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Coal production during June amounted to 1,190,000 tons, making a total production of 8,734,923 tons for the first six months of the year. In comparison with the corresponding month of last year, production showed a decrease of 8.7 per cent.

Imports of coal during the month amounted to 3,018,514 tons, making a total of 11,311,824 tons imported during the first six months of this year. This was an increase of 1.8 per cent compared with the tonnage imported in the corresponding month of last year.

Coal exported during June amounted to 32,847 tons, as compared with 21,279 tons exported during the same month of last year.

Table 1 - Production and Imports of Coal, by Provinces, June, 1951 and 1952

Province	<u>June - 1951</u>		<u>June - 1952</u>	
	Production	Imports	Production	Imports
(Tons of 2,000 pounds)				
Newfoundland .....	...	3,989	...	5,475
Nova Scotia	519,267	171	490,000	...
New Brunswick	57,253	53	45,000	...
Quebec .....	...	526,742	...	480,936
Ontario .....	...	2,430,885	...	2,530,793
Manitoba .....	...	1,083	...	987
Saskatchewan	61,605	31	70,000	73
Alberta	512,057	...	447,000	...
British Columbia and Yukon	152,842	662	138,000	250
Total	1,303,024	2,963,616	1,190,000	3,018,514

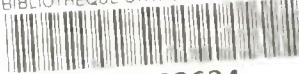
Table 2 - Production and Imports of Coal for the Six Months Ended June, 1951 and 1952

Province	<u>Six months ended June, 1951</u>		<u>Six months ended June, 1952</u>	
	Production	Imports	Production	Imports
(Tons of 2,000 pounds)				
Newfoundland .....	...	19,648	...	21,470
Nova Scotia	3,392,889	46,558	3,170,689	24,053
New Brunswick	307,118	15,161	315,219	11,445
Quebec .....	...	2,239,609	...	2,091,624
Ontario .....	...	9,177,415	...	9,133,864
Manitoba .....	...	19,845	...	23,688
Saskatchewan	936,180	262	936,305	272
Alberta	3,533,438	...	3,440,840	...
British Columbia and Yukon	919,778	4,868	871,870	5,408
Total	9,089,403	11,523,366	8,734,923(*)	11,311,824

Note: 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 They differ from the official "entered for consumption" figures, which cover tonnages withdrawn from customs' warehouses.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.

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