and Forged Products	Machinery other than Vehicles	Agricultural Implements	Land Vehicles and Aircraft				
					Total	Railway Rolling Stock	Automobiles and Parts	Aero-planes and Parts	Sheet Metal Work
<b>1945</b>									
Aug.	44.9	46.7	46.5	43.0	43.5	43.7	41.4	45.3	43.6
Sept.	44.3	46.9	46.2	43.0	43.0	45.0	41.4	42.7	44.3
Oct.	45.2	46.9	47.3	44.5	43.5	44.0	42.3	44.3	45.6
Nov.	45.6	47.3	47.7	43.1	44.4	45.2	42.1	46.1	45.3
Dec.	45.3	46.9	47.8	42.9	44.5	45.1	41.7	46.9	44.6
<b>1946</b>									
Jan.	37.1	39.7	37.9	39.2	36.8	39.5	33.1	34.2	32.2
Feb.	44.8	46.5	47.1	42.9	44.4	45.7	41.6	47.5	43.9
Mar.	44.2	46.1	47.0	42.5	43.0	45.6	37.0	48.9	43.9
April	44.9	46.5	46.6	42.9	44.5	45.1	42.6	48.1	44.0
May	43.4	45.0	44.2	42.9	43.1	44.9	41.4	41.8	43.0
June	42.0	45.4	42.3	40.1	41.9	44.2	37.5	47.6	40.1
July	42.7	45.6	45.0	42.4	41.6	42.9	39.5	43.2	40.4
Aug.	43.0	42.3	44.6	41.6	42.6	44.1	41.0	41.3	42.9
Sept.	42.3	42.0	44.4	39.1	41.4	44.0	37.3	43.9	43.0
Oct.	42.5	42.9	45.0	41.9	40.7	42.8	37.0	44.1	43.4
Nov.	42.3	42.6	44.5	40.7	40.8	43.3	36.8	44.1	42.3
Dec.	43.3	45.0	44.6	42.5	42.2	43.4	40.1	44.3	42.6
<b>1947</b>									
Jan.	37.7	39.3	38.3	40.7	38.3	42.1	35.1	33.9	35.0
Feb.	43.4	45.4	44.8	42.5	42.5	43.7	40.5	44.6	41.8

## 10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Year and Month	Passenger Cars						Change in Stocks	
	Production	Imports less Re-exports	Total Supply	Sales				
				Domestic	Export	Total		
1941.....	96,603	2,646	99,249	83,642	12,315	95,957	+ 3,292	
1942.....	12,236	318	12,554	17,286	5,283	22,569	-10,015	
1943.....	1,868	20	1,888	984	172	1,156	+ 732	
1944.....		30	30	N.A.	62	.....	.....	
1945.....		233	233	N.A.	44	.....	.....	
1945								
Oct.....	3	20	23	N.A.	.....	.....	.....	
Nov.....	253	14	267	N.A.	.....	.....	.....	
Dec.....	1,612	73	1,685	N.A.	.....	.....	.....	
1946								
Feb.....	2,922	295	3,217	1,581	1	1,582	+ 1,635	
Mar.....	5,039	831	5,870	4,323	42	4,365	+ 1,505	
April.....	9,863	848	10,711	5,829	654	6,483	+ 4,228	
May.....	12,755	1,104	13,859	7,476	1,141	8,617	+ 5,242	
June.....	8,739	1,065	9,804	8,153	2,992	11,145	- 1,341	
July.....	9,745	1,736	11,481	7,837	5,118	12,955	- 1,474	
Aug.....	7,030	1,948	8,978	5,551	4,725	10,276	- 1,298	
Sept.....	6,304	2,781	9,085	6,396	3,303	9,699	- 614	
Oct.....	8,552	2,898	11,450	7,102	488	7,590	+ 3,860	
Nov.....	10,991	2,679	13,670	9,222	2,267	11,489	+ 2,181	
Dec.....	9,125	2,229	11,354	8,599	2,714	11,313	+ 41	
1947								
Jan.....	11,146	2,568	13,984	.....	3,733	.....	.....	

## AUTOMOBILES

Month	Financing of Motor Vehicles in Canada							
	New Vehicles		Used Vehicles		Total Vehicles			
	Volume	Financing	Volume	Financing	Volume	Percentage Change to Same Month of Preceding Year	Financing	Percentage Change to Same Month of Preceding Year
1945	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.			
July.....	408	528,628	2,164	802,255	2,572	- 19.2	1,330,883	- 4.0
Aug.....	322	479,953	2,293	861,493	2,615	- 5.5	1,341,446	+ 5.2
Sept.....	324	407,383	2,172	874,347	2,496	- 3.9	1,281,730	+ 8.2
Oct.....	297	403,810	2,185	832,803	2,482	+ 6.1	1,236,613	+ 16.5
Nov.....	341	439,754	1,914	757,247	2,255	- 2.1	1,197,001	+ 13.3
Dec.....	259	373,759	1,524	621,691	1,783	+ 12.2	995,450	+ 16.6
1946								
Jan.....	455	611,464	1,094	745,343	2,449	+ 53.7	1,356,807	+ 54.3
Feb.....	861	1,019,871	2,056	825,555	2,917	+ 69.0	1,845,426	+ 128.3
Mar.....	1,235	1,440,618	2,857	1,124,416	4,092	+ 67.6	2,565,034	+101.4
April.....	2,295	2,534,982	3,489	1,530,533	5,784	+107.0	4,065,515	+173.1
May.....	2,333	2,702,461	2,825	1,284,436	5,158	+112.0	3,986,897	+246.4
June.....	2,208	2,630,489	2,224	956,247	4,432	+ 53.6	3,586,736	+143.2
July.....	2,350	2,810,231	2,107	978,967	4,457	+ 73.3	3,789,198	+184.7
Aug.....	2,088	2,464,676	1,937	1,016,721	4,025	+ 53.9	3,481,937	+159.5
Sept.....	1,642	2,234,764	2,248	1,094,825	3,890	+ 55.8	3,329,589	+159.8
Oct.....	2,052	2,679,179	2,433	1,209,579	4,485	+ 80.7	3,888,758	+214.5
Nov.....	2,458	3,122,211	2,493	1,209,604	4,951	+119.6	4,331,815	+261.9
Dec.....	2,437	3,101,555	2,245	1,181,519	4,082	+162.6	4,283,074	+230.3
1947								
Jan.....	2,362	3,054,050	2,319	1,245,988	4,681	+191.1	4,300,038	+316.9
Feb.....	2,764	3,711,879	3,113	1,061,194	5,877	+201.5	5,373,073	+291.2

## 10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

## NON-FERROUS METAL PRODUCTS

Month	Production				Sales of Radio Receiving Sets			
	Domestic Washing Machines			Electric Refrigerators	Electric Standard Broadcast		Electric Short Wave	
	Electric	Gasoline	Hand		No.	\$	No.	\$
1946	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	\$	No.	\$
Mar.	8,239	824	632	4,189	22,505	650,980	8,756	484,773
April	8,699	1,095	651	5,299	26,265	819,063	5,927	309,278
May	9,558	1,159	660	5,523	24,455	769,133	6,340	389,298
June	7,916	924	419	5,670	12,753	407,875	5,409	352,340
July	8,281	298	638	3,293	30,745	1,163,949	11,670	803,098
Aug.	8,296	1,373	469	3,633	23,061	847,105	6,930	454,373
Sept.	7,262	1,552	569	5,101	16,569	648,586	5,499	297,752
Oct.	9,640	1,235	558	5,920	20,642	794,544	4,966	335,272
Nov.	8,212	1,070	478	7,230	34,663	1,252,906	8,144	517,223
Dec.	8,612	1,073	520	5,938	37,717	1,318,486	16,443	1,054,232

## SALES OF RADIO RECEIVING SETS

Month	Combinations Standard Broadcast		Combinations Short Wave		Battery Standard Broadcast		Portables	
							Battery	Auto- mobile
	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	No.
1946	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	No.
Mar.	1,866	142,644	505	72,077	8,337	314,320	129	108
April	1,341	113,395	1,049	139,418	8,157	269,668	.....	178
May	2,676	212,300	201	57,928	8,151	299,054	214	2,917
June	2,697	228,000	311	50,630	6,229	244,921	24	1,658
July	1,822	204,147	1,961	285,057	10,666	447,681	136	1,742
Aug.	2,195	244,014	1,908	302,259	7,119	278,728	467	2,322
Sept.	2,434	246,304	3,304	496,074	10,431	479,531	267	2,214
Oct.	3,036	354,944	2,963	630,372	8,529	384,475	131	3,926
Nov.	3,178	333,895	3,575	761,595	9,878	416,010	188	3,674
Dec.	4,080	464,003	4,827	1,483,521	13,500	610,861	775	2,751

## SALES OF ELECTRIC BATTERIES

Month	Internal Combustion		Farm Lighting Cells		Railway Service Cells		Motorcycle Batteries	
	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	\$
1946	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	\$
April	88,809	504,271	2,172	41,191	768	21,755	817	2,823
May	99,102	520,883	5,070	42,855	669	13,303	1,377	4,847
June	85,433	471,473	4,657	39,021	218	6,580	484	1,804
July	93,541	528,445	4,359	30,544	1,051	16,073	718	2,482
Aug.	130,860	708,394	8,537	63,257	810	14,370	453	2,035
Sept.	150,755	796,508	8,322	74,954	1,074	24,670	433	1,917
Oct.	155,504	834,098	9,908	65,193	964	20,500	433	1,897
Nov.	134,383	806,135	8,050	68,824	614	11,948	166	682
Dec.	140,882	737,042	7,434	51,793	951	22,285	135	589
1947								
Jan.	128,793	685,501	6,077	44,682	892	17,370	101	446

**10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued**  
**NON-FERROUS METAL PRODUCTS**

Month	Exports			Imports Non-ferrous Metals		Railway Loadings		Prices Non- ferrous Metals	
	Non- ferrous Metals Exclud- ing Gold	Electrical Apparatus		Total	Electri- cal Appar- atus	Other Ores and Concen- trates	Base Bullion and Matte		
		Total	Radio and Wireless						
	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	Tons	Tons	1926 = 100	
1945									
July.....	27,899	7,505	4,732	8,217	3,443	543,407	90,523	78.9	
Aug.....	26,596	6,269	3,422	8,126	3,576	485,906	95,640	78.9	
Sept.....	22,677	2,370	827	7,165	3,532	373,459	98,015	78.9	
Oct.....	31,878	1,503	407	7,650	2,905	349,723	101,502	80.9	
Nov.....	26,124	2,762	1,166	7,131	3,117	387,740	96,659	80.9	
Dec.....	19,105	1,288	885	5,814	2,860	330,487	74,813	80.9	
1946									
Jan.....	16,550	3,107	2,608	8,559	3,276	356,972	73,482	80.9	
Feb.....	11,129	466	100	6,300	3,104	355,422	58,760	87.8	
Mar.....	18,379	2,109	1,463	7,219	3,434	367,457	88,122	87.8	
April.....	21,849	1,025	437	9,331	4,106	370,034	83,581	87.8	
May.....	23,814	2,466	614	9,793	4,107	357,081	86,745	87.1	
June.....	17,414	2,292	1,319	11,190	4,055	382,360	92,684	86.9	
July.....	17,781	2,936	1,115	10,458	4,044	274,959	87,249	89.3	
Aug.....	36,345	1,658	388	9,631	3,706	280,024	94,039	89.7	
Sept.....	18,869	888	258	10,000	3,790	260,913	77,342	89.7	
Oct.....	14,030	1,228	641	13,916	4,523	324,403	73,304	89.7	
Nov.....	27,468	1,287	171	12,963	5,016	366,014	86,741	89.7	
Dec.....	24,182	1,477	105	10,925	4,624	337,906	82,186	89.3	
1947									
Jan.....	22,454	1,419	96	9,725	4,792	.....	.....	97.1	
Feb.....	16,433	1,150	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	115.0	

Month	Employment 1926=100			Per capita Weekly Earnings		Aggregate Weekly Payrolls		Average Hours per Week	
	Unadjusted		Adjusted						
	Non- ferrous Metal Products	Electri- cal Appar- atus	Electri- cal Appar- atus	Non- ferrous Metal Products	Electri- cal Appar- atus	Non- ferrous Metal Products	Electri- cal Appar- atus	Non- ferrous Metal Products	Electri- cal Appar- atus
1945				\$	\$	\$000	\$000	No.	No.
July.....	346.8	291.3	288.7	35.84	33.53	1,757	1,438	45.4	43.6
Aug.....	338.0	285.6	285.6	35.47	33.64	1,695	1,414	44.7	43.0
Sept.....	315.6	279.9	274.4	35.50	33.06	1,584	1,362	44.6	42.7
Oct.....	295.5	267.4	257.1	35.80	33.76	1,496	1,328	44.7	43.5
Nov.....	293.4	267.3	255.8	35.87	34.27	1,489	1,348	44.8	44.0
Dec.....	290.8	274.0	270.8	35.92	33.73	1,477	1,363	44.2	43.6
1946									
Jan.....	281.6	273.1	279.3	32.79	31.25	1,320	1,265	38.5	38.2
Feb.....	281.4	283.9	290.3	35.65	32.97	1,410	1,369	44.2	42.4
Mar.....	286.6	285.6	294.7	35.38	33.26	1,428	1,401	44.2	43.1
April.....	291.0	281.9	289.1	35.58	33.06	1,473	1,399	44.1	43.4
May.....	293.7	290.2	294.6	35.02	32.44	1,450	1,388	43.2	41.9
June.....	291.3	291.4	294.6	34.51	32.43	1,423	1,394	42.1	40.9
July.....	293.2	292.1	293.1	35.55	32.81	1,486	1,413	43.0	41.4
Aug.....	285.4	255.0	255.0	36.29	33.22	1,453	1,264	43.6	42.7
Sept.....	287.5	268.1	262.8	35.86	33.47	1,492	1,323	43.5	41.9
Oct.....	285.2	270.1	259.7	36.54	33.76	1,499	1,356	43.8	41.1
Nov.....	288.5	305.1	292.0	36.73	33.40	1,540	1,395	43.3	40.7
Dec.....	304.1	317.0	313.2	37.90	35.69	1,664	1,685	43.8	41.5
1947									
Jan.....	307.8	321.7	330.5	36.37	34.56	1,623	1,658	39.9	38.4
Feb.....	316.4	328.5	335.9	38.17	36.12	1,749	1,754	43.8	41.3

## 10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

## PRODUCTION OF NON-METALLIC MINERALS

Month	Aviation Gasoline	Motor Gasoline	Tractor Distillate	Kerosene and Stove Oil	Light Fuel Oils	Heavy Fuel Oils	Asphalt	Coke
In Barrels								
1946								
April.....	15,706	2,279,775	91,333	221,522	557,270	1,181,302	122,221	33,673
May.....	19,485	2,882,581	195,384	281,320	838,392	1,464,650	229,740	37,727
June.....	21,724	2,492,130	146,966	178,696	777,244	1,331,789	277,483	6,849
July.....	21,933	2,822,135	170,231	223,171	867,567	1,248,147	385,669	33,701
Aug.....	27,536	2,980,704	193,127	215,237	911,979	1,271,459	421,237	31,104
Sept.....	17,827	3,061,981	132,128	252,027	1,011,627	1,399,365	302,365	34,809
Oct.....	41,739	3,174,922	66,784	244,325	1,010,917	1,407,686	244,769	28,343
Nov.....	26,144	2,827,055	37,146	263,614	832,656	1,347,140	197,229	25,378
Dec.....	10,155	2,615,778	52,244	360,010	834,725	1,322,164	119,921	30,577
1947								
Jan.....	42,839	2,137,258	33,405	296,948	940,325	1,167,804	132,434	16,924

Month	Petroleum Products in Barrels				Rock Wool in sq. ft.		
	Lubri-cating Oils	Grease	Wax and Candles	Polymer Feed Stocks	Four-inch Batts	Three-inch Batts	Two-inch Batts
1946							
April.....	124,293	6,749	7,226	70,629	66,510	1,259,795	2,451,905
May.....	138,592	8,010	9,370	66,729	103,290	1,007,505	1,757,200
June.....	162,341	7,003	3,125	28,221	66,600	1,078,680	2,670,460
July.....	166,611	7,773	7,546	46,513	122,405	1,438,290	3,401,855
Aug.....	126,225	7,168	8,244	48,255	165,715	1,826,185	3,873,120
Sept.....	130,064	8,773	6,534	38,280	76,215	1,669,440	3,771,120
Oct.....	133,049	8,154	13,700	39,362	137,185	2,053,300	3,891,185
Nov.....	157,505	7,859	10,831	45,716			
Dec.....	161,016	5,290	19,363	34,537			
1947							
Jan.....	130,041	7,005	10,702	38,097			

Month	Rock Wool			Asphalt Roofing				
	Granulated Wool	Bulk or Loose Wool	Industrial Wool	Asphalt 210 lbs.	Shingles Other	Smooth Surfaced Rolls	Mineral Surfaced Rolls	Tar and Asphalt Felts
1946								
April.....	640,362	85,744	70,370	95,765	41,246	132,114	118,164	2,931
May.....	690,685	64,555	54,931	122,368	73,567	108,890	123,927	3,902
June.....	483,672	70,056	33,411	100,898	52,891	121,231	127,867	3,537
July.....	690,680	66,427	57,810	116,268	61,438	121,199	113,566	3,532
Aug.....	918,892	84,000	57,849	120,502	56,719	132,170	138,769	4,157
Sept.....	1,048,155	67,305	44,906	133,153	72,755	137,594	118,491	3,372
Oct.....	1,268,637	87,443	51,247	146,852	72,697	157,804	127,531	3,244
Nov.....				138,870	70,540	177,008	106,375	2,788
Dec.....				117,008	55,284	175,085	100,097	2,871
1947								
Jan.....				125,078	53,027	168,075	87,568	3,216
Feb.....				115,020	72,398	173,943	94,123	2,913

## 10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

## NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS

Month	Production Asphalt Roofing		Non-Metallic Minerals— Sales of Manufactured Gas					
	Tar and Asphalt Kraft Base	Sheathing Other Base	Total		Domestic Use		House Heating	
	Tons	Tons	M. cu. ft.	\$	M. cu. ft.	\$	M. cu. ft.	\$
<b>1946</b>								
April.....	551	507	2,028,054	1,818,154	1,099,987	1,171,720	185,060	97,802
May.....	487	519	2,084,816	1,948,035	1,226,097	1,327,083	122,324	69,997
June.....	456	572	1,920,857	1,834,644	1,167,876	1,276,227	74,630	49,331
July.....	574	393	1,768,809	1,702,584	1,072,718	1,197,409	27,826	20,421
Aug.....	640	379	1,678,776	1,610,812	992,292	1,126,179	20,700	15,012
Sept.....	876	600	1,809,318	1,762,402	1,100,450	1,245,733	28,260	21,319
Oct.....	790	635	1,981,300	1,882,096	1,183,933	1,304,040	73,687	50,118
Nov.....	563	438	2,130,494	1,992,587	1,233,239	1,330,773	135,214	78,258
Dec.....	561	1,104	2,208,831	1,970,773	1,207,113	1,256,991	220,352	118,946
<b>1947</b>								
Jan.....	423	355	2,409,090	2,124,128	1,262,906	1,322,643	339,916	177,491
Feb.....	428	382						

Month	Industrial Use		Manufactured Gas Sales				Sales of Domestic Clay Products Building Brick	
			Commercial Use		Miscellaneous			
	M. cu. ft.	\$	M. cu. ft.	\$	M. cu. ft.	\$	M.	\$
<b>1946</b>								
April.....	395,500	242,187	346,278	302,207	1,229	4,238	17,829	430,449
May.....	391,575	241,725	343,635	305,119	1,185	4,111	21,347	523,303
June.....	355,215	218,430	321,949	286,479	1,187	4,177	23,341	580,208
July.....	362,914	204,867	304,861	275,927	990	3,960	27,356	676,868
Aug.....	373,816	207,322	288,064	258,327	3,904	3,972	28,171	691,093
Sept.....	361,865	207,593	314,056	283,505	4,267	4,282	26,131	647,186
Oct.....	392,910	233,262	326,559	290,536	4,211	4,140	28,579	701,468
Nov.....	401,716	250,613	355,979	319,915	4,346	4,028	26,447	633,869
Dec.....	405,808	271,130	371,214	319,706	4,344	4,000	19,040	469,544
<b>1947</b>								
Jan.....	390,406	261,860	395,037	345,306	20,825	16,828	.....	.....

## SALES OF DOMESTIC CLAY PRODUCTS

Month	Structural Tile		Drain Tile		Sewer Pipe	Fire Clay Blocks and Shapes	Pottery	Other Clay Products
	Tons	\$	M	\$				
<b>1946</b>								
April.....	10,250	111,298	612	22,313	115,683	13,489	97,996	47,741
May.....	13,968	154,911	1,187	45,089	115,063	15,723	103,676	51,651
June.....	12,470	138,725	1,503	55,988	112,984	14,741	74,867	44,003
July.....	15,000	170,567	1,586	59,971	135,528	18,011	112,459	48,537
Aug.....	13,161	150,931	1,664	62,600	111,141	24,209	86,541	54,387
Sept.....	11,351	124,767	1,595	61,383	109,935	20,065	96,480	52,321
Oct.....	12,156	140,042	1,929	75,085	121,284	22,117	116,263	54,876
Nov.....	11,788	134,543	1,274	51,401	122,626	29,189	112,587	43,185
Dec.....	9,079	108,366	1,240	47,369	93,109	14,023	81,176	53,914

## 10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

## NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS

Month	Railway Loadings			Employment			Per Capita Weekly Earnings		Average Hours Per Week	
	Brick and Arti- ficial Stone	Sewer Pipe and Drain Tile	Lime and Plaster	Unadjusted		Ad- justed	Non- Metallic Mineral Products	Clay Glass and Stone Products		
				Non- Metallic Mineral Products	Clay Glass and Stone	Clay Glass and Stone				
	Tons	Tons	Tons	1926=100	1926=100	1926=100	\$	\$	No.	
1945										
Aug.	26,820	4,707	33,075	224.7	144.7	129.8	38.78	31.19	44.9	
Sept.	28,050	7,508	33,820	223.2	145.5	131.4	39.01	31.03	45.3	
Oct.	28,672	7,267	37,857	217.0	145.6	133.2	38.75	31.43	45.0	
Nov.	25,071	5,176	33,899	215.7	150.1	142.7	38.49	31.52	44.7	
Dec.	22,143	4,059	31,747	214.8	151.8	154.7	38.43	31.39	44.5	
1946										
Jan.	22,054	2,154	33,200	213.2	150.8	171.2	37.16	28.59	41.2	
Feb.	19,281	2,980	31,426	214.2	154.8	180.6	38.31	30.99	44.1	
Mar.	24,250	4,484	38,046	214.7	154.9	181.6	38.41	31.28	44.2	
April	32,417	5,307	42,618	217.0	160.3	180.5	38.68	31.36	43.8	
May	29,916	4,511	46,792	217.4	162.9	164.0	38.35	31.52	42.9	
June	29,335	5,336	40,551	225.1	167.2	155.8	37.79	31.23	41.7	
July	36,935	6,577	41,012	227.6	172.9	156.2	38.99	31.33	42.4	
Aug.	38,614	6,442	39,985	213.1	170.5	156.3	39.39	31.55	41.3	
Sept.	34,724	5,970	36,774	220.2	163.9	147.7	39.11	31.82	41.2	
Oct.	38,555	5,800	40,578	212.0	160.2	146.6	39.21	33.00	41.5	
Nov.	33,748	4,864	42,177	209.8	164.3	156.2	39.43	33.58	41.8	
Dec.	28,338	4,129	39,469	206.7	173.0	156.1	39.91	34.00	42.5	
1947										
Jan.				204.9	171.9	195.1	40.71	31.92	40.7	
Feb.				207.5	179.1	209.0	41.62	34.83	42.6	
	Imports					Exports				
Month	Total	Clay Products	Coke		Glass and Glass- ware	Stone and Products	Total	Stone	Petro- leum Products	
			Tons	\$000						
	\$000	\$000		\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	
1945										
Aug.	24,682	1,117	139,316	1,072	1,173	797	5,389	1,237	1,293	
Sept.	24,304	995	148,092	1,145	1,202	883	5,513	1,195	1,237	
Oct.	27,748	1,227	126,537	1,074	1,572	998	5,430	1,206	1,544	
Nov.	22,840	885	107,720	840	1,282	830	4,123	1,019	415	
Dec.	20,630	1,436	112,155	936	1,319	613	3,899	1,007	622	
1946										
Jan.	22,827	1,477	116,155	982	1,527	731	3,662	994	309	
Feb.	19,674	1,075	122,806	1,123	1,384	654	2,980	723	189	
Mar.	22,236	1,409	114,352	1,034	1,778	767	3,817	1,067	148	
April	24,347	1,602	78,445	740	1,888	1,215	3,856	1,286	75	
May	24,464	1,488	69,729	762	1,865	1,182	4,809	1,296	338	
June	23,776	1,628	89,962	766	1,725	1,292	4,967	1,232	217	
July	28,044	1,529	112,107	926	1,861	1,413	5,825	1,404	667	
Aug.	33,630	1,298	101,933	988	1,739	1,450	5,836	1,415	613	
Sept.	33,140	1,258	100,388	1,005	2,201	1,349	5,122	1,484	285	
Oct.	37,905	1,601	97,118	985	2,480	1,572	5,337	1,503	671	
Nov.	34,742	1,949	84,598	972	2,725	2,119	5,727	1,604	616	
Dec.	27,828	1,511	49,612	604	2,084	933	5,661	1,576	495	
1947										
Jan.	26,604	1,676	66,667	811	2,145	1,434	5,470	.....	745	
Feb.							4,270	.....	249	

## 10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued.

Month	NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS					CHEMICALS		
	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls		Price Indexes			Employ- ment	Per Capita Weekly Earnings	Aggre- gate Weekly Payrolls
	Non- metallic Mineral Products	Clay, Glass and Stone Products	Non- metallics Total	Clay and Allied Material Products	Coke			
	\$000	\$000	1926=100	1926=100	1926=100	1926=100	\$	\$000
1945								
Aug.	664	517	101.4	103.2	123.4	430.9	35.07	1,941
Sept.	664	517	101.4	103.2	123.2	389.9	35.08	1,757
Oct.	641	525	101.5	103.2	123.2	363.6	34.79	1,632
Nov.	633	542	101.7	100.1	123.2	354.4	34.49	1,570
Dec.	629	546	102.4	109.1	123.2	342.6	34.53	1,530
1946								
Jan.	604	494	102.4	109.1	123.2	332.1	33.48	1,428
Feb.	626	549	102.4	109.1	123.4	324.0	34.89	1,452
Mar.	630	554	102.4	109.1	123.4	323.5	34.84	1,450
April	640	576	103.0	109.1	123.4	327.2	34.04	1,460
May	636	588	103.0	109.1	123.4	323.8	34.42	1,418
June	653	593	102.7	109.1	123.4	325.6	34.39	1,432
July	670	625	102.6	100.1	123.4	325.0	35.01	1,456
Aug.	629	635	102.6	109.1	123.4	317.3	34.93	1,418
Sept.	632	601	102.6	109.1	123.4	317.2	35.16	1,427
Oct.	632	604	103.8	109.1	123.4	315.6	35.69	1,443
Nov.	631	632	104.0	109.1	123.4	328.3	35.24	1,542
Dec.	652	673	104.7	118.0	123.4	331.2	36.30	1,542
1947								
Jan.	642	632	105.6	124.8	123.9	324.6	35.91	1,520
Feb.	638	719	106.3	124.8	123.9	328.0	37.32	1,561

## IMPORTS OF CHEMICALS \$000

Month	Total	Cellulose Products	Drugs and Medi- cines	Dyeing and Tanning Materials	Ferti- lizers	Paints and Varni- shes	Inor- ganic Chem- icals Total	Soda and Com- pounds
1945								
July	6,929	432	749	652	404	801	860	348
Aug.	5,675	318	854	642	269	616	732	293
Sept.	6,596	451	721	639	331	684	1,222	269
Oct.	7,729	475	825	692	463	783	1,354	386
Nov.	6,757	500	753	854	441	725	983	305
Dec.	6,635	445	682	832	344	723	990	330
1946								
Jan.	7,329	413	857	789	486	854	957	389
Feb.	6,665	515	675	612	365	787	766	315
Mar.	7,558	537	729	700	320	846	977	456
April	8,937	605	980	794	506	914	1,180	464
May	8,805	601	872	962	470	952	1,164	477
June	7,507	618	925	812	175	838	1,082	362
July	7,652	599	869	792	252	700	976	379
Aug.	7,093	483	673	873	335	601	1,121	467
Sept.	6,756	526	584	704	364	567	1,045	400
Oct.	8,024	482	747	686	362	679	1,286	542
Nov.	8,735	676	775	771	528	828	1,078	529
Dec.	7,811	501	687	712	399	869	930	479
1947								
Jan.	7,907	469	861	742	293	926	839	382

10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Concluded  
CHEMICALS

Month	Exports, \$000					Railway Loadings, Fertilizers	Sales of Paints, Varnishes, Lacquers
	Total	Acids	Fertilizers	Soda Compounds	Tons		
1945							
Aug.	9,869	187	2,490	550	123,257		
Sept.	6,846	182	2,550	293	133,580		
Oct.	7,617	111	2,681	226	160,156		
Nov.	6,123	64	3,051	268	164,525		
Dec.	5,866	140	3,259	366	143,336		
1946							
Jan.	5,530	200	2,845	439	161,016	3,844,843	
Feb.	5,286	148	3,006	228	159,614	3,970,378	
Mar.	5,634	138	3,141	261	231,226	4,680,798	
April	5,577	165	2,536	363	224,047	5,484,554	
May	5,826	219	2,418	424	205,305	5,922,712	
June	5,155	128	2,370	334	127,775	5,482,586	
July	5,911	183	2,464	440	84,297	4,965,209	
Aug.	6,605	210	2,849	396	129,819	4,899,623	
Sept.	5,261	203	2,703	361	169,166	4,573,048	
Oct.	5,780	141	2,907	429	165,688	5,219,686	
Nov.	5,402	110	2,486	331	143,150	4,714,725	
Dec.	5,620	213	2,383	409	135,381	3,908,551	
1947							
Jan.	6,671	268	3,147	384			4,753,071
Feb.	5,053	273	2,216	408			

Month	Average Hours Worked per Week		Price Indexes of Chemicals, 1926=100				
	Chemicals and Allied Products		Total	Inorganic Chemicals	Organic Chemicals	Dyeing and Tanning Materials	Drugs
	Total	Drugs and Medicines					
1945							
July	46.1	42.2	99.2	87.8	87.4	144.7	162.6
Aug.	45.5	42.2	99.1	87.8	87.4	144.7	162.6
Sept.	44.7	41.7	99.2	87.8	87.4	144.7	163.8
Oct.	45.2	42.9	99.1	87.8	87.4	144.7	162.6
Nov.	44.0	42.7	98.8	87.8	87.4	139.3	162.6
Dec.	44.6	42.8	98.4	87.8	87.3	139.3	160.1
1946							
Jan.	41.3	39.7	95.7	87.4	87.3	139.3	141.9
Feb.	44.4	41.9	95.7	87.4	87.3	139.3	141.9
Mar.	44.2	42.3	95.7	87.4	87.3	139.3	141.9
April	44.5	42.9	95.7	87.4	87.3	139.3	141.9
May	42.0	42.0	95.7	87.4	87.3	139.3	141.9
June	42.5	41.8	94.5	87.5	90.7	139.3	132.2
July	43.3	43.3	94.4	87.5	90.7	137.2	132.2
Aug.	42.9	42.0	94.4	87.5	90.7	137.2	132.2
Sept.	43.5	42.1	94.4	87.5	90.7	137.2	132.2
Oct.	43.6	42.2	94.7	87.4	94.3	137.2	132.2
Nov.	42.8	41.8	95.3	87.4	94.3	137.2	132.2
Dec.	43.8	42.4	95.3	87.6	94.3	137.2	123.9
1947							
Jan.	41.0	40.9	98.2	87.9	94.6	137.2	123.9
Feb.	43.3	42.0	103.8	87.9	102.6	138.4	125.7

## III. Construction

## 11. CONTRACTS AWARDED, \$000

Month	Canada	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunsw- ick	Quebec	Ontario	Mani- toba	Saskat- chewan	Alberta	British Col- umbia
<b>1945</b>										
Aug.	40,531	141	946	1,847	13,089	13,580	1,878	3,003	2,440	3,608
Sept.	42,045	119	1,158	1,079	13,438	14,726	1,818	1,848	4,798	3,066
Oct.	29,428	39	2,250	1,054	10,308	9,679	1,015	1,964	2,170	949
Nov.	44,998	80	840	1,054	12,531	19,058	1,260	1,024	3,587	5,564
Dec.	25,787	21	373	621	9,356	9,358	1,300	675	794	3,290
<b>1946</b>										
Jan.	27,396	.....	199	1,317	12,446	8,984	332	264	901	2,953
Feb.	33,092	375	286	65	5,501	19,107	826	435	949	5,549
Mar.	57,598	.....	228	3,108	26,450	15,683	4,224	385	3,988	3,532
April.	75,919	57	1,674	1,574	20,508	38,082	2,031	3,502	5,721	2,681
May.	82,199	84	1,150	1,658	22,801	29,968	4,202	2,941	4,764	14,632
June.	66,402	100	969	6,341	15,465	26,686	2,046	2,302	3,702	8,792
July.	67,673	.....	1,574	1,644	15,934	32,909	2,634	3,545	4,852	4,581
Aug.	50,414	.....	835	1,147	22,552	14,751	3,233	1,884	2,449	3,563
Sept.	44,816	.....	994	1,159	20,440	11,816	1,548	1,350	4,473	3,036
Oct.	73,308	14	2,600	1,170	38,648	22,747	2,082	1,207	1,844	2,306
Nov.	48,004	5	2,000	5,308	13,163	18,533	1,170	1,268	2,268	4,288
Dec.	36,535	16	890	2,208	12,900	13,523	814	326	3,063	2,796
<b>1947</b>										
Jan.	44,711	270	2,173	5,113	11,047	19,144	2,725	1,265	476	2,499
Feb.	53,451	553	438	2,114	31,458	11,790	1,178	364	1,409	4,148

Month	Residential			Business				
	Total	Apart- ments	Resi- dences	Total	Churches	Public Garages	Hos- pitals	Hotels and Clubs
<b>1945</b>								
Aug.	20,246	445	19,801	9,145	303	421	1,367	307
Sept.	19,495	445	19,050	8,073	439	284	1,146	297
Oct.	15,188	559	14,629	5,718	316	287	296	161
Nov.	16,560	482	16,078	8,773	222	642	3,300	285
Dec.	8,286	190	8,096	5,473	69	491	1,238	153
<b>1946</b>								
Jan.	4,795	821	3,974	9,190	209	588	2,650	1,399
Feb.	9,311	364	8,947	8,132	482	847	1,417	308
Mar.	15,737	589	15,148	15,154	906	814	1,500	388
April.	26,876	2,686	24,191	24,145	1,407	1,666	6,127	3,416
May.	32,208	2,405	29,803	22,267	1,755	2,076	2,792	1,355
June.	22,646	609	22,037	15,224	1,345	1,497	337	1,884
July.	21,076	1,847	19,229	19,706	1,043	1,672	740	1,772
Aug.	19,180	3,073	16,107	14,828	1,753	850	308	1,143
Sept.	13,542	2,430	11,112	16,377	1,541	2,534	1,320	1,411
Oct.	21,504	1,956	19,548	15,873	1,979	1,403	2,808	903
Nov.	15,998	1,048	14,951	15,784	485	2,018	3,273	1,487
Dec.	10,177	1,173	9,005	10,125	1,462	896	503	607
<b>1947</b>								
Jan.	5,105	197	4,909	18,029	1,173	1,288	513	758
Feb.	7,420	962	6,458	17,406	619	866	2,627	1,045

