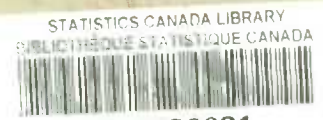


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REVENUE CAR LOADINGS

Car loadings during last week took an upward turn and aggregated 53,403 as against 50,544 for the previous week. Grain loading in the eastern division increased 589 cars, live stock 193 cars and merchandise, 1,660 cars. Live stock also increased in the western division. Coal showed little improvement but other forest products and miscellaneous showed substantial increases.

Compared with the corresponding week in 1923 the total increase was 1,208 cars or 2.3 per cent.

The curves on page 2 for car loading of merchandise, coal, grain and pulpwood are in number of cars and not in tons and show only the trend for each commodity. Comparable data for 1923 is not available.

CARS OF REVENUE FREIGHT LOADED ON CANADIAN RAILWAYS

EASTERN CANADA

<u>COMMODITY</u>	<u>For the Week Ended</u>		
	<u>April 12</u>	<u>April 19</u>	<u>April 26</u>
	<u>Cars</u>	<u>Cars</u>	<u>Cars</u>
Grain and Grain Products	1,583	1,482	2,071
Live Stock	1,111	976	1,169
Coal	4,675	4,576	4,561
Coke	171	103	242
Lumber	3,156	2,559	2,564
Pulpwood	3,216	1,962	2,017
Pulp and Paper	1,862	1,796	1,732
Other Forest Products	1,233	1,064	977
Ore	872	654	640
Merchandise L.C.L.	11,578	10,320	11,980
Miscellaneous	8,971	8,853	8,926
Total Cars Loaded	38,428	34,350	36,879
Total Cars Rec'd from Connections	32,234	31,597	29,832
Total Cars Loaded for Corresponding Week, 1923	37,469	37,476	37,926

WESTERN CANADA

<u>COMMODITY</u>			
Grain and Grain Products	3,863	5,541	5,254
Live Stock	1,215	985	1,147
Coal	957	712	911
Coke	5	2	1
Lumber	1,138	1,233	917
Pulpwood	157	190	108
Pulp and Paper	71	89	87
Other Forest Products	1,467	1,614	1,813
Ore	439	546	490
Merchandise L.C.L.	3,521	3,568	3,551
Miscellaneous	1,730	1,714	2,240
Total Cars Loaded	14,663	16,194	16,524
Total Cars Rec'd from Connections	2,752	2,576	2,443
Total Cars Loaded for Corresponding Week, 1923	15,276	15,482	14,169
		<u>Over</u>	

TOTAL FOR CANADA

For the Week Ended

COMMODITY	1924		
	April 12 Cars	April 19 Cars	April 26 Cars
Grain and Grain Products	5,446	7,023	7,325
Live Stock	2,326	1,961	2,316
Coal	5,632	5,288	5,472
Coke	176	110	243
Lumber	4,344	3,792	3,461
Pulpwood	3,373	2,152	2,125
Pulp and Paper	1,933	1,685	1,819
Other Forest Products	2,700	2,678	2,795
Ore	1,311	1,200	1,130
Merchandise L.C.L.	15,099	13,868	15,531
Miscellaneous	10,751	10,567	11,166
Total Cars Loaded	53,091	50,544	53,403
Total Cars Rec'd from Connections	34,986	34,173	32,280
Total Cars Loaded for Corresponding Week, 1923	52,745	52,950	52,195
Cumulative Loading to Date - 1924			890,395
1923			814,808

