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SALES OF MANUFACTURED AND NATURAL GAS IN CANADA - FEBRUARY, 1948

Sales of manufactured gas by distributing companies in Canada totalled 2,464,997 M cubic feet during February, 1948. Of this amount, 1,356,348 M cubic feet were for domestic use, other than house heating; 294,738 M cubic feet for industrial use; 450,649 M cubic feet for commercial use; 361,816 M cubic feet for house heating, and 1,446 M cubic feet for other uses.

Sales of natural gas during February, 1948, amounted to 5,236,425 M cubic feet, of which 2,865,266 M cubic feet were for domestic use; 1,300,627 M cubic feet for commercial use; 1,056,237 M cubic feet for industrial use; 14,295 M cubic feet for other uses.

Table 1 - Sales of Manufactured Gas in Canada, February, 1947 and February, 1948

	February, 1947			February, 1948		
	Number of cus- tomers	Quantity sold	Revenue from sales	Number of cus- tomers	Quantity sold	Revenue from sales
		M cu.ft.	\$		M cu.ft.	\$
<u>Eastern Canada -</u>						
Domestic	438,779	1,048,137	1,081,431	456,098	1,189,012	1,267,546
House heating ...	3,442	262,606	136,244	7,521	301,355	186,940
Industrial	2,424	305,836	195,887	2,459	265,159	202,604
Commercial	23,479	318,675	280,257	23,909	336,330	303,642
Miscellaneous ...	43	309	282	39	291	364
Total	468,167	1,935,563	1,694,101	490,026	2,092,147	1,961,096
<u>Western Canada -</u>						
Domestic	67,164	152,562	170,811	67,963	167,336	195,552
House heating ...	3,063	56,985	31,390	1,433	60,461	43,532
Industrial	1,256	101,749	70,060	414	29,579	21,848
Commercial	5,771	65,208	57,084	6,667	114,319	112,371
Miscellaneous ...	84	3,760	3,609	83	1,155	1,064
Total	77,338	380,264	332,954	76,560	372,850	374,367
<u>Canada - Total -</u>						
Domestic	505,943	1,200,699	1,252,242	524,061	1,356,348	1,463,098
House heating ...	6,505	319,591	167,634	8,954	361,816	230,472
Industrial	3,680	407,585	265,947	2,873	294,738	224,452
Commercial	29,250	383,883	337,341	30,576	450,649	416,013
Miscellaneous ...	127	4,069	3,891	122	1,446	1,428
Total	545,505	2,315,827	2,027,055	566,586	2,464,997	2,335,463