## III. Construction—Continued

## 11. CONTRACTS AWARDED, \$000—Continued

Month	Business						Indus-	Engin-
	Office Buildings	Public Buildings	Schools	Stores	Theatres	Ware- houses		
1945								
Aug.	704	1,435	2,535	470	54	1,548	6,747	4,393
Sept.	742	969	2,568	458	5	1,166	9,586	4,892
Oct.	986	750	1,660	279	33	952	4,629	3,892
Nov.	336	318	1,788	656	21	1,206	6,606	13,059
Dec.	373	537	166	831	22	1,594	8,773	3,255
1946								
Jan.	955	210	496	1,472	192	1,021	9,275	4,135
Feb.	595	187	977	2,036	83	1,202	4,230	11,419
Mar.	4,852	175	1,253	3,572	414	1,221	21,486	5,220
April.	1,034	479	1,885	4,011	1,045	3,076	18,844	6,054
May.	2,222	113	3,705	3,520	740	3,989	18,357	9,368
June.	1,366	503	1,506	3,823	1,137	1,826	9,270	19,262
July.	1,706	350	6,652	2,052	1,381	2,339	5,691	21,200
Aug.	3,241	847	1,550	2,391	788	1,868	7,565	8,841
Sept.	648	405	697	2,012	423	5,386	10,393	4,506
Oct.	657	1,706	1,886	1,756	239	2,536	16,916	19,015
Nov.	1,031	1,068	1,585	1,462	1,718	1,658	10,727	5,495
Dec.	606	1,369	828	1,166	762	1,927	5,574	10,659
1947								
Jan.	7,101	140	3,657	1,167	1,326	906	6,218	15,358
Feb.	5,067	719	2,768	2,906	30	759	8,049	20,586

Month	Engineering						Prince Edward Island		
	Bridges	Dams and Wharves	Sewers and Water Mains	Roads and Streets	General Engineer- ing	Resi- dential	Business	Indus- trial	Engin- ering
1945									
Aug.	258	320	709	1,508	1,598	16	125	.....	.....
Sept.	204	41	941	1,869	1,838	19	100	.....	.....
Oct.	64	480	972	858	1,518	22	17	.....	.....
Nov.	113	40	462	3,932	8,513	18	41	21	.....
Dec.	5	42	470	1,540	1,199	5	16	.....	.....
1946									
Jan.	349	194	107	3,485	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Feb.	107	678	1,022	518	9,094	.....	.....	.....	375
Mar.	95	150	370	2,679	1,927	.....	.....	.....	.....
April.	440	109	1,156	2,740	1,611	6	.....	.....	51
May.	64	285	1,687	5,944	1,387	4	55	.....	25
June.	3,575	70	999	9,572	5,046	.....	100	.....	.....
July.	463	860	1,076	17,551	1,250	.....	.....	.....	.....
Aug.	47	129	833	7,008	824	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sept.	241	655	532	2,438	640	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oct.	141	592	1,518	4,889	11,874	.....	.....	.....	14
Nov.	108	501	913	1,889	2,804	2	3	.....	5
Dec.	6,003	2,845	1,607	204	.....	.....	.....	.....	16
1947									
Jan.	297	4,677	900	2,263	7,221	.....	175	95	.....
Feb.	32	475	1,252	371	18,478	.....	500	500	53

## III. Construction—Continued

## 11. CONTRACTS AWARDED, \$000—Continued

Month	Nova Scotia				New Brunswick			
	Residential	Business	Industrial	Engineering	Residential	Business	Industrial	Engineering
<b>1945</b>								
Aug.	426	224	102	194	887	792	36	132
Sept.	447	432	75	203	301	561	182	33
Oct.	1,882	230	19	120	256	671	97	30
Nov.	300	399	133	8	293	605	88	68
Dec.	132	159	25	57	234	80	286	21
<b>1946</b>								
Jan.	42	87	70	.....	53	827	438	.....
Feb.	5	28	5	248	27	38	.....	.....
Mar.	72	36	.....	120	2,440	40	605	24
April	153	28	855	638	929	313	131	202
May	332	534	28	256	786	677	108	88
June	242	458	12	257	1,258	542	1,557	2,984
July	153	724	205	493	303	990	289	62
Aug.	170	549	42	74	326	664	53	105
Sept.	269	325	48	353	587	115	84	374
Oct.	484	763	316	1,127	707	206	18	239
Nov.	1,019	391	26	564	606	646	4,019	38
Dec.	171	256	64	400	67	131	10	2,000
<b>1947</b>								
Jan.	164	205	1,015	789	77	605	292	4,139
Feb.	103	311	10	14	30	33	52	2,000

Month	Quebec				Ontario			
	Residential	Business	Industrial	Engineering	Residential	Business	Industrial	Engineering
<b>1945</b>								
Aug.	5,360	2,727	3,975	1,027	8,804	1,540	1,714	1,522
Sept.	5,976	2,657	3,888	917	7,978	1,457	3,497	1,795
Oct.	3,857	2,351	1,825	2,275	4,773	1,690	2,376	840
Nov.	3,407	4,346	2,946	1,831	6,190	1,874	2,831	8,164
Dec.	1,944	1,451	4,439	1,522	4,531	1,357	2,755	715
<b>1946</b>								
Jan.	1,492	2,404	5,580	2,970	2,409	3,598	2,633	344
Feb.	1,828	2,386	1,248	39	3,656	4,060	2,567	8,824
Mar.	2,316	5,389	18,377	368	5,682	7,125	1,558	1,318
April	8,289	9,278	2,464	478	11,140	9,424	14,754	2,763
May	7,405	7,712	6,704	980	13,841	6,960	3,550	5,617
June	4,391	5,100	2,385	3,589	10,997	4,611	4,664	6,414
July	5,514	4,549	2,943	2,929	9,149	10,727	1,970	11,064
Aug.	6,835	6,093	3,184	6,440	5,397	5,141	3,012	1,201
Sept.	4,615	9,664	4,229	1,931	4,149	3,877	3,271	519
Oct.	9,165	6,775	9,916	12,793	6,135	6,006	6,300	4,306
Nov.	3,423	5,898	2,703	1,139	7,220	6,025	3,535	1,754
Dec.	3,725	3,855	1,029	4,292	4,541	4,556	4,151	274
<b>1947</b>								
Jan.	1,841	3,865	791	4,550	2,290	10,718	3,849	3,287
Feb.	3,109	10,301	2,706	15,342	2,498	4,234	3,988	1,069

## III. Construction—Continued

## 11. CONTRACTS AWARDED, \$000—Continued

Month	Manitoba				Saskatchewan			
	Residential	Business	Industrial	Engineering	Residential	Business	Industrial	Engineering
1945								
Aug.	698	564	26	590	811	1,379	303	509
Sept.	1,243	435	45	95	495	1,132	75	145
Oct.	849	124	34	9	1,841	96	26	.....
Nov.	964	206	87	3	718	228	68	10
Dec.	511	432	250	107	414	181	80	.....
1946								
Jan.	104	153	.....	75	107	130	28	.....
Feb.	500	210	37	78	107	173	.....	155
Mar.	2,501	273	67	1,384	152	220	13	.....
April	1,073	680	103	176	1,227	2,259	51	54
May	2,960	723	353	167	1,664	818	61	397
June	1,069	708	112	157	1,461	460	71	310
July	835	525	87	1,188	1,881	439	9	1,216
Aug.	2,013	473	93	655	1,241	540	31	72
Sept.	609	631	30	278	699	311	25	315
Oct.	2,090	364	65	164	678	386	128	16
Nov.	670	279	144	76	446	710	36	76
Dec.	443	172	83	116	106	177	43	.....
1947								
Jan.	112	397	124	2,093	15	183	8	1,059
Feb.	164	191	581	242	56	191	23	94

Month	Alberta				British Columbia			
	Residential	Business	Industrial	Engineering	Residential	Business	Industrial	Engineering
1945								
Aug.	1,826	401	178	34	1,418	1,392	414	384
Sept.	2,531	649	191	1,428	505	652	1,634	275
Oct.	1,332	303	56	479	376	237	196	140
Nov.	2,768	642	150	27	1,901	431	283	2,949
Dec.	349	353	88	5	168	1,446	849	828
1946								
Jan.	214	292	335	60	375	1,701	193	685
Feb.	414	414	66	56	2,774	824	307	1,644
Mar.	1,233	979	73	1,702	1,342	1,093	794	304
April	2,742	1,396	137	1,446	1,317	768	350	247
May	3,084	1,306	143	231	2,134	3,481	7,411	1,607
June	2,310	1,064	223	105	919	2,180	246	5,447
July	1,148	977	72	2,655	2,094	776	117	1,593
Aug.	1,447	749	64	189	1,752	620	1,087	106
Sept.	873	675	2,582	344	1,740	779	125	393
Oct.	872	827	58	88	1,374	548	116	269
Nov.	1,519	585	97	68	1,096	1,247	166	1,779
Dec.	386	515	27	2,135	739	464	168	1,425
1947								
Jan.	189	120	45	122	418	1,762	.....	319
Feb.	329	615	40	426	1,130	1,529	142	1,346

Source: McLean Building Reports Ltd., Toronto

**III. Construction—Continued**  
**12. BUILDING PERMITS, \$000**

Month	Canada	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia
<b>1945</b>										
Aug.	23,277	15	418	230	6,131	10,684	881	1,138	1,798	1,981
Sept.	20,038	317	427	253	5,257	6,354	884	580	2,390	3,574
Oct.	19,643	32	382	436	4,620	7,554	1,169	428	2,870	2,150
Nov.	18,284	14	376	107	4,130	8,453	1,550	559	570	2,524
Dec.	15,321	15	148	31	3,928	5,417	895	1,266	727	2,894
<b>1946</b>										
Jan.	15,252	4	156	277	2,878	5,341	1,017	155	1,403	4,022
Feb.	16,563	5	173	85	5,903	5,021	349	242	855	3,930
Mar.	39,567	1	406	671	12,835	14,869	1,160	920	3,706	5,000
April	55,408	6	951	732	15,068	20,696	3,115	4,210	5,321	5,302
May	45,324	31	1,340	652	12,960	16,530	3,102	2,238	4,901	3,570
June	31,172	138	1,148	771	7,464	12,261	1,079	2,655	3,373	2,282
July	33,107	14	706	1,303	10,560	13,335	965	986	1,918	3,321
Aug.	30,942	1	800	409	8,785	11,790	1,344	1,973	1,666	4,174
Sept.	29,047	230	448	206	9,470	11,239	1,112	1,492	1,445	3,405
Oct.	33,611	7	363	642	9,984	14,166	1,016	1,328	3,545	2,558
Nov.	24,225	14	495	603	8,393	9,541	737	532	658	3,252
Dec.	23,761	2	296	63	4,839	12,886	1,313	891	1,181	2,290
<b>1947</b>										
Jan.	16,641	51	260	128	5,164	6,756	396	90	478	3,309
Feb.	17,598	.....	191	182	3,595	6,614	1,723	704	785	3,804

Month	Charlottetown	Dartmouth	Halifax	Sydney	Fredericton	Moncton	Saint John	Chicoutimi
<b>1945</b>								
Aug.	15	40	157	24	73	56	28	16
Sept.	317	.....	238	41	34	138	66	48
Oct.	32	31	149	49	24	47	351	29
Nov.	14	40	166	41	.....	10	89	10
Dec.	15	16	64	25	.....	4	26	.....
<b>1946</b>								
Jan.	4	10	106	8	208	30	38	3
Feb.	5	21	67	7	25	17	14	53
Mar.	1	32	147	81	62	107	463	29
April	6	41	192	304	223	304	57	280
May	31	131	548	258	249	152	140	213
June	138	119	500	96	72	537	88	21
July	14	49	331	159	1,101	99	62	44
Aug.	1	90	460	37	65	122	100	172
Sept.	230	28	214	78	42	93	42	110
Oct.	7	45	89	41	69	488	34	11
Nov.	14	25	242	9	503	60	21	12
Dec.	2	47	107	84	14	28	18	26
<b>1947</b>								
Jan.	51	35	148	12	33	57	29	30
Feb.	.....	.....	56	20	10	35	133	125

**III. Construction—Concluded**  
**12. BUILDING PERMITS, \$000—Continued**

Month	Hull	Lachine	Montreal and Maisonneuve	Quebec	Shawinigan	Sherbrooke	Three Rivers	Verdun
1945								
Aug.	86	51	2,844	237	334	470	265	203
Sept.	58	235	1,786	400	34	104	113	245
Oct.	27	80	1,725	508	67	94	46	356
Nov.	15	23	1,649	1,096	27	63	302	94
Dec.	4	33	1,517	66	2	284	49	120
1946								
Jan.	6	57	1,699	310	74	113	27	85
Feb.	13	50	1,751	293	93	70	25	12
Mar.	64	492	6,943	836	74	468	73	309
April	149	347	8,313	454	344	202	146	382
May	121	420	6,646	544	280	300	119	361
June	102	155	3,429	574	107	.....	152	193
July	98	3,048	3,154	552	157	104	691	304
Aug.	62	563	3,944	1,026	53	244	74	404
Sept.	40	272	3,669	304	50	338	1,116	150
Oct.	195	189	5,833	565	31	88	415	171
Nov.	52	81	5,239	227	91	140	23	69
Dec.	4	46	3,026	378	103	35	21	21
1947								
Jan.	24	27	1,756	178	2,546	155	24	14
Feb.	32	7	2,046	313	16	126	44	78

Month	Westmount	Brantford	Chatham	Etobicoke Twp.	Fort William	Hamilton	Kingston	Kitchener
1945								
Aug.	37	34	416	440	49	231	76	73
Sept.	8	46	98	344	131	373	76	91
Oct.	20	65	84	513	63	462	139	548
Nov.	5	123	66	571	65	606	190	65
Dec.	7	37	94	124	15	411	46	43
1946								
Jan.	71	19	92	281	163	255	116	181
Feb.	69	20	58	255	31	243	74	159
Mar.	178	295	256	1,643	106	625	198	230
April	209	270	332	1,047	379	1,451	444	477
May	78	193	1,597	953	449	478	238	316
June	168	76	92	494	277	334	.....	91
July	114	34	693	827	516	402	156	106
Aug.	20	55	71	527	165	583	470	79
Sept.	30	26	69	752	83	445	224	535
Oct.	18	433	228	707	105	521	103	409
Nov.	42	117	22	663	458	643	371	78
Dec.	18	94	128	1,776	8	386	202	89
1947								
Jan.	26	25	26	295	24	462	69	38
Feb.	1	.....	53	241	65	280	44	229

## III. Construction—Concluded

## 12. BUILDING PERMITS, \$000—Continued

Month	London	Ottawa	Port Arthur	Sault Ste. Marie	Scarborough	St. Catharines	Toronto	York Township	York Twp. East
<b>1945</b>									
Aug....	138	185	186	73	458	120	938	207	210
Sept....	93	187	69	79	718	68	587	162	220
Oct....	134	287	134	67	292	54	986	258	403
Nov....	177	345	30	22	305	36	1,406	126	187
Dec....	358	194	276	21	98	72	1,721	183	140
<b>1946</b>									
Jan....	255	49	16	5	184	70	830	457	110
Feb....	169	232	17	41	205	72	891	343	284
Mar....	454	1,244	78	74	346	405	1,423	660	432
April...	578	1,134	399	724	651	371	1,743	825	464
May....	723	583	558	113	814	146	1,530	677	712
June....	169	310	309	91	565	101	1,553	1,597	391
July....	175	1,410	123	95	476	251	1,229	345	407
Aug....	294	435	325	68	482	186	2,019	580	193
Sept....	140	248	49	611	471	140	1,510	488	281
Oct....	496	842	271	60	339	155	2,736	654	436
Nov....	97	452	118	57	329	101	1,289	330	193
Dec....	440	115	309	422	354	26	5,391	620	104
<b>1947</b>									
Jan....	150	103	38	52	143	106	3,097	65	170
Feb....	707	199	29	34	343	45	2,273	564	193

Month	York Twp. North	Windsor	Brandon	St. Boniface	Winnipeg	Moose Jaw	Prince Albert	Regina	Saskatoon
<b>1945</b>									
Aug....	4,419	129	29	212	581	17	45	727	165
Sept....	1,026	159	3	108	709	23	80	94	281
Oct....	353	94	13	213	893	26	30	164	122
Nov....	832	176	8	72	948	334	19	40	119
Dec....	111	112	.....	665	211	65	1	74	1,070
<b>1946</b>									
Jan....	298	130	32	12	949	2	21	47	32
Feb....	210	636	5	50	275	54	19	68	47
Mar....	1,206	513	59	77	949	97	88	215	378
April...	1,547	289	65	448	2,323	211	316	1,401	1,241
May....	1,270	510	105	258	2,495	115	199	749	659
June....	703	422	43	198	642	67	.....	1,107	1,172
July....	839	197	37	62	782	52	99	533	275
Aug....	652	1,123	108	226	899	420	117	709	623
Sept....	583	441	39	87	876	125	42	464	727
Oct....	814	185	71	107	740	61	143	614	335
Nov....	760	614	.....	41	636	39	29	96	71
Dec....	418	557	480	481	325	35	20	22	782
<b>1947</b>									
Jan....	213	427	19	37	326	11	11	48	17
Feb....	221	79	25	127	1,558	.....	20	632	33

## CONSTRUCTION—Concluded

## 12. BUILDING PERMITS—\$000 Concluded

Month	Calgary	Edmonton	Lethbridge	Medicine Hat	New Westminster	Prince Rupert	Vancouver	Vancouver North	Victoria
<b>1946</b>									
Jan.	509	761	93	38	225	18	2,718	141	307
Feb.	476	197	116	63	301	8	2,733	107	371
Mar.	1,743	1,379	351	227	245	25	3,504	101	352
April	2,741	2,142	221	136	446	38	3,748	100	.....
May	2,056	2,545	157	115	166	14	3,059	73	.....
June	1,398	1,821	95	43	87	13	1,439	49	286
July	453	1,295	80	88	171	82	2,343	72	321
Aug.	528	957	134	30	118	10	1,705	85	252
Sept.	596	416	399	23	582	11	1,477	145	438
Oct.	1,023	2,182	287	50	170	5	1,608	32	430
Nov.	248	385	17	8	99	3	2,425	54	352
Dec.	162	939	73	7	99	1	1,377	59	538
<b>1947</b>									
Jan.	221	190	24	8	493	4	1,395	16	322
Feb.	433	164	78	83	333	12	1,664	87	290

Arrangements have been made to obtain returns commencing Jan. 1947 from 226 municipalities rather than 204. When first published the coverage is usually incomplete.

13. NUMBER OF DWELLING UNITS COMPLETED<sup>1</sup>

Item	Canada <sup>2</sup>	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.
<b>Number</b>										
December, 1946 <sup>3</sup> .	11,328	156	928	514	2,898	3,790	274	519	393	1,741
12 months to Dec., 1946 <sup>4</sup> .	44,713	166	1,912	2,016	10,342	14,832	2,953	2,440	3,137	6,800
Year 1945.....	34,528	69	1,074	838	10,398	10,806	1,704	1,572	2,151	5,787
<b>1946</b>										
Single Dwelling..	34,397	133	1,643	1,766	5,005	12,405	2,444	2,175	2,846	5,874
Seini-detached..	1,274	2	10	18	940	232	6	10	.....	56
Row or Terrace..	286	6	9	17	140	14	11	4	.....	85
Duplex.....	1,580	4	8	12	1,220	196	32	22	22	64
Triple.....	660	.....	.....	.....	597	54	.....	3	3	3
Apartment or flat	1,921	.....	19	34	1,102	277	23	10	35	421
BusinessPremises and Apartment or Flat.....	1,151	13	74	45	389	364	51	57	65	92
Other.....	11	.....	3	.....	5	2	.....	1	.....	.....
Conversions and Reconversions.	3,433	8	146	124	944	1,288	386	162	165	205
Summer Cottage <sup>5</sup>	1,508	20	271	87	293	635	14	74	25	89

<sup>1</sup> Source: Housing Statistics published by Public Finance Branch, based on a survey through 623 municipalities; includes unorganized areas of the provinces, and also the Northwest Territories and Yukon.

<sup>2</sup> Includes returns from the Northwest Territories and Yukon.

<sup>3</sup> These totals do not necessarily represent completions during the month of December, since some of the reporting agencies submitted returns during this month which covered all of the new dwelling units completed in the year 1946, and it is impossible to allocate these according to months.

<sup>4</sup> Subject to revision.

<sup>5</sup> Summer cottages are excluded from all the figures appearing above this line.

## IV. Internal Trade

## 14. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL SALES, 1935-1939 = 100

Month	Wholesale, Unadjusted							
	Total	Auto-motive Equipment	Drugs	Clothing	Footwear	Dry Goods	Groceries	Fruit and Vegetables
<b>1945</b>								
July.....	203.7	228.3	208.0	146.7	155.9	121.8	186.6	288.0
Aug.....	216.3	254.3	223.2	193.2	263.5	168.0	191.1	278.7
Sept.....	217.7	293.6	227.1	199.2	243.9	191.3	179.6	296.4
Oct.....	237.2	308.6	268.2	238.6	263.9	184.6	203.1	288.5
Nov.....	221.5	290.8	250.4	200.2	219.3	162.0	195.8	269.4
Dec.....	194.7	202.0	198.3	116.9	219.0	113.4	171.6	298.2
<b>1946</b>								
Jan.....	217.1	356.5	246.4	280.8	230.1	201.7	185.7	230.5
Feb.....	210.4	306.7	227.7	232.7	238.2	189.9	173.2	244.5
Mar.....	234.0	333.3	228.9	235.6	290.0	191.6	187.2	298.8
April.....	238.3	341.3	235.8	210.2	321.5	193.1	189.6	323.5
May.....	259.8	342.7	253.5	200.0	282.8	199.4	218.1	338.1
June.....	241.0	338.4	213.9	181.6	239.6	173.6	202.6	329.0
July.....	249.3	318.0	234.4	172.5	190.7	161.6	221.1	328.0
Aug.....	260.4	334.2	250.9	267.4	328.6	215.7	225.3	311.6
Sept.....	259.5	387.6	258.4	243.4	337.6	232.2	223.1	301.7
Oct.....	276.8	359.5	202.1	281.5	350.5	228.7	248.0	287.9
Nov.....	256.0	327.4	284.3	279.7	282.5	218.9	231.0	262.9
Dec.....	221.6	228.5	217.3	167.4	251.0	158.5	200.9	276.4
<b>1947</b>								
Jan.....	237.5		256.5	302.1	287.2	220.3	214.9	217.6

Month	Wholesale, Unadjusted		Retail Sales, Unadjusted					
	Hard-ware	Tobacco, Confectionery	Total	Country General	Depart-ment	Variety	Food	Restau-rants
<b>1945</b>								
July.....	203.5	258.4	170.6	182.2	133.2	196.7	178.2	208.7
Aug.....	218.9	265.1	178.1	186.1	155.7	191.9	188.7	212.4
Sept.....	228.6	250.5	187.2	175.4	201.6	194.2	174.3	204.4
Oct.....	246.6	290.6	203.8	191.5	220.9	218.2	182.4	207.4
Nov.....	236.5	275.5	213.3	182.5	258.3	249.9	185.9	204.6
Dec.....	201.6	272.8	256.1	209.6	279.6	400.0	215.5	201.8
<b>1946</b>								
Jan.....	228.5	254.8	160.0	137.6	137.0	144.1	182.4	190.3
Feb.....	258.0	227.9	167.1	140.2	162.3	157.6	182.2	181.9
Mar.....	283.8	272.0	210.3	168.9	222.2	199.9	213.5	209.7
April.....	279.2	293.7	212.0	187.3	213.3	221.3	203.7	207.5
May.....	300.5	340.0	217.1	212.6	208.8	221.6	212.9	210.7
June.....	286.6	302.4	216.5	201.6	191.9	233.2	222.3	210.1
July.....	281.4	317.3	195.4	208.3	159.7	222.5	196.9	219.3
Aug.....	292.5	308.0	215.0	219.6	197.2	234.9	218.4	225.8
Sept.....	280.5	293.6	207.7	188.6	239.1	218.5	184.6	210.7
Oct.....	297.2	337.4	227.1	205.4	254.8	246.7	202.2	217.0
Nov.....	290.7	312.1	245.4	202.3	304.4	291.0	209.8	210.6
Dec.....	249.4	304.7	282.2	223.7	325.7	449.4	224.6	205.9
<b>1947</b>								
Jan.....	265.5	280.8	181.1	148.7	164.8	160.1	201.4	197.6

## IV. Internal Trade—Continued

## 14. INDEXES OF RETAIL SALES, 1935-1939=100

Month	Family Clothing	Men's Clothing	Women's Clothing	Shoes	Drugs	Furniture	Hardware	Jewellery
Unadjusted								
1945								
July.....	177.9	153.6	165.5	189.9	178.4	134.9	208.9	218.4
Aug.....	168.6	141.3	168.7	176.9	180.8	137.9	204.0	235.6
Sept.....	200.3	209.8	211.9	205.3	184.6	148.6	212.1	215.1
Oct.....	264.9	252.0	246.3	197.7	196.5	169.6	228.0	229.6
Nov.....	260.3	256.2	243.7	209.4	195.6	164.2	221.0	291.7
Dec.....	311.2	308.0	303.1	258.1	287.1	166.7	231.1	677.6
1946								
Jan.....	144.2	141.3	148.8	110.0	195.2	145.9	158.7	168.6
Feb.....	154.3	160.9	155.2	116.1	185.4	155.5	161.5	196.4
Mar.....	229.3	220.9	253.8	215.2	199.7	195.9	217.7	220.9
April.....	252.3	221.7	259.6	215.9	198.0	225.9	257.9	244.3
May.....	239.0	208.7	236.0	211.1	200.3	222.1	298.2	256.6
June.....	243.7	227.4	228.9	257.7	198.6	204.0	288.4	266.0
July.....	203.0	173.9	185.8	189.0	201.5	186.0	273.7	250.0
Aug.....	222.8	182.4	197.8	198.8	208.4	203.8	277.2	267.8
Sept.....	217.1	213.3	222.2	201.3	200.0	197.4	258.5	239.0
Oct.....	287.0	254.5	263.4	208.5	211.7	213.4	266.0	238.1
Nov.....	311.7	306.1	285.3	230.1	214.4	209.0	270.7	305.0
Dec.....	336.0	346.6	334.1	.....	296.9	213.2	286.6	698.0
1947								
Jan.....	172.6	158.0	187.7	133.6	201.5	177.1	184.0	177.1

Month	Radio and Electricity	Adjusted						
		Total	Country General	Department	Variety	Food	Restaurants	Family Clothing
Unadjusted								
1945								
July.....	108.8	189.1	176.4	179.0	203.7	188.8	198.9	213.9
Aug.....	112.9	189.8	170.5	184.7	203.7	198.9	194.8	205.8
Sept.....	125.9	186.0	164.2	205.3	200.9	173.7	199.5	212.8
Oct.....	144.3	189.8	171.4	189.3	213.0	185.4	202.9	223.3
Nov.....	153.5	200.9	175.1	222.4	246.3	185.6	214.8	218.1
Dec.....	200.0	187.4	174.2	174.4	197.8	189.8	196.1	194.1
1946								
Jan.....	145.8	196.1	179.4	182.4	227.7	192.4	199.6	214.1
Feb.....	151.5	212.7	188.4	215.7	233.4	198.3	205.9	238.4
Mar.....	191.3	229.2	197.3	258.7	247.4	197.6	213.7	278.1
April.....	202.0	211.6	202.2	207.4	242.2	211.4	208.4	213.7
May.....	223.1	208.5	195.7	201.7	224.1	209.2	204.9	231.9
June.....	200.3	210.5	197.3	189.2	220.3	216.4	213.2	231.0
July.....	189.3	212.0	195.0	206.8	225.9	204.2	208.3	238.6
Aug.....	211.0	220.8	196.3	232.0	233.3	215.6	207.1	255.9
Sept.....	234.0	213.8	181.0	244.6	240.1	197.1	206.3	243.6
Oct.....	251.2	210.5	183.2	218.3	240.8	203.8	211.7	242.4
Nov.....	242.8	223.1	188.7	261.1	271.0	198.0	221.0	247.8
Dec.....	324.4	212.4	191.6	203.2	234.6	208.9	200.7	220.0
1947								
Jan.....	234.8	220.1	192.3	218.6	249.0	207.4	206.6	253.2

## IV. Internal Trade—Concluded

## 14. INDEX OF RETAIL SALES, ADJUSTED, 1935-1939 = 100

Month	Men's Clothing	Women's Clothing	Shoes	Drugs	Furniture	Hardware	Jewellery	Radio and Electrical
<b>1945</b>								
July	194.0	203.2	215.3	186.1	179.7	194.5	268.4	130.6
Aug.	190.5	212.5	202.2	181.2	134.8	190.6	244.5	124.0
Sept.	213.1	223.6	184.9	183.0	129.2	184.7	248.4	117.4
Oct.	215.0	210.2	197.0	190.4	143.9	198.3	247.5	121.0
Nov.	207.3	217.7	215.3	197.8	153.2	217.6	286.1	134.4
Dec.	178.5	196.2	179.0	226.6	141.0	210.4	266.8	156.9
<b>1946</b>								
Jan.	199.3	207.3	157.2	207.5	222.2	263.4	236.5	174.4
Feb.	256.0	247.0	196.2	205.7	199.3	295.9	282.0	196.3
Mar.	262.1	302.6	284.6	200.9	224.9	300.4	288.9	223.3
April	196.3	202.9	173.5	205.7	209.5	251.9	296.6	206.0
May	216.2	225.5	189.5	204.8	180.0	225.0	286.0	191.9
June	209.1	213.3	195.7	209.2	206.0	242.3	291.7	217.3
July	215.4	222.8	210.8	207.4	241.9	248.8	295.4	218.4
Aug.	228.3	240.4	210.4	204.2	190.4	250.5	277.9	231.7
Sept.	232.0	244.2	194.9	202.4	177.9	228.9	276.0	218.1
Oct.	218.0	224.9	207.0	205.1	181.8	232.2	256.6	210.5
Nov.	231.4	245.4	221.9	212.5	187.8	261.4	299.2	212.6
Dec.	213.7	224.0	218.3	239.8	184.6	263.9	272.7	254.5
<b>1947</b>								
Jan.	220.2	258.5	185.7	212.7	265.5	302.0	248.1	280.8

## V. External Trade

## 15. EXTERNAL TRADE, EXCLUDING GOLD \$1000

Month	Exports			Imports	Positive Balance of Trade	Duty Collected
	Total	Domestic	Foreign			
<b>1945</b>						
July	286,044	282,709	3,335	138,681	147,363	13,603
Aug.	300,632	295,049	5,583	128,134	172,498	12,767
Sept.	224,981	220,810	4,171	122,259	102,722	13,798
Oct.	232,895	227,901	4,994	134,404	98,491	14,329
Nov.	241,259	238,637	2,622	142,409	98,850	14,166
Dec.	236,404	234,826	1,578	121,192	115,212	15,484
<b>1946</b>						
Jan.	191,344	189,090	2,254	140,309	51,035	16,195
Feb.	154,735	153,143	1,591	116,996	37,738	13,191
Mar.	179,972	178,377	1,595	139,949	40,023	18,065
April	180,262	178,488	1,774	160,765	19,497	17,555
May	198,837	196,978	1,859	164,197	34,641	17,017
June	168,772	166,697	2,075	157,658	11,114	17,835
July	191,263	188,706	2,557	161,615	29,647	17,628
Aug.	245,994	242,685	3,309	163,224	82,770	18,515
Sept.	171,916	169,779	2,137	156,096	15,821	20,598
Oct.	206,608	204,150	2,458	186,393	20,215	22,280
Nov.	235,138	232,219	2,919	198,184	36,974	25,136
Dec.	214,325	211,903	2,422	181,913	32,412	25,141
<b>1947</b>						
Jan.	210,484	208,639	1,845	173,783	36,701	22,500

## V. External Trade—Continued

16. CANADA'S DOMESTIC EXPORTS BY CONTINENTS, EXCLUDING GOLD  
In Dollars

Month	Europe	North America	South America	Asia	Oceania	Africa
1945						
May.....	150,336,169	125,874,690	4,339,049	24,432,008	2,747,964	7,462,040
June.....	132,168,867	123,389,323	3,339,011	44,071,311	4,270,410	15,597,146
July.....	114,563,604	111,850,033	5,148,215	38,778,220	5,051,209	7,317,664
Aug.....	101,123,084	120,693,159	3,640,115	56,629,473	3,457,170	9,505,735
Sept.....	88,601,959	93,949,785	4,872,209	18,503,777	6,293,141	8,589,285
Oct.....	95,020,147	98,920,957	4,839,290	15,328,766	5,826,270	7,965,888
Nov.....	96,556,065	111,729,549	3,811,208	14,268,274	5,649,529	6,822,514
Dec.....	101,776,189	97,725,029	7,286,450	19,134,856	4,303,516	4,599,997
1946						
Jan.....	89,060,296	69,841,118	6,662,662	13,053,805	4,533,473	5,938,657
Feb.....	63,620,881	63,896,415	5,981,456	10,748,409	1,602,088	7,293,945
Mar.....	77,883,744	73,823,624	5,328,553	8,752,352	3,777,970	8,810,611
April.....	72,801,315	79,281,273	5,648,909	9,405,564	3,868,426	7,482,519
May.....	81,886,103	84,300,287	5,922,992	9,665,375	4,493,120	10,710,595
June.....	63,405,693	75,808,773	4,486,634	10,545,726	4,519,073	7,931,534
July.....	68,787,056	87,984,064	5,281,299	11,966,691	5,823,644	8,862,868
Aug.....	113,894,848	88,816,593	8,155,340	13,015,945	6,701,812	12,100,472
Sept.....	66,744,464	79,938,631	3,753,259	6,886,160	5,097,220	7,559,727
Oct.....	68,250,296	109,082,931	5,639,951	11,037,712	3,057,679	7,081,450
Nov.....	84,676,608	101,890,958	11,475,200	14,968,842	6,870,906	12,336,124
Dec.....	80,964,125	95,826,243	8,800,088	8,946,660	7,237,750	10,127,715
1947						
Jan.....	74,764,458	93,393,982	12,742,511	13,056,410	5,333,851	9,347,786

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

Month	Total	Mari-time Provinces	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia and Yukon
1945								
Aug.....	187,212	8,200	28,497	128,862	1,478	693	565	18,917
Sept.....	145,968	7,333	25,562	92,511	1,611	720	583	17,648
Oct.....	84,933	5,235	16,252	50,019	1,113	475	366	11,473
Nov.....	53,330	3,314	9,398	30,886	602	132	204	8,814
Dec.....	33,442	1,585	5,475	17,385	425	58	139	8,375
1946								
Jan.....	26,780	1,103	3,925	15,190	217	54	99	6,192
Feb.....	29,847	1,365	4,119	16,048	145	31	102	8,037
Mar.....	47,492	2,461	8,106	27,682	379	99	214	8,551
April.....	64,550	3,216	12,290	39,309	725	296	266	8,448
May.....	105,499	5,303	18,112	65,578	1,541	886	549	13,530
June.....	183,362	10,446	32,595	112,688	3,412	2,052	2,287	19,882
July.....	300,635	16,309	53,709	187,783	4,856	2,237	5,318	30,423
Aug.....	332,407	17,231	59,026	211,280	4,931	2,024	5,012	32,903
Sept.....	181,734	10,776	35,958	108,765	3,275	1,119	1,757	20,084
Oct.....	111,696	7,663	26,669	61,652	1,648	551	564	12,949
Nov.....	68,497	5,174	15,782	36,191	1,161	283	188	9,718
Dec.....	39,607	2,100	7,350	20,930	507	91	166	8,463
1947								
Jan.....	24,306	1,606	4,318	12,953	333	21	110	4,965
Feb.....	25,083	5,110	3,759	11,904	232	7	166	7,664

