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PRELIMINARY REPORT ON COAL PRODUCTION

Coal production during June amounted to 777,000 tons making a total production of 6,463,570 tons for the first six months of the year. In comparison with the corresponding month of last year, production showed a decrease of 14.9 per cent.

Landed imports of coal during the month amounted to 2,712,680 tons, making a total of 9,269,852 tons imported during the first six months of this year. This was an increase of 6.5 per cent compared with the tonnage imported in the corresponding month of last year.

Coal exported during June amounted to 21,736 tons, as compared with 55,436 tons exported in June, 1956.

Table 1 - Production and Landed Imports of Coal, by Provinces, June, 1956 and 1957

Province	June, 1956		June, 1957	
	Production	Landed Coal	Production	Landed Coal
	(Short tons)			
Newfoundland	-	3,772	-	-
Nova Scotia	491,991	4,508	444,000	-
New Brunswick	72,976	-	69,000	4,457
Quebec	-	356,723	-	322,031
Ontario	-	2,175,772	-	2,384,069
Manitoba	-	1,689	-	1,247
Saskatchewan	56,786	98	66,000	-
Alberta - Bituminous	129,038	-	85,000	-
Sub-bituminous	42,412	-	38,000	-
British Columbia and Yukon ...	120,133	3,500	75,000	876
Total	913,336	2,546,062	777,000	2,712,680

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Table 2 - Production and Landed Imports of Coal for the Six Months Ended June, 1956 and 1957

Province	Six months ended June, 1956		Six months ended June, 1957	
	Production	Landed Coal	Production(★)	Landed Coal(a)
	(Short tons)			
Newfoundland	-	33,312	-	25,733
Nova Scotia	3,116,627	18,980	2,937,948	9,198
New Brunswick	459,088	146	460,464	4,605
Quebec	-	1,531,364	-	1,538,630
Ontario	-	7,627,637	-	7,655,718
Manitoba	-	20,639	-	31,047
Saskatchewan	1,074,429	269	1,019,598	171
Alberta - Bituminous	1,072,242	-	645,307	-
Sub-bituminous	1,006,284	-	814,215	-
British Columbia and Yukon ...	777,193	19,572	586,038	4,750
Total	7,505,863	9,251,919	6,463,570	9,269,852

Note: Landed imports represent amounts which entered the country during the month. They differ from the official "entered for consumption" figures, which cover tonnages withdrawn from customs' warehouses.

(★) Revised figures.

(a) Cumulative totals adjusted.

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