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PRELIMINARY REPORT ON COAL PRODUCTION

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Coal production during November amounted to 1,627,000 tons, making a total production of 14,229,306 tons for the first eleven months of the year. In comparison with the corresponding month of last year, production showed a decrease of 1.9 per cent.

Landed imports of coal during the month amounted to 1,930,690 tons, making a total of 21,927,137 tons imported during the first eleven months of this year. This was a decrease of 7.2 per cent compared with the tonnage imported in the corresponding month of last year.

Coal exported during November amounted to 22,324 tons, as compared with 45,163 tons exported during the same month of last year.

Table 1 - Production and Landed Imports of Coal, by Provinces, November, 1952 and 1953

Province	November, 1952		November, 1953	
	Production	Landed Coal	Production	Landed Coal
	(Tons of 2,000 pounds)			
Newfoundland .....	...	6,669	...	30,164
Nova Scotia	459,498	11,092	482,000	...
New Brunswick	67,785	174	57,000	73
Quebec .....	...	415,223	...	324,864
Ontario .....	...	1,641,228	...	1,565,326
Manitoba .....	...	5,798	...	6,656
Saskatchewan	257,161	6	266,000	...
Alberta - Bituminous	381,757	...	338,000	...
Sub-bituminous	368,575	...	369,000	...
British Columbia and Yukon	124,109	1,284	115,000	3,607
Total	1,658,885	2,081,474	1,627,000	1,930,690

Table 2 - Production and Landed Imports of Coal for the Eleven Months Ended November, 1952 and 1953

Province	Eleven months ended November, 1952		Eleven months ended November, 1953	
	Production	Landed Coal	Production	Landed Coal
	(Tons of 2,000 pounds)			
Newfoundland .....	...	54,069	...	70,113
Nova Scotia	5,408,283	39,290	5,302,302	27,912
New Brunswick	664,087	16,098	651,017	7,890
Quebec .....	...	4,509,550	...	3,499,151
Ontario .....	...	18,914,260	...	18,243,288
Manitoba .....	...	49,888	...	51,803
Saskatchewan	1,794,750	373	1,730,748	518
Alberta - Bituminous	3,991,322	...	3,157,495	...
Sub-bituminous	2,454,768	...	2,077,807	...
British Columbia and Yukon	1,495,462	10,304	1,309,937	26,462
Total	15,808,672	23,593,832	14,229,306(★)	21,927,137

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 They differ from the official "entered for consumption" figures, which cover tonnages withdrawn from customs' warehouses.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

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