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## 18. IMPORTS BY PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES, EXCLUDING GOLD

Thousands of Dollars

Country	1946												1947
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
All countries.....	140,309	116,996	139,949	160,765	164,197	157,658	161,615	163,224	156,096	156,333	158,164	181,913	173,782
EMPIRE COUNTRIES.....	29,749	20,374	26,859	31,904	31,803	34,030	31,301	28,051	25,702	30,704	28,006	21,922	20,268
British East Africa.....	15	1	983	183	455	1	.....	214	645	775	261	69	432
British South Africa.....	1,052	814	730	777	962	461	535	765	492	362	358	585	300
Southern Rhodesia.....	7	9	7	5	5	6	8	7	7	10	12	9	5
British West Africa.....	128	881	954	824	2,215	1,233	853	1,122	7	163	244	1,828	36
Bermuda.....	3	2	.....	4	17	2	4	6	36	27	20	1	2
British India.....	4,339	745	2,141	3,553	2,436	1,948	650	1,334	4,768	861	3,390	1,707	1,775
Ceylon.....	434	41	333	351	433	515	3	324	304	175	677	154	104
British Guiana.....	29	448	1,018	553	307	1,300	1,189	1,536	1,390	1,671	2,146	599	57
Barbados.....	104	27	27	517	402	878	399	1,071	880	315	778	152	418
Jamaica.....	1,006	1,135	779	915	1,264	616	878	1,260	1,100	295	753	484	530
Trinidad and Tobago.....	73	135	437	146	182	335	401	560	259	897	584	178	569
Other British West Indies.....	97	67	44	37	61	71	30	50	40	53	113	126	22
Newfoundland.....	333	649	404	544	603	859	1,211	709	841	1,715	867	532	209
Australia.....	714	1,272	2,002	1,007	1,628	1,845	2,463	2,212	1,499	2,563	1,558	990	617
Fiji.....	638	.....	599	.....	718	.....	.....	303	.....	407	457	1	2
New Zealand.....	583	909	842	879	1,178	447	560	786	1,361	895	917	2,501	607
United Kingdom.....	20,068	12,994	14,435	21,224	18,780	23,394	21,896	14,512	11,983	15,828	14,858	11,684	14,257
FOREIGN COUNTRIES.....	110,561	96,622	113,091	128,861	132,393	123,628	130,314	135,172	130,394	155,688	170,068	159,990	153,514
United States.....	97,404	88,046	100,132	114,700	113,420	106,605	21,898	123,123	115,766	140,448	149,473	145,641	136,606
Argentina.....	542	391	417	359	538	683	415	661	2,247	1,000	5,631	1,487	2,253
Bolivia.....	.....	15	.....	.....	17	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Brazil.....	1,412	876	732	1,138	1,182	2,399	1,879	516	1,512	842	821	732	734
Chile.....	46	36	14	36	28	22	44	20	12	40	112	13	22
Colombia.....	1,198	671	658	654	710	1,334	1,129	913	985	870	291	294	788
Costa Rica.....	44	28	59	89	16	45	9	34	58	1,134	31	.....	2
Cuba.....	1,211	436	511	726	2,423	1,790	1,029	897	849	709	1,136	611	934
Ecuador.....	8	7	10	20	25	8	.....	4	1	24	10	40	13
Egypt.....	33	20	64	8	42	.....	3	.....	8	28	.....	46	16
Guatemala.....	107	43	652	295	849	294	173	181	101	78	1,035	99	71
Haiti.....	156	75	55	323	83	21	16	8	4	13	3,063	20	23
Honduras.....	710	982	1,370	1,069	1,702	2,071	1,358	1,343	1,153	519	1,390	1,305	857
Mexico.....	1,415	1,724	2,105	2,282	1,905	1,195	486	731	368	629	985	725	873
Netherlands West Indies.....	.....	1	207	62	28	939	352	246	352	325	271	393	11
Panama.....	1	.....	.....	.....	8	2	.....	1	1	1	25	.....	.....
Paraguay.....	.....	6	.....	.....	115	73	19	.....	32	.....	.....	18	52
Peru.....	2	166	23	7	184	152	4	10	5	5	264	25	84
Portugal.....	108	260	142	215	141	308	220	173	98	185	215	124	168
Salvador.....	34	66	650	680	628	.....	344	.....	13	1	12	.....	.....
San Domingo.....	878	429	515	34	1,551	118	539	53	725	1,223	338	721	166
Spain.....	534	461	443	452	450	465	335	319	181	335	235	274	231
Sweden.....	259	451	373	235	381	230	271	268	315	237	209	402	306
Switzerland.....	838	504	687	732	660	544	3,104	774	502	857	1,326	620	845
Puerto Rico.....	3	13	45	47	6	1	6	3	3	31	10	27	9
Uruguay.....	7	.....	7	23	36	34	172	110	63	39	96	31	105
Venezuela.....	1,595	1,207	1,384	1,787	2,871	2,176	1,832	2,966	2,470	2,981	2,288	3,330	2,085

## V. External Trade—Continued

## 19. SUMMARY OF CANADA'S IMPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD)

Thousands of Dollars

Classification	1946												1947 Jan.
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	
<b>Total Imports.....</b>	<b>140,389</b>	<b>116,996</b>	<b>139,949</b>	<b>160,765</b>	<b>161,197</b>	<b>157,658</b>	<b>161,615</b>	<b>163,224</b>	<b>156,096</b>	<b>186,393</b>	<b>198,164</b>	<b>181,913</b>	<b>173,782</b>
<b>AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS.....</b>	25,034	18,113	26,281	25,415	30,817	25,978	23,914	24,479	21,407	26,188	33,856	29,470	23,959
Fruits.....	6,703	5,673	6,982	7,371	8,558	9,849	9,969	8,629	5,721	7,356	8,113	10,473	7,709
Nuts.....	1,558	1,915	2,724	1,320	2,236	2,175	938	908	1,243	1,794	3,423	2,360	2,650
Vegetables.....	2,518	2,539	4,000	5,182	3,778	3,474	1,706	264	378	905	1,039	1,461	1,563
Grains and products.....	1,216	832	1,747	1,642	980	470	886	2,061	1,911	1,308	3,441	3,732	2,250
Oils, vegetable.....	1,321	921	893	1,030	1,310	800	607	671	484	828	4,822	1,317	2,487
Cocoa and chocolate.....	61	330	429	22	928	565	613	880	12	5	4,149	1,780	465
Coffee and chicory.....	2,017	598	1,568	1,657	2,079	1,652	2,077	917	1,640	979	572	406	447
Tea.....	2,717	.....	613	327	862	449	.....	665	1,536	364	2,008	666	542
Alcoholic beverages.....	1,142	915	893	848	830	864	1,013	1,109	1,049	1,218	1,253	1,768	1,016
Gums and resins.....	388	463	281	500	533	271	337	467	637	503	442	829	343
<b>ANIMAL PRODUCTS.....</b>	5,515	6,539	5,001	4,588	5,253	4,068	5,270	5,098	4,683	5,003	5,462	7,158	6,477
Furs (chiefly raw).....	3,635	3,680	2,503	2,015	1,879	1,568	1,540	2,074	2,304	1,957	2,161	1,966	1,862
Hides, raw.....	99	277	214	104	243	149	235	584	49	167	406	1,123	1,488
<b>FIBRES AND TEXTILES.....</b>	20,690	15,518	20,439	21,038	20,351	20,129	18,114	20,466	20,704	24,223	30,770	31,563	32,888
Cotton raw and linters.....	4,358	3,414	3,408	2,780	4,154	3,827	3,265	3,314	2,179	2,889	4,737	6,272	5,316
Cotton products.....	5,067	4,327	5,070	5,607	5,211	5,741	5,256	5,783	4,725	7,266	9,787	10,920	12,000
Silk and products.....	244	258	209	229	214	201	282	318	360	448	594	664	694
Artificial silk and products.....	1,513	1,179	1,703	1,775	1,625	1,846	1,548	1,947	1,859	1,946	2,575	2,586	3,169
Flax, hemp and jute (total).....	2,270	638	1,907	3,685	1,550	2,085	1,155	1,235	3,101	1,412	2,698	1,430	1,796
Wool (total).....	5,045	3,490	4,045	4,494	4,915	4,778	4,982	6,030	6,019	7,038	6,743	6,388	6,128
<b>WOOD AND PAPER.....</b>	4,837	4,884	5,831	6,334	5,667	5,824	5,595	5,481	5,365	6,507	6,880	6,428	6,514
Wood, unmanufactured (total).....	556	513	631	621	729	681	774	663	770	924	846	879	958
Wood, manufactured.....	699	691	779	1,028	930	1,012	876	919	889	1,122	1,265	1,257	1,551
Paper.....	1,359	1,411	1,660	1,646	1,575	1,509	1,465	1,389	1,600	1,830	1,762	1,632	1,668
Books and printed matter.....	2,224	2,270	2,761	3,039	2,433	2,622	2,480	2,511	2,107	2,625	3,007	2,660	2,337
<b>IRON AND PRODUCTS.....</b>	31,881	24,721	29,979	41,132	41,664	40,453	43,665	43,946	42,814	50,215	51,591	49,003	48,813
Castings and forgings.....	595	283	424	594	563	517	722	645	560	796	984	763	652
Rolling mill products.....	4,463	1,292	3,398	5,622	4,890	3,954	4,165	4,645	4,794	5,588	5,871	4,896	5,282
Engines and boilers.....	1,725	1,404	1,527	1,969	2,582	2,615	4,042	1,930	2,209	2,567	3,331	2,796	.....
Farm implements.....	4,376	3,857	3,892	4,667	5,127	5,428	6,674	8,072	5,873	6,495	7,043	7,048	7,164
Machinery (except agricultural).....	9,454	7,559	8,711	10,662	11,093	11,290	10,890	11,185	10,915	12,665	12,786	13,060	13,206
Tools.....	786	688	786	963	880	709	835	889	758	991	990	822	972
Automobiles and parts.....	5,030	4,840	5,988	9,418	8,854	8,040	7,402	7,730	9,087	10,911	10,770	10,085	10,196
<b>NON-METALLS</b>	8,559	6,300	7,210	9,331	9,793	11,190	10,458	9,631	10,000	13,916	12,963	10,928	9,725
<b>METALS.....</b>	3,278	3,104	3,434	4,106	4,107	4,055	4,044	3,706	3,790	4,523	5,016	4,624	4,792
<b>MINERALS.....</b>	22,827	19,674	22,236	24,347	24,464	23,776	28,044	33,630	33,140	37,905	34,742	27,828	26,604
Clay products.....	1,477	1,075	1,409	1,602	1,488	1,028	1,529	1,298	1,258	1,601	1,949	1,511	1,676
Coal.....	10,151	8,780	9,574	8,152	5,463	5,066	9,795	13,229	12,116	15,303	13,202	9,434	9,317
Coal products.....	1,126	1,267	1,121	862	794	814	1,025	1,273	1,384	1,208	1,188	667	1,005
Glass and glassware.....	1,527	1,384	1,778	1,888	1,865	1,725	1,861	1,739	2,201	2,480	2,725	2,084	2,145
Petroleum products.....	6,780	5,349	5,938	9,001	11,512	11,429	10,697	12,846	12,675	13,502	12,180	11,743	9,749
Stone and products.....	731	654	767	2,125	1,182	1,292	1,413	1,450	1,349	1,572	2,119	933	1,434
Chemicals.....	7,329	6,665	7,558	8,937	8,805	7,507	7,652	7,093	6,756	8,024	8,735	7,811	7,907
Acids.....	207	302	281	277	316	246	294	255	170	355	254	271	261
Cellulose products.....	413	515	537	605	601	618	599	483	526	482	676	501	469
Drugs and medicines.....	857	675	729	980	872	925	869	673	584	747	775	687	861
Dyeing and tanning materials.....	789	612	700	794	962	812	792	873	704	686	771	712	742
Fertilizers.....	486	365	320	506	470	175	252	335	364	362	528	399	293
Paints and varnishes.....	854	787	846	914	952	838	700	601	567	673	828	869	926
Inorganic chemicals (total).....	957	766	977	1,180	1,164	1,082	976	1,121	1,045	1,286	1,078	930	839
<b>MISCELLANEOUS COMMODITIES.....</b>	13,638	14,583	16,404	19,645	17,582	18,732	18,905	13,398	11,136	13,812	13,165	11,707	10,894
Films.....	167	175	227	303	203	162	163	284	185	129	257	136	204
Scientific equipment.....	899	856	949	1,276	1,084	1,282	1,177	1,184	1,084	1,337	1,369	1,330	1,195

## V. External Trade—Continued

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

Thousands of Dollars

Country	1946												1947	
	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	
All countries.....	153,143	178,377	178,488	186,978	164,697	188,766	212,685	169,779	204,150	232,219	211,963	208,639	179,565	
EMPIRE														
COUNTRIES.....	54,914	70,147	58,971	84,841	54,807	72,093	105,653	78,452	71,594	91,631	87,981	78,010	68,935	
British East Africa.....	164	103	277	298	123	203	175	114	99	240	312	259	139	
British South Africa.....	1,319	4,137	3,409	7,118	6,020	6,847	9,734	6,034	5,521	8,570	6,175	6,174	5,721	
Southern Rhodesia.....	332	260	223	481	229	218	333	233	137	418	280	368	401	
British West Africa.....	195	197	238	261	166	163	196	58	278	220	286	291	237	
Bermuda.....	132	245	241	358	324	299	474	340	258	348	511	520	245	
British India.....	7,325	4,819	2,301	4,508	4,143	4,347	2,158	1,248	4,161	3,226	2,386	2,218	1,171	
Ceylon.....	97	180	119	167	119	286	127	90	47	367	256	127	223	
British Guiana.....	464	526	383	637	586	582	1,052	587	667	666	553	817	683	
Barbados.....	379	451	445	594	576	618	950	316	511	624	461	712	429	
Jamaica.....	633	489	1,105	1,326	684	2,481	1,674	1,555	1,398	1,912	1,655	1,275	1,050	
Trinidad, Tobago.....	1,153	1,003	809	2,270	1,701	1,909	2,472	1,524	1,566	2,072	1,731	2,116	1,630	
British West Indies other.....	421	483	499	688	828	673	1,085	780	776	753	951	640	367	
Newfoundland.....	1,367	2,103	2,013	4,300	2,588	4,287	4,367	3,354	3,386	4,050	3,647	4,276	2,314	
Australia.....	933	2,439	1,722	3,183	3,160	3,734	5,056	3,291	2,373	4,991	4,321	4,322	4,722	
New Zealand.....	198	927	1,835	1,052	975	1,911	1,358	1,573	620	1,754	2,611	847	1,158	
Palestine.....	648	64	388	71	10	739	477	106	63	868	98	315	1,230	
Eire.....	705	610	87	463	106	575	359	397	1,022	1,360	1,433	500	538	
United Kingdom.....	37,885	50,549	40,974	54,902	30,621	40,407	71,852	54,258	47,665	57,885	59,360	50,465	44,871	
FOREIGN														
COUNTRIES.....	98,229	108,230	119,517	112,137	111,890	116,613	137,032	93,328	132,556	140,588	123,921	129,720	110,570	
United States.....	57,563	66,465	71,389	72,200	66,677	74,759	74,961	69,598	99,086	89,228	83,868	79,453	63,396	
Argentina.....	658	1,175	948	766	769	1,180	1,584	563	1,190	2,757	1,751	5,180	3,760	
Bolivia.....	26	42	69	58	37	58	71	12	18	38	47	64	63	
Brazil.....	1,654	1,324	1,714	1,404	611	1,224	2,756	1,420	1,701	5,230	2,924	1,781	2,334	
Chile.....	258	327	270	322	346	271	370	89	307	345	314	303	202	
China.....	894	2,042	2,017	1,916	4,021	4,343	8,722	3,082	5,032	5,588	2,218	4,310	3,317	
Colombia.....	881	430	891	886	808	887	817	380	204	804	1,290	1,193	832	
Costa Rica.....	58	118	126	46	77	93	115	48	9	38	33	317	96	
Cuba.....	327	421	395	356	411	503	337	406	507	398	430	857	426	
Ecuador.....	34	75	50	43	57	77	172	46	65	64	78	275	146	
Egypt.....	1,284	237	2,226	1,222	641	970	1,315	862	726	2,381	2,256	1,340	1,082	
France.....	6,203	8,743	7,585	5,290	6,350	4,358	8,408	3,643	6,079	7,911	6,519	7,441	5,395	
French Possessions.....	3,215	3,423	947	1,021	236	425	365	357	272	398	347	596	832	
Greece.....	8	224	1,645	526	1,654	2,538	546	435	1,333	220	280	936	360	
Guatemala.....	74	73	170	24	105	155	75	64	28	56	62	289	230	
Hayti.....	16	106	108	135	68	105	109	98	111	67	84	224	226	
Honduras.....	10	29	193	42	84	41	30	26	4	48	81	82	30	
Iceland.....	207	21	57	706	327	613	233	175	161	114	181	165	212	
Iraq.....	18	8	808	183	496	462	2	172	262	518	60	25	17	
Italy.....	984	37	2,817	694	5,103	1,705	3,735	1,034	102	912	1,528	773	2,010	
Mexico.....	968	793	691	847	928	979	980	959	737	887	1,205	750	776	
Morocco.....	597	153	3	129	26	6	47	2	17	87	19	176	41	
Netherlands.....	3,434	3,161	1,712	2,423	1,781	1,688	3,602	928	1,701	3,658	3,132	3,562	3,983	
Netherlands West Indies.....	10u	46	179	168	160	121	145	112	41	151	108	72	186	
Nicaragua.....	12	17	20	22	46	53	40	30	42	40	23	85	80	
Norway.....	1,288	3,032	1,201	1,743	1,616	259	2,520	1,307	1,646	1,560	1,600	1,728	745	
Panama.....	151	146	107	94	125	119	137	198	17	170	142	201	74	
Iran.....	66	27	103	39	38	30	20	6	13	31	16	70	28	
Peru.....	288	331	208	206	292	292	148	84	592	262	195	1,104	205	
Portugal.....	123	253	185	317	237	175	116	225	205	193	92	429	212	
Portuguese Africa.....	130	157	281	200	159	84	69	158	140	150	561	223	148	
Russia.....	2,021	2,198	204	1,738	668	540	500	33	370	192	408	529	736	
Salvador.....	19	94	27	4	98	38	70	31	3	39	14	155	41	
San Domingo.....	55	118	150	130	117	88	129	53	76	226	294	152	203	
Spain.....	1	12	186	2	.....	.....	.....	99	262	24	84	59	215	
Switzerland.....	110	533	459	241	976	262	1,852	364	1,052	501	1,843	260	1,036	
Turkey.....	74	261	237	314	272	98	44	27	4	84	194	373	68	
Hawaii.....	441	404	295	253	287	157	224	222	.....	73	256	24	52	
Puerto Rico.....	312	384	163	305	113	288	314	156	224	251	182	179	283	
Uruguay.....	112	203	187	120	124	113	252	96	239	590	418	368	140	
Venezuela.....	1,587	837	882	1,307	791	538	820	447	549	702	1,194	1,590	936	

## V. External Trade—Concluded

## 21. SUMMARY OF CANADA'S DOMESTIC EXPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD)

Thousands of Dollars

Classification	1946												1947	
	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	
<b>Total Exports</b>	<b>153,143</b>	<b>178,377</b>	<b>178,458</b>	<b>196,978</b>	<b>166,637</b>	<b>188,706</b>	<b>242,685</b>	<b>169,779</b>	<b>201,150</b>	<b>232,219</b>	<b>211,903</b>	<b>204,639</b>	<b>179,505</b>	
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS	36,692	47,703	46,431	53,013	37,995	45,119	42,897	33,772	60,880	68,802	57,023	56,932	39,917	
Fruits	208	80	113	135	93	208	1,456	2,420	2,222	4,337	2,964	1,807	1,762	
Vegetables	847	969	851	946	1,843	816	718	609	855	2,085	1,228	1,094	1,078	
Wheat	15,390	24,078	21,236	24,271	15,620	21,124	13,024	9,110	30,600	27,967	24,231	22,770	12,973	
Grains, other	1,204	1,327	1,204	1,776	3,600	3,482	2,302	2,481	7,600	8,562	9,454	3,165	1,699	
Wheat flour	8,801	8,252	11,936	13,655	8,702	9,646	16,382	10,831	9,304	13,000	7,250	13,737	12,269	
Alcoholic beverages	2,728	3,472	2,987	3,975	2,350	2,902	2,451	2,918	2,937	3,839	2,767	3,049	1,707	
Rubber and products	1,326	2,082	2,226	3,386	1,744	1,452	1,884	1,339	1,658	2,431	2,407	3,218	1,711	
Seeds	2,277	2,192	1,313	512	148	56	113	265	753	1,570	1,937	2,706	2,365	
ANIMAL PRODUCTS	29,522	30,820	24,146	29,782	24,419	26,419	41,023	30,064	29,664	26,359	30,531	28,509	26,117	
Cattle	896	1,152	1,336	1,915	1,863	2,112	1,812	1,501	1,710	1,653	1,205	808	629	
Fishery Products	5,218	6,830	5,205	5,865	8,701	9,307	7,768	8,037	10,085	7,016	5,665	7,554	5,737	
Furs (chiefly raw)	3,866	3,056	3,551	4,265	1,960	1,512	1,830	2,637	837	513	2,266	3,154	2,633	
Leather and products	864	958	1,002	1,669	1,618	1,527	2,098	1,244	1,648	2,084	1,121	1,983	1,581	
Bacon and hams	7,379	5,197	3,184	7,879	4,923	4,841	9,514	4,132	3,487	3,090	8,208	4,693	3,463	
Meats, other	6,753	7,401	6,189	3,619	2,750	2,379	3,458	3,078	4,585	4,743	7,883	7,090	8,802	
Cheese	1,152	64	80	89	85	53	7,062	5,204	3,190	1,749	1,302	467	13	
Milk products, other	553	585	606	796	965	1,355	2,414	1,731	1,319	1,199	748	693	545	
Eggs	2,000	4,358	2,088	2,837	858	2,184	2,725	923	1,650	3,132	1,267	1,214	3,953	
FIBRES AND TEXTILES	3,583	3,967	5,827	7,888	2,831	5,530	4,963	3,278	3,043	3,854	3,916	3,266	2,613	
Cotton	793	976	722	988	632	945	894	709	823	773	1,140	743	572	
Flax	219	235	498	361	127	252	283	96	89	68	67	51	64	
Wool	1,732	906	2,286	3,871	389	2,275	1,676	939	868	907	486	690	491	
Artificial silk	175	654	385	916	353	923	1,076	763	536	986	973	766	513	
WOOD AND PAPER	39,678	44,872	46,373	48,765	43,288	54,553	59,040	54,205	62,940	67,808	61,808	58,938	59,360	
Planks and boards	6,601	7,824	7,610	8,168	6,009	10,910	10,873	13,706	16,000	15,161	14,924	13,024	15,676	
Pulpwood	1,879	1,995	1,305	1,348	2,316	3,599	3,972	2,008	4,346	2,034	1,343	2,124	1,837	
Unmanufactured wood, other	2,828	3,784	4,671	4,004	2,367	4,580	5,809	6,057	5,514	7,542	5,849	3,813	5,874	
Wood pulp	8,971	8,660	9,284	10,450	9,057	9,375	9,391	9,313	10,179	10,867	10,224	11,916	11,202	
Paper, newsprint	17,259	19,527	20,999	21,808	21,535	22,729	25,248	19,550	24,005	28,697	25,697	24,913	21,921	
Paper, other	1,214	1,670	1,326	1,854	1,117	1,989	2,564	1,846	1,530	2,120	2,524	2,096	2,103	
IRON AND PRODUCTS	19,637	18,167	18,939	17,810	24,706	21,936	30,954	10,842	10,658	18,921	16,728	21,425	20,089	
Pigs, ingots, etc.	513	170	362	713	520	145	5				181	238	519	
Rolling mill products	572	753	415	673	647	616	483	331	332	772	801	356	849	
Locomotives and parts	4,875	3,018	1,530	2,301	2,744	1,637	2,375	37	105	3,026	3,082	1,684	3,472	
Farm implements	1,320	2,525	4,466	3,282	2,450	2,975	2,126	1,392	1,861	2,137	1,787	2,200	2,712	
Hardware and cutlery	193	356	319	353	307	319	882	315	300	330	390	451	429	
Machinery, other than farm	715	1,218	970	1,178	1,153	1,085	1,598	1,035	2,083	1,791	1,859	2,466	1,363	
Automobiles and parts	6,135	6,490	6,014	5,208	10,606	8,144	7,842	4,713	3,713	6,081	5,695	10,999	7,852	
NON-FERROUS METALS (excluding gold)	11,129	18,379	21,849	23,814	17,414	17,781	36,345	18,869	14,030	27,468	24,182	22,454	16,433	
NON-METALLIC MINERALS	2,900	3,817	3,850	4,809	4,987	5,825	5,836	5,122	5,337	5,727	5,661	5,470	4,270	
Coal	267	405	355	426	622	733	595	572	651	535	755	467	251	
Petroleum	189	148	75	338	217	667	613	285	671	616	495	745	249	
Abrasives	614	940	1,107	996	911	945	1,010	964	1,078	1,127	1,191	1,186	1,008	
Chemicals	5,286	5,034	5,577	5,826	5,155	5,911	6,605	5,261	5,780	5,402	5,620	6,671	5,033	
Acids	148	138	165	219	128	183	210	203	141	110	213	268	273	
Fertilizers	3,006	3,141	2,536	2,418	2,370	2,464	2,849	2,703	2,907	2,486	2,383	3,147	2,216	
Soda compounds	228	201	363	424	334	440	396	361	429	331	409	384	408	
Soda compounds	4,626	5,010	5,484	5,271	5,921	5,631	14,422	8,366	11,817	7,878	6,433	4,974	5,653	
Miscellaneous	612	651	593	617	506	646	506	633	586	501	415	452	311	
Films	280	231	181	338	161	227	195	225	226	159	148	258	133	

<sup>1</sup> Includes certain military stores.

## VI. Transportation

## 22. CANAL CARGO TRAFFIC

Canal	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
Sault Ste. Marie	1,899	6,290	12,323	14,987	14,021	14,314	14,907	11,485	1,449	.....	.....	.....	.....
Welland	846	1,054	809	1,530	1,605	1,449	1,571	1,365	350	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Lawrence	000 tons	206	728	272	893	984	960	941	750	36	.....	.....	.....

## VI. Transportation—Continued

## 23. RAILWAY FREIGHT LOADED IN TONS

Commodity	1945		1946									
	Dec.	Mar.	April	May	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		
<b>AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS.</b>												
Wheat.....	1,131,048	788,501	920,203	784,206	606,277	655,852	1,307,160	1,764,073	1,647,860	935,626		
Corn.....	19,865	16,491	18,711	9,715	2,235	3,633	3,056	3,743	17,499	35,496		
Oats.....	184,153	232,557	235,189	234,835	163,260	266,323	308,640	295,355	271,414	188,165		
Barley.....	190,032	92,376	119,241	134,654	107,030	210,934	403,115	219,215	194,501	105,404		
Rye.....	8,365	6,822	11,575	7,973	2,522	21,780	27,202	35,022	24,663	23,010		
Flaxseed.....	21,183	16,743	14,794	10,117	11,082	2,414	18,440	42,840	57,928	21,012		
Other grain.....	11,492	8,488	5,390	2,257	1,811	3,773	11,310	20,226	18,173	14,702		
Flour.....	155,029	198,447	201,815	188,279	175,967	146,018	170,257	163,744	169,235	161,687		
Other mill products.....	210,680	241,744	226,182	218,478	205,961	202,648	230,792	267,248	270,527	264,685		
Hay and straw.....	57,680	49,878	26,779	27,886	13,962	16,185	23,604	37,408	43,357	44,944		
Cotton.....	1,894	1,753	2,353	2,511	2,108	2,045	2,577	1,004	1,290	1,267		
Apples (fresh).....	23,180	6,939	5,951	225	845	4,060	25,020	82,592	70,923	56,098		
Other fruit (fresh).....	1,877	1,688	2,132	1,414	5,305	28,832	48,438	16,074	3,054	2,006		
Potatoes.....	46,119	40,975	33,130	24,248	15,836	14,398	29,638	88,337	76,296	54,941		
Other fresh vegetables.....	15,135	11,535	7,569	4,119	11,489	10,821	29,560	32,053	23,718	15,987		
Other agricultural products.....	115,673	43,751	36,930	35,165	29,079	29,698	36,092	212,504	185,882	162,759		
<b>ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS.</b>												
Horses.....	6,511	12,580	12,596	8,940	14,579	12,400	10,276	10,976	10,838	9,863		
Cattle and calves.....	69,096	42,775	39,585	37,826	55,986	73,043	72,734	99,553	100,842	57,469		
Sheep.....	3,310	3,037	1,777	659	1,936	5,079	5,904	13,270	7,667	3,713		
Hogs.....	27,598	24,612	22,602	21,857	14,000	12,703	11,678	18,457	22,482	22,990		
Dressed meats, Poultry (fresh), (cured, salted).....	39,505	22,162	17,063	10,678	16,335	17,496	22,243	25,264	20,539	24,957		
Other packing house products (edible).....	20,931	14,815	17,774	16,246	14,044	12,884	11,342	8,507	18,013	17,278		
Eggs.....	4,737	3,033	2,969	3,003	3,814	3,796	3,981	5,396	6,448	6,343		
Butter and cheese.....	2,043	6,240	6,196	5,972	2,339	1,517	5,409	7,458	1,942	2,892		
Wool.....	14,206	2,035	2,321	3,962	12,381	9,850	8,083	6,085	3,579	2,753		
Hides and leather.....	2,564	2,355	2,578	2,150	4,680	3,068	3,574	3,299	2,988	2,799		
Other animal products.....	8,801	9,133	7,155	6,864	5,216	5,557	6,508	7,197	7,550	7,460		
12,903	11,438	10,907	8,697	9,158	9,503	7,525	10,070	10,419	9,775			
<b>MINE PRODUCTS.</b>												
Anthracite coal.....	913	449	120	274	609	1,061	702	983	863	983		
Bituminous coal.....	593,435	768,848	686,876	714,620	621,015	653,353	649,299	745,955	727,287	705,997		
Sub-bituminous coal.....	407,875	252,536	172,768	168,168	119,587	208,308	206,353	223,190	240,719	285,159		
Lignite coal.....	99,069	104,109	53,716	46,039	39,363	49,829	95,025	136,021	151,364	161,470		
Coke.....	105,916	104,459	85,793	80,781	98,291	60,066	56,804	107,051	131,394	118,059		
Iron ore.....	47,034	25,066	113,856	118,063	270,294	261,545	261,965	284,631	160,129	53,217		
Other ores and concentrates.....	249,904	240,590	242,704	234,946	257,768	280,024	260,913	324,403	366,014	337,996		
Base bullion and matte.....	74,813	88,122	83,581	88,745	87,249	94,030	77,342	73,304	86,741	82,186		
Gravel, sand, stone (crushed).....	223,755	164,111	293,218	447,477	552,840	560,684	580,070	583,705	488,753	277,998		
Slate and block stone.....	4,286	2,916	3,322	4,131	3,028	3,434	3,639	4,267	4,283	2,907		
Crude petroleum.....	13,811	10,764	15,613	31,197	19,463	18,374	18,016	18,762	18,263	16,610		
Asphalt.....	8,384	11,564	14,139	22,538	65,580	59,778	46,187	34,106	15,729	12,070		
Salt.....	31,878	31,321	30,980	34,266	20,754	19,892	20,718	28,892	36,920	45,730		
Other mine products.....	189,675	215,770	216,200	245,401	249,802	246,422	252,218	291,011	250,853	221,011		
<b>FOREST PRODUCTS.</b>												
Logs, posts, poles, cordwood.....	195,246	277,489	167,970	185,411	264,940	254,707	217,324	224,417	174,928	176,447		
Ties.....	5,667	4,008	5,952	7,270	10,079	12,602	13,132	8,303	9,565	5,631		
Pulpwood.....	320,477	870,879	412,480	429,122	612,403	543,335	447,846	363,385	296,055	334,720		
Lumber, timber, box, crate, and cooperage material.....	405,100	432,868	398,345	442,269	552,486	658,718	623,072	603,304	531,942	493,739		
Other forest products.....	48,486	25,187	19,103	22,429	39,232	34,778	34,403	29,368	28,073	52,237		

## VI. Transportation—Concluded

## 23. RAILWAY FREIGHT LOADED IN TONS—Concluded

Commodity	1945	1946									
	Dec.	Mar.	April	May	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	
<b>MANUFACTURERS AND MISCELLANEOUS—</b>											
Gasoline, petroleum products.....	222,311	285,616	302,562	369,624	362,105	398,148	376,823	380,232	359,593	350,126	
Sugar.....	23,376	13,198	17,035	18,555	29,768	26,491	27,738	30,967	27,711	22,916	
Iron, pig and bloom.....	39,981	57,624	44,493	50,756	28,844	11,099	10,712	30,049	47,785	57,662	
Rails and fastenings.....	11,214	24,314	23,696	19,596	0,520	3,203	3,071	2,472	11,223	5,409	
Iron and steel (bar, etc.).....	109,176	110,108	97,664	109,804	72,358	31,439	33,320	81,107	95,904	87,931	
Castings, machinery and boilers.....	18,022	20,403	18,553	15,674	13,827	13,252	10,776	14,964	14,409	13,799	
Cement.....	26,658	49,111	110,825	150,942	143,386	120,165	113,876	115,204	90,395	57,519	
Brick and artificial stone.....	22,143	24,250	32,417	29,916	36,935	38,614	34,724	38,555	33,748	28,338	
Lime and plaster.....	31,747	38,040	42,616	46,792	41,012	39,985	36,774	40,578	42,177	39,469	
Sewer pipe and drain tile.....	4,059	4,484	5,307	4,511	6,577	6,442	5,970	5,300	4,664	4,129	
Agricultural implements and vehicles other than autos.....	17,274	23,279	22,484	20,985	22,477	24,165	11,960	18,798	17,974	18,228	
Automobiles and auto trucks.....	42,168	54,318	57,885	57,017	42,670	35,586	35,265	35,638	51,592	54,691	
Household goods.....	2,496	6,224	6,559	3,645	3,573	3,065	4,565	5,654	5,882	2,580	
Furniture.....	4,412	6,216	5,530	5,555	3,880	5,351	5,012	6,048	8,205	5,217	
Beverages.....	50,207	50,284	51,377	50,434	54,046	50,984	53,287	51,296	54,514	51,850	
Fertilizers, all kinds.....	143,336	231,226	224,047	205,305	84,297	129,819	169,166	165,688	143,159	135,381	
Paper, printed matter, books.....	299,336	337,740	336,120	317,100	308,126	297,976	300,594	328,751	302,526	339,769	
Wood-pulp.....	146,263	149,720	143,550	146,205	136,329	146,107	134,334	149,340	142,318	149,033	
Fish (fresh, frozen, cured).....	14,617	12,956	6,748	6,572	14,150	15,778	12,609	17,646	13,675	12,516	
Canned goods (all food products).....	68,460	53,421	38,992	41,326	43,436	50,505	66,357	74,413	82,470	74,789	
Other manufactures and miscellaneous.....	585,792	647,520	673,021	678,115	588,138	409,966	527,730	587,577	639,392	635,699	
Merchandise.....	231,094	282,822	286,085	274,579	246,554	250,569	249,562	271,132	257,066	241,304	
Grand Total 000 tons.....	7,634	8,154	7,712	7,891	7,759	8,018	9,034	10,050	9,475	8,096	

