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PRELIMINARY REPORT ON COAL PRODUCTION

JUNE, 1950

Coal production during June amounted to 1,341,000 tons making a total production of 9,588,609 tons for the first six months of the year. In comparison with the corresponding month of last year, production showed an increase of one per cent.

Imports of coal during the month amounted to 2,934,595 tons, making a total of 10,432,508 tons imported during the first six months of this year. This was a decrease of 2.5 per cent compared with the tonnage imported in the corresponding month of last year.

Coal exported during June amounted to 20,693 tons.

Table 1 - Production of Coal and Imports of Coal, by Provinces, June 1949 and 1950

Province	June, 1949		June, 1950	
	Production	Imports	Production	Imports
		(Tons of 2,000 pounds)		
Newfoundland ....(x)	...	17,757	...	9,876
Nova Scotia .....	498,400	385	545,000	7,088
New Brunswick .....	39,231	95	43,000	2,373
Quebec .....	...	524,177	...	561,993
Ontario .....	...	2,464,904	...	2,351,806
Manitoba .....	...	905	...	1,350
Saskatchewan .....	73,164	...	71,500	21
Alberta .....	539,228	...	519,000	...
British Columbia ...	176,337	1,410	162,500	88
Yukon .....	628	...	...	...
TOTAL .....	1,326,988	3,009,633	1,341,000	2,934,595

Table 2 - Production of Coal and Imports of Coal for the Six Months Ended June, 1949 and 1950

Province	Six Months Ended June, 1949		Six Months Ended June, 1950	
	Production	Imports	Production	Imports
		(Tons of 2,000 pounds)		
Newfoundland ....(x)	...	46,113	...	32,680
Nova Scotia .....	3,089,749	36,205	3,453,797	35,970
New Brunswick .....	228,935	7,395	276,411	22,164
Quebec .....	...	1,997,269	...	2,120,485
Ontario .....	...	8,602,346	...	8,194,498
Manitoba .....	...	27,558	...	20,050
Saskatchewan .....	817,992	216	967,102	318
Alberta .....	3,986,888	...	3,965,096	...
British Columbia ...	1,001,723	17,490	925,403	6,343
Yukon .....	1,736	...	800	...
TOTAL .....	9,127,023	10,734,592 (a)	9,588,609	10,432,508

Notes - 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 They differ from the official "entered for consumption" figures, which cover tonnages withdrawn from customs' warehouses. (x) Newfoundland imports date from April 1, 1949. (a) Revised figures.

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