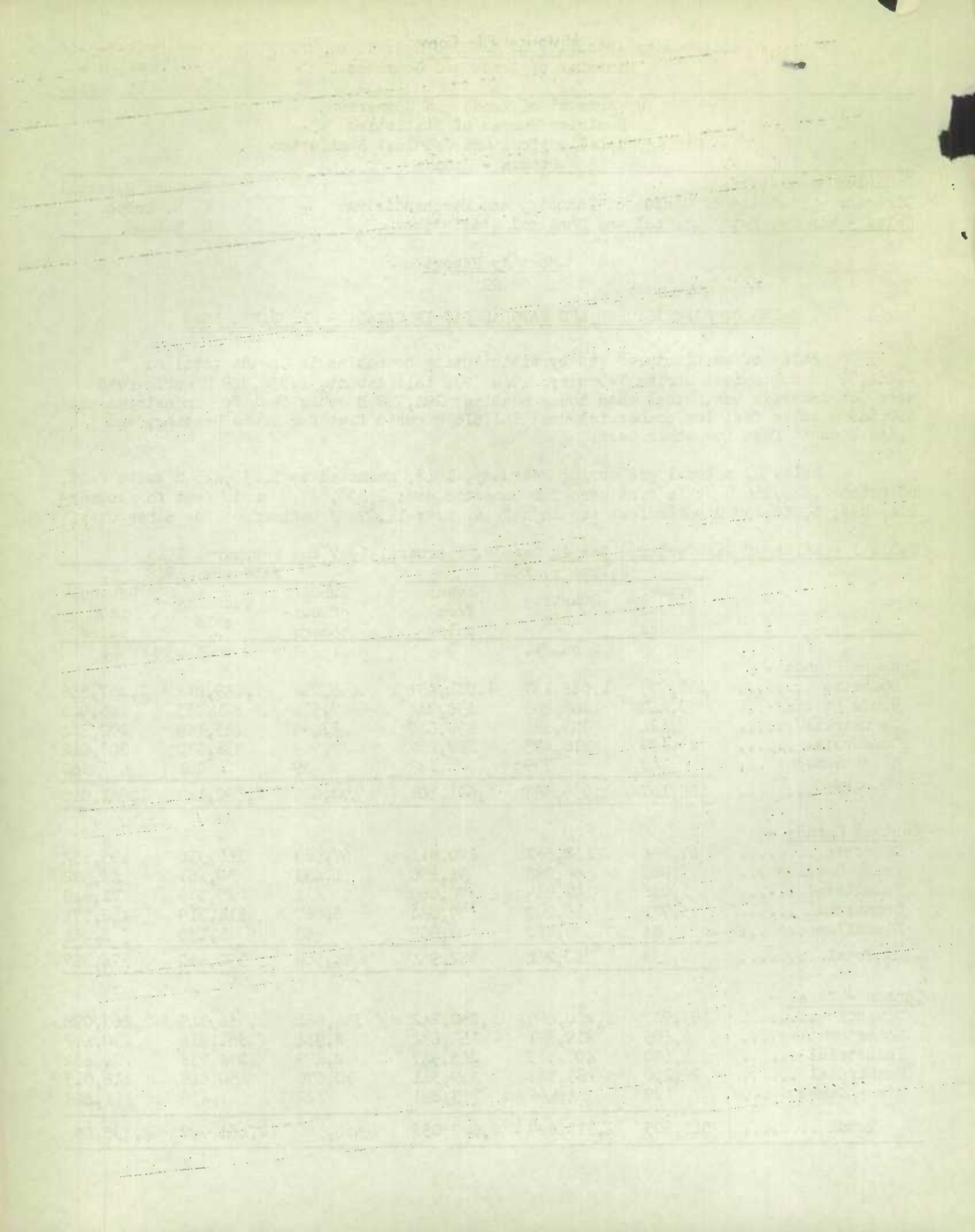


Table 2 - Sales of Natural Gas in Canada, February, 1947 and February, 1948

	February, 1947			February, 1948		
	Number of cus- tomers	Quantity sold M cu.ft.	Revenue from sales \$	Number of cus- tomers	Quantity sold M cu.ft.	Revenue from sales \$
<u>Eastern Canada -</u>						
Domestic	151,046	900,868	638,360	136,501	929,856	741,507
Industrial	665	103,023	81,228	683	72,561	51,991
Commercial	5,578	81,100	56,313	5,315	79,932	62,217
Miscellaneous (f)	428	7,574	3,373	417	7,299	4,596
Total	157,717	1,092,565	779,274	142,916	1,089,648	860,311
<u>Western Canada (x)</u>						
Domestic	53,552	1,959,620	504,769	60,457	1,935,410	511,940
Industrial	528	886,780	112,722	571	983,676	126,156
Commercial	7,171	1,191,622	268,420	7,833	1,220,695	274,831
Miscellaneous (f)	28	7,457	450	29	6,996	455
Total	61,279	4,045,479	886,361	68,890	4,146,777	913,382
<u>Canada - Total (x)</u>						
Domestic	204,598	2,860,488	1,143,129	196,958	2,865,266	1,253,447
Industrial	1,193	989,803	193,950	1,254	1,056,237	178,147
Commercial	12,749	1,272,722	324,733	13,148	1,300,627	337,048
Miscellaneous (f)	456	15,031	3,823	446	14,295	5,051
Total	218,996	5,138,044	1,665,635	211,806	5,236,425	1,773,693

(f) Includes some free customers.

(x) Data for February 1947 have been revised.

Table 3 - Sales of Manufactured Gas in Canada during the Two Months Ended February 1947 and 1948

	Two Months Ended February, 1947		Two Months Ended February, 1948	
	Quantity sold M cu.ft.	Revenue from sales \$	Quantity sold M cu.ft.	Revenue from sales \$
<u>Eastern Canada</u> - Domestic	2,155,381	2,226,816	2,339,651	2,537,389
House heating ..	539,074	279,408	620,633	371,659
Industrial	600,574	388,933	530,251	396,514
Commercial	644,666	566,413	692,899	626,271
Miscellaneous ..	632	575	608	755
Total	3,940,327	3,462,145	4,184,042	3,932,588
<u>Western Canada</u> - Domestic	308,224	348,069	346,048	405,749
House heating ..	120,433	65,717	116,904	85,684
Industrial	197,417	138,874	62,291	47,059
Commercial	134,254	116,234	232,093	227,499
Miscellaneous ..	7,807	7,318	2,311	2,129
Total	768,135	676,212	759,647	768,120
<u>GRAND TOTAL</u> - Domestic	2,463,605	2,574,885	2,685,699	2,943,138
House heating ..	659,507	345,125	737,537	457,343
Industrial	797,991	527,807	592,542	443,573
Commercial	778,920	682,647	924,992	853,770
Miscellaneous ..	8,439	7,893	2,919	2,884
Total	4,708,462	4,138,357	4,943,689	4,700,708