## 24. RAILWAY OPERATING STATISTICS

Month	Canadian National									
	Operating Revenues	Operating Expenses	Operating Income	No. of Tons Carried	Ton Miles	Passengers Carried	Passenger Carried One Mile	Total Pay-roll	Number of Employees	
									\$000	000
1945										
July....	35,474	27,233	7,863	6,177	2,789	2,572	365	16,634		97
Aug....	33,953	26,454	7,010	5,899	2,610	2,563	340	17,916		98
Sept....	31,413	26,616	4,351	5,447	2,487	2,023	275	16,068		97
Oct....	32,402	27,758	4,087	5,965	2,658	1,850	229	16,833		98
Nov....	30,278	25,559	4,133	5,837	2,644	1,617	172	16,275		97
Dec....	31,959	26,317	5,040	5,003	2,585	2,095	224	15,960		96
1946										
Jan....	27,318	25,277	1,568	5,188	2,220	1,819	192	16,185		94
Feb....	25,500	23,969	1,165	4,912	1,973	1,746	164	15,506		96
Mar....	28,663	24,763	3,479	5,517	2,428	1,920	185	15,908		97
April....	27,804	23,291	4,039	5,091	2,029	1,773	178	15,043		90
May....	27,465	23,602	3,379	4,959	1,982	1,537	146	15,559		91
June....	27,695	23,445	3,953	5,089	2,026	1,741	201	15,392		93
July....	30,150	24,946	4,858	5,478	2,021	1,973	220	16,901		96
Aug....	30,608	28,269	1,820	5,625	2,173	1,986	230	16,762		97
Sept....	30,336	27,506	2,298	6,111	2,484	1,552	161	17,793		96
Oct....	32,678	28,998	3,062	6,620	2,683	1,512	134	23,953		97
Nov....	32,495	27,567	4,245	6,086	2,599	1,442	128	18,699		95
Dec....	30,990	28,728	1,507	5,334	2,538	1,830	165	17,729		93

**VI. Transportation—Continued**  
**24. RAILWAY OPERATING STATISTICS—Continued**

Month	Canadian Pacific									
	Operating Revenues	Operating Expenses	Operating Income	No. of Tons Carried	Ton Miles	Passengers Carried	Passenger Carried One Mile	Total Pay-roll	Number of Employees	
1945	\$000	\$000	\$000	000 tons	000,000 tons	000	000,000 passengers	\$000	000	
July....	29,164	22,526	3,896	4,763	2,396	1,914	326	11,951	66	
Aug....	26,973	22,663	3,816	4,645	2,161	1,933	326	12,142	65	
Sept....	26,191	21,910	2,711	4,485	2,252	1,290	259	11,386	64	
Oct....	28,780	22,199	4,570	5,019	2,468	1,273	240	11,925	65	
Nov....	25,955	21,504	3,324	4,698	2,294	1,197	221	11,585	65	
Dec....	25,080	20,699	3,217	4,267	2,049	1,513	208	11,442	63	
1946										
Jan....	23,472	20,781	1,218	4,190	2,019	1,341	196	11,652	64	
Feb....	22,727	19,726	1,360	3,885	1,846	1,336	195	11,184	64	
Mar....	25,360	21,343	1,699	4,435	2,150	1,403	197	11,919	65	
April ..	22,760	20,034	1,203	3,938	1,726	1,259	159	11,370	65	
May ...	22,739	20,478	1,048	3,968	1,654	1,135	161	11,622	66	
June....	23,292	20,919	1,433	3,718	1,619	1,297	189	11,305	66	
July....	24,222	21,246	1,490	3,849	1,658	1,578	226	11,858	64	
Aug....	25,407	22,874	2,720	4,151	1,859	1,523	232	11,945	64	
Sept....	26,048	26,259	Dr. 1,011	4,714	2,263	1,156	174	11,298	63	
Oct....	26,856	20,855	4,816	5,172	2,401	1,089	126	11,754	64	
Nov....	26,501	20,212	3,746	5,045	2,247	1,122	123	12,077	63	
Dec....	25,161	20,058	3,120	4,297	2,039	1,345	148	12,939	64	

Month	All Railways									
	Operating Revenues	Operating Expenses	Operating Income	No. of Tons Carried	No. of Tons Carried One Mile	Passengers Carried	Passenger Carried One Mile	Total Pay-roll	Number of Employees	
1945	\$000	\$000	\$000	000 tons	000,000 tons	000	000,000 passengers	\$000	000	
July....	70,913	54,061	11,663	14,580	5,692	4,947	735	30,529	174	
Aug....	66,784	53,434	8,596	13,909	5,251	4,945	706	31,327	175	
Sept....	62,709	52,681	7,828	13,041	5,159	3,702	569	29,334	172	
Oct....	66,299	54,106	9,413	14,062	5,495	3,446	498	30,626	173	
Nov....	61,247	51,281	7,745	13,592	5,298	3,118	425	29,719	172	
Dec....	61,778	51,480	8,068	12,196	4,803	3,959	465	29,273	170	
1946										
Jan....	55,797	52,637	135	12,453	4,644	3,516	424	29,771	169	
Feb....	53,343	47,606	2,974	11,965	4,215	3,416	392	28,560	171	
Mar....	59,128	50,016	5,556	13,250	4,981	3,630	412	29,587	171	
April...	55,903	47,559	5,594	12,287	4,156	3,369	367	27,169	164	
May...	55,459	48,170	4,890	11,928	3,983	2,970	335	28,949	166	
June....	55,841	48,403	5,466	11,619	4,055	3,337	420	28,384	168	
July....	60,029	50,585	6,890	12,255	4,048	3,942	484	30,835	170	
Aug....	61,690	55,602	2,914	12,813	4,406	3,951	501	30,815	171	
Sept....	62,174	58,379	1,735	14,010	5,142	3,114	373	31,834	169	
Oct....	65,305	54,201	8,509	15,059	5,467	2,940	292	37,877	171	
Nov....	64,791	52,362	8,400	14,405	5,267	2,862	279	33,686	169	
Dec....	61,926	53,318	5,075	12,836	4,814	3,440	341	32,980	168	

## 25. SHIPPING AT SIX LARGE PORTS

Net Registered Tonnage of Vessels Cleared

—	Saint John			Halifax			Quebec		
	Coasting	External	Total	Coasting	External	Total	Coasting	External	Total
<b>1945</b>									
Sept.	80,854	67,146	148,000	7,277	80,366	87,043	301,246	116,774	418,020
Oct.	70,579	64,429	135,008	10,813	164,789	175,602	106,867	81,845	188,712
Nov.	73,705	48,904	122,609	27,701	186,552	214,253	63,643	72,754	130,397
Dec.	78,013	151,888	229,901	18,421	208,922	227,343	8,271	53,988	62,259
<b>1946</b>									
Jan.	85,457	180,250	271,707	17,988	316,786	334,774	.....	.....	.....
Feb.	59,193	150,945	210,138	35,047	240,981	276,028	.....	.....	581
Mar.	87,966	212,826	300,792	32,332	405,939	438,271	581	.....	.....
April	90,231	160,615	250,846	43,351	282,264	325,615	29,970	17,692	47,602
May	82,734	57,657	140,391	27,260	292,073	319,333	82,869	39,844	122,713
June	71,126	27,100	98,226	30,834	208,560	239,394	360,495	28,855	389,350
July	102,603	29,605	132,208	23,933	230,541	254,474	392,491	61,216	453,707
Aug.	87,307	42,303	129,610	20,233	242,955	263,188	393,490	44,212	437,702
Sept.	66,318	36,968	103,286	39,010	245,443	284,453	258,938	30,819	289,757
Oct.	51,379	69,435	120,814	37,392	200,899	238,291	146,116	61,813	207,929
Nov.	85,794	44,910	130,704	39,469	215,000	254,469	95,334	65,264	160,598
Dec.	75,419	153,318	228,737	35,494	220,311	255,805	19,045	27,226	46,271
<b>1947</b>									
Jan.	84,792	179,178	263,970	34,341	270,442	304,783	520	.....	520
Feb.	63,687	189,187	252,874	27,542	258,978	286,520	.....	.....	.....

—	Montreal			Toronto			Vancouver		
	Coasting	External	Total	Coasting	External	Total	Coasting	External	Total
<b>1945</b>									
Sept.	303,897	430,301	734,198	231,682	191,023	422,705	550,896	237,184	788,080
Oct.	177,753	487,998	665,751	117,730	185,805	303,535	491,913	240,408	732,321
Nov.	163,025	483,049	646,074	96,695	160,949	257,644	541,297	271,227	812,524
Dec.	15,856	28,364	44,220	43,042	49,947	92,989	565,638	250,331	815,969
<b>1946</b>									
Jan.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	483,915	319,421	803,336
Feb.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	494,257	295,312	789,569
Mar.	.....	.....	.....	1,422	.....	1,422	543,230	375,072	918,902
April	99,599	69,341	168,940	85,680	68,102	153,782	513,827	332,354	846,181
May	258,308	350,717	609,025	134,934	70,700	205,634	576,132	341,597	917,729
June	272,494	474,521	747,015	62,790	167,276	230,066	630,898	256,835	887,733
July	378,497	553,984	932,481	282,475	216,017	498,492	743,480	226,756	970,236
Aug.	356,989	490,613	847,602	288,985	220,942	509,927	785,476	208,809	1,054,285
Sept.	369,734	534,367	904,101	198,230	192,322	390,552	638,808	308,282	947,090
Oct.	222,975	556,481	779,456	118,706	173,419	292,125	629,924	273,692	903,616
Nov.	240,824	515,887	756,711	151,523	167,382	318,905	562,437	356,994	919,431
Dec.	14,889	46,431	61,320	40,921	12,724	53,645	552,494	402,962	955,458
<b>1947</b>									
Jan.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	546,070	399,871	945,941
Feb.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	485,809	387,638	873,447

## 25. SHIPPING AT SIX LARGE PORTS—Concluded

Cargoes (in External Trade) Loaded and Unloaded  
Tons Weight (2,000 lb.) Tons Measurement (40 cu. ft.)

Month	Saint John				Halifax				Quebec			
	Loaded		Unloaded		Loaded		Unloaded		Loaded		Unloaded	
	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment
<b>1945</b>												
Sept.	68,397	54,371	28,989	10,292	66,802	.....	19,854	.....	43,270	.....	62,088	.....
Oct.	66,716	28,752	22,235	1,108	39,990	.....	26,523	.....	55,634	.....	60,118	.....
Nov.	48,482	19,392	26,079	21,322	71,485	125	65,736	.....	54,521	.....	47,641	.....
Dec.	223,185	38,353	47,296	9,161	109,875	9,658	83,120	.....	59,988	.....	.....	.....
<b>1946</b>												
Jan.	290,561	23,976	63,884	19,383	174,313	12,309	61,834	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Feb.	227,897	17,950	56,617	9,345	120,473	20,492	100,032	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mar.	316,919	29,876	52,019	8,550	251,060	.....	156,777	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
April	226,482	12,876	53,400	8,166	156,388	.....	77,036	.....	27,747	.....	3,569	.....
May	76,232	7,462	30,367	5,868	103,593	192	98,884	.....	18,730	.....	21,075	.....
June	44,776	847	10,591	8,314	32,161	1,258	125,073	.....	29,957	.....	12,853	.....
July	28,115	33	19,785	1	45,499	92	57,660	.....	27,490	.....	51,643	.....
Aug.	20,330	1,310	23,513	269	40,319	.....	152,570	.....	29,231	.....	43,656	.....
Sept.	23,020	.....	19,706	1,689	31,183	.....	60,496	.....	22,215	.....	66,210	.....
Oct.	48,007	46	29,806	120	66,217	.....	121,950	.....	42,780	.....	56,620	.....
Nov.	35,927	.....	36,508	406	56,322	.....	74,664	.....	42,324	.....	35,096	.....
Dec.	168,701	15,712	34,088	2,833	04,543	629	120,250	156	6,536	.....	9,233	.....
<b>1947</b>												
Jan.	273,600	20,932	49,272	3,756	175,783	2,135	136,029	236	.....	.....	.....	.....
Feb.	258,559	14,081	25,725	20,041	185,528	4,334	139,098	409	.....	.....	.....	.....

Month	Montreal				Toronto				Vancouver			
	Loaded		Unloaded		Loaded		Unloaded		Loaded		Unloaded	
	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment
<b>1945</b>												
Sept.	462,434	76,832	345,590	2,933	.....	.....	262,383	.....	182,275	1,500	107,655	9,490
Oct.	656,512	36,808	254,207	19,363	.....	.....	302,254	.....	183,868	5,876	94,306	.....
Nov.	603,053	62,378	397,439	9,095	.....	.....	270,216	.....	204,802	.....	130,204	172
Dec.	56,249	3,312	33,662	70	.....	.....	118,630	.....	184,906	11,764	110,075	48
<b>1946</b>												
Jnn.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	280,901	.....	133,548	.....
Feb.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	258,473	.....	91,823	.....
Mar.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	284,062	12,128	141,280	155
April	75,821	4,097	26,357	3,410	.....	.....	111,717	.....	257,789	.....	123,171	224
May	530,852	52,795	116,170	9,933	587	.....	95,268	.....	205,739	.....	104,764	622
June	644,425	73,123	243,035	13,205	494	.....	225,085	.....	128,070	349	120,185	870
July	464,052	97,846	428,839	7,252	358	.....	295,104	.....	74,033	985	114,790	7
Aug.	398,696	39,002	549,300	11,994	873	30,629	318,552	.....	100,180	648	102,150	2
Sept.	549,206	23,698	498,930	12,058	1,301	.....	265,869	.....	127,321	6	167,240	.....
Oct.	560,465	71,414	608,874	2,612	918	.....	269,266	.....	180,464	440	136,355	363
Nov.	585,789	45,086	468,403	3,660	769	.....	301,355	.....	250,600	950	130,797	1,044
Dec.	63,214	7,437	20,520	304	.....	.....	56,221	.....	278,482	322	170,327	8
<b>1947</b>												
Jan.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	344,148	75	164,950	2,596
Feb.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	213,670	517	148,782	293

## 26. CARLOADINGS

Month	Cars of Revenue Freight Loaded on Canadian Railways							
	Grain	Grain Products	Hay and Straw	Fruits, Fresh	Vegetables, Fresh or Green	Other Agricultural Products	Live Stock	Butter, Cheese, Eggs
1945								
Aug.	46,024	12,511	1,359	2,170	1,834	546	10,803	852
Sept.	46,236	12,733	1,997	3,006	3,656	695	11,795	883
Oct.	57,369	13,982	2,795	3,563	7,389	3,880	15,959	890
Nov.	48,257	14,346	3,467	1,466	5,677	3,077	15,806	697
Dec.	29,953	12,972	3,619	1,264	3,295	1,620	10,369	612
1946								
Jan.	27,850	13,304	3,238	981	2,966	1,308	9,776	540
Feb.	10,771	12,641	2,760	565	2,300	800	8,201	508
Mar.	27,624	14,192	2,919	502	3,322	823	9,821	408
April	25,810	13,571	1,613	440	2,184	664	8,610	502
May	24,800	14,247	1,772	186	1,484	759	7,951	601
June	21,890	13,227	1,102	397	759	460	8,240	641
July	20,699	12,847	933	736	1,788	490	9,668	854
Aug.	32,546	13,552	1,233	2,933	2,208	661	11,258	625
Sept.	45,267	14,397	1,710	4,940	4,329	883	10,084	606
Oct.	50,917	16,235	2,562	7,170	8,357	3,577	15,570	771
Nov.	44,079	16,202	3,019	3,719	5,479	3,608	14,707	364
Dec.	26,498	14,913	2,740	2,606	3,349	2,584	8,323	399
1947								
Jan.	23,239	14,890	2,659	1,818	3,376	1,723	7,832	716
Feb.	17,169	12,923	2,168	1,244	3,065	840	6,488	564

Month	Fresh Meats and Packing House Products (edible)	Other Packing House Products	Other Animal Products	Coal	Coke	Ores and Concentrates	Base Bullion, Matte, Pig and Ingots (non-ferrous metals)	Sand, Stone, Gravel, Plaster, Lime, Brick, Cement, Sewer Pipe, Tile
1945								
Aug.	2,048	249	360	19,954	3,544	11,813	2,012	17,313
Sept.	2,249	217	676	20,932	3,418	8,774	1,843	15,524
Oct.	3,191	300	599	23,003	3,197	10,196	2,016	16,760
Nov.	3,652	324	575	29,239	2,774	8,739	1,732	12,746
Dec.	3,568	341	525	25,534	3,085	5,911	1,431	9,336
1946								
Jan.	2,990	223	506	27,511	2,779	5,973	1,370	8,429
Feb.	2,311	167	496	25,356	3,121	5,678	1,316	6,771
Mar.	2,209	195	429	24,448	3,520	6,861	1,568	9,883
April	1,864	197	490	18,841	2,459	8,264	1,653	14,195
May	1,774	185	603	20,751	2,759	8,144	1,486	18,340
June	1,829	200	552	19,790	3,508	10,864	1,723	18,881
July	2,043	191	797	19,240	2,931	10,452	1,879	19,100
Aug.	2,361	190	851	22,160	2,611	11,486	1,751	19,431
Sept.	2,240	203	917	23,032	2,237	11,481	1,404	18,522
Oct.	2,726	272	1,196	26,398	3,247	12,970	1,509	20,014
Nov.	3,379	271	767	27,559	3,196	10,610	1,846	16,879
Dec.	2,835	242	574	26,093	3,326	6,070	1,827	10,905
1947								
Jan.	2,117	293	710	25,807	2,453	6,961	1,969	9,902
Feb.	1,792	173	507	19,911	2,153	7,177	1,436	9,664

## 26. CARLOADINGS—Concluded

Month	Cars of Revenue Freight Loaded on Canadian Railways							
	Other Mine Products	Logs, Piling, Cord- wood	Pulp- wood	Lumber, Lath, Shingles	Other Forest Products	Gasoline, Petro- leum Oils and Products	Sugar	Iron and Steel Products (Manu- factured)
<b>1945</b>								
Aug.	3,704	5,450	14,920	17,179	3,683	13,833	1,501	5,580
Sept.	3,225	4,618	12,435	15,287	2,877	12,031	933	5,592
Oct.	3,582	4,776	9,596	16,322	3,007	12,136	1,440	5,667
Nov.	3,282	5,575	8,127	13,875	3,727	10,561	1,192	5,746
Dec.	3,300	5,147	11,530	11,386	3,327	9,631	883	5,073
<b>1946</b>								
Jan.	2,722	5,580	23,614	10,536	2,442	9,953	1,135	5,737
Feb.	2,739	6,443	23,558	10,114	2,274	9,387	745	4,742
Mar.	3,184	6,916	20,610	12,127	2,534	11,405	836	6,392
April	3,667	4,225	10,135	11,157	2,450	12,188	938	6,343
May	4,371	4,252	11,679	13,145	3,562	15,600	982	6,774
June	3,888	4,826	17,674	14,502	3,443	14,289	983	6,253
July	4,323	6,731	20,093	19,903	3,600	15,849	1,115	4,320
Aug.	4,196	6,494	17,581	20,982	3,832	17,188	1,115	3,296
Sept.	4,203	5,382	13,968	18,557	3,086	15,817	1,022	3,553
Oct.	4,889	5,688	11,229	18,992	3,457	15,722	1,213	5,352
Nov.	4,564	4,755	9,252	17,181	5,142	14,924	1,132	6,275
Dec.	4,284	4,518	12,319	13,593	2,973	14,452	876	5,916
<b>1947</b>								
Jan.	4,299	4,978	22,871	13,674	2,370	14,282	845	6,850
Feb.	3,414	4,741	23,036	13,336	1,922	12,236	790	6,476

Month	Cars of Revenue Freight Loaded on Canadian Railways							
	Imple- ments, Tractors, Mach- inery, Boilers	Autos, Trucks and Parts	Ferti- lizers	Wood Pulp and Paper	Canned Food Products	Other Products of Manu- factures and Miscel- laneous	Mer- chandise L.C.L.	Total Revenue Cars Loaded
<b>1945</b>								
Aug.	2,499	5,418	1,760	14,342	1,390	24,946	64,305	313,902
Sept.	1,803	3,663	2,227	13,258	1,756	22,745	62,728	299,812
Oct.	1,650	3,926	2,222	14,799	2,026	24,292	70,233	340,673
Nov.	1,999	2,849	2,496	14,667	2,240	24,592	68,120	321,622
Dec.	1,906	2,892	2,262	14,069	1,932	22,083	63,091	271,947
<b>1946</b>								
Jan.	1,982	4,060	2,729	16,688	1,726	22,972	65,733	287,439
Feb.	1,838	3,364	3,586	15,696	1,466	20,320	64,073	263,107
Mar.	2,233	3,729	4,898	17,942	1,529	23,798	75,543	302,390
April	2,496	4,244	4,437	17,124	1,297	24,334	76,061	282,453
May	2,490	4,182	3,615	16,961	1,284	24,750	76,294	295,783
June	2,452	3,872	1,967	15,887	1,125	23,284	72,675	291,183
July	2,603	3,761	1,533	16,294	1,342	23,138	75,161	304,504
Aug.	2,305	3,357	2,028	16,658	1,497	22,650	76,182	325,218
Sept.	1,532	2,533	2,039	15,216	2,350	23,227	69,508	324,325
Oct.	2,035	3,344	2,225	17,196	2,579	24,923	78,918	371,343
Nov.	2,251	4,078	2,133	17,039	3,215	25,106	76,320	349,146
Dec.	1,775	4,206	2,515	17,103	2,246	22,673	71,404	294,838
<b>1947</b>								
Jan.	2,130	4,804	3,323	18,330	1,938	22,135	72,880	302,175
Feb.	2,047	4,262	3,307	16,939	1,723	21,551	67,459	269,613

## VII. Employment

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

Classification	1946											1947	
	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
<b>Eight Groups.</b>	<b>167.2</b>	<b>167.0</b>	<b>168.9</b>	<b>169.3</b>	<b>169.9</b>	<b>173.6</b>	<b>172.8</b>	<b>175.5</b>	<b>178.1</b>	<b>182.7</b>	<b>185.7</b>	<b>181.0</b>	<b>181.1</b>
MANUFACTURING.....	182.8	182.6	184.9	186.2	184.7	187.2	184.2	187.2	188.4	192.8	194.2	190.6	193.9
Animal products—edible.....	223.4	210.1	212.2	214.5	225.4	240.9	250.8	252.0	242.2	252.8	248.7	230.7	220.6
Fur and products.....	154.0	153.0	157.8	161.3	161.2	154.2	159.7	160.7	166.8	173.6	169.8	150.7	142.2
Leather and products.....	149.0	152.1	155.9	155.9	155.0	154.7	154.8	156.4	157.6	150.1	158.9	155.0	160.0
Lumber and products.....	117.2	119.5	122.9	126.2	104.0	131.2	138.8	142.2	140.1	137.9	134.2	132.3	134.3
Rough and dressed lumber.....	93.6	96.0	99.4	103.8	75.1	109.8	119.0	122.7	120.4	116.1	110.3	168.9	111.9
Furniture.....	142.2	146.0	147.1	149.1	146.1	149.2	152.8	157.4	157.9	161.3	164.4	164.4	166.6
Other lumber products.....	181.9	181.9	187.9	190.0	171.7	194.9	200.2	193.9	196.9	197.1	195.0	191.2	187.9
Musical instruments.....	36.1	35.9	36.9	37.4	37.7	37.9	38.0	38.2	38.6	38.6	39.4	30.8	41.4
Plant products—edible.....	161.4	156.8	157.0	157.5	159.1	166.2	180.9	202.4	228.3	208.0	194.5	178.5	182.1
Pulp and paper products.....	152.9	153.8	155.2	157.0	159.8	163.6	165.7	167.3	167.3	167.6	167.0	164.1	166.0
Pulp and paper.....	133.9	134.9	137.4	140.8	145.4	149.7	153.5	155.2	153.4	151.4	149.0	145.5	137.6
Paper products.....	237.3	236.4	235.2	235.0	236.2	242.0	240.6	244.0	250.3	252.9	252.7	248.2	255.0
Printing and publishing.....	149.4	150.6	151.4	152.0	153.1	155.4	160.7	157.7	157.6	160.3	161.8	160.2	160.1
Rubber products.....	184.1	186.1	188.5	187.1	188.2	162.4	109.9	110.6	113.8	101.3	188.7	189.8	193.5
Textile products.....	163.8	166.3	167.5	166.1	164.5	158.2	156.8	161.1	165.3	167.8	169.5	165.3	172.2
Thread, yarn and cloth.....	167.7	170.6	171.1	168.8	165.4	152.8	155.1	161.7	169.0	171.0	173.4	172.4	178.2
Hosiery and knit goods.....	159.0	160.5	160.8	159.5	159.3	154.3	153.9	157.0	157.1	159.2	162.0	158.1	162.3
Garments and personal furnishings.....	159.0	162.9	165.2	164.1	163.6	161.1	156.4	159.8	164.3	167.4	168.9	161.5	171.3
Other textile products.....	171.1	172.2	174.0	173.8	173.0	172.6	168.6	169.7	169.7	171.6	170.7	165.6	171.0
Tobacco.....	145.9	137.0	127.8	114.5	114.3	117.9	114.4	121.0	124.4	126.1	136.2	139.9	151.7
Beverages.....	278.8	275.1	282.4	255.8	290.0	299.9	300.2	308.9	312.0	312.8	306.7	304.2	299.1
Chemicals and allied products.....	324.0	323.5	327.2	323.8	325.6	324.4	317.3	317.2	315.6	328.3	331.2	324.6	328.0
Clay, glass and stone products.....	154.8	154.9	160.3	162.9	167.2	172.0	170.5	163.9	160.2	164.3	173.0	171.9	179.1
Electric light and power.....	160.0	161.9	165.2	168.4	175.8	184.1	191.4	193.0	189.4	184.8	182.0	178.2	175.0
Electrical apparatus.....	283.9	285.6	281.9	290.2	291.4	295.7	255.0	268.1	270.1	305.1	317.0	323.2	325.5
Iron and steel products.....	204.3	202.8	206.8	208.9	208.9	205.6	197.0	195.8	194.2	203.2	206.3	205.0	208.4
Crude, rolled and forged products.....	253.0	254.1	257.4	259.0	257.3	255.5	209.0	184.5	182.4	248.5	259.4	260.0	260.8
Machinery.....	225.5	229.2	232.5	232.7	234.2	233.7	236.0	227.8	237.8	240.7	247.0	252.3	254.1
Agricultural implements.....	164.8	169.3	166.5	164.6	164.0	165.3	165.3	160.8	166.1	168.9	170.8	167.3	172.5
Land vehicles.....	160.8	159.3	166.2	172.3	173.2	167.3	165.8	164.8	161.8	163.4	166.0	165.7	167.6
Automobiles and parts.....	214.6	207.2	220.1	256.4	263.8	241.1	241.6	240.3	236.0	244.6	253.3	249.2	258.3
Steel shipbuilding and repairing.....	575.4	538.7	544.5	535.0	527.4	509.7	490.8	477.1	475.1	478.4	474.4	453.1	474.0
Heating appliances.....	193.6	193.5	193.0	191.6	185.0	194.1	198.3	198.2	194.6	200.8	203.5	190.3	208.2
Iron and steel fabrication.....	180.1	177.1	176.3	178.7	181.1	182.1	178.9	181.7	181.1	175.2	185.9	187.5	193.1
Foundry and machine shop products.....	204.3	210.9	222.8	220.4	213.6	211.0	209.0	216.6	215.3	218.1	221.8	217.0	224.3
Other iron and steel products.....	223.6	225.5	227.7	229.8	221.0	222.7	218.5	219.4	217.1	223.3	221.4	218.9	222.4
Non-ferrous metal products.....	281.4	286.6	291.0	293.7	291.3	293.2	285.4	287.5	285.2	304.1	307.8	316.4	
Non-metallic mineral products.....	214.2	214.7	217.0	217.4	225.1	226.6	213.1	240.2	212.0	208.8	206.7	204.9	207.5
Miscellaneous.....	287.9	291.3	294.0	296.1	290.7	293.4	287.9	286.2	281.5	290.4	299.0	295.2	307.2
LOGGING.....	343.5	339.5	303.6	223.9	193.7	197.0	188.5	193.5	241.7	298.5	353.9	365.7	376.0
MINING.....	150.8	152.9	152.8	155.7	157.5	150.5	156.6	157.5	154.5	156.5	159.8	153.9	161.6
Coal.....	96.5	95.0	96.0	94.6	93.7	93.9	92.4	92.8	93.7	93.8	97.2	89.1	97.7
Metallic ores.....	264.3	270.9	273.6	276.2	280.3	278.3	266.7	266.4	262.6	269.4	272.0	275.1	286.6
Non-metallic (except coal).....	156.0	156.1	161.7	173.7	184.5	201.0	209.4	202.4	197.2	199.4	202.7	191.3	185.7
COMMUNICATIONS.....	127.3	128.4	132.4	135.4	141.4	146.4	151.1	152.9	151.9	153.6	154.7	155.3	
Telegraphs.....	134.0	134.6	133.0	134.0	137.3	139.5	138.3	139.6	137.7	138.3	137.0	133.8	133.4
Telephones.....	124.7	126.2	131.4	135.2	141.8	147.6	153.8	155.8	155.0	157.0	155.6	159.3	159.7
TRANSPORTATION.....	122.2	121.3	124.0	127.7	126.8	128.3	129.6	131.4	132.3	135.7	135.8	132.0	130.6
Street railways and cartage.....	197.2	197.0	199.6	203.5	207.7	209.0	213.3	214.8	219.0	220.0	218.8	217.7	
Steam railways.....	109.8	109.1	109.8	108.9	106.9	107.2	109.3	110.3	110.6	112.9	111.7	112.8	111.2
Shipping and stevedoring.....	70.1	77.0	86.4	106.6	103.6	108.0	104.1	108.9	114.2	117.3	121.3	99.1	98.1
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE.....	102.4	101.3	106.0	115.2	131.1	141.7	148.1	152.3	151.0	151.9	145.8	125.1	121.8
Building.....	121.4	118.3	123.1	130.9	142.9	154.5	162.3	165.6	165.6	171.8	171.3	158.7	160.2
Highway.....	99.1	95.6	106.8	138.1	167.0	180.6	190.0	199.0	201.8	194.4	181.4	136.3	115.5
Railway.....	85.9	89.1	87.5	77.8	85.7	92.3	94.4	94.9	91.7	91.1	85.7	80.8	87.0
SERVICES.....	211.9	211.7	217.1	219.1	224.3	233.3	239.8	239.3	235.1	224.9	227.0	223.7	224.8
Hotels and restaurants.....	208.9	208.5	210.8	213.5	221.3	234.5	244.8	245.8	238.4	224.5	227.1	225.1	224.9
Personal (chiefly laundries).....	217.6	218.0	229.4	230.0	230.3	231.0	229.9	226.6	228.7	225.8	227.4	221.1	224.7
TRADE.....	178.6	179.9	184.8	186.7	187.7	191.1	190.0	192.1	196.8	201.3	212.0	212.3	198.5
Retail.....	183.9	185.3	191.0	193.0	194.3	197.5	165.0	197.4	204.0	209.5	224.1	224.6	204.5
Wholesale.....	166.4	167.0	169.9	169.9	172.3	175.9	178.1	179.8	180.0	182.0	183.8	183.7	184.8

## VII. Employment—Continued

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

Classification	1946												1947	
	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	
<b>Eight Groups.....</b>	<b>173.6</b>	<b>174.0</b>	<b>175.5</b>	<b>175.7</b>	<b>169.9</b>	<b>170.3</b>	<b>167.9</b>	<b>165.7</b>	<b>169.3</b>	<b>174.1</b>	<b>180.5</b>	<b>188.0</b>	<b>189.1</b>	
MANUFACTURING.....	190.2	186.4	186.2	184.4	181.0	183.1	179.9	181.8	182.3	189.9	196.5	204.1	201.8	
Leather and products.....	155.2	150.3	151.1	149.6	151.3	155.3	151.5	151.3	152.4	160.4	165.9	175.4	166.7	
Rough and dressed lumber.....	115.0	116.8	119.8	110.7	106.6	89.7	94.2	100.5	105.4	115.7	123.6	139.8	138.1	
Furniture.....	142.9	146.6	148.3	150.1	148.3	152.6	160.3	158.9	150.5	149.8	153.8	174.3	167.4	
Musical instruments.....	40.2	41.2	45.1	46.1	45.6	42.0	37.8	33.2	31.7	30.7	31.5	40.0	40.2	
Pulp and paper.....	141.6	142.3	143.4	142.1	142.2	145.0	143.1	149.2	148.8	148.0	140.7	151.2	157.2	
Paper products.....	245.1	240.2	238.5	235.9	234.3	242.2	239.9	231.7	244.0	245.1	245.1	260.7	263.4	
Printing and publishing.....	147.9	152.3	152.6	153.4	152.8	157.0	156.9	158.3	157.7	159.5	159.5	158.6	158.5	
Rubber products.....	185.0	183.0	187.6	188.8	188.9	182.6	110.8	111.5	114.0	160.0	182.6	193.1	104.5	
Textile products.....	164.7	163.2	162.3	161.6	162.4	160.0	161.8	162.7	163.2	165.0	170.3	174.1	173.2	
Thread, yarn and cloth.....	168.2	168.5	169.6	168.8	165.1	155.3	155.6	161.0	169.9	170.7	171.1	174.3	178.6	
Hosiery and knit goods.....	160.8	160.2	158.1	158.1	160.4	155.4	155.6	155.9	157.2	153.8	156.1	162.8	164.8	
Clay, glass and stone products.....	180.6	181.6	180.5	184.0	155.8	156.2	156.3	147.7	146.6	156.2	176.1	195.1	209.1	
Electric light and power.....	166.6	165.5	170.2	171.7	175.0	181.7	184.4	185.2	182.6	183.7	184.0	181.1	180.6	
Electrical apparatus.....	290.3	294.7	289.1	294.6	293.1	255.0	263.8	259.7	292.0	313.2	330.5	335.9	335.9	
Iron and steel products.....	201.8	194.8	194.4	190.7	199.4	202.2	201.6	206.0	204.6	212.0	266.0	216.2	207.2	
Crude, rolled and forged products.....	250.6	250.1	237.7	247.2	247.0	255.6	192.6	193.0	188.6	252.4	263.9	286.7	257.5	
Machinery other than vehicles.....	232.2	233.6	233.5	233.2	232.8	229.4	231.4	232.8	235.4	238.2	247.5	253.0	214.1	
Agricultural implements.....	161.7	153.4	147.5	150.0	146.7	143.0	158.0	186.7	190.0	197.1	196.1	188.6	169.3	
Logging.....	235.0	272.3	335.1	317.4	253.4	276.5	284.4	203.3	275.4	231.6	236.7	255.7	258.8	
Mining.....	150.5	155.0	158.7	162.4	162.0	162.7	255.0	154.2	149.0	148.6	153.3	153.4	161.3	
Metallic ores.....	271.1	276.4	279.8	281.0	282.6	278.1	260.1	260.0	255.1	259.8	268.2	280.9	293.9	
Non-metallic minerals (except coal).....	176.1	176.2	178.7	186.6	179.5	187.8	193.7	185.3	179.8	187.3	195.9	204.0	209.6	
Telephones.....	127.8	129.0	133.8	137.5	142.2	145.4	150.3	151.6	152.3	155.7	157.3	160.3	163.6	
TRANSPORTATION.....	129.2	129.3	131.2	128.3	125.4	124.5	124.1	125.1	126.6	131.0	133.5	138.4	138.1	
Street railway and cartage.....	202.9	202.5	205.3	206.2	207.7	207.6	210.1	208.3	211.4	216.4	221.8	222.8	224.0	
Steam railways.....	113.4	112.8	113.6	112.0	108.6	106.1	106.5	106.1	105.9	110.3	111.0	113.8	114.9	
Shipping and stevedoring.....	100.8	97.7	99.0	99.0	97.3	97.3	96.5	99.4	106.1	109.1	126.1	125.0	125.0	
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE.....	129.8	126.2	132.8	132.4	131.2	124.1	122.4	124.7	124.4	130.0	151.1	152.4	154.4	
Building.....	148.6	148.1	151.2	142.3	140.4	142.5	141.7	142.4	140.4	146.8	164.0	184.9	196.1	
Highway.....	124.5	120.3	128.0	102.9	174.4	155.4	154.7	104.0	167.5	164.9	187.4	164.2	146.4	
Railway.....	08.1	09.7	103.2	82.5	78.1	79.0	81.4	79.7	80.9	89.8	98.7	93.3	90.3	
HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS.....	215.9	218.0	224.8	226.1	221.1	219.1	218.2	235.5	229.4	234.3	231.6	254.8	254.8	
TRADE.....	185.6	190.8	185.9	186.5	187.1	188.4	191.3	184.0	196.1	198.4	203.7	203.4	200.3	
Retail.....	186.9	190.1	195.7	195.5	195.7	196.9	200.4	203.3	206.7	208.7	214.1	203.8	208.0	
Wholesale.....	170.2	172.0	173.6	172.7	173.2	175.0	176.5	177.3	174.7	176.0	180.4	186.3	189.0	

## 29. OTHER LABOUR FACTORS, IMMIGRATION

Month	LABOUR FACTORS						IMMIGRATION	
	Employment <sup>1</sup>			Strikes and Lockouts				
	Applications	Vacancies	Placements	Disputes in Existence	Number of Employees	Time Loss in Working Days	Percentage Unemployment in Trade Unions	Total
1945	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	p.c.	No.
June.....	191,749	189,782	121,535	13	2,926	5,138	.....	2,569
July.....	215,073	228,590	137,510	27	11,975	45,497	0.5	1,315
Aug.....	104,587	203,348	109,564	27	13,190	41,122	.....	1,715
Sept.....	236,712	211,149	125,833	17	19,819	184,556	.....	1,551
Oct.....	282,877	237,505	147,197	18	25,868	419,242	1.4	1,520
Nov.....	241,984	165,536	113,390	24	31,054	422,673	.....	1,422
Dec.....	166,070	110,275	70,547	13	10,619	261,619	.....	1,481
1946	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	p.c.	No.
Jan.....	208,346	144,401	65,374	12	2,935	20,593	3.0	2,794
Feb.....	155,329	107,405	50,555	18	3,532	12,406	.....	2,281
Mar.....	151,501	129,539	57,078	28	5,976	46,068	.....	7,603
April.....	165,791	190,000	52,008	24	6,907	47,116	1.9	6,339
May.....	141,503	162,771	73,308	35	47,730	564,925	.....	7,691
June.....	152,822	155,144	81,702	36	70,688	935,188	.....	7,148
July.....	179,011	180,926	89,919	42	40,752	918,285	1.3	9,127
Aug.....	145,482	162,487	70,193	33	42,407	867,252	.....	9,401
Sept.....	149,544	178,246	72,431	33	33,030	657,601	.....	6,550
Oct.....	186,357	207,328	92,992	27	32,919	303,296	1.0	4,760
Nov.....	162,422	155,553	71,961	18	8,185	33,800	.....	4,029
Dec.....	157,579	128,681	61,851	10	2,256	23,904	.....	3,942
1947	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	p.c.	No.
Jan.....	162,132	118,696	57,139	12	3,302	28,519	1.5	2,760
Feb.....	132,923	114,749	50,806	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

<sup>1</sup> Statistics are given for four or five-week periods. See Labour Gazette for further information.

