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REVENUE CAR LOADINGS

Car loading in Canada last week aggregated 53,091 cars which was a slight decrease from the previous week. Coal loading in the western division fell off 545 cars due to labour troubles and forest products showed a decline; also pulpwood in the eastern division declined 375 cars.

Compared with the corresponding week in 1923, the increase was only 346 cars. The cumulative totals from the first of the year are 786,453 for 1924 and 699,649 for 1923.

CARS OF REVENUE FREIGHT LOADED ON CANADIAN RAILWAYS

EASTERN CANADA

<u>COMMODITY</u>	<u>For the Week Ended</u>		
	<u>March 29</u>	<u>April 5</u>	<u>April 12</u>
	<u>Cars</u>	<u>Cars</u>	<u>Cars</u>
Grain and Grain Products	2,138	1,800	1,583
Live Stock	1,142	1,179	1,111
Coal	4,380	4,240	4,675
Coke	174	213	171
Lumber	3,062	2,867	3,156
Pulpwood	4,780	3,591	3,213
Pulp and Paper	2,081	1,812	1,862
Other Forest Products	1,522	1,219	1,233
Ore	642	584	872
Merchandise L.C.L.	11,656	11,622	11,578
Miscellaneous	9,734	8,885	8,971
Total Cars Loaded	41,301	38,017	38,428
Total Cars Rec'd from Connections	35,149	32,761	32,234
Total Cars Loaded for Corresponding Week, 1923	31,804	33,226	37,469

WESTERN CANADA

<u>COMMODITY</u>			
Grain and Grain Products	4,294	3,807	3,863
Live Stock	1,250	1,192	1,215
Coal	1,908	1,502	957
Coke	36	44	5
Lumber	1,016	977	1,188
Pulpwood	276	159	157
Pulp and Paper	126	107	71
Other Forest Products	1,526	1,888	1,467
Ore	560	512	439
Merchandise L.C.L.	3,473	3,710	3,521
Miscellaneous	2,029	2,001	1,780
Total Cars Loaded	16,544	15,905	14,663
Total Cars Rec'd from Connections	3,054	2,932	2,752
Total Cars Loaded for Corresponding Week, 1923	14,572	14,604	15,276

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COMMODITY	For the Week Ended		
	1924		
	March 29	April 5	April 12
	Cars	Cars	Cars
Grain and Grain Products	6,432	5,607	5,446
Live Stock	2,392	2,371	2,326
Coal	6,288	5,742	5,632
Coke	260	262	176
Lumber	4,068	3,844	4,344
Pulpwood	5,056	3,750	3,373
Pulp and Paper	2,207	1,919	1,933
Other Forest Products	3,048	3,107	2,700
Cre	1,202	1,102	1,311
Merchandise L.C.L.	15,129	15,332	15,099
Miscellaneous	11,763	10,686	10,761
Total Cars Loaded	57,845	53,922	53,091
Total Cars Rec'd from Connections	38,203	35,693	34,986
Total Cars Loaded for Corresponding Week, 1923	46,376	47,930	52,745