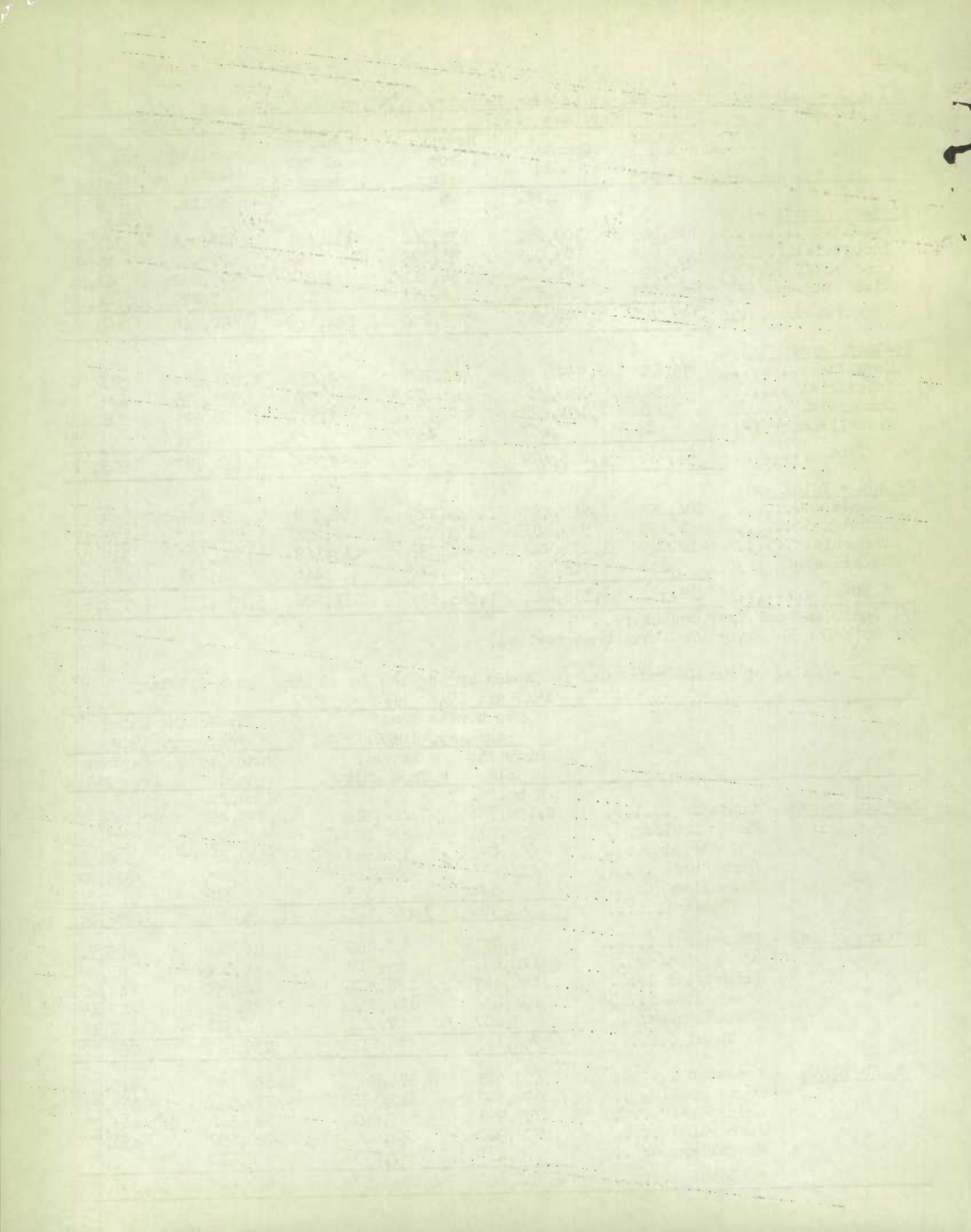


Table 4 - Sales of Natural Gas in Canada during the Two Months Ended February, 1947 and 1948

	Two Months Ended February, 1947		Two Months Ended February, 1948	
	Quantity sold	Revenue from sales	Quantity sold	Revenue from sales
	M cu.ft.	\$	M cu.ft.	\$
<u>Eastern Canada -</u>				
Domestic	1,796,483	1,274,343	1,844,451	1,447,803
Industrial	202,363	162,024	165,806	114,697
Commercial	163,223	113,292	159,387	122,929
Miscellaneous (f)	15,025	6,683	14,620	8,058
Total	2,177,094	1,556,342	2,184,264	1,693,487
<u>Western Canada (x) -</u>				
Domestic	3,895,657	1,003,318	3,884,654	1,023,390
Industrial	1,868,952	234,549	1,982,193	254,209
Commercial	2,370,996	530,625	2,442,876	550,357
Miscellaneous (f)	15,533	919	13,639	908
Total	8,151,138	1,769,411	8,323,362	1,828,864
<u>Canada - Total (x) -</u>				
Domestic	5,687,802	2,275,036	5,729,105	2,471,193
Industrial	2,071,315	396,573	2,147,999	368,906
Commercial	2,530,114	642,081	2,602,263	673,286
Miscellaneous (f)	30,558	7,602	28,259	8,966
Total	10,319,789	3,321,292	10,507,626	3,522,351

(f) Includes some free customers.

(x) Data for 1947 have been revised.

Explanatory Notes

Some customers are served with mixed manufactured and natural gas. The numbers of such customers are recorded only under the heading of natural gas, but the sales figures include the estimated quantities and values of each kind of gas under the proper headings.

Industrial customers include manufacturers, foundries, machine shops, wholesale bakeries, commercial laundries, etc.

Commercial customers include hotels, restaurants, retail bakers, delicatessens, tailor shops, department stores, wholesale dealers, professional and business offices, etc.

Sales figures represent sales by distributing companies to customers. Amounts used by producers are not included.

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