## VII. Employment—Continued

## 31. VITAL STATISTICS (1) AND SEASONALLY ADJUSTED INDEXES OF EMPLOYMENT, FIRST OF MONTH, 1926 = 100

Month	Vital Statistics			Maritime Provinces	Quebec	Ontario	Prairie Provinces	British Columbia
	Births	Marriages	Deaths					
1945								
July.....	12,544	6,576	4,792	170.9	178.4	176.4	140.4	173.1
Aug.....	11,305	5,475	4,578	169.6	177.2	174.9	139.4	167.8
Sept.....	11,259	6,081	4,551	167.2	171.3	172.1	136.6	169.4
Oct.....	11,998	5,841	5,019	165.1	167.6	163.9	134.9	164.1
Nov.....	10,794	4,614	4,980	171.3	168.0	166.8	140.4	169.3
Dec.....	11,127	4,891	5,440	185.6	171.0	171.2	151.6	174.7
1946								
Jan.....	11,677	3,781	5,867	171.3	177.3	179.6	157.3	177.4
Feb.....	10,697	4,089	5,186	170.8	177.3	179.2	155.2	173.0
Mar.....	11,539	4,065	5,333	170.9	179.7	176.8	156.3	167.9
April.....	13,281	4,734	5,125	176.4	186.1	180.2	160.8	169.3
May.....	13,769	6,041	5,116	175.7	178.5	178.8	158.8	165.8
June.....	13,479	8,819	4,572	173.7	174.6	177.2	155.5	166.7
July.....	14,186	7,575	4,956	169.1	172.5	176.2	153.4	154.2
Aug.....	14,802	6,783	4,605	161.9	172.6	173.0	152.3	158.2
Sept.....	14,218	7,869	4,504	165.9	174.5	172.9	150.4	163.2
Oct.....	14,825	5,841	5,000	171.1	176.6	172.7	147.4	168.1
Nov.....	14,180	4,614	5,162	173.8	177.1	179.3	152.9	177.4
Dec.....	14,445	5,170	5,153	184.7	182.9	186.7	162.3	187.8
1947								
Jan.....	14,280	3,662	5,658	171.3	193.6	194.5	165.7	195.1
Feb.....	14,045	4,939	3,979	172.6	195.1	193.9	165.8	196.2

(1) Cities of 10,000 or over.

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

Month	Montreal	Quebec	Toronto	Ottawa	Hamilton	Windsor	Winnipeg	Vancouver
1945								
July.....	167.7	225.2	185.7	158.5	170.2	260.1	137.5	228.2
Aug.....	165.7	214.6	179.2	154.0	171.9	278.4	137.1	222.4
Sept.....	163.6	201.6	177.1	152.4	170.1	286.5	135.6	219.8
Oct.....	158.0	189.5	169.0	151.7	168.6	178.4	136.7	204.5
Nov.....	158.3	185.5	170.6	157.1	166.7	174.4	142.9	206.6
Dec.....	162.9	173.8	172.4	167.3	169.4	124.3	148.0	209.5
1946								
Jan.....	170.9	173.7	178.0	175.1	173.6	194.9	150.6	211.0
Feb.....	169.3	168.3	178.5	171.1	172.2	227.0	145.2	202.3
Mar.....	170.1	164.9	180.2	172.3	169.4	215.7	146.0	192.3
April.....	171.1	167.7	181.1	174.1	172.1	231.4	148.2	192.4
May.....	167.3	162.8	178.1	171.7	173.2	234.5	147.1	189.8
June.....	163.6	161.7	175.9	167.8	173.3	242.9	146.0	175.9
July.....	163.5	166.5	176.2	169.9	174.7	235.1	148.4	191.0
Aug.....	162.2	165.8	173.0	170.4	144.2	246.5	148.4	186.2
Sept.....	167.0	165.1	173.8	172.5	142.7	257.5	148.6	192.5
Oct.....	166.4	167.8	173.5	174.7	142.2	251.5	151.2	198.0
Nov.....	167.3	170.9	177.3	178.5	154.0	258.8	156.2	208.0
Dec.....	174.6	174.7	182.4	186.3	173.1	256.4	159.4	218.6
1947								
Jan.....	187.6	176.9	191.0	191.5	178.9	256.3	157.3	227.0
Feb.....	186.5	176.2	190.7	187.1	179.4	242.4	156.1	225.7

## VII. Employment—Continued

## 31. INDEX NUMBERS OF EMPLOYMENT IN CITIES, 1926 = 100

Month	Without Seasonal Adjustment							
	Montreal	Quebec	Toronto	Ottawa	Hamilton	Windsor	Winnipeg	Vancouver
<b>1945</b>								
Aug.	171.8	221.7	180.6	158.8	173.6	267.8	140.1	231.3
Sept.	169.2	210.7	179.8	156.7	168.9	258.4	139.9	229.7
Oct.	164.5	196.3	173.3	156.2	168.4	162.9	140.7	209.3
Nov.	164.9	189.6	174.7	159.0	169.2	162.2	146.1	207.4
Dec.	165.7	173.3	177.7	168.0	172.6	123.7	150.4	206.3
<b>1946</b>								
Jan.	158.6	167.1	173.0	168.6	169.8	181.3	147.6	197.9
Feb.	159.0	158.9	174.1	164.8	170.5	228.1	141.6	192.8
Mar.	161.1	159.4	174.8	167.0	168.9	226.9	141.2	187.1
April	164.0	162.7	177.5	170.4	172.3	255.7	142.7	189.7
May	165.6	162.8	177.4	171.9	172.8	263.8	144.6	191.3
June	169.0	164.4	176.8	170.8	173.0	266.7	145.7	179.8
July	169.9	167.7	176.9	173.1	175.9	241.2	149.9	191.8
Aug.	168.1	171.5	174.5	175.7	144.7	237.1	151.7	194.0
Sept.	172.7	172.5	176.4	177.3	141.7	232.6	153.4	201.2
Oct.	173.2	173.8	178.2	179.9	142.1	229.6	155.6	204.1
Nov.	174.4	175.0	181.5	180.6	172.9	240.7	159.8	210.0
Dec.	177.9	174.2	187.2	183.7	176.2	244.4	161.9	216.4
<b>1947</b>								
Jan.	174.1	169.5	185.5	184.4	174.9	238.4	154.3	212.9
Feb.	175.1	166.3	185.0	180.2	177.6	243.6	152.2	214.0

## 32. EMPLOYMENT AND PAYROLLS, JUNE 1, 1941 = 100

Month	Manufacturing								Logging	
	Total		Durable Goods		Non-Durable Goods		Electric Light and Power			
	Employment	Aggregate Payrolls	Employment	Aggregate Payrolls	Employment	Aggregate Payrolls	Employment	Aggregate Payrolls		
<b>1945</b>										
Aug.	121.5	152.9	129.2	164.5	114.5	141.4	107.3	122.2	115.7	
Sept.	118.2	148.0	122.1	154.2	114.7	142.7	108.7	121.7	114.6	
Oct.	112.1	140.4	108.1	137.2	116.3	145.5	106.9	122.9	129.6	
Nov.	110.9	139.3	105.9	134.5	115.8	145.7	108.9	124.3	175.0	
Dec.	109.6	136.7	103.1	129.6	115.9	145.7	109.9	128.8	206.4	
<b>1946</b>										
Jan.	107.1	121.2	101.9	113.3	112.0	130.1	109.5	125.7	217.6	
Feb.	108.5	135.4	103.8	129.9	113.7	142.3	106.7	127.0	217.0	
Mar.	108.7	135.3	103.8	128.7	113.5	143.3	108.0	128.3	214.5	
April	110.1	138.7	105.7	132.8	114.3	145.8	110.2	132.0	191.8	
May	110.8	137.1	107.3	131.7	114.2	143.8	112.3	134.1	141.4	
June	109.9	134.3	104.4	125.4	114.9	144.4	117.3	139.7	122.4	
July	111.4	138.5	107.3	131.2	114.9	146.5	122.8	146.6	124.4	
Aug.	109.6	137.5	103.8	127.4	114.6	148.6	127.7	148.9	119.1	
Sept.	111.4	140.1	104.2	128.1	117.7	153.4	128.8	148.7	122.2	
Oct.	112.1	143.0	103.3	129.9	120.1	157.8	126.4	148.3	152.7	
Nov.	114.2	147.5	106.5	136.5	121.1	160.1	124.5	147.8	181.7	
Dec.	115.6	153.6	109.2	143.9	121.6	165.2	121.4	147.7	223.6	
<b>1947</b>										
Jan.	113.5	141.5	108.8	132.6	117.9	151.6	118.9	147.9	231.0	
Feb.	115.4	156.8	110.7	148.8	120.0	166.5	116.7	148.1	237.5	

## VII. Employment—Continued

## 32. EMPLOYMENT AND PAYROLLS, JUNE 1, 1941 = 100—Concluded

Month	Logging	Mining		Communications		Transportation		Construction and Maintenance	
	Aggre-gate Payrolls	Employ-ment	Aggre-gate Payrolls	Employ-ment	Aggre-gate Payrolls	Employ-ment	Aggre-gate Payrolls	Employ-ment	Aggre-gate Payrolls
1945									
Aug....	157.5	81.8	101.0	125.3	144.2	129.4	154.6	85.8	112.6
Sept....	158.2	81.2	98.5	127.0	148.9	129.9	156.1	80.1	119.8
Oct....	179.1	81.0	100.4	127.0	148.9	128.8	156.9	89.7	120.4
Nov....	230.7	81.7	100.2	128.8	152.3	128.9	155.0	94.0	126.8
Dec....	263.0	84.9	105.2	130.3	153.3	129.6	156.1	95.0	125.9
1946									
Jan....	299.4	84.1	97.7	130.8	156.3	126.7	151.2	77.5	97.8
Feb....	285.0	85.1	106.4	131.0	155.6	123.7	148.4	73.7	100.1
Mar....	316.0	86.3	108.6	132.1	160.0	122.8	153.3	72.9	101.6
April...	276.6	86.8	109.0	136.2	162.8	125.5	152.3	76.3	104.4
May....	198.7	88.0	107.1	139.3	170.1	129.3	154.9	82.9	111.3
June....	153.1	88.9	109.7	145.5	174.8	128.3	151.5	94.3	126.9
July....	184.7	90.0	112.3	150.6	179.2	129.9	154.9	101.8	138.5
Aug....	192.8	88.4	108.8	155.5	184.9	131.2	158.6	106.5	148.4
Sept....	195.5	87.9	109.0	157.3	186.9	133.0	161.9	109.6	153.7
Oct....	234.0	87.2	111.0	156.3	189.8	134.8	171.0	109.5	153.7
Nov....	286.7	88.5	112.1	157.9	196.2	137.3	173.2	109.7	155.5
Dec....	332.3	90.2	113.6	159.2	193.8	137.4	180.3	104.9	149.7
1947									
Jan....	380.5	86.9	96.6	159.8	198.9	133.6	175.8	92.9	121.3
Feb....	378.9	91.2	120.0	159.6	196.8	132.2	177.2	87.6	127.6

Month	Services		Trade		Eight Leading Industries		Finance		Nine Leading Industries	
	Employ-ment	Aggre-gate Pay-rolls	Employ-ment	Aggre-gate Pay-rolls	Employ-ment	Aggre-gate Pay-rolls	Employ-ment	Aggre-gate Pay-rolls	Employ-ment	Aggre-gate Pay-rolls
1945										
Aug...	123.6	152.5	109.3	127.2	114.6	143.0	112.0	130.3	114.5	142.4
Sept....	124.7	154.0	104.6	127.3	113.2	141.1	112.0	130.2	113.2	140.6
Oct....	122.8	154.7	112.6	130.9	110.5	137.8	115.4	136.4	110.7	137.7
Nov....	123.2	154.7	115.9	134.3	112.1	139.3	116.0	137.4	112.3	139.2
Dec....	123.6	156.5	122.6	139.6	113.4	139.5	116.3	137.7	113.6	139.3
1946										
Jan....	121.3	148.3	123.5	140.2	110.2	127.0	116.7	138.2	110.4	128.1
Feb....	123.1	155.8	113.9	135.0	109.5	135.1	117.1	139.1	109.8	135.7
Mar....	122.9	160.9	114.7	137.6	109.4	137.3	120.4	145.4	109.8	137.6
April...	126.1	163.9	117.9	141.4	110.6	139.1	123.6	148.1	111.1	139.5
May....	127.2	166.0	119.1	143.2	110.9	137.6	123.5	148.6	111.3	138.0
June....	130.3	167.9	119.7	144.5	111.3	136.6	123.9	149.3	111.8	137.0
July....	135.3	176.4	121.9	148.9	113.7	141.9	124.2	149.3	114.1	142.2
Aug....	139.3	180.3	121.2	150.1	113.2	143.1	124.5	149.7	113.7	143.4
Sept....	139.0	181.7	125.5	151.3	114.9	145.6	127.3	154.3	115.4	145.9
Oct....	136.5	183.1	125.5	154.6	116.6	149.8	128.3	158.3	117.1	150.1
Nov....	131.0	177.4	128.2	158.6	119.1	154.4	128.4	158.2	119.5	154.6
Dec....	131.7	183.9	135.2	165.1	121.6	159.9	128.7	158.7	121.9	159.9
1947										
Jan....	129.9	178.4	135.4	166.5	118.8	149.9	128.6	159.1	119.2	150.5
Feb....	130.5	183.7	126.6	163.1	118.6	160.6	130.7	164.7	119.1	160.7

## VII. Employment—Continued

## 33. AVERAGE PER CAPITA WEEKLY EARNINGS PAID ON OR ABOUT FIRST OF MONTH IN DOLLARS

Month	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia
<b>1945</b>									
Aug....	25.57	31.54	29.58	31.02	32.55	31.88	30.48	33.04	34.7
Sept....	26.99	30.87	29.20	30.85	32.49	32.54	31.44	33.58	34.71
Oct....	26.76	30.83	29.35	30.95	32.39	32.39	31.34	33.53	35.13
Nov....	27.28	30.15	29.00	30.75	32.43	32.50	31.29	33.40	35.07
Dec....	27.09	30.26	28.74	30.38	32.03	32.35	31.40	33.49	34.71
<b>1946</b>									
Jan....	26.35	28.93	29.32	28.55	29.93	31.21	31.06	32.34	32.17
Feb....	26.15	31.01	29.65	30.58	32.34	32.45	31.86	33.95	34.72
Mar....	26.15	31.75	30.40	31.45	32.41	33.22	32.67	34.59	35.60
April...	27.37	32.17	30.43	31.31	32.77	32.75	32.13	33.92	35.23
May....	26.87	30.83	29.40	30.74	32.43	32.64	31.86	33.72	35.10
June....	26.28	30.60	29.75	30.76	31.88	32.66	31.65	33.49	34.11
July....	27.63	30.76	30.00	30.91	32.71	32.83	31.73	33.49	35.46
Aug....	27.53	29.93	30.17	31.60	33.02	33.05	32.36	33.62	35.86
Sept....	26.72	29.79	30.15	31.76	32.98	33.29	32.79	34.21	35.91
Oct....	28.16	30.40	30.56	32.04	33.40	33.95	33.06	34.72	36.73
Nov....	28.58	30.98	30.51	32.31	33.58	34.06	33.15	35.07	36.50
Dec....	29.98	31.31	30.19	32.65	34.77	34.84	34.03	35.40	36.27
<b>1947</b>									
Jan....	27.61	27.13	31.26	31.37	33.35	33.78	34.26	34.37	34.57
Feb....	28.32	33.44	32.49	33.42	35.83	35.33	35.06	35.89	36.73

Month	Montreal	Quebec City	Toronto	Ottawa	Hamilton	Windsor	Winnipeg	Vancouver
<b>1945</b>								
Aug.....	32.09	29.73	32.71	28.26	33.34	38.74	29.07	34.20
Sept.....	32.00	28.22	32.66	28.27	32.42	39.67	29.90	33.37
Oct.....	32.10	28.86	32.54	28.47	32.82	39.74	29.53	33.61
Nov.....	32.20	29.06	32.64	28.55	32.42	39.39	29.77	33.62
Dec.....	32.02	27.10	32.39	27.91	32.59	39.08	29.74	33.11
<b>1946</b>								
Jan.....	28.60	25.67	30.67	26.46	29.96	34.17	28.19	30.46
Feb.....	31.75	27.39	32.39	27.77	32.16	42.12	30.00	33.00
Mar.....	32.10	27.54	32.58	28.30	32.54	36.48	30.53	33.31
April.....	32.08	27.53	32.84	28.13	32.73	41.84	31.37	32.74
May.....	31.40	27.10	32.62	27.90	32.35	40.66	30.20	32.80
June.....	31.61	26.95	32.20	28.00	31.34	36.29	30.38	32.42
July.....	31.22	27.05	32.93	28.63	32.35	37.16	30.52	33.16
Aug.....	31.96	28.29	32.96	28.80	32.65	37.03	30.53	33.03
Sept.....	32.39	28.23	33.16	28.84	34.62	37.33	30.63	33.19
Oct.....	32.84	28.46	33.41	29.30	32.59	35.86	30.77	34.34
Nov.....	33.33	28.70	33.59	29.46	33.17	36.90	31.07	34.55
Dec.....	33.52	29.31	34.39	29.65	35.04	40.71	31.70	34.48
<b>1947</b>								
Jan.....	31.25	27.94	33.17	28.98	33.36	40.05	30.48	32.85
Feb.....	33.84	28.72	35.42	30.65	36.19	42.94	32.41	34.94

## VII. Employment—Continued

## 36. AGGREGATE WEEKLY EARNINGS PAID ON OR ABOUT FIRST OF MONTH, \$000

Month	Canada 8 Groups	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Mani- toba	Saskat- chewan	Alberta	British Columbia
<b>1945</b>										
Aug.	57,478	67	2,554	1,533	16,820	24,098	2,975	1,268	2,288	5,876
Sept.	56,530	73	2,468	1,484	16,442	23,449	3,026	1,290	2,340	5,957
Oct.	55,324	68	2,405	1,482	16,176	22,776	3,020	1,288	2,341	5,767
Nov.	55,952	69	2,452	1,540	16,429	22,970	5,107	1,316	2,356	5,714
Dec.	55,962	70	2,531	1,636	16,282	22,900	3,167	1,344	2,416	5,615
<b>1946</b>										
Jan.	51,282	65	2,138	1,579	14,600	21,373	2,988	1,269	2,312	4,957
Feb.	54,349	66	2,245	1,555	15,463	23,273	2,986	1,218	2,355	5,188
Mar.	55,249	65	2,295	1,568	16,057	23,332	3,059	1,249	2,400	5,225
April	55,932	69	2,343	1,612	16,082	23,867	3,052	1,222	2,381	5,304
May	55,412	74	2,286	1,540	15,598	23,802	3,059	1,283	2,387	5,385
June	54,969	72	2,320	1,622	16,016	23,600	3,105	1,329	2,465	4,440
July	57,193	77	2,387	1,661	16,212	24,380	3,211	1,363	2,558	5,344
Aug.	57,620	81	2,250	1,589	16,725	23,945	3,278	1,423	2,627	5,702
Sept.	58,775	81	2,240	1,639	17,248	24,120	3,336	1,447	2,685	5,979
Oct.	60,327	81	2,375	1,689	17,703	24,771	3,438	1,458	2,644	6,167
Nov.	62,078	82	2,521	1,685	18,217	25,633	3,517	1,504	2,676	6,242
Dec.	64,448	86	2,599	1,705	18,754	27,055	3,619	1,540	2,734	6,355
<b>1947</b>										
Jan.	60,730	75	2,040	1,778	17,611	25,872	3,368	1,439	2,620	5,926
Feb.	64,985	73	2,424	1,777	18,764	28,051	3,484	1,413	2,702	6,296

Month	Montreal	Quebec City	Toronto	Ottawa	Hamilton	Windsor	Winnipeg	Vancouver
<b>1945</b>								
Aug.	8,554	965	7,864	596	1,906	1,428	1,727	2,857
Sept.	8,400	899	7,758	588	1,805	1,413	1,774	2,769
Oct.	8,196	831	7,474	590	1,821	892	1,762	2,547
Nov.	8,261	808	7,545	603	1,808	881	1,853	2,533
Dec.	8,239	689	7,590	612	1,849	629	1,898	2,491
<b>1946</b>								
Jan.	7,067	627	7,024	592	1,677	855	1,767	2,187
Feb.	7,840	639	7,441	607	1,807	1,325	1,797	2,297
Mar.	8,069	644	7,559	630	1,811	1,146	1,828	2,269
April	8,197	657	7,752	637	1,859	1,478	1,834	2,258
May	8,123	647	7,696	637	1,845	1,479	1,848	2,278
June	8,331	650	7,573	635	1,790	1,335	1,874	2,112
July	8,295	667	7,751	658	1,875	1,246	1,938	2,328
Aug.	8,414	711	7,651	661	1,576	1,214	1,961	2,326
Sept.	8,772	716	7,787	680	1,526	1,197	1,993	2,436
Oct.	8,922	728	7,924	699	1,526	1,137	2,027	2,538
Nov.	9,110	740	8,160	737	1,697	1,228	2,096	2,640
Dec.	9,335	749	8,571	726	2,011	1,372	2,177	2,741
<b>1947</b>								
Jan.	8,565	703	8,229	712	1,928	1,319	2,000	2,594
Feb.	9,313	712	8,755	736	2,125	1,446	2,097	2,762

## VII. Employment—Continued

35. AGGREGATE WEEKLY PAYROLL AT FIRST OF MONTH  
IN THOUSANDS DOLLARS

Classification	1946												1947	
	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	
<b>Nine Groups.....</b>	<b>56,760</b>	<b>57,770</b>	<b>58,500</b>	<b>57,905</b>	<b>57,464</b>	<b>59,787</b>	<b>60,221</b>	<b>61,456</b>	<b>63,077</b>	<b>64,826</b>	<b>67,201</b>	<b>63,584</b>	<b>67,856</b>	
MANUFACTURING.....	30,931	31,029	31,823	31,477	30,825	31,798	31,541	32,173	32,816	33,735	35,155	32,571	35,096	
Durable goods.....	15,449	15,378	15,870	15,718	14,985	15,675	15,277	15,374	15,568	16,213	17,203	15,920	17,812	
Non-durable goods.....	14,701	14,860	15,135	14,926	14,976	15,211	15,342	15,875	16,327	16,593	17,035	15,715	17,239	
Animal products, edible.....	1,401	1,367	1,403	1,398	1,454	1,524	1,589	1,602	1,564	1,641	1,700	1,523	1,524	
Fur and products.....	109	110	119	116	120	116	124	127	132	141	141	109	114	
Leather and products.....	770	794	826	809	796	801	821	841	854	865	882	783	906	
Boots and shoes.....	458	468	487	477	471	472	489	502	510	515	527	464	533	
Lumber and its products.....	1,816	1,893	1,936	1,960	1,519	2,088	2,258	2,331	2,346	2,330	2,260	2,024	2,304	
Rough and dressed lumber.....	984	1,033	1,058	1,083	716	1,183	1,315	1,367	1,358	1,341	1,256	1,140	1,306	
Furniture.....	364	380	386	380	371	389	402	420	434	443	459	410	468	
Plant products—edible.....	1,492	1,455	1,480	1,477	1,401	1,565	1,688	1,830	2,101	1,929	1,870	1,678	1,812	
Pulp and paper products.....	3,308	3,367	3,425	3,422	3,501	3,734	3,838	3,922	4,005	4,023	4,039	3,843	4,116	
Pulp and paper.....	1,553	1,591	1,627	1,630	1,722	1,894	1,976	2,036	2,063	2,036	2,008	1,898	2,029	
Paper products.....	513	521	526	524	524	540	545	554	579	585	602	546	635	
Printing and publishing.....	1,242	1,255	1,275	1,267	1,254	1,300	1,317	1,332	1,364	1,391	1,420	1,390	1,452	
Rubber products.....	751	778	780	766	755	661	445	475	510	509	826	834	941	
Textile products.....	3,471	3,608	3,699	3,582	3,507	3,373	3,476	3,647	3,698	3,806	3,927	3,421	4,097	
Hosiery and knit goods.....	503	539	557	542	524	505	537	559	570	567	594	518	615	
Garments and personal furnishings.....	1,217	1,272	1,324	1,271	1,246	1,222	1,232	1,295	1,267	1,362	1,383	1,178	1,434	
Tobacco.....	301	274	259	244	248	230	253	271	282	283	310	245	341	
Beverages.....	538	537	544	563	562	584	596	617	635	638	634	628	636	
Chemicals.....	1,452	1,450	1,400	1,418	1,432	1,456	1,418	1,427	1,439	1,542	1,542	1,520	1,561	
Electrical apparatus.....	1,369	1,401	1,389	1,388	1,394	1,413	1,413	1,264	1,326	1,350	1,395	1,658	1,656	1,754
Iron and steel products.....	10,273	10,078	10,461	10,301	10,033	10,038	9,642	9,806	9,734	10,289	10,893	9,963	11,256	
Crude rolled and forged products.....	1,270	1,272	1,285	1,273	1,279	1,284	920	914	919	1,319	1,514	1,378	1,548	
Machinery (other than vehicles).....	856	886	896	866	856	886	823	925	966	984	1,062	980	1,139	
Land vehicles and aircraft.....	4,014	3,802	4,114	4,159	4,037	3,912	3,862	3,851	3,855	3,947	4,264	4,049	4,378	
Automobiles and parts.....	1,346	1,131	1,439	1,550	1,435	1,379	1,370	1,323	1,287	1,356	1,577	1,464	1,662	
Steel shipbuilding and repairing.....	1,126	1,051	1,072	999	965	953	930	884	900	948	901	748	893	
Non-ferrous metal products.....	1,419	1,428	1,473	1,456	1,423	1,486	1,453	1,484	1,502	1,540	1,664	1,623	1,749	
Non-metallic mineral products.....	626	630	640	636	653	670	629	632	928	631	652	642	636	
Electric light and power.....	781	792	818	833	864	911	921	923	921	920	917	931	946	
LOGGING.....	2,702	2,983	2,627	1,936	1,463	1,737	1,831	1,866	2,204	2,628	3,115	3,548	3,623	
MINTING.....	2,800	2,858	2,872	2,821	2,878	2,963	2,889	2,875	2,932	2,969	2,999	2,565	3,184	
COMMUNICATIONS.....	1,104	1,139	1,156	1,207	1,239	1,272	1,313	1,328	1,349	1,377	1,377	1,403	1,406	
Telegraphs.....	248	256	250	257	258	262	271	269	285	285	290	291	289	
Telephones.....	853	879	902	946	976	1,005	1,037	1,054	1,058	1,087	1,090	1,101	1,100	
TRANSPORTATION.....	6,134	6,338	6,296	6,380	6,272	6,413	6,540	6,707	7,085	7,175	7,468	7,294	7,355	
Street railways and cartage.....	1,777	1,785	1,785	1,825	1,804	1,912	1,936	1,972	2,086	2,079	2,118	2,090	2,164	
Steam railways.....	3,813	3,992	3,906	3,848	3,695	3,710	5,866	3,948	4,100	4,169	4,368	4,412	4,387	
Shipping and stevedoring.....	544	561	605	707	744	791	738	788	898	926	982	792	804	
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE.....	4,073	4,136	4,200	4,538	5,172	5,648	6,060	6,282	6,250	6,377	6,170	5,120	5,203	
Building.....	1,828	1,822	1,903	1,956	2,090	2,308	2,522	2,672	2,619	2,710	2,744	2,242	2,574	
Highway.....	1,149	1,144	1,187	1,533	1,923	2,132	2,273	2,397	2,365	2,320	2,140	1,701	1,421	
Railway.....	1,096	1,170	1,110	1,048	1,159	1,209	1,265	1,313	1,245	1,340	1,286	1,183	1,269	
SERVICES.....	1,075	1,117	1,138	1,113	1,168	1,232	1,253	1,274	1,284	1,249	1,297	1,276	1,318	
Hotels and restaurants.....	687	700	690	706	724	786	807	825	827	790	824	836	841	
Personal (chiefly laundries).....	408	417	448	448	441	446	446	448	457	459	473	441	477	
TRADE.....	5,529	5,649	5,820	5,901	5,955	6,128	6,193	6,271	6,408	6,568	6,867	6,046	6,840	
Retail.....	3,695	3,775	3,903	3,969	3,995	4,125	4,165	4,208	4,306	4,441	4,706	4,753	4,567	
Wholesale.....	1,834	1,874	1,917	1,932	1,959	2,004	2,028	2,063	2,102	2,127	2,160	2,191	2,272	
FIGHT GROUPS.....	54,349	55,249	55,932	55,413	54,989	57,192	57,620	58,775	60,327	62,078	64,448	60,730	64,985	
FINANCE.....	2,411	2,521	2,568	2,582	2,595	2,594	2,601	2,681	2,750	2,748	2,755	2,774	2,871	
Banks and trust companies.....	1,187	1,257	1,291	1,296	1,295	1,298	1,303	1,387	1,390	1,389	1,390	1,392	1,475	
Brokerage and stock market.....	112	118	118	118	126	120	118	115	118	115	118	129	134	
Insurance.....	1,112	1,116	1,159	1,169	1,174	1,175	1,180	1,179	1,242	1,244	1,247	1,252	1,263	

## VII. Employment—Continued

## 36. AVERAGE HOURS PER WEEK REPORTED AT FIRST OF MONTH—

Month	Manufacturing									
	Heavy Electrical Apparatus	Steel Ship-building and Repairing	Iron and Steel Fabrication n.e.s.	Tool Manufacturing	Foundry and Machine Shop Products	Preparation of Non-ferrous Metallic Ores	Aluminum and its Products	Copper, Lead, Tin and Zinc Mfg.	Petroleum and its Products	Miscellaneous and Manufactured Products
<b>1945</b>										
July...	46.2	45.9	46.1	45.4	45.8	46.7	44.9	45.4	42.4	41.7
Aug...	45.7	46.2	46.2	45.1	46.2	46.8	44.3	44.1	43.1	42.2
Sept...	45.2	43.0	47.0	43.4	45.1	46.0	43.5	44.7	43.6	42.7
Oct...	43.3	45.6	45.3	44.3	45.8	45.7	44.8	44.0	43.2	42.4
Nov...	45.0	45.9	45.9	44.6	45.7	45.6	44.9	44.6	42.9	43.1
Dec...	43.6	44.5	45.5	44.3	45.8	44.6	44.8	43.7	42.8	43.6
<b>1946</b>										
Jan....	42.6	36.4	34.8	34.8	36.4	41.7	41.6	35.5	41.2	37.2
Feb....	42.0	43.9	44.1	43.8	44.7	45.2	45.3	43.4	42.3	42.6
Mar....	44.6	44.0	41.9	43.9	44.5	45.8	44.6	43.4	42.3	42.5
April...	44.0	44.5	43.8	44.3	45.2	45.7	44.9	43.1	42.2	42.9
May...	44.2	42.4	42.1	43.6	43.0	44.7	44.4	42.3	41.4	40.8
June...	42.4	41.3	41.4	41.9	40.7	45.0	43.5	40.2	39.5	40.4
July...	42.5	42.2	40.7	43.4	42.7	44.7	43.5	41.8	40.3	41.2
Aug....	44.9	43.0	42.9	42.5	43.9	45.1	44.3	42.2	39.0	41.1
Sept....	43.7	42.3	42.7	44.7	42.0	44.9	43.8	42.6	38.8	41.0
Oct....	42.4	43.6	42.7	44.7	44.0	44.8	44.5	42.9	39.3	41.3
Nov....	39.8	44.0	42.8	44.4	43.0	43.8	44.2	42.3	39.7	41.7
Dec....	41.8	41.8	43.3	45.3	44.2	43.6	45.0	43.2	40.6	42.1
<b>1947</b>										
Jan....	42.0	35.1	36.9	37.3	36.6	40.3	43.0	37.8	39.6	36.2
Feb....	39.7	41.8	42.3	44.8	43.7	43.9	44.8	43.6	40.3	41.6

Month	Mining							Services		
	Total	Coal	Metallic Ores	Non-metallic Minerals (except coal)	Local Transportation	Building Construction	Highway Construction	Totals	Hotels and Restaurants	Personal (chiefly laundries)
<b>1945</b>										
July...	44.6	42.4	46.1	45.9	46.9	40.9	36.5	44.0	45.1	41.9
Aug....	44.3	41.1	45.7	47.9	47.4	41.6	37.7	44.1	45.0	41.8
Sept...	43.0	39.2	45.0	46.9	47.2	41.3	38.0	44.0	45.1	41.8
Oct....	44.1	40.5	46.3	46.6	46.3	41.3	37.1	44.0	45.3	41.4
Nov....	44.0	39.9	46.4	46.9	47.2	41.2	36.2	43.8	44.9	41.7
Dec....	44.3	41.9	45.5	46.5	47.4	41.0	33.7	43.8	44.8	41.8
<b>1946</b>										
Jan....	40.5	38.9	41.1	43.1	45.1	32.5	35.2	41.6	44.3	36.5
Feb....	44.6	42.2	46.3	46.1	46.7	38.8	39.6	43.3	44.6	40.7
Mar....	44.5	42.3	45.9	45.8	47.2	39.8	40.5	44.2	45.7	41.3
April...	44.3	41.5	46.0	45.9	46.4	40.2	38.8	43.9	44.7	42.4
May...	42.6	39.1	45.0	44.3	46.0	38.7	36.0	44.2	45.4	42.1
June...	43.3	39.4	45.6	45.4	45.7	37.4	35.7	42.5	43.9	40.0
July...	43.5	40.0	45.8	44.9	46.5	38.3	38.5	43.5	44.7	41.0
Aug....	42.9	38.9	45.4	45.1	46.5	40.4	38.5	43.3	44.3	41.2
Sept....	42.9	40.0	44.3	45.4	46.3	39.5	37.9	43.5	44.7	41.2
Oct....	43.7	40.9	45.5	45.3	46.6	40.1	38.2	42.7	43.5	41.2
Nov....	43.2	39.6	45.3	45.7	46.2	39.7	37.2	43.1	43.9	41.6
Dec....	42.3	39.2	44.5	43.6	46.3	39.5	35.6	43.0	43.6	41.8
<b>1947</b>										
Jan....	34.9	26.8	30.4	39.7	44.8	32.9	37.3	40.9	43.0	37.2
Feb....	43.3	40.1	45.6	44.0	46.8	38.9	43.5	42.6	43.6	41.0

## VII. Employment—Continued

## 36. AVERAGE HOURS PER WEEK REPORTED AT FIRST OF MONTH—Continued

Month	Manufacturing									
	Pulp and Paper Products				Rubber Products	Textile Products				
	Total	Pulp and Paper	Paper Products	Printing and Publishing		Thread, Yarn and Cloth			Woollen Yarn and Cloth	
						Total	Total	Cotton Yarn and Cloth		
1945										
Aug....	46.3	50.8	42.4	41.0	43.5	41.9	45.7	45.6	45.8	
Sept....	46.7	50.6	43.1	41.9	45.4	42.4	46.3	46.1	46.0	
Oct....	47.2	51.3	43.9	42.2	45.4	43.3	46.9	46.5	46.9	
Nov....	47.2	50.9	44.5	42.5	44.1	43.2	47.0	47.1	46.9	
Dec....	46.8	50.0	44.5	43.0	44.9	43.6	47.3	47.4	46.9	
1946										
Jan....	42.4	46.3	37.4	39.1	36.0	36.3	40.4	42.5	38.0	
Feb....	46.5	50.3	44.0	41.9	43.5	42.9	46.3	46.4	44.7	
Mar....	46.5	50.1	44.0	42.1	44.1	43.3	46.6	47.0	45.3	
April...	46.8	50.3	44.3	42.5	44.5	43.6	46.5	47.0	45.2	
May....	45.4	48.0	43.2	40.8	43.2	41.7	45.2	45.7	43.7	
June....	44.8	49.0	42.1	39.2	42.0	40.2	44.0	45.7	41.8	
July....	45.6	49.3	42.8	40.8	38.2	40.0	43.2	44.7	42.3	
Aug....	46.2	50.0	43.2	41.3	42.0	41.4	45.0	45.8	43.8	
Sept....	45.6	49.2	42.7	41.0	43.9	41.5	44.8	44.6	43.9	
Oct....	46.1	50.0	42.8	41.5	45.3	41.0	44.6	44.3	44.0	
Nov....	46.1	50.0	42.9	41.4	36.9	40.8	43.4	44.4	42.3	
Dec....	46.2	49.8	43.6	42.0	41.7	41.9	45.0	45.2	43.6	
1947										
Jan....	42.6	46.9	37.4	39.0	35.9	35.6	38.7	40.3	37.2	
Feb....	46.0	49.7	43.2	41.4	41.3	41.9	45.1	45.1	43.8	

Month	Manufacturing								
	Textile Products			Tobacco	Beverages		Clay, Glass and Stone Products		
	Silk and Artificial Silk Goods	Hosiery and Knit Goods	Garments and Personal Furnishings		Total	Distilled and Malt Liquors	Total	Glass Products	Stone Products
1945									
June....	47.8	41.7	39.1	43.4	46.0	46.3	45.4	44.7	46.5
July....	43.6	40.3	38.0	38.3	44.1	43.6	45.5	44.4	46.3
Aug....	46.1	41.2	37.7	43.0	45.6	45.3	45.6	44.9	46.5
Sept....	47.5	41.5	38.9	44.1	45.0	45.6	44.5	42.8	46.1
Oct....	48.2	42.6	39.7	44.7	44.3	44.1	40.2	45.5	47.4
Nov....	47.7	42.6	39.5	44.8	45.2	45.0	45.9	45.4	46.0
Dec....	48.0	43.0	39.9	44.4	46.1	46.1	46.0	46.2	46.0
1946									
Jan....	37.7	36.0	32.2	29.1	43.0	42.5	40.9	40.7	41.3
Feb....	47.9	42.3	39.4	43.8	43.4	43.1	45.4	45.9	44.7
Mar....	47.7	43.0	39.7	40.4	44.3	44.0	45.5	45.8	45.1
April...	47.1	43.6	40.4	40.0	43.4	42.9	45.5	45.7	45.6
May....	46.1	41.1	37.8	41.2	44.0	43.7	45.2	45.3	44.7
June....	43.9	38.9	36.7	40.9	42.7	42.2	44.0	43.6	44.7
July....	42.4	39.7	36.5	37.3	42.9	42.3	43.9	43.4	45.1
Aug....	45.1	40.4	38.4	43.8	43.7	43.1	43.4	42.2	44.7
Sept....	46.4	41.2	37.9	43.7	43.8	43.4	42.8	39.4	44.5
Oct....	46.7	42.3	35.7	43.1	44.4	44.1	44.1	42.5	45.1
Nov....	43.0	40.3	37.8	41.1	43.4	43.1	44.1	42.4	44.6
Dec....	46.1	41.9	38.3	43.1	43.1	42.7	44.9	44.0	45.1
1947									
Jan....	36.8	34.2	31.4	26.9	42.0	41.5	40.5	40.1	41.1
Feb....	45.9	41.8	38.4	42.4	43.1	42.6	44.8	44.7	44.4

## VII. Employment—Continued

## 36. AVERAGE HOURS PER WEEK REPORTED AT FIRST OF MONTH

Month	Manufacturing								
	Total	Durable Manufactured Goods	Non-durable Manufactured Goods	Animal Products Edible	Dairy Products	Meat Products	Leather Products	Leather Boots and Shoes	Lumber Products
<b>1945</b>									
July....	44.3	45.0	43.3	44.4	48.5	42.7	42.2	41.7	44.0
Aug....	44.3	44.7	43.7	43.9	49.1	40.6	42.6	42.5	44.7
Sept....	44.1	44.2	44.0	45.3	48.7	43.6	43.3	43.5	44.2
Oct....	44.7	45.0	44.5	45.7	49.5	44.5	43.6	43.8	44.7
Nov....	44.9	45.3	44.6	46.2	48.9	45.2	43.9	44.3	44.5
Dec....	44.8	44.9	44.6	45.4	47.7	44.4	43.8	44.3	44.1
<b>1946</b>									
Jan....	38.2	37.6	38.8	39.4	46.2	37.2	36.9	37.2	37.3
Feb....	44.1	44.4	43.8	42.2	46.5	41.0	43.0	43.6	43.7
Mar....	44.0	44.2	43.9	42.6	46.8	41.0	43.4	43.8	44.5
April....	44.4	44.6	44.2	43.6	47.6	41.6	43.5	44.1	44.0
May....	43.0	43.2	42.8	42.4	47.7	40.8	42.3	43.1	42.8
June....	42.0	42.1	41.9	43.2	46.7	41.1	40.8	41.6	42.5
July....	42.4	42.8	42.1	43.9	48.4	41.2	40.9	41.1	43.2
Aug....	43.0	43.2	42.8	42.8	47.4	40.2	41.8	42.3	43.7
Sept....	42.7	42.6	42.7	42.7	47.1	40.9	41.9	42.2	43.4
Oct....	42.9	42.8	42.9	42.5	47.4	40.9	42.1	42.8	43.7
Nov....	42.4	42.5	42.3	42.8	46.4	41.9	41.9	42.1	43.3
Dec....	43.2	43.2	43.2	43.1	46.9	42.3	42.5	42.8	42.7
<b>1947</b>									
Jan....	38.1	38.1	38.2	38.7	46.2	37.5	37.3	37.7	37.5
Feb....	43.1	43.2	43.0	42.2	47.0	40.9	42.3	42.8	42.8

Month	Manufacturing								
	Lumber Products			Musical Instruments	Plant Products—Edible				
Rough and Dressed Lumber	Containers	Furniture	Total	Flour and Other Milled Products	Fruit and Vegetable Preserving	Bread and Bakery Products	Chocolate and Cocoa Products		
<b>1945</b>									
July....	44.3	42.6	43.5	44.4	42.1	46.3	38.9	43.6	39.1
Aug....	45.5	43.0	44.1	48.0	42.6	46.5	41.4	44.1	38.3
Sept....	44.5	43.3	44.1	46.5	42.0	46.9	36.9	44.3	41.6
Oct....	44.8	44.1	44.3	46.5	42.9	47.5	41.5	44.0	41.6
Nov....	44.1	45.2	44.4	46.9	43.7	46.9	41.4	43.9	42.7
Dec....	43.6	44.6	44.5	46.7	43.6	45.8	40.8	44.2	41.7
<b>1946</b>									
Jan....	37.8	35.3	37.4	38.1	39.8	42.8	31.2	42.3	38.1
Feb....	43.5	43.4	43.4	45.5	43.2	46.2	40.3	43.1	41.3
Mar....	44.8	43.9	43.8	46.8	42.8	47.1	39.1	43.8	40.9
April....	44.3	43.1	43.8	46.7	43.2	46.9	41.0	43.8	41.6
May....	42.8	42.6	42.2	45.0	42.2	44.7	37.9	43.3	40.9
June....	43.5	42.4	41.0	42.6	41.5	43.6	37.9	42.5	40.3
July....	43.5	43.8	42.5	45.0	42.1	46.4	38.2	43.1	40.2
Aug....	44.0	43.9	43.2	45.2	41.5	45.7	37.3	43.5	39.8
Sept....	43.5	43.3	43.5	46.2	40.9	45.4	36.2	43.3	42.6
Oct....	43.7	43.7	44.1	47.9	42.8	46.1	42.8	42.8	41.0
Nov....	43.4	43.3	43.2	45.6	41.7	45.4	38.9	42.4	41.0
Dec....	42.1	43.4	43.7	45.8	42.4	45.9	40.6	42.8	41.3
<b>1947</b>									
Jan....	36.9	36.9	37.9	38.8	38.5	42.9	31.0	41.8	34.8
Feb....	42.2	43.1	43.2	43.8	42.4	45.3	41.2	42.8	39.9

## VII. Employment—Continued

## 37. AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS OF HOURLY-RATED WAGE-EARNERS IN MANUFACTURING AS A WHOLE AND IN THE MANUFACTURE OF DURABLE AND OF NON-DURABLE GOODS IN CENTS

Week Preceding	Manufacturing	Non-durable Goods	Total	Durable Goods					
				Lumber Products	Musical Instruments	Clay, Glass and Stone Products	Electrical Apparatus	Iron and Steel Products	Non-ferrous Metal Products
June 1.....	70.3	61.4	77.5	60.6	53.9	64.6	70.9	81.9	73.7
July 1.....	70.1	61.2	77.0	60.2	54.5	64.9	70.3	81.6	74.0
Aug. 1.....	69.5	60.7	76.0	59.4	53.9	64.8	70.5	81.6	74.4
Sept. 1.....	69.2	60.9	76.5	60.0	54.4	65.5	70.2	81.5	73.8
Oct. 1.....	67.8	60.4	75.4	60.8	54.3	64.7	70.5	80.3	74.2
Nov. 1.....	67.5	60.6	74.8	61.1	55.3	64.8	70.3	79.6	73.6
Dec. 1.....	67.0	60.6	74.0	61.2	56.4	64.3	69.9	78.5	73.5
Jan. 1, <sup>a</sup> 1946.....	67.9	61.7	74.7	61.9	58.3	64.5	70.7	79.2	74.8
Feb. 1.....	68.1	61.3	75.2	62.2	57.0	64.5	70.1	79.8	73.7
Mar. 1.....	67.9	61.5	74.5	62.4	56.6	64.8	69.8	78.9	73.8
April 1.....	68.4	61.8	75.1	62.2	57.6	64.8	70.4	79.7	74.2
May 1, <sup>a</sup> .....	68.9	62.4	75.5	62.7	56.9	65.6	70.1	80.3	74.3
June 1.....	69.1	63.3	75.1	57.5	58.5	66.7	70.6	80.0	74.4
July 1.....	70.0	64.1	75.7	64.7	58.1	67.1	71.0	80.0	75.5
Aug. 1.....	70.0	64.4	75.8	65.6	57.9	68.2	69.1	80.3	76.0
Sept. 1.....	70.6	65.1	76.5	66.0	58.2	69.7	70.8	81.1	76.6
Oct. 1.....	71.4	65.7	77.8	67.7	58.7	70.6	73.1	82.2	77.5
Nov. 1.....	72.9	66.7	79.4	68.4	60.7	71.6	73.9	84.1	79.1
Dec. 1.....	74.5	67.6	81.8	68.7	61.2	71.7	78.1	86.9	81.3
Jan. 1, 1947.....	76.2	69.3	83.8	69.5	61.4	73.4	79.9	88.5	82.7
Feb. 1.....	76.3	69.2	83.5	70.0	64.2	73.7	79.8	88.7	81.9

## 38. AVERAGE WEEKLY SALARIES AND WAGES, AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES OF HOURLY-RATED WAGE-EARNERS AS REPORTED IN MANUFACTURING AS A WHOLE, AND IN THE MANUFACTURE OF DURABLE GOODS AND OF NON-DURABLE GOODS IN DOLLARS

Week Preceding	Manufacturing <sup>b</sup>		Durable Manufactured Goods		Non-Durable Manufactured Goods	
	Average Weekly		Average Weekly		Average Weekly	
	Salaries Wages	Wages	Salaries Wages	Wages	Salaries Wages	Wages
June 1.....	32.81	31.14	35.76	34.64	29.48	26.95
July 1.....	32.91	31.05	36.02	34.65	29.33	26.50
Aug. ....	32.65	30.79	35.67	34.37	29.33	26.53
Sept. ....	32.51	30.52	35.58	33.81	29.60	26.80
Oct. 1.....	32.45	30.31	35.57	33.93	29.61	26.88
Nov. 1.....	32.55	30.31	35.60	33.88	29.84	27.03
Dec. 1.....	32.32	30.02	35.20	33.23	29.83	27.03
Jan. 1, <sup>a</sup> 1946.....	29.49	25.87	31.30	28.01	27.57	23.88
Feb. 1.....	32.29	30.03	35.23	33.39	29.69	26.85
Mar. 1.....	32.29	29.88	34.90	32.93	29.98	27.00
April 1.....	32.60	30.37	35.34	33.49	30.30	27.32
May 1, <sup>a</sup> .....	32.10	29.63	34.51	32.62	29.89	26.71
June 1.....	31.67	29.02	33.78	31.62	29.81	26.52
July 1.....	32.20	29.68	34.40	32.40	3.21	26.99
Aug. 1.....	32.53	30.10	34.62	32.75	30.68	27.56
Sept. 1.....	32.71	30.15	34.65	32.59	30.82	27.80
Oct. 1.....	33.18	30.63	35.43	33.30	31.08	28.19
Nov. 1.....	33.48	30.91	35.79	33.75	31.26	28.21
Dec. 1.....	34.54	32.18	37.15	35.34	32.07	29.20
Jan. 1, 1947.....	32.48	29.03	34.48	31.65	30.37	26.47
Feb. 1.....	35.29	32.89	37.86	36.07	32.77	29.76

<sup>a</sup> The averages at these dates were affected by loss of working time at the year-end holidays in the case of Jan. 1, and by the Easter holidays in the case of April 1, 1945, and May 1, 1946. <sup>b</sup> Exclusive of electric light and power.

Source: Employment Branch. Based on returns received from establishments ordinarily employing 15 persons or more.

## VII. Employment—Continued

## 39. PER CAPITA WEEKLY EARNINGS AT FIRST OF MONTH IN DOLLARS

Classification	1946												1947	
	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	
Nine Groups.....	32.03	32.54	32.59	32.16	31.81	32.34	32.72	32.81	33.25	33.42	34.02	32.77	35.00	
MANUFACTURING.....	32.43	32.43	32.82	32.24	31.83	32.36	32.66	32.71	33.18	33.45	34.54	32.40	35.29	
Durable goods.....	35.21	34.91	35.34	34.51	33.79	33.40	34.62	34.65	35.43	35.83	37.15	34.42	37.86	
Non-durable goods.....	20.64	29.99	30.30	29.89	29.80	30.21	30.68	30.82	31.08	31.17	32.07	30.29	32.77	
Animal products—edible.....	31.13	32.04	32.82	31.97	32.06	31.81	31.42	31.47	31.97	32.08	33.70	32.62	34.19	
Fur and products.....	29.67	30.15	30.45	28.64	29.59	29.67	30.68	31.33	31.40	32.16	32.78	28.42	31.43	
Leather products.....	24.86	25.07	25.51	24.91	24.53	24.86	25.45	25.80	25.99	26.46	26.46	24.20	27.12	
Boots and shoes.....	24.20	24.32	24.85	24.11	23.75	23.98	24.82	25.22	25.44	25.35	25.83	23.21	26.18	
Lumber and its products.....	28.49	29.23	28.97	28.57	28.88	29.23	30.02	30.01	30.92	31.04	30.86	28.27	31.22	
Rough and dressed lumber.....	29.53	30.39	29.87	29.32	28.85	30.25	31.29	31.14	32.15	32.30	31.93	29.42	32.40	
Furniture.....	27.29	27.71	27.95	27.63	27.06	27.75	28.02	28.45	29.39	29.30	29.74	26.54	29.88	
Plant products—edible.....	28.01	28.07	28.37	28.25	28.20	28.50	27.75	27.12	27.39	28.96	28.97	28.20	29.77	
Pulp and paper products.....	34.72	35.04	35.29	34.76	36.32	36.32	37.22	37.29	38.16	38.17	38.50	37.21	39.38	
Pulp and paper.....	38.38	38.78	38.89	37.93	38.95	41.20	42.89	42.81	43.98	43.90	44.00	42.61	44.83	
Paper products.....	27.62	26.16	28.34	28.25	28.11	28.26	28.74	28.74	29.26	29.82	30.24	27.80	31.46	
Printing and publishing.....	34.28	34.32	34.70	34.39	33.80	34.37	34.58	34.73	35.62	35.61	36.24	35.76	37.17	
Rubber products.....	32.35	33.12	32.80	32.46	31.28	30.36	32.09	34.01	35.54	31.29	37.64	34.83	38.52	
Textile products.....	24.47	24.90	25.33	24.74	24.45	24.46	25.41	25.97	25.65	26.03	26.60	23.58	27.28	
Hosiery and knit goods.....	21.53	22.15	22.83	22.41	21.68	21.59	22.69	23.46	23.97	23.46	24.39	21.54	24.99	
Garments and personal furnishings.....	24.51	25.13	25.80	24.92	24.50	24.42	25.36	26.08	24.77	25.23	26.35	23.44	26.93	
Tobacco.....	24.92	23.91	24.39	25.66	26.09	26.09	26.71	26.09	27.24	26.99	27.39	21.12	27.05	
Beverages.....	34.60	35.06	34.58	35.38	34.99	34.96	35.46	35.78	36.55	36.71	37.27	37.01	38.12	
Chemicals.....	34.89	34.84	34.64	34.42	34.42	34.39	34.93	35.16	35.69	35.64	36.30	36.13	37.32	
Electrical apparatus.....	32.97	33.26	33.66	32.44	32.43	32.81	33.22	33.47	33.76	33.40	35.69	34.38	36.12	
Iron and steel products.....	37.37	36.69	37.38	36.42	35.47	36.04	36.12	36.22	37.02	37.50	39.17	36.07	40.10	
Crude, rolled and forged products.....	37.18	37.22	37.41	36.65	36.90	37.07	35.55	36.05	36.60	38.46	40.98	37.37	42.49	
Machinery (other than vehicles).....	35.76	35.84	35.77	34.53	33.78	35.17	35.13	35.69	36.71	36.73	37.19	33.93	38.51	
Land vehicles and aircraft.....	40.04	38.24	39.70	38.66	37.32	37.48	37.40	37.50	38.25	38.78	41.23	30.15	41.84	
Automobiles and parts.....	41.87	36.15	41.79	40.18	36.10	38.06	37.86	36.90	36.52	37.09	41.73	39.07	42.98	
Steel shipbuilding and repairing.....	38.73	38.45	38.73	36.99	36.09	37.39	37.73	37.06	37.89	39.45	38.85	34.48	39.18	
Non-ferrous metal products.....	35.65	35.38	35.58	35.02	34.48	35.55	36.29	35.86	36.54	36.73	37.90	36.37	38.17	
Non-metallic mineral products.....	38.31	38.41	38.68	38.35	38.07	38.00	39.33	39.11	39.21	39.43	39.88	40.71	41.62	
Electric light and power.....	38.61	38.30	38.88	38.77	38.68	38.75	37.84	37.48	38.11	38.91	39.16	39.34	40.49	
LOGGING.....	26.12	29.20	28.69	27.05	24.87	29.24	32.25	31.87	30.54	30.28	29.60	32.07	31.75	
MINING.....	39.39	39.67	39.59	38.39	38.77	39.40	38.84	39.12	40.25	40.22	40.12	35.43	41.90	
COMMUNICATIONS.....	32.31	32.94	32.52	33.21	32.70	32.37	32.38	32.34	33.07	33.45	33.25	33.65	33.61	
Telegraphs.....	31.81	32.85	32.25	33.20	32.53	32.49	33.87	33.28	35.85	35.57	36.63	37.21	36.78	
Telephones.....	32.46	32.96	32.58	33.20	32.74	32.33	32.01	32.11	32.39	32.94	32.32	32.82	32.86	
TRANSPORTATION.....	39.26	40.82	39.74	39.21	38.66	39.06	39.56	39.86	41.54	41.25	42.88	43.06	43.87	
Street railways and cartage.....	34.73	34.93	34.44	34.41	34.44	34.94	34.76	35.15	36.48	36.04	36.55	30.53	37.98	
Steam railways.....	43.58	45.90	44.64	44.36	43.03	43.41	44.52	44.91	46.58	46.35	49.07	49.06	49.50	
Shipping and stevedoring.....	30.94	32.66	31.75	31.12	32.39	32.99	32.44	32.43	35.48	35.41	36.18	35.63	36.46	
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE.....	31.22	32.03	31.45	30.84	30.89	31.22	31.96	32.17	32.18	32.67	32.77	31.00	33.50	
Building.....	33.84	34.59	34.58	33.40	32.69	33.40	34.62	34.60	35.66	35.41	35.44	31.16	35.23	
Highway.....	29.16	30.04	29.19	27.85	28.89	29.60	29.89	29.95	29.33	29.02	28.79	28.60	30.51	
Railway.....	29.60	30.49	29.43	31.26	31.37	30.38	31.08	32.08	31.49	34.12	35.02	33.98	33.82	
SERVICES.....	20.39	21.04	20.88	20.67	20.70	20.96	20.83	21.05	21.59	21.95	22.49	22.10	22.75	
Hotels and restaurants.....	19.51	20.31	19.78	19.96	19.78	20.15	19.05	20.08	20.73	21.01	21.76	21.00	22.01	
Personal (chiefly laundries).....	22.01	22.39	22.84	22.77	22.41	22.55	22.65	23.08	23.53	23.76	24.06	22.74	24.20	
TRADE.....	27.92	28.23	28.18	28.24	29.76	28.72	29.10	29.05	29.03	29.13	28.78	28.97	30.37	
Retail.....	25.78	26.08	26.01	26.07	26.18	26.64	27.16	27.04	26.82	27.02	26.64	26.75	28.19	
Wholesale.....	33.53	33.88	33.94	34.07	34.07	34.21	34.11	34.24	34.90	34.83	34.93	35.34	35.98	
EIGHT GROUPS.....	31.94	32.44	32.48	32.06	31.67	32.24	32.64	32.72	33.15	33.33	33.94	32.04	34.94	
FINANCE.....	34.27	34.81	34.54	34.69	34.77	34.66	34.65	34.95	35.59	35.52	35.63	35.75	36.40	
Banks and trust companies.....	29.72	30.85	30.88	30.85	30.80	30.83	30.91	31.66	31.75	31.73	31.82	31.88	32.85	
Brokerage and stock market.....	39.75	39.21	38.08	38.66	40.30	37.72	37.28	36.95	38.41	37.77	40.70	39.78	41.34	
Insurance.....	40.25	40.31	39.44	39.70	39.83	39.78	39.67	39.58	40.82	40.72	40.53	40.84	41.06	

## VIII. Prices

## 40. INDEX NUMBERS OF COST OF LIVING, 1935-39=100

Month	Total	Food	Fuel and Lighting	Clothing	Home Furnishings	Mis- cellaneous	Rent	Retail Prices (Com- modities only)
<b>1945</b>								
Aug.	120.5	136.2	106.5	122.1	119.3	109.5	112.1	127.8
Sept.	119.9	134.2	106.7	122.2	119.4	109.5	112.1	126.9
Oct.	119.7	133.3	106.7	122.4	119.4	109.6	112.3	126.5
Nov.	119.9	134.0	106.6	122.5	119.4	109.6	112.3	126.8
Dec.	120.1	134.3	107.1	122.5	119.5	109.6	112.3	127.0
<b>1946</b>								
Jan.	119.9	132.8	107.1	122.6	119.5	110.9	112.3	126.3
Feb.	119.9	132.5	107.1	122.7	120.1	110.9	112.3	126.2
Mar.	120.1	133.1	107.2	123.1	120.4	110.9	112.3	126.7
April	120.8	135.1	107.2	123.2	120.7	111.0	112.3	127.8
May	122.0	137.7	107.2	123.7	122.1	111.5	112.6	129.5
June	123.6	142.1	107.2	124.3	122.4	112.1	112.6	132.1
July	125.1	144.2	107.2	126.4	125.1	113.7	112.6	134.4
Aug.	125.6	144.7	107.2	127.6	127.0	113.8	112.6	135.1
Sept.	125.5	143.2	107.2	129.6	128.4	113.9	112.6	135.0
Oct.	126.8	146.5	107.3	130.2	128.8	113.9	113.4	136.9
Nov.	127.1	146.6	108.6	131.1	129.2	114.1	113.4	137.3
Dec.	127.1	146.4	109.2	131.2	129.4	114.1	113.4	137.2
<b>1947</b>								
Jan.	127.0	145.5	109.0	131.5	129.8	114.7	113.4	136.9
Feb.	127.8	147.0	109.1	131.9	130.9	115.5	113.4	137.9

41. INDEX NUMBERS OF FARM PRICES OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS<sup>1</sup>  
1935-1939=100

Month	Canada	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.
<b>1945</b>										
June	178.1	207.1	176.8	189.8	177.0	173.5	178.6	176.7	183.3	183.8
July	179.5	210.1	179.6	204.9	183.7	173.9	178.7	176.5	182.9	188.7
Aug.	178.4	246.5	189.0	224.4	186.8	176.6	172.0	168.4	176.8	191.7
Sept.	175.7	181.4	180.1	199.8	182.2	176.2	170.4	167.9	174.8	193.4
Oct.	175.5	188.0	179.1	195.2	183.0	176.2	171.4	166.7	173.0	194.0
Nov.	176.8	190.3	179.6	201.7	184.6	178.5	172.6	166.8	174.1	195.5
Dec.	177.9	190.0	180.4	204.9	186.1	178.5	174.7	168.6	175.9	194.8
<b>1946*</b>										
Jan.	178.9	196.2	183.5	209.5	188.1	180.7	173.8	169.1	175.7	193.6
Feb.	180.2	202.9	183.5	208.9	188.2	182.4	174.9	169.8	177.4	195.3
Mar.	180.5	205.5	187.1	216.4	188.1	182.2	175.6	169.7	177.6	196.0
April	182.7	210.4	188.5	218.3	190.3	184.5	178.1	171.1	180.6	197.2
May	184.7	216.2	193.8	221.8	194.1	187.5	179.3	172.4	181.1	197.2
June	186.7	214.4	195.8	232.0	197.4	189.2	181.2	173.3	183.2	200.1
July	188.0	217.1	197.2	229.1	199.7	190.4	181.5	173.8	184.0	200.9
Aug.	187.2	237.1	202.0	224.1	201.2	189.4	180.7	172.8	183.1	179.9
Sept.	183.7	176.5	184.0	193.1	197.6	187.9	179.5	171.3	182.0	190.0
Oct.	183.2	166.7	179.5	181.2	200.2	188.3	179.6	171.6	179.3	188.6
Nov.	183.9	161.5	177.6	179.9	202.0	190.0	180.1	171.9	179.4	189.7
Dec.	184.6	161.7	175.9	176.0	203.4	189.9	180.7	173.2	180.8	191.8
<b>1947</b>										
Jan.	184.8	155.0	175.8	178.9	205.9	187.4	183.0	174.0	182.1	191.9

<sup>1</sup>Published by the Agricultural Division of the Bureau. \*Revised figures.

## VIII. Prices

## 42. WHOLESALE PRICES INDEXES, 1926 = 100

Group	1946												1947	
	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	
<b>Wholesale Prices, Total</b>	<b>105.2</b>	<b>105.6</b>	<b>108.2</b>	<b>108.6</b>	<b>109.1</b>	<b>109.5</b>	<b>109.2</b>	<b>109.1</b>	<b>110.8</b>	<b>111.4</b>	<b>111.8</b>	<b>114.2</b>	<b>118.1</b>	
COMPONENT MATERIALS—														
Vegetable Products	97.2	97.4	97.8	97.7	98.7	99.2	97.8	97.4	97.1	97.4	97.2	97.9	102.3	
Animal Products	109.2	109.0	112.3	112.9	114.2	115.7	115.4	115.3	119.6	119.8	120.2	122.7	123.0	
Textiles	92.2	95.5	98.2	98.2	98.2	98.2	98.2	98.2	98.2	98.4	98.4	100.3	111.1	
Wood Products	125.4	125.4	128.4	130.9	131.1	130.5	131.0	131.2	138.3	140.9	143.6	147.8	149.0	
Iron and its Products	118.2	118.0	127.9	128.1	128.4	128.3	128.5	128.6	128.6	128.6	128.6	131.4	131.9	
Non-Ferrous Metals	87.8	87.8	87.8	87.1	86.9	89.3	89.7	89.7	89.7	89.7	89.3	97.1	115.0	
Non-Metallics	102.4	102.4	103.0	103.0	102.7	102.6	102.6	102.6	103.8	104.0	104.7	105.6	106.3	
Chemicals	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	94.5	94.4	94.4	94.4	94.7	95.3	95.3	98.2	103.8	
PURPOSE—Consumers'														
Goods	98.1	99.0	100.8	100.8	101.3	102.0	101.5	101.4	103.0	103.2	103.1	104.1	107.2	
Food, Beverages	103.8	104.1	106.7	106.6	108.1	109.8	108.0	107.5	109.9	110.3	110.1	111.5	111.6	
Producers' Goods	103.3	103.5	105.1	105.0	106.2	106.0	105.8	105.7	107.3	107.9	108.6	111.3	117.4	
Producers' Equipment	120.3	120.3	120.8	120.8	120.3	120.2	120.2	120.3	122.6	122.8	123.3	124.3	124.5	
Producers' Materials	101.4	101.6	103.3	103.2	104.6	104.4	104.2	104.1	105.6	106.2	107.0	109.8	116.6	
Building Materials	128.4	128.4	134.2	134.2	134.2	133.5	134.8	135.1	136.0	139.4	140.4	148.3	151.5	
Manufacturers' Materials	96.8	97.1	98.1	98.0	99.6	99.5	99.0	98.9	100.4	100.6	101.3	103.3	110.7	
ORIGIN—Raw and partly manufactured	106.9	107.0	108.0	108.6	109.7	110.2	108.4	108.1	112.4	113.0	113.2	115.2	119.4	
Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	95.4	95.9	98.5	98.5	98.5	98.8	99.5	99.7	101.2	101.2	101.6	103.7	106.8	
Vegetable Origin—														
Raw	95.8	96.1	96.6	96.5	97.5	98.0	94.9	94.4	93.9	93.9	93.7	94.1	100.3	
Manufactured	88.9	90.1	90.6	90.6	90.8	90.9	92.0	92.1	92.1	92.2	92.2	93.9	98.9	
Total	92.1	92.9	93.4	93.3	93.9	94.2	93.3	93.2	92.0	93.0	92.0	93.5	99.5	
Animal Origin—														
Raw	111.8	111.7	112.5	113.0	115.5	116.5	115.0	114.5	131.2	131.3	130.1	131.0	131.0	
Manufactured	95.6	95.6	100.9	100.7	100.3	100.8	100.9	101.3	101.5	101.3	101.9	106.5	108.3	
Total	102.6	102.6	105.9	106.0	106.9	107.6	107.0	107.0	114.4	114.3	114.1	117.1	118.1	
Canadian Farm Products—														
Field	100.9	100.9	101.2	101.9	102.0	103.7	100.3	99.4	99.1	99.2	99.5	99.5	100.1	
Animal	126.0	126.1	126.5	127.7	130.5	130.6	129.3	129.2	135.8	137.1	137.0	138.3	140.1	
Total	110.3	110.3	110.7	111.5	112.7	113.8	111.1	110.5	112.8	113.4	113.5	114.0	115.1	
Marine Origin—														
Raw	135.4	131.8	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	
Manufactured	136.0	134.1	142.0	142.0	142.0	149.8	157.2	157.2	157.2	157.2	157.2	167.9	167.9	
Total	135.8	133.5	138.7	138.7	138.7	144.4	140.8	149.8	149.8	149.8	157.6	157.6	155.2	
Forest Origin—														
Raw	153.0	153.0	158.5	163.0	163.0	162.7	162.7	162.8	164.2	169.6	174.1	184.3	186.7	
Manufactured	99.7	99.7	100.4	100.4	100.7	100.6	101.4	101.9	113.6	113.6	113.6	113.6	113.6	
Total	124.5	124.5	127.5	130.0	130.2	129.5	130.0	130.3	137.2	139.7	141.8	146.6	147.7	
Mineral Origin—														
Raw	101.6	101.6	102.1	101.7	102.0	102.8	102.9	103.3	104.7	104.9	105.4	108.3	114.6	
Manufactured	101.1	101.2	105.2	105.3	105.3	105.3	105.4	105.5	105.4	105.4	105.9	108.6	110.3	
Total	101.3	101.4	103.8	103.7	103.8	104.2	104.3	104.5	105.1	105.2	105.7	108.5	112.2	

## VIII. Prices—Continued

## 43. WHOLESALE PRICES INDEXES, 1926=100 BY COMMODITY GROUPS

Classification	1946												1947	
	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	
<b>COMMODITY GROUPS—</b>														
Fruits.....	117.1	120.0	122.7	131.1	130.4	127.3	125.9	129.2	130.7	132.2	124.7	113.4	116.6	
Grains.....	92.4	92.3	92.5	92.7	92.9	92.8	91.9	92.1	92.3	92.6	92.8	92.6	100.6	
Flour and milled products.....	79.0	79.0	79.0	79.0	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	87.4	
Rubber and its products.....	75.7	75.7	76.0	76.0	76.0	76.0	76.0	76.0	76.0	74.8	74.8	77.3	77.3	
Sugar and its products.....	120.7	120.7	121.5	121.5	122.4	122.4	122.4	122.4	122.4	122.4	122.4	122.4	122.4	
Tea, coffee, cocoa and spices.....	114.8	114.8	114.8	114.8	114.8	114.8	114.8	114.8	114.8	114.8	114.8	137.6	137.6	
Vegetables.....	112.2	115.3	118.1	119.3	123.0	135.3	109.1	97.9	89.2	88.8	86.1	89.0	91.8	
Fishery products.....	134.5	132.5	138.7	138.7	138.7	144.5	150.9	150.9	150.9	150.9	160.2	190.2	157.1	
Furs.....	114.1	108.0	105.1	109.6	109.6	107.0	107.0	98.5	18.5	98.5	91.5	88.3	67.5	
Hides and skins.....	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	118.0	
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	131.0	
Boots and shoes.....	110.7	110.2	110.2	110.2	110.6	110.6	111.0	113.7	113.7	113.7	117.1	117.1	125.5	
Live stock.....	153.7	153.1	156.3	160.5	171.7	165.7	160.1	158.4	158.8	158.2	162.4	171.4	176.2	
Meats and poultry.....	115.3	115.3	120.6	120.6	124.5	124.4	121.3	120.7	120.7	120.7	120.7	126.6	127.0	
Milk and its products.....	101.3	101.4	105.4	105.0	104.0	105.1	105.3	105.3	118.5	118.8	119.2	119.1	119.2	
Eggs.....	84.0	86.1	84.6	88.0	87.2	99.9	102.7	104.8	106.1	107.0	97.9	90.8	86.6	
Cotton fabrics.....	82.5	91.5	91.5	91.5	91.5	91.5	91.5	91.5	91.5	91.5	91.5	91.5	118.3	
Miscellaneous fibre products.....	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.1	92.6	92.6	105.2	107.1
Rayon fabrics.....	71.6	71.6	71.6	71.6	71.6	71.6	71.6	71.6	71.6	71.6	71.6	71.6	71.6	
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	
Woolen hosiery and knit goods.....	108.8	108.8	118.8	118.8	118.8	118.8	118.8	118.8	118.8	118.8	118.8	118.8	118.8	
Newspaper and wrapping paper.....	99.9	99.9	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.7	101.0	114.8	114.8	114.8	114.7	114.7	114.7	
Lumber.....	162.5	162.5	170.4	170.4	170.4	168.7	168.7	168.7	170.8	177.3	177.3	189.5	193.0	
Pulp.....	131.2	131.2	131.2	149.0	149.0	149.0	149.0	149.2	149.2	151.0	166.8	172.3	172.3	
Furniture.....	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.4	107.5	107.5	115.4	117.6	117.6	117.6	117.6	117.9	118.0	
Pig iron and steel billets.....	104.8	104.8	123.5	123.5	123.5	123.5	123.5	123.5	123.5	123.5	123.5	123.5	123.5	
Rolling mill products.....	125.0	124.6	136.1	130.3	130.3	136.3	135.9	135.9	135.9	135.9	135.0	135.0	137.0	137.8
Hardware.....	97.6	98.2	100.8	101.5	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	107.1	110.7
Wire.....	105.5	105.5	122.6	122.6	122.6	122.6	119.3	119.3	119.3	119.3	119.3	119.3	119.3	
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	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	87.9	100.2	120.8	
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	86.4	131.1	
Zinc and its products.....	59.1	59.1	59.1	59.1	59.1	59.1	59.1	59.2	59.2	59.2	59.2	75.8	104.8	
Clay and allied products.....	109.1	109.1	100.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	118.0	124.8	124.8	
Coal.....	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	124.4	124.4	124.4	124.4	128.1	128.6	129.1	129.1	129.1	
Coke.....	123.4	123.4	123.4	123.4	123.4	123.4	123.4	123.4	123.4	123.4	123.4	123.9	123.9	
Manufactured gas.....	100.6	100.6	100.6	100.6	100.6	100.6	100.6	100.6	100.6	100.6	110.6	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	104.4	104.4	104.4	
Petroleum products.....	79.8	79.8	81.0	81.0	81.0	81.0	81.0	81.0	81.0	81.0	81.0	82.7	83.2	
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	130.6	
Cement.....	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.1	105.0	105.0	105.0	105.0	105.0	105.0	105.0	107.6	
Building stone.....	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	71.0	71.0	71.0	71.0	76.1	76.1	
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	80.2	
Inorganic chemicals.....	87.4	87.4	87.4	87.4	87.5	87.5	87.5	87.5	87.4	87.4	87.6	87.9	87.9	
Organic chemicals.....	87.3	87.3	87.3	87.3	87.3	90.7	90.7	90.7	90.7	94.3	94.3	94.6	102.6	
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	91.1	
Dyeing and tanning materials.....	139.3	139.3	139.3	139.3	139.3	139.3	137.2	137.2	137.2	137.2	137.2	137.2	138.4	
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	73.1	
Paints, prepared.....	76.3	76.3	76.3	76.3	76.3	76.3	76.3	76.3	76.3	76.3	76.3	82.5	99.1	
Drugs.....	141.9	141.9	141.9	141.9	132.2	132.2	132.2	132.2	132.2	132.2	132.2	123.9	125.7	
Fertilizer.....	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.9	85.9	85.9	

## VIII. Prices—Concluded

## 44. PRICES OF REPRESENTATIVE COMMODITIES

Group	1946												1947	
	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Wholesale Prices of Important Commodities—</b>														
Onta, No. 2 C.W., bush.	.515	.515	.515	.515	.515	.515	.515	.515	.515	.515	.515	.515	.515	.515
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	1.375
Flour, First Patent 2-88's	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
cotton bags, Toronto.....	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	6.893
Sugar, granulated, Montreal. ewt.														
Cattle steers, good, up to 1,050 lbs., Toronto.....	12.100	12.120	12.280	12.600	13.890	13.220	12.540	12.350	12.280	12.370	12.610	13.360	13.980	
Hogs, B.t. dressed Toronto".	18.670	17.730	19.350	19.880	20.820	20.900	21.150	20.420	19.870	20.170	20.800	21.710	21.380	
Beef hides, packer hides														
native steers..... lbs.	.150	.150	.150	.150	.150	.150	.150	.150	.150	.150	.150	.150	.150	.180
Leather, packer hide crops.	.480	.480	.480	.480	.480	.480	.480	.480	.480	.480	.480	.480	.480	.565
Box sides, D, Oshawa..... ft.	.240	.240	.240	.240	.240	.240	.240	.240	.240	.240	.240	.240	.240	.282
Butter, creamery, first, Montreal..... lb.	.380	.380	.420	.415	.403	.417	.420	.420	.420	.420	.420	.420	.420	.420
Eggs, Grade "A", Montreal. doz.	.384	.393	.378	.394	.406	.402	.505	.505	.505	.505	.505	.468	.423	.393
Cotton yarns, 10's white, single..... "	.293	.303	.313	.348	.348	.348	.348	.348	.348	.348	.348	.348	.348	.608
Wool, eastern, bright, 1/2 blood..... "	.310	.310	.310	.310	.310	.310	.310	.310	.310	.310	.310	.310	.300	.300
Wool, western range, semi-bright, 1/2 blood..... "	.260	.260	.260	.260	.260	.260	.260	.260	.260	.260	.260	.250	.250	.250
Pulp, groundwood, No. 1, ton	55.000	55.000	55.000	63.800	63.800	63.800	64.000	64.000	64.000	64.000	64.000	75.000	75.000	
Pig-iron, foundry, No. 1..... "	25.500	25.500	30.500	30.500	30.500	30.500	30.500	30.500	30.500	30.500	30.500	30.500	30.500	
Steel, merchant bars, mill. 100lb.	2.754	2.754	3.240	3.240	3.240	3.240	3.240	3.240	3.240	3.240	3.240	3.240	3.240	
Copper, electrolytic, domestic, Montreal..... ewt.	11.500	11.500	11.500	11.500	11.500	11.500	11.500	11.500	11.500	11.500	11.500	13.364	16.225	
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	7.047	10.630	
Tin ingots, Straits, Toronto. lb.	.620	.620	.620	.620	.620	.620	.620	.620	.620	.620	.620	.620	.620	.690
Zinc, domestic, electrolytic. ewt.	5.750	5.750	5.750	5.750	5.750	5.750	5.750	5.750	5.750	5.750	5.750	5.750	7.356	10.250
Coal, anthracite, Toronto. ton	12.360	12.360	12.360	12.360	12.360	12.360	12.360	12.360	12.360	12.360	12.360	12.360	12.360	
Coal, bituminous, N.S. run-of-mine..... "	6.950	6.980	6.980	6.980	6.980	6.980	6.980	6.980	6.980	6.980	6.980	6.980	6.980	
Gasoline, Toronto..... gal.	.195	.195	.195	.195	.195	.195	.195	.195	.195	.195	.195	.195	.200	.200
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	

\* Dressed weight grading.

## 45. INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES, 1935-39 = 100

<b>Security Prices—</b>		1935-39 = 100											
COMMON STOCK PRICES—													
Total (100)	121.8	119.2	125.1	124.4	123.3	119.1	116.9	104.4	101.8	102.5	106.4	108.2	109.4
Industrials, total (74)	113.8	110.9	117.6	117.7	110.7	112.6	110.4	97.4	95.0	95.3	99.3	99.2	102.4
Machinery and equipment (10)	172.9	189.2	207.0	205.7	202.1	190.0	187.0	162.7	166.0	173.7	180.2	179.9	184.9
Pulp and paper (8)	248.5	244.4	277.3	275.3	282.5	266.1	268.6	229.4	233.3	215.1	250.0	253.7	264.3
Milling (4)	132.1	130.6	141.4	140.8	141.7	140.0	139.4	122.6	123.0	122.7	123.9	124.9	125.3
Oils (4)	84.8	81.6	84.6	74.7	73.1	71.8	70.8	64.9	63.2	63.1	63.6	63.0	68.6
Textiles and clothing (9)	187.8	186.8	200.2	208.3	210.3	206.4	207.9	190.5	182.1	180.7	181.8	182.9	190.6
Food and allied products (13)	130.3	129.0	134.6	136.6	136.4	134.0	129.9	123.7	122.8	121.0	123.3	124.0	129.8
Beverages (8)	334.0	327.8	353.8	410.0	410.3	430.2	430.5	349.2	330.9	314.3	317.1	303.5	302.5
Building materials (16)	150.5	148.6	160.6	160.4	167.0	157.3	154.1	137.1	133.9	134.9	138.4	142.0	145.3
Industrial mines (2)	106.9	109.4	106.0	109.8	108.5	100.1	96.1	84.5	81.6	83.6	92.1	93.3	93.6
Utilities, total (18)	146.0	142.4	145.4	140.7	138.4	132.2	130.3	118.8	114.8	115.2	118.3	117.7	121.8
Transportation (2)	249.7	229.6	233.8	224.1	234.0	206.9	197.5	164.8	150.8	145.6	148.7	149.6	162.6
Telephone and telegraph (2)	122.2	126.5	128.2	134.1	135.6	132.0	131.5	124.0	114.8	114.7	118.9	121.0	121.9
Power and traction (14)	122.7	121.7	124.8	117.8	110.0	109.8	109.9	103.7	103.8	107.5	110.3	108.1	110.4
Banks (8)	126.8	129.2	133.6	134.2	135.0	135.3	132.3	124.1	124.7	129.8	133.5	133.1	133.4
MINING STOCK PRICES—													
Total (27)	116.0	108.4	110.0	107.0	104.0	93.4	89.7	81.6	80.3	83.3	83.7	88.6	88.8
Gold (23)	111.6	101.3	99.8	94.2	92.0	81.7	77.6	71.1	70.1	73.1	74.1	75.7	
Base metals (4)	124.8	119.9	127.9	130.4	125.7	114.9	112.1	101.0	98.0	101.9	107.6	109.8	113.3
PREFERRED STOCKS.....	154.1	154.5	157.8	159.7	161.6	157.5	157.9	151.4	153.6	154.7	153.5	157.5	158.5
BOND PRICES AND YIELDS—													
Treasury Bill yields.....	0.363	0.362	0.373	0.385	0.393	0.403	0.402	0.402	0.395	0.396	0.396	0.399	0.399
Dominion of Canada yields.....	2.58	2.60	2.60	2.63	2.60	2.63	2.61	2.62	2.62	2.62	2.62	2.61	2.61
Index of.....	85.9	83.8	84.3	85.1	84.9	85.1	85.0	84.9	85.0	85.0	85.0	84.9	84.7
Capitalized yields.....	116.4	119.3	118.6	117.5	117.8	117.5	117.6	117.8	117.6	117.6	117.6	117.8	118.1

## IX. Finance

## 46. ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE BANK OF CANADA, 1947

Item	Feb. 19	Feb. 26	Feb. 28	March 5	March 12	March 19
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>LIABILITIES—</b>						
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.....	10,050,367	10,050,367	10,050,367	10,050,367	10,050,367	10,050,367
3. Notes in circulation.....	1,135,639,476	1,134,978,790	1,137,884,144	1,145,062,051	1,146,818,243	1,149,309,634
4. Deposits—						
(a) Dominion Government.....	203,033,111	250,224,267	215,689,795	109,994,419	111,321,218	143,640,903
(b) Provincial Governments.....	406,354,367	571,402,921	493,608,445	534,476,640	530,384,065	512,977,045
(c) Chartered Banks.....	39,564,232	50,314,823	75,299,857	74,290,555	83,269,705	85,808,023
(d) Other.....	828,051,711	871,942,011	784,508,097	778,781,614	724,974,988	742,425,972
Total.....	1,097,171,223	2,029,299,857	1,959,765,758	1,950,376,804	1,911,852,571	1,918,465,632
<b>ASSETS—</b>						
1. Reserve—						
Cold coin and bullion.....						
Silver bullion.....						
Sterling and U.S.A. dollars.....	958,496	958,496	958,496	958,496	958,496	958,496
Other currencies of countries on a gold standard.....						
Total.....	958,496	958,496	958,496	958,496	958,496	958,496
2. Subsidiary coin.....	389,651	392,970	397,024	384,425	373,188	368,218
3. Bills discounted.....						
4. Advances to—						
(a) Dominion Government.....						
(b) Provincial Governments.....						
(c) Chartered and Savings Banks.....						
Total.....						
5. Bills bought except treasury bills.....						
6. Investments—						
(a) Dominion and Provincial Government short securities.....	1,218,795,245	1,250,193,350	1,172,322,430	1,132,880,940	1,121,558,273	1,117,247,429
(b) Other Dominion and Provincial Government securities.....						
(c) Other securities.....	720,834,602	735,928,532	738,901,353	745,149,688	747,242,032	752,532,575
Total.....	15,000,000	15,000,000	15,000,000	15,000,000	15,000,000	15,000,000
7. Bank Premises.....	1,963,629,847	2,007,121,882	1,926,223,734	1,893,030,628	1,883,800,305	1,884,780,004
8. All other assets.....	29,751,078	18,384,873	29,743,918	53,561,664	24,279,084	29,814,818
Total.....	1,997,171,223	2,029,299,857	1,959,765,758	1,960,376,804	1,911,852,571	1,918,465,632

## 47. MONEY SUPPLY

Millions of Dollars

Classification	1946												1947
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	
<b>Money Supply (<math>M_1 + M_2</math>).....</b>	<b>7059.1</b>	<b>7126.4</b>	<b>7084.2</b>	<b>7189.8</b>	<b>7105.5</b>	<b>6971.6</b>	<b>7097.3</b>	<b>7120.6</b>	<b>7232.0</b>	<b>7415.8</b>	<b>7612.8</b>	<b>7561.8</b>	<b>7545.4</b>
<b>CIRCULATING MEDIA—</b>													
Bank Notes in Circulation—													
Bank of Canada.....	1088.1	1086.7	1102.2	1114.4	1109.5	1114.0	1117.9	1127.4	1147.5	1156.9	1161.1	1186.2	1138.6
Chartered Banks.....	25.2	24.8	24.5	24.1	23.7	23.3	22.9	22.5	22.2	21.8	21.7	21.4	21.1
Notes in hands of public.....	966.1	976.0	1002.0	984.0	995.6	1011.0	988.6	1015.9	1016.1	1029.4	1042.4	1030.6	1016.7
Subsidiary coin in hands of public.....	61.2	61.5	62.8	62.0	62.7	64.0	62.6	63.9	63.3	63.7	65.1	64.7	63.0
Total Circulating Media in hands of public (M <sub>1</sub> ).....	1027.3	1038.4	1064.7	1046.0	1058.4	1075.0	1051.2	1079.8	1079.5	1093.0	1107.5	1095.5	1079.7
Deposits—													
Deposits with Chartered Banks—													
Dominion Government.....	705.5	650.7	517.6	350.6	248.6	114.3	143.0	153.8	120.7	286.7	600.2	365.9	452.0
Provincial Government.....	103.6	105.9	109.1	122.3	120.2	128.1	130.0	124.3	127.2	121.2	119.8	126.0	161.3
Demand.....	1948.5	1985.4	1985.3	2178.5	2207.0	2150.5	2197.1	2148.2	2265.3	2315.7	2181.8	2290.8	2086.6
Notice.....	2962.9	3078.0	3120.2	3237.5	3305.7	3303.5	3410.9	3465.7	3524.1	3476.7	3499.1	33469.3	3332.8
Total.....	5810.5	5829.9	5781.2	5897.9	5581.5	5756.1	5585.9	5829.1	6037.4	6200.9	6362.0	6252.0	6232.7
Deposits with Bank of Canada—													
Dominion Government.....	187.2	201.7	149.2	183.3	87.1	57.9	69.1	69.1	27.4	36.6	63.9	60.5	150.1
Other.....	34.2	58.4	89.1	62.7	78.4	85.6	90.1	79.7	87.8	85.2	79.4	93.8	82.9
Total.....	221.4	258.1	238.3	246.0	165.6	143.4	159.2	148.7	115.2	121.9	143.3	154.3	233.0
Total Deposits (M <sub>1</sub> ).....	6031.8	6088.0	6019.5	6143.9	6047.1	5899.6	6046.1	6040.8	6152.5	6322.7	6505.3	6406.3	6465.7

## IX. Finance—Continued

## 48. CANADIAN CHARTERED BANKS AT END OF MONTH

Millions of Dollars

Classification	1946												1947
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
<b>Assets—</b>													
CANADIAN CASH RESERVE—													
Notes of Bank of Canada...	147.19	134.64	124.72	154.48	137.53	126.30	152.10	134.04	153.58	149.30	140.36	176.86	143.04
Deposits with Bank of Canada...	505.88	522.92	515.12	555.80	493.36	500.48	532.48	521.13	511.34	538.56	579.51	565.47	533.32
Totals...	653.07	657.56	639.85	710.28	630.89	626.78	684.58	635.17	664.92	687.88	719.88	742.33	676.36
STUNDRY ASSETS—													
Gold and coin...	15.08	14.65	13.21	13.06	13.56	12.45	14.00	12.73	13.69	13.83	12.73	13.38	15.32
Foreign currency...	96.96	97.46	87.19	87.60	94.50	101.08	90.85	95.66	97.07	96.39	96.22	92.90	98.49
Notes and Cheques on other banks...	211.26	248.54	207.26	255.64	280.39	230.03	239.39	204.08	286.61	282.82	243.26	328.43	257.48
Balances at other Banks—													
United Kingdom banks...	30.61	31.88	31.90	32.99	28.96	27.93	24.76	24.31	27.75	25.79	25.60	29.39	32.89
Other foreign banks...	185.01	178.30	191.55	206.05	194.44	193.93	161.98	184.08	151.02	158.08	163.70	162.34	144.98
Canadian Chartered banks	2.31	2.55	2.17	2.20	2.66	2.35	2.49	2.43	2.68	2.15	4.19	2.35	2.33
SECURITIES—													
Dom.-Prov. Government...	3,647.5	3,644.9	3,699.1	3,708.7	3,726.7	3,681.9	3,738.5	3,765.1	3,792.4	3,804.5	3015.6	3033.7	3710.2
Canadian municipal...	91.78	96.30	98.15	98.82	95.40	98.27	98.96	102.21	131.04	135.65	112.41	115.46	134.79
Foreign public...	244.22	257.57	251.21	277.31	303.72	318.44	283.61	275.95	273.55	280.04	270.36	275.63	277.53
Other...	116.27	120.70	148.26	157.86	178.29	177.87	176.37	182.60	178.37	190.61	197.22	207.19	240.80
Totals...	4,098.7	4,119.4	4,196.7	4,242.7	4,304.1	4,274.5	4,297.5	4,335.9	4,375.3	4,470.8	4,495.6	4231.8	4369.1
CALL AND SHORT LOANS—													
In Canada...	209.54	199.78	147.65	151.82	124.51	115.20	96.22	98.31	90.69	97.29	116.86	135.48	134.38
Elsewhere...	101.89	109.67	105.96	106.07	89.57	74.41	68.48	77.31	85.61	79.69	70.48	77.10	85.29
CURRENT LOANS—													
In Canada—													
Prov. Governments...	19.47	19.22	17.59	16.74	19.43	9.43	5.91	6.27	13.01	12.12	18.58	28.63	6.20
Municipalities, etc...	19.77	24.03	30.89	29.46	27.02	30.86	34.35	33.41	34.23	27.16	20.98	24.80	26.94
Other...	1173.88	1151.10	1132.75	1113.80	1140.36	1147.72	1190.15	1209.71	1235.81	1301.65	1430.54	1453.80	1448.0
Elsewhere than in Canada...	144.62	147.21	149.05	151.87	150.17	154.10	142.34	148.42	159.93	164.53	167.55	177.95	180.61
OTHER ASSETS—													
Non-current loans...	1.06	0.96	0.97	0.91	0.93	0.95	0.96	0.92	0.94	0.95	0.02	0.04	0.94
Bank premises...	63.79	63.88	63.94	64.35	64.80	64.97	65.16	65.62	65.78	64.22	63.78	64.22	64.89
Other real estate...	1.89	1.90	1.89	1.86	1.77	1.77	1.76	1.69	1.09	1.32	0.86	0.85	0.81
Mortgages...	1.80	1.85	1.83	1.79	1.73	1.66	1.60	1.46	1.41	1.51	1.60	1.65	1.62
Loans to controlled companies...	10.83	10.77	10.73	10.69	10.64	10.59	10.65	10.61	10.57	10.40	10.37	10.31	10.68
Note circulation deposit...	1.69	1.69	1.69	1.70	1.70	1.70	1.55	1.33	1.33	1.33	1.33	1.33	1.34
Letters of credit...	140.66	146.20	153.14	166.38	174.04	180.89	177.10	188.13	182.15	187.83	200.49	212.90	205.10
Other assets...	4.59	4.78	4.81	4.71	4.78	4.90	4.82	4.79	4.95	5.21	5.32	5.72	5.98
Total Assets...	7,189.6	7,233.4	7,192.7	7,373.6	7,360.9	7,269.8	7,316.6	7,342.2	7,508.1	7,692.7	7,877.0	7,989.6	7,767.7
Liabilities—													
Notes in circulation...	25.22	24.84	24.46	24.10	23.68	23.30	22.89	22.51	22.15	21.78	21.71	21.42	21.13
Deposit Liabilities—													
Government Deposits—													
Dominion...	795.52	650.74	517.59	350.56	248.63	114.30	142.95	153.83	120.70	286.65	600.17	365.93	451.96
Provincial...	103.55	105.86	108.14	123.32	120.18	128.07	135.99	124.32	127.21	121.83	119.84	125.97	161.32
Public Deposits—													
Demand in Canada...	1,948.5	1,905.4	1,085.3	2,178.5	2,207.0	2,150.3	2,197.1	2,148.2	2,265.3	2,315.7	2,181.8	2,290.6	2,086.6
Time in Canada...	2,982.9	3,078.0	3,170.2	3,237.5	3,305.7	3,363.4	3,410.9	3,405.7	3,524.1	3,470.7	3,400.1	3,409.3	3,532.8
Foreign...	729.08	734.50	738.92	772.14	770.69	766.11	697.43	704.07	710.12	714.98	700.88	716.03	734.08
Deposits of other Banks—													
Canadian chartered banks...	17.28	23.23	15.67	20.01	18.26	17.00	19.58	15.44	21.88	20.58	18.44	24.71	22.20
United Kingdom banks...	29.72	30.99	30.80	32.04	31.90	31.71	30.73	33.33	35.10	31.48	31.00	32.75	25.50
Other banks...	79.07	83.19	84.42	91.66	84.51	105.33	103.62	104.31	107.23	105.82	100.88	103.78	103.44
Total Deposit Liabilities... of which: Canadian currency...	6,685.6	6,701.8	6,651.0	6,813.7	6,786.8	6,676.8	6,738.2	6,749.3	6,811.7	7,073.7	7,213.3	7129.3	7118.0
Other Liabilities...	5,807.2	5,834.9	5,786.4	5,911.4	5,893.0	5,779.5	5,930.8	5,935.0	6,091.9	6,245.2	6,403.3	6294.6	6270.7
Rills 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...	140.66	146.20	153.14	166.38	174.04	180.89	177.10	188.13	182.15	187.63	200.49	212.90	205.10
Other...	2.88	3.26	2.93	2.88	4.36	3.91	3.83	4.16	3.76	5.38	5.15	3.58	2.26
Liabilities to Shareholders													
Dividends...	2.86	1.88	1.48	3.12	1.88	1.48	3.12	1.90	1.50	3.79	2.57	2.04	3.18
Reserve...	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	151.75	176.75	176.75	176.50
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...	7,173.0	7,216.8	7,176.2	7,357.0	7,344.4	7,253.3	7,300.7	7,325.6	7,491.5	7,677.1	7,866.58	7,788.21	7,757.3
DAILY AVERAGE DATA—													
Canadian currency deposits...	5,814.7	5,733.5	5,764.0	5,781.0	5,705.3	5,788.7	5,840.9	5,807.6	5,973.3	6,099.7	6,298.1	6,198.5	6,184.8
Canadian cash reserve...	676.8	633.3	639.4	663.0	683.1	656.6	663.7	681.5	650.4	677.4	718.1	696.5	711.3
Total public note circulation*	961.7	904.8	978.0	984.9	979.1	982.5	986.8	902.1	1,005.5	1,014.5	1,014.4	1,030.0	999.7
DAILY AVERAGE RATIO: Cash to Deposits ...	11.6	11.4	11.1	11.5	11.8	11.3	11.4	11.6	11.0	11.1	11.4	11.1	11.5

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

## IX. Finance—Continued

## 48. CANADIAN CHARTERED BANKS—Concluded

Index Number— (1935-39=100)	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
Canadian deposits (daily average).....	249.7	246.2	247.5	248.2	248.8	248.5	250.8	253.2	250.5	261.9	270.4	266.1	265.5
Canadian cash re- serve (daily aver- age).....	281.3	271.5	265.8	275.6	283.9	272.9	275.9	283.2	274.1	281.5	298.5	289.5	295.6
Current loans in Canada.....	150.5	147.6	145.2	142.8	146.2	147.2	152.6	155.1	158.4	166.9	183.4	186.4	185.7
Total securities.....	302.3	303.7	309.4	312.8	317.3	315.2	318.9	319.7	322.6	329.6	331.5	312.0	322.1
Total public note cir- culation*.....	495.0	496.6	503.3	508.9	503.9	505.7	507.9	510.6	517.5	522.1	522.1	530.1	514.5

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

## 49. CHEQUES CASHED IN MILLION DOLLARS

Areas and Cities	1946												1947	
	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	
<b>Cheques Cashed—</b>														
MARITIME PROVINCES—														
Halifax.....	55.8	62.6	59.5	113.0	76.6	80.5	67.6	60.5	80.1	76.0	72.3	70.2	59.8	
Moncton.....	19.6	21.7	21.0	24.2	22.4	22.7	24.0	20.7	25.6	27.2	27.0	24.2	20.4	
Saint John.....	31.4	39.3	37.3	38.8	30.9	40.0	36.8	34.4	38.8	43.4	40.3	41.7	36.9	
Totals.....	106.8	123.7	117.8	176.0	138.9	143.2	128.4	115.7	144.4	146.6	139.6	136.1	117.1	
QUEBEC—														
Montreal.....	1,447.4	1,502.8	1,465.5	1,730.4	1,640.9	1,594.9	1,382.6	1,675.9	1,706.3	1,651.5	1,516.7	1,683.3	1,630.2	
Quebec.....	147.5	120.6	129.0	137.4	143.3	184.7	124.5	135.1	156.9	153.1	162.2	141.9	124.4	
Sherbrooke.....	12.6	14.9	15.8	16.9	17.0	17.6	18.3	16.6	18.5	17.8	18.7	15.4	15.0	
Totals.....	1,607.6	1,638.3	1,610.4	1,884.7	1,801.2	1,797.2	1,525.4	1,827.6	1,881.7	1,822.5	1,697.6	2040.6	1,769.7	
ONTARIO—														
Brantford.....	19.4	21.3	22.0	24.5	21.0	22.9	23.2	21.4	25.6	23.5	23.0	23.2	21.8	
Chatham.....	15.1	13.6	12.4	15.0	14.2	15.1	13.2	14.4	15.5	18.7	21.7	19.3	20.7	
Fort William.....	12.9	14.2	13.3	14.6	14.2	16.4	16.5	16.9	17.4	15.9	19.6	15.2	14.3	
Hamilton.....	104.8	106.1	110.8	125.3	114.0	120.3	111.4	117.2	129.6	146.9	138.7	133.0	115.3	
Kingston.....	13.5	16.8	16.6	17.4	15.2	16.3	15.4	17.0	18.5	20.2	20.9	18.4	13.9	
Kitchener.....	30.0	27.6	27.7	33.3	30.7	31.2	24.4	25.3	31.0	35.9	33.2	34.1	34.1	
London.....	59.7	72.0	71.7	74.4	84.0	71.0	71.8	64.3	72.0	80.3	74.0	81.0	70.4	
Ottawa.....	312.8	613.9	657.2	411.3	318.5	285.4	240.1	545.3	498.5	336.5	496.9	243.8	389.1	
Peterborough.....	14.0	14.1	16.6	17.4	17.0	18.7	15.5	18.2	18.2	18.6	19.2	17.0	16.0	
St. Catharines.....	17.3	18.7	19.6	21.4	21.5	21.6	21.0	20.9	23.4	27.1	23.0	22.6	23.5	
Sarnia.....	15.9	18.5	16.7	18.5	21.8	20.0	23.2	22.4	21.8	20.6	25.4	22.2	18.4	
Sudbury.....	10.1	11.4	11.5	13.0	13.0	12.9	12.9	13.0	14.9	14.9	14.7	13.4	12.5	
Toronto.....	1,837.7	1,651.2	1,648.1	1,671.9	1,677.2	1,643.3	1,337.7	1,545.8	1,589.6	1,704.1	1,649.1	1,875.2	1,713.7	
Windsor.....	68.3	73.8	76.9	85.8	81.6	77.0	93.7	74.7	75.9	78.5	82.4	78.0	75.7	
Totals.....	2,531.4	2,632.9	2,721.8	2,543.9	2,444.8	2,361.1	2,020.1	2,515.0	2,552.0	2,541.6	2,642.3	2,506.4	2,539.2	
PRairie PROVINCES—														
Brandon.....	6.3	6.8	7.8	8.9	7.7	13.0	8.0	8.5	10.3	10.0	8.8	7.3	6.0	
Calgary.....	112.6	113.6	111.3	124.6	123.5	143.7	125.3	125.8	171.9	174.2	145.1	140.2	112.6	
Edmonton.....	88.8	137.0	93.4	99.8	73.2	99.4	107.3	101.8	102.1	108.4	107.8	96.7	90.4	
Lethbridge.....	10.0	11.7	12.2	11.9	11.4	11.2	13.5	13.5	14.6	13.4	13.2	12.4	12.9	
Medicine Hat.....	4.7	5.7	6.1	5.9	5.8	6.5	6.0	7.0	8.6	7.0	6.5	6.3	5.3	
Moose Jaw.....	11.3	15.2	15.9	14.6	14.9	15.4	14.2	17.2	19.6	18.0	15.7	15.3	11.2	
Prince Albert.....	7.3	8.3	8.7	8.5	8.3	9.6	8.4	8.3	10.2	9.4	10.4	9.0	7.7	
Regina.....	49.2	64.3	83.9	80.7	66.7	76.6	71.2	108.8	104.3	112.5	82.2	67.4	52.4	
Saskatoon.....	21.5	20.0	29.7	30.3	28.6	26.3	30.2	29.6	34.0	33.3	31.6	27.9	22.7	
Winnipeg.....	385.1	414.0	492.1	625.9	455.9	430.3	417.5	587.7	751.7	728.5	551.9	534.6	380.1	
Totals.....	696.9	805.6	861.3	1,010.9	795.7	831.9	801.7	1,008.0	1,227.2	1,213.5	972.9	917.1	701.3	
BRITISH COLUMBIA—														
New Westminster.....	15.1	17.8	18.2	19.6	21.3	17.9	18.7	18.5	20.3	19.8	20.6	18.6	17.9	
Vancouver.....	328.0	364.6	304.2	379.9	340.7	329.1	321.1	330.2	411.4	398.1	397.4	435.7	304.1	
Victoria.....	50.2	54.3	61.0	100.5	66.7	65.4	51.2	69.5	75.6	69.4	64.8	71.3	87.3	
Totals.....	393.3	436.7	443.4	500.0	428.7	413.4	391.0	424.2	507.2	487.3	482.8	525.6	469.4	
Canada.....	5,335.9	5,678.2	5,754.7	6,115.6	5,600.4	5,546.9	4,866.5	5,890.5	6,312.6	6,211.5	5,935.2	6215.8	5596.7	

## V. External Trade—Continued

## 16. CANADA'S IMPORTS BY CONTINENTS, EXCLUDING GOLD

In Dollars

Month	Europe				Asia	
	Total	United Kingdom		Other		
		Total	Returned Canadian Goods			
<b>1945</b>						
April	13,166,848	11,972,990	2,227	1,110,807	1,193,858	
May	16,515,437	15,178,790	52,016	4,609,763	1,336,647	
June	15,528,232	13,842,544	208,047	2,456,365	1,685,688	
July	12,955,015	11,982,298	47,750	1,715,154	972,717	
Aug.	12,337,847	10,661,079	544,020	1,723,791	1,676,768	
Sept.	11,248,019	9,631,396	2,732,919	1,055,160	1,616,623	
Oct.	14,730,955	12,149,291	3,063,098	1,006,383	2,581,664	
Nov.	18,118,390	14,826,406	8,180,535	2,817,464	3,291,984	
Dec.	16,962,953	14,854,769	3,955,295	474,801	2,108,184	
<b>1946</b>						
Jan.	22,306,309	20,067,619	7,192,669	525,112	2,238,690	
Feb.	15,513,883	12,994,141	7,685,604	160,282	2,519,742	
Mar.	16,944,729	14,434,550	5,419,387	89,928	2,510,179	
April	24,109,624	21,223,597	9,512,275	224,978	2,886,027	
May	21,623,067	18,750,128	7,878,760	213,108	2,842,939	
June	26,205,717	23,394,177	9,437,733	15,490	2,811,540	
July	28,208,637	21,896,036	9,803,525	20,109	6,312,601	
Aug.	17,379,814	14,512,474	2,295,858	62,332	2,867,340	
Sept.	14,725,249	11,982,896	544,621	70,061	2,742,353	
Oct.	19,404,762	15,625,844	170,395	301,189	3,778,918	
Nov.	20,063,034	14,857,865	58,120	412,737	5,145,169	
Dec.	14,687,396	11,663,893	93,152	194,280	3,023,503	
<b>1947</b>						
Jan.	17,948,796	14,257,265	70,174	444,242	3,691,531	
					5,702,367	

Month	North America			South America	Africa	Oceania
	Total	United States	Other			
<b>1945</b>						
April	108,731,854	102,698,286	6,033,568	5,900,484	2,173,173	1,451,232
May	110,398,226	104,531,093	5,645,133	4,531,147	2,576,723	3,944,723
June	118,944,871	110,715,263	8,229,608	5,892,559	1,021,660	3,986,094
July	112,344,966	103,483,402	8,861,564	6,386,511	2,247,549	2,035,799
Aug.	105,679,270	96,755,696	8,923,574	5,071,668	1,012,783	1,998,036
Sept.	97,389,078	89,587,918	7,801,160	4,832,004	2,055,437	2,531,533
Oct.	107,186,670	101,280,697	5,905,973	4,743,599	1,230,357	3,179,298
Nov.	109,975,247	103,283,097	6,692,150	4,944,875	2,035,382	3,868,831
Dec.	95,736,709	89,914,335	5,822,374	3,461,646	1,659,623	1,380,434
<b>1946</b>						
Jan.	103,658,606	97,404,273	6,254,333	4,837,451	1,449,734	1,936,958
Feb.	92,008,200	86,046,285	5,961,915	3,807,839	1,915,798	2,220,095
Mar.	108,010,523	100,132,087	7,878,436	4,277,971	2,965,199	3,873,849
April	123,404,499	114,759,504	8,644,995	4,574,759	1,934,237	1,941,789
May	125,301,234	113,419,954	11,881,280	5,977,511	3,892,261	3,621,275
June	115,947,799	106,605,006	9,342,763	8,197,266	1,742,373	2,310,363
July	120,872,252	112,486,177	8,386,075	6,685,827	1,556,050	3,066,514
Aug.	130,381,123	123,122,941	7,258,194	6,735,053	2,120,994	3,361,039
Sept.	122,916,687	115,765,893	7,150,794	8,718,188	1,252,260	2,859,734
Oct.	148,490,499	140,448,180	8,042,319	7,473,084	1,382,232	3,965,134
Nov.	156,900,891	149,473,450	7,427,441	11,659,455	948,555	2,982,199
Dec.	151,329,891	145,641,104	5,688,787	6,628,462	2,600,066	3,530,883
<b>1947</b>						
Jan.	141,505,650	136,606,080	4,899,570	6,191,488	1,041,534	1,392,799

## INDEX NUMBERS OF PAYROLLS BASED ON JUNE, 1941 AS 100 P.C.

Industries	1946												1947
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	
MANUFACTURING.....	121.2	135.4	135.3	138.7	137.1	134.3	138.5	137.5	140.1	143.0	147.5	153.6	141.8
Animal products—edible.....	157.4	158.0	153.5	158.1	157.3	161.4	175.0	180.2	175.9	184.4	190.5	171.2	
Fur and products.....	134.3	140.7	141.8	147.0	141.3	146.4	140.3	150.4	154.5	160.7	171.3	170.8	131.4
Leather and products.....	125.3	144.3	148.7	154.1	150.4	147.8	149.0	152.6	152.2	158.7	160.8	163.9	145.4
Boots and shoes.....	128.0	144.5	147.4	152.3	148.8	146.8	147.8	153.5	155.7	159.4	160.2	163.9	144.3
Lumber and products.....	114.3	120.0	135.8	138.4	139.6	108.4	148.9	161.7	165.6	168.1	165.8	160.4	143.4
Rough and dressed lumber.....	100.6	112.9	119.2	121.2	123.0	82.0	135.3	151.5	155.5	157.6	152.5	142.8	129.1
Furniture.....	128.2	144.6	150.8	153.1	150.9	147.1	154.0	159.2	169.4	172.6	175.7	181.7	162.2
Other lumber products.....	145.0	170.4	174.0	179.4	181.1	157.2	187.8	196.5	197.3	197.3	199.0	197.2	172.3
Plant products—edible.....	141.1	148.4	144.2	146.2	145.9	147.1	154.8	164.5	180.2	208.2	191.8	184.8	104.7
Pulp and paper products.....	120.3	140.0	142.5	145.0	144.5	148.1	157.3	163.3	165.2	169.0	169.4	170.1	101.6
Pulp and paper.....	125.0	136.6	138.8	142.0	141.8	150.6	164.0	174.3	176.4	179.1	176.0	174.0	164.4
Paper products.....	141.3	158.8	161.2	161.9	161.2	161.2	166.6	167.0	170.2	177.8	182.6	186.0	167.5
Printing and publishing.....	130.5	139.1	140.5	142.7	142.0	140.1	145.7	147.4	149.0	152.9	155.6	159.5	155.8
Rubber products.....	159.8	188.6	195.4	195.9	192.4	184.5	195.1	111.7	119.2	128.2	161.0	225.1	209.4
Textile products.....	112.0	131.6	135.9	139.3	134.9	132.0	127.0	130.8	137.3	139.2	143.2	148.0	128.7
Thread, yarn and cloth.....	115.9	132.9	136.4	137.3	133.4	131.5	122.0	127.6	134.9	141.2	141.6	148.5	133.1
Cotton yarn and cloth.....	103.8	112.5	116.3	116.7	112.0	113.7	87.9	93.6	104.4	115.4	117.3	118.5	109.1
Woolen yarn and cloth.....	117.1	136.1	140.4	142.6	137.1	130.0	133.4	144.3	149.8	151.0	150.1	161.0	130.0
Artificial silk and silk goods.....	134.2	160.8	172.3	172.1	170.5	169.0	170.6	174.4	179.7	184.2	180.2	193.5	169.6
Hosiery and knit goods.....	112.4	131.5	136.6	141.0	137.3	132.7	128.2	135.2	142.7	145.9	144.7	153.9	132.2
Garments and personal furnishings.....	110.2	131.7	137.2	142.0	136.0	134.1	131.0	137.0	132.7	139.4	140.1	146.9	149.1
Other textile products.....	105.1	127.5	130.3	133.8	130.7	126.8	129.1	129.6	130.0	133.4	136.2	137.8	116.9
Tobacco.....	140.6	188.7	173.3	162.3	152.8	155.1	142.0	159.1	170.0	176.4	177.1	194.3	153.8
Beverages.....	157.1	158.1	157.8	156.4	156.5	165.9	171.4	174.0	180.6	186.3	187.6	186.8	184.0
Chemicals and allied products.....	117.8	119.7	119.0	120.6	118.6	118.3	120.0	117.1	117.9	118.8	123.2	127.1	125.2
Clay, glass and stone products.....	131.7	146.6	147.9	153.4	156.7	158.4	163.1	161.9	165.0	158.9	160.3	177.4	165.4
Electric light and power.....	125.7	127.0	128.3	132.0	134.1	133.7	146.8	149.8	148.7	147.8	147.7	146.6	
Electrical apparatus.....	146.0	161.0	163.5	163.3	162.0	162.6	167.4	148.5	154.5	157.1	175.7	195.2	191.2
Iron and steel products.....	108.8	126.9	123.6	128.5	126.4	123.1	123.1	117.8	117.4	118.9	120.3	133.7	122.3
Crude, rolled and forged products.....	111.6	128.2	128.4	129.7	127.7	128.2	127.8	88.5	87.4	89.8	126.2	140.4	127.8
Machinery (other than vehicles).....	103.0	122.8	124.9	120.5	122.2	119.7	125.0	126.0	128.2	133.8	137.2	145.1	133.5
Agricultural implements.....	178.6	199.4	205.0	205.6	202.9	198.6	209.3	220.2	196.7	219.1	220.2	233.8	231.1
Land vehicles and aircraft.....	94.7	110.6	104.5	113.3	114.6	111.2	107.8	106.5	106.1	106.4	108.9	117.7	111.7
Automobiles and parts.....	64.9	93.0	77.8	99.4	107.0	99.1	95.3	94.7	91.7	89.5	94.0	109.6	101.5
Steel shipbuilding and repairing.....	172.4	189.5	175.8	179.0	167.9	161.1	160.5	156.0	148.9	151.6	158.0	152.2	128.5
Heating appliances.....	134.9	147.6	149.9	151.7	145.9	138.7	149.4	151.7	152.3	149.2	156.9	164.7	138.9
Iron and steel fabrication (n.e.s.).....	96.8	113.2	111.6	112.6	111.2	110.5	111.8	113.8	118.8	118.6	115.9	135.4	126.4
Foundry and machine shop products.....	115.4	139.4	144.4	154.3	147.5	137.9	139.2	140.5	144.1	151.3	152.6	157.7	137.3
Other iron and steel products.....	107.0	131.6	131.4	130.8	127.1	122.9	120.6	126.5	129.7	129.5	130.0	132.7	113.5
Non-ferrous metal products.....	112.5	122.2	123.4	127.2	126.4	123.4	128.3	127.8	128.2	129.0	133.1	144.8	140.7
Non-metallic mineral products.....	130.2	134.9	135.8	138.0	137.0	141.0	147.3	151.6	153.0	148.2	149.0	153.3	154.6
Miscellaneous.....	164.0	183.9	184.9	188.2	187.0	180.8	185.7	181.0	180.1	178.3	184.8	191.3	181.2
LOGGING.....	299.4	285.0	316.0	276.6	198.7	153.1	184.7	192.8	195.5	234.0	286.7	332.3	372.1
MINING.....	97.7	306.4	108.6	109.0	107.1	108.7	112.3	108.8	109.0	111.0	112.1	113.6	96.6
Coal.....	153.4	165.6	168.2	166.2	162.2	153.7	153.6	150.0	154.4	159.9	100.0	167.2	115.0
Metallic ores.....	73.1	81.3	83.5	84.5	84.5	86.9	88.8	84.1	82.9	84.2	85.6	86.0	82.3
Non-metallic minerals (except coal).....	122.2	126.4	126.9	131.8	144.1	151.3	157.7	167.1	166.2	165.3	168.5	159.4	141.5
COMMUNICATIONS.....	156.3	155.8	160.0	162.8	170.1	174.8	179.2	184.9	186.9	189.8	194.2	193.8	196.9
Telegraphs.....	146.3	144.5	148.9	145.4	145.9	149.8	150.4	152.6	157.7	156.4	166.2	105.7	169.5
Telephones.....	159.1	158.5	162.9	167.6	175.7	181.7	180.8	192.7	195.8	196.5	202.5	200.7	204.6
TRANSPORTATION.....	151.2	148.4	153.3	152.3	154.9	151.5	154.9	158.6	161.0	171.0	173.2	180.3	175.8
Street railways.....	157.4	169.6	161.4	160.9	164.1	167.6	171.9	173.8	177.0	187.3	186.7	190.1	187.3
Steam railways.....	157.8	163.7	160.9	157.5	155.2	147.8	140.6	156.4	159.2	165.3	168.1	176.1	177.9
Shipping and stevedoring.....	108.6	109.3	102.2	111.6	134.9	136.2	144.2	137.3	143.6	164.8	168.9	178.7	143.2
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE.....	97.8	100.1	101.6	104.4	111.3	126.9	138.7	148.4	153.7	153.7	155.5	149.7	124.7
Building.....	86.7	100.9	100.5	104.8	107.7	115.0	127.1	138.5	141.1	145.4	150.5	149.2	121.5
Highway.....	88.8	82.4	81.7	88.7	109.5	137.3	152.7	162.1	170.6	169.8	161.8	149.8	120.9
Railway.....	135.6	127.6	135.2	129.2	122.0	134.9	140.7	147.2	152.8	144.9	156.0	158.8	137.7
SERVICES.....	148.3	155.8	160.9	163.9	166.0	167.9	176.6	180.3	181.7	183.1	177.4	183.9	178.4
Hotels and restaurant.....	163.7	166.5	173.2	170.8	174.6	179.2	193.0	199.4	201.2	201.5	191.0	199.9	189.5
Personals (chiefly laundries).....	126.7	140.9	143.7	154.3	154.2	152.0	153.5	153.4	154.1	157.2	158.1	161.2	148.5
TRADE.....	140.2	135.0	137.6	141.4	143.2	144.5	148.9	150.1	151.3	154.6	158.6	165.1	160.5
Retail.....	141.9	133.3	136.1	140.2	142.6	143.8	148.6	146.4	150.4	154.1	159.1	107.7	169.0
Wholesale.....	130.8	138.6	141.1	143.8	144.4	146.4	149.8	151.6	153.2	156.1	157.4	159.6	161.3
EIGHT LEADING INDUSTRIES.....	127.6	135.5	137.3	139.1	137.6	136.6	141.9	143.1	145.6	149.8	154.4	159.9	150.2

## IX. Finance

51. PURCHASES OF SECURITIES BY CANADA FROM OTHER COUNTRIES  
In Dollars

Month	Canadian Securities			United States Securities Total	United Kingdom Securities Total	Other Countries Securities Total	Un-specified Bonds and Debentures	Total
	Total	Bonds and Debentures	Common and Preference Stocks					
<b>1945</b>								
July.....	7,718,136	2,790,160	4,927,967	2,248,720	41,254	21,584	63,155	10,092,858
Aug.....	6,392,230	2,173,758	4,218,472	2,265,400	24,891	54,994	195,060	8,932,575
Sept.....	9,628,315	5,290,448	4,337,867	2,965,632	10,794	28,990	321,881	13,046,840
Oct.....	11,477,374	5,303,805	6,173,569	4,204,773	77,365	374,580	138,510	16,272,602
Nov.....	16,692,380	6,277,769	10,414,011	6,881,738	56,813	63,581	80,725	23,775,237
Dec.....	16,140,256	4,397,658	11,742,598	7,851,422	140	242,628	173,117	24,418,559
<b>1946</b>								
Jan.....	23,656,765	7,048,082	16,608,683	8,620,335	372,141	280,940	300,380	33,230,561
Feb.....	21,013,784	7,763,790	13,242,911	9,583,915	41,060	53,617	186,888	30,879,264
Mar.....	14,215,953	6,552,115	7,659,850	4,063,148	111,916	17,572	400,787	18,809,376
April.....	17,512,862	6,104,024	11,408,773	7,161,678	3,303	203,784	41,106	24,922,733
May.....	13,431,481	3,439,009	9,092,472	5,753,045	100,495	145,458	21,094	19,451,573
June.....	12,702,185	4,433,968	8,264,559	6,084,440	1,510	204,167	119,091	19,116,298
July.....	15,463,147	7,925,989	7,537,158	3,893,176	.....	262,660	107,445	19,753,075
Aug.....	13,711,392	5,520,219	8,140,730	4,276,656	.....	1,564,397	46,512	19,598,057
Sept.....	25,922,900	12,456,477	13,413,233	6,272,228	27,894	133,031	7,425	32,363,478
Oct.....	14,999,446	7,157,421	7,841,996	5,559,125	22,707	75,318	253,148	20,909,744
Nov.....	12,382,183	4,652,847	7,729,536	4,023,670	9,576	94,398	179,619	16,689,452
Dec.....	18,149,449	10,209,045	7,940,357	6,608,670	.....	257,862	214,367	25,480,348

## 52. SALES OF SECURITIES BY CANADA TO OTHER COUNTRIES

Month	Canadian Securities			United States Securities Total	United Kingdom Securities Total	Other Countries Securities Total	Un-specified Bonds and Debentures	Total
	Total	Bonds and Debentures	Common and Preference Stocks					
<b>1945</b>								
July.....	27,262,166	23,272,289	3,989,877	4,115,770	9,345	206,319	254,651	31,848,251
Aug.....	23,945,766	20,097,130	3,848,636	4,591,075	181,565	84,949	527,717	29,331,072
Sept.....	12,033,037	7,653,729	4,379,308	7,139,110	119,487	144,007	207,540	19,643,181
Oct.....	17,545,830	10,195,977	7,349,853	10,474,546	32,458	437,705	247,430	29,738,068
Nov.....	29,391,449	17,771,848	11,585,617	12,871,612	91,779	255,875	374,670	42,985,385
Dec.....	23,661,240	9,766,017	13,895,223	11,671,320	12,784	259,294	420,701	36,025,339
<b>1946</b>								
Jan.....	37,107,819	20,093,667	17,011,902	12,820,400	135,449	164,101	689,910	50,917,679
Feb.....	55,604,643	42,807,363	12,735,699	9,624,231	95,171	71,823	392,298	65,788,166
Mar.....	31,867,784	22,238,537	9,628,001	6,779,709	65,029	86,030	242,118	39,040,670
April.....	27,312,570	17,212,482	10,097,679	10,012,723	11,909	189,799	389,210	37,916,211
May.....	20,042,358	7,020,923	13,017,919	9,277,030	268,177	147,011	246,798	29,981,374
June.....	30,294,461	22,138,763	8,153,811	9,518,760	158,189	1,089,525	318,358	41,379,293
July.....	22,876,719	15,464,434	7,412,285	4,975,643	67,423	59,158	38,259	28,017,202
Aug.....	17,324,995	11,782,564	5,542,431	5,337,470	49,041	804,322	170,531	23,686,369
Sept.....	24,636,995	18,065,461	5,671,534	7,125,328	21,634	165,988	72,467	32,023,412
Oct.....	17,230,702	13,705,049	3,435,424	4,546,765	23,151	107,266	778,632	22,687,093
Nov.....	16,879,211	11,159,145	5,717,952	4,614,782	25,111	83,770	94,723	21,697,507
Dec.....	16,890,304	13,184,582	3,703,908	4,884,687	1,065	158,825	693,140	22,053,021

SOURCE.—Sales and Purchases of Securities between Canada and Other Countries—International Payments Branch.

## **IX. Finance—Concluded**

### 53. STOCK MARKET TRANSACTIONS AND BOND FINANCING

Classification	1946												1947	
	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec	Jan.	Feb.	
<b>Transactions—</b>														
MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE AND MONTREAL CURE MARKET—														
Shares Traded—														
Industrials.....\$000	1,683	1,058	1,892	1,652	985	1,072	849	1,466	968	885	963	1,069	1,202	
Mines.....\$000	5,077	4,075	3,490	2,501	2,802	2,136	4,234	3,968	2,351	2,705	2,431	3,455	4,119	
Value of Listings.....\$000,000	9,492	9,594	9,747	9,836	9,500	9,302	9,358	8,615	8,567	8,717	8,922	9,233	9,271	
Brokers' Loans.....\$000	29,467	27,491	24,797	26,041	24,582	19,513	19,366	18,558	18,041	17,171	19,647	17,846	19,013	
Loan Ratio.....	0.38	0.35	0.31	0.33	0.31	0.26	0.26	0.23	0.27	0.25	0.28	0.24	0.25	
<b>TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE—</b>														
Borrowings on collateral.....\$000	37,712	28,873	33,208	33,752	33,946	28,982	28,148	28,150	26,829	27,462	29,051	30,667	32,372	
Ratio to quoted values.....	0.49	0.37	0.42	0.42	0.43	0.39	0.38	0.41	0.40	0.39	0.41	0.42	0.44	
Sales.....\$000	43,604	31,755	40,007	30,957	18,719	24,351	23,864	25,724	21,340	28,527	24,409	33,697	36,921	
Values.....\$000,000	99,886	84,879	75,005	76,580	44,211	45,761	39,933	62,181	39,975	41,876	37,123	50,562	65,144	
Market values.....\$000,000	7,711	7,813	7,993	8,066	7,852	7,522	7,457	6,810	6,719	7,048	7,241	7,311	7,403	
<b>NEW ISSUES OF BONDS—\$000,000</b>														
INDEX OF DIVIDEND PAYMENTS.....	141.4	142.4	143.2	143.1	144.7	146.9	148.2	148.0	147.8	115.2	149.6	151.2		
DIVIDEND PAYMENTS.....\$000	8,464	30,497	29,062	9,514	47,181	29,562	12,308	23,366	26,374	5,879	50,647	33,575	10,806	
<b>1944</b>														
	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV				
<b>Bond Issues and Retirements*</b>														
\$000,000														
DOM. GOVT. DIRECT AND LTD.														
New Issues.....	12.6	1672.6	14.5	1581.5	11.1	2036.4	9.7	7.0	6.4	892.8				
Retirements.....	118.7	217.3	7.9	9.5	10.7	104.0	195.0	213.9	10.5	442.5				
PROVINCIAL DIRECT AND LTD.														
New Issues—new.....	2.5	5.1	2.5	12.6	18.9	2.3	13.2	13.0	15.0	6.1				
—refunding.....	25.2	29.1	47.1	—	29.8	61.0	13.6	17.5	30.0	12.5				
Retirements—refunded.....	39.2	22.8	6.8	21.3	38.6	71.1	4.8	13.5	38.0	11.6				
—other.....	15.1	14.7	10.8	18.0	16.7	20.8	20.3	15.6	20.8	13.8				
CORPORATIONS														
New Issues—new.....	12.2	14.8	7.6	7.7	28.0	30.9	18.1	45.0	21.5	10.4				
—refunding.....	4.5	22.2	81.3	12.4	11.1	2.0	07.5	17.9	143.1	41.9				
Retirements—refunded.....	18.4	22.2	43.1	45.2	18.8	2.4	28.9	219.4	112.1	08.6				
—other.....	21.2	30.7	12.8	37.1	11.6	12.0	37.4	32.4	30.0	19.7				

<sup>1</sup> Month end values of all listed stocks.

<sup>2</sup>Source: A. E. Ames & Co.

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

## X. Other Countries

54. INDEXES OF WHOLESALE PRICES IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES<sup>1</sup>

Jan.-June, 1939 = 100

<sup>1</sup> Source: United Nations Bulletin.

## X. Other Countries—Continued

55. SIGNIFICANT STATISTICS OF THE UNITED STATES<sup>1</sup>

Classification	1946												1947 Jan.
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	
<b>Production and Related Series—</b>													
Industrial production. 1935-39=100	160	152	168	165	159	170	172	170	180	181	182	179	188
Mineral production. 1935-39=000	141	141	137	104	116	139	146	143	145	144	136	136	146
Manufacturing production. 1935-9=000	163	154	173	176	167	176	177	182	186	188	191	184	196
Cattle receipts, primary markets. .000	1,061	1,961	1,920	2,145	1,783	1,725	3,121	2,562	1,923	3,650	2,871	2,447	....
Hog receipts, primary market. 000	3,344	2,052	2,211	2,472	2,431	1,352	3,070	1,832	203	2,264	3,221	2,993	....
Sheep and lambs, receipts. .000	1,663	2,481	1,753	1,984	1,010	2,517	2,286	2,176	2,542	3,650	1,906	1,495	....
Poultry receipts 5 markets. 000 lb.	47,157	31,034	31,348	37,278	34,705	32,865	38,138	43,162	61,131	89,972	72,952	65,114	....
Newsprint production. .000 s. tons	67.8	60.6	65.3	67.1	65.9	61.2	62.7	65.1	61.0	67.2	64.7	62.1	68.6
Consumption <sup>2</sup> . .000 s. tons	221.1	223.2	267.7	259.0	261.4	259.3	243.1	260.1	268.4	292.3	291.5	294.8	266.4
Pig iron consumption. .000 s. tons	3,064	4,374	3,739	2,395	3,623	4,560	4,696	4,571	4,812	4,424	3,992	5,071	....
Steel ingot production. .000 s. tons	3,872	1,393	6,507	5,860	4,072	5,625	6,610	6,887	6,518	6,970	6,410	5,760	7,213
<b>Automobile production—</b>													
Passenger cars. Number	62,723	47,965	90,045	150,236	152,948	142,313	220,321	241,352	239,412	285,606	251,067	262,076	252,100
Trucks and tractors. "	54,864	28,680	39,320	81,072	74,850	58,739	93,458	105,516	92,014	109,953	100,552	101,480	102,727
Contracts awarded. \$000,000	357.5	387.4	697.6	734.0	852.4	807.9	718.0	679.9	619.5	573.2	503.7	457.3	....
Car loadings. .000 cars	2,884	2,867	3,982	2,605	2,616	4,063	3,407	4,478	3,517	3,680	4,220	3,022	3,168
Electric power production. .mil. kw. hr.	18,403	16,193	17,800	17,477	17,073	17,624	18,620	19,515	18,814	20,222	19,949	20,848	21,636
<b>Tobacco Consumption—</b>													
Cigars. .mn.	469	455	480	484	497	452	439	501	458	538	547	466	510
Cigarettes. .mn.	25,226	23,637	26,401	25,452	29,972	26,360	25,440	28,953	26,865	32,778	27,696	22,695	28,451
Mfd. tobacco and snuff. 000 lbs.	20,806	17,776	18,519	20,023	21,223	21,084	20,049	22,733	21,671	25,631	22,728	17,636	20,124
Petroleum production. mn. bbls.	143.4	132.1	136.8	140.2	148.3	146.9	152.6	149.9	143.7	148.3	144.7	146.6	....
Consumption (to stills). mn. bbls.	140.1	130.2	144.5	139.9	148.6	145.1	150.5	150.6	145.2	146.8	140.5	148.2	....
Stocks, end of month													
refinable in U.S. .mn. bbls.	223.4	227.2	221.4	222.5	221.6	223.1	224.4	224.2	222.4	222.1	226.4	224.5	....
Gasoline production. .000 bbls.	62,126	55,492	61,899	61,160	65,191	64,345	67,445	69,707	66,284	67,305	66,072	69,028	....
Stocks, end of month. 000 bbls.	94,115	96,293	95,186	90,444	85,801	83,726	79,384	78,833	78,848	77,628	76,980	84,534	....
Cotton consumption. .000 bales	811	747	804	814	872	793	730	856	818	931	877	774	947
<b>Internal Trade—</b>													
All retail stores. \$000,000	6,695	6,430	7,473	7,707	7,926	7,736	7,621	8,540	8,203	8,911	9,086	10,282	7,870
Chain stores sales. 1935-39=100	223.4	225.8	230.8	218.0	217.0	218.6	230.6	254.0	238.3	237.2	254.9	260.6	....
Departmental stores (adjusted). 1935-39=100	228	254	263	250	256	275	274	290	269	257	272	274	265
<b>External Trade—</b>													
Imports. \$000,000	394.1	318.8	384.5	406.6	396.7	385.0	432.0	424.0	376.0	399.0	482.0	536.0	533.0
Exports. \$000,000	779.2	650.1	768.0	740.6	815.3	858.0	808.1	859.0	626.0	529.0	965.0	1080.0	1067.0
<b>Employment—Adjusted—</b>													
Total. .000	37,471	37,016	37,031	38,335	38,663	38,947	39,100	39,690	39,900	40,036	40,315	40,147	....
Manufacturing. .000	13,236	13,536	13,272	13,848	13,995	14,098	14,173	14,513	14,634	14,761	14,982	15,018	....
Mining. .000	814	812	801	508	717	811	815	825	822	821	822	816	....
Construction. .000	1,230	1,385	1,462	1,597	1,708	1,837	1,882	1,953	1,961	1,948	1,810	1,797	....
Transportation. .000	3,956	3,986	3,989	3,939	3,873	3,878	3,903	3,941	3,915	3,968	3,997	4,002	....
Trade. .000	7,673	7,692	7,758	7,775	7,763	7,788	7,905	7,962	8,004	7,954	7,966	7,941	....
Pay Rolls—Manufacturing. 1930=100	229.2	210.5	232.9	249.2	248.1	256.8	261.2	278.2	284.3	286.4	291.8	300.1	....
Durable goods. 1939=100	243.0	198.7	236.8	267.2	267.2	280.1	287.7	306.9	314.4	318.5	321.6	328.3	....
Nondurable goods. 1939=100	215.7	221.3	229.2	231.4	229.4	234.0	235.4	250.2	254.6	255.1	262.6	272.4	....

## X. Other Countries—Concluded

## 55. SIGNIFICANT STATISTICS OF THE UNITED STATES—Concluded

Classification	1946												1947 Jan.
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	
<b>Prices—</b>													
Wholesale Prices—1926=100													
Department of Labour.....	107.1	107.7	108.9	110.2	111.0	112.9	124.7	129.1	124.0	134.1	139.6	140.9	141.5
Bond Prices—Dollars													
All issues, New York, S.E.	104.75	105.19	105.29	103.89	104.03	104.21	103.52	103.10	102.15	102.40	102.00	102.64	102.89
U.S. Treasury (taxable).....	104.6	106.0	106.5	106.6	104.8	105.3	104.9	104.1	103.3	103.6	103.7	103.9	104.3
Prices Common Stocks <sup>1</sup>													
(402)—													
1935-39=100.....	144.8	143.3	141.8	151.7	154.3	153.2	149.6	146.4	125.4	122.3	120.6	125.5	125.2
Industrials (354).....	147.5	145.8	144.5	155.9	158.8	156.9	153.4	150.4	128.8	125.9	123.8	128.9	128.5
Railways (20).....	164.3	159.8	153.6	156.8	157.2	161.8	153.6	147.1	119.0	110.2	113.3	118.8	114.7
Utilities (28).....	124.0	123.7	122.8	127.5	129.3	130.4	127.7	125.3	109.7	107.2	105.5	109.8	110.7
Cost of living, 1935-39=100.....	129.9	129.6	130.2	131.1	131.7	133.3	141.2	144.1	145.9	148.6	152.2	153.3	153.1
Retail Prices—													
Dec. 31, 1930=100.....	113.5	113.5	113.6	113.7	114.5	114.7	115.1	116.0	116.7	117.8	119.0	120.7	122.1
Finance—													
Stock sales, N.Y.—													
Mil. Shares.....	51.5	34.1	25.7	31.4	30.4	21.7	20.6	20.8	43.5	30.4	23.8	29.8	.....
Bond sales, N.Y.—													
Mil. Dollars.....	186.9	129.3	105.0	122.3	94.0	84.0	79.0	78.0	149.3	112.7	95.1	127.6	125.5
Bank debits, N.Y.—													
Mil. Dollars.....	38,819	30,498	35,670	37,203	35,085	34,972	37,357	30,216	31,367	33,913	31,088	41,252	34,305
Outside, 141 centres—													
Mil. Dollars.....	41,975	30,212	43,448	42,122	42,433	43,219	45,054	43,684	43,155	47,670	46,105	52,295	49,060
Income Payments and Expenditures—													
Income Payments—													
Mil. Dollars.....	13,047	12,068	13,199	12,960	12,768	14,478	13,979	13,451	14,317	14,673	14,202	15,952	14,422
Index..... 1935-39=100.....	233.5	231.7	234.7	236.4	239.7	240.9	250.6	252.1	246.4	254.5	259.2	261.6	263.6
Expenditures <sup>2</sup> —													
Goods..... \$100,000.....													
Services..... \$100,000.....													
Goods, adjusted													
1935-39=100.....													
Services—													
1935-39=100.....													

<sup>1</sup> Courtesy of the Survey of Current Business.<sup>2</sup> Based on sample of 422 publishers.<sup>3</sup> Courtesy of Standard and Poor's Corporation.

## 56. SIGNIFICANT STATISTICS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM

Classification	1946												1947 Jan.
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	
<b>Banking—</b>													
BANK OF ENGLAND <sup>1</sup> —													
Private deposits..... £ mn.	276.8	279.8	274.5	306.5	302.8	342.4	313.8	295.4	321.1	316.8	327.5	332.6	346.8
Bank and currency notes..... £ mn.	1231.6	1344.7	1326.3	1348.3	1400.2	1363.9	1870.7	1383.4	1361.8	1362.5	1365.7	1417.0	1371.5
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.	4,729	4,684	4,749	4,865	4,894	5,045	5,113	5,198	5,302	5,397	5,503	5,685	5,629
Discounts..... £ mn.	361	340	379	433	470	526	522	464	405	472	497	610	624
Advances..... £ mn.	829	838	853	834	848	883	877	896	921	938	955	980	903
Investments..... £ mn.	1,230	1,241	1,246	1,282	1,322	1,382	1,406	1,393	1,393	1,403	1,410	1,427	1,427
Money—													
Day-to-day rate..... p.c.	-63	-63	-63	-63	-63	-63	-63	-63	-63	-63	-63	-63	-63
Three months rate..... p.c.	-52	-52	-52	-52	-52	-52	-52	-52	-52	-52	-52	-52	-52
Wholesale Prices—													
1938=100.....													
Total.....	169.6	169.4	169.7	170.3	170.8	171.2	174.1	174.3	174.9	175.1	176.5	177.3	.....
Food and tobacco.....	161.9	161.9	162.7	163.0	163.1	162.9	165.5	163.6	162.6	161.7	161.2	160.7	.....
Total industrial materials and manufactures.....	173.4	173.0	173.0	173.8	174.5	175.4	178.5	179.9	181.5	182.4	184.8	186.4	.....
Basic.....	201.7	198.7	198.8	199.3	200.1	202.5	207.4	207.7	209.2	211.3	219.0	233.1	.....
Intermediate.....	181.1	181.7	181.7	182.9	183.2	183.9	187.6	189.5	190.2	191.3	193.2	195.3	.....
Manufactures.....	150.2	150.3	150.4	151.2	152.2	152.5	154.7	156.7	159.6	160.1	160.8	161.1	.....
Building materials.....	156.7	157.8	157.8	159.2	161.6	162.4	170.8	171.8	177.1	177.7	177.4	177.4	.....
Employment—													
Number unemployed <sup>2</sup> ..... 000	329	356	372	371	375	376	359	364	359	368	367	363	401

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

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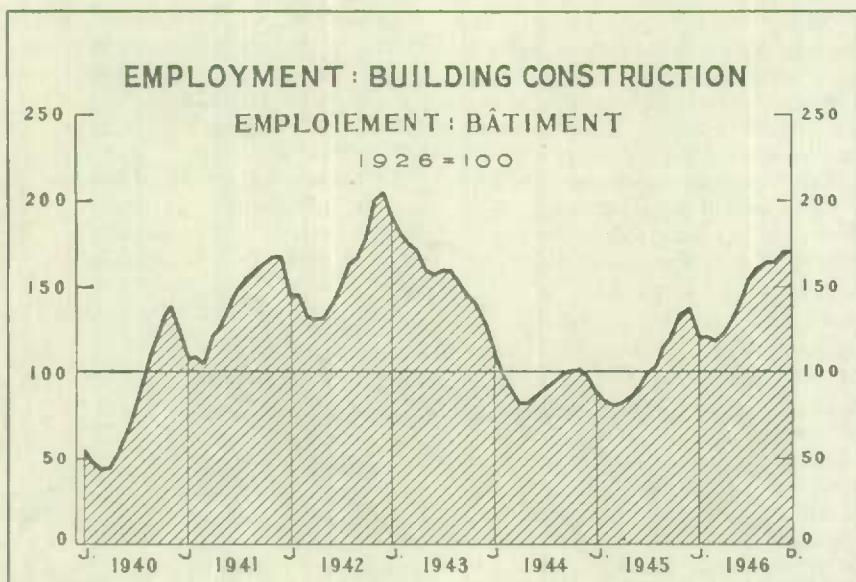
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