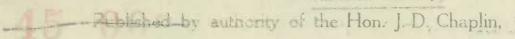
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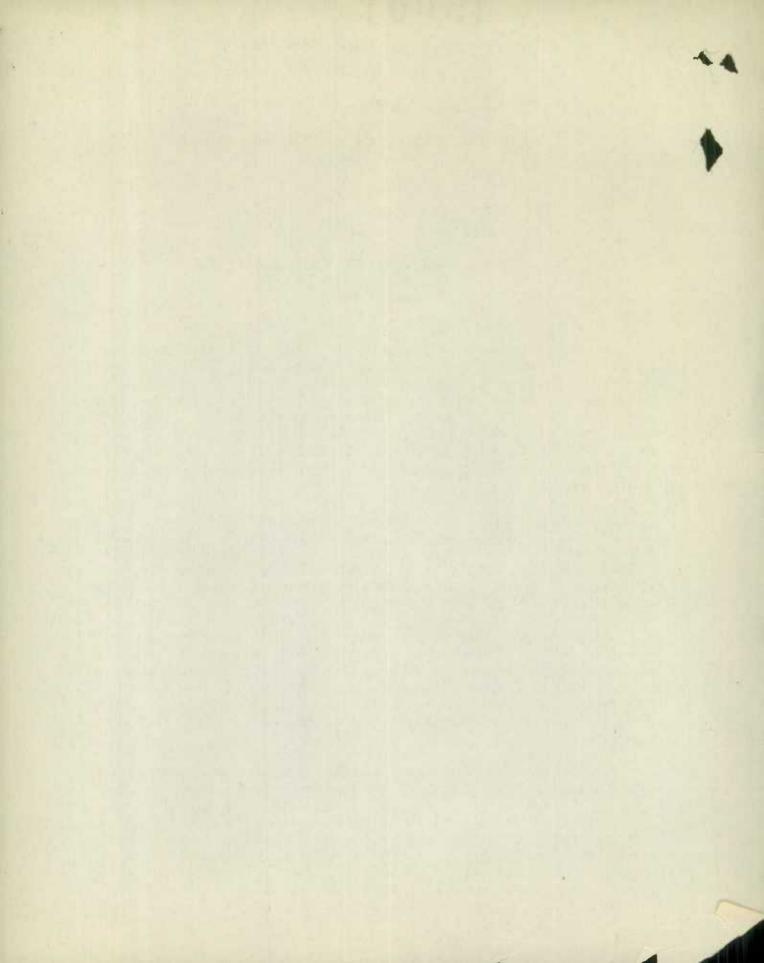
Production of coke in Canada during August totalled 165,662 tons an increase of 5 per cent over the 157,960 tons of July; 74 per cent over the 95,397 tons produced in August of a year ago and only 350 tons less than the record output for the year in February. Comparison with the previous month shows that the increase in output was general to all Canada; eastern Canada produced 52,828 tons as against 48,284 tons in July. Ontario ovens yielded 95,097 tons as compared with 93,165 tons in the previous month and the production in western Canada was 17,737 tons as against the 16,511 tons reported for July.

Bituminous coal used for coke-making included 88,954 tons of Canadian coal and 160,881 tons of imported coal giving an average yield of 66.3 per cent or 1,326 pounds of coke for each short ton of coal charged to the ovens. For the first eight months the total furnace charges included 678,217 tons of Canadian coal and 1,240,356 tons of imported coal to make an average yield of 65.6 per cent or 1,312 pounds.

Disposition of coke by the producing plants showed that 156,898 tons were disposed of out of a production of 165,662 tons. Of the total, 19,014 tons of coke were consumed in coking plants, 77,231 tons were delivered to associated metallurgical works and 60,653 tons were sold. In July, 146,317 tons were disposed of out of a production of 157,960 tons, 18,772 tons being consumed in coke plants, 82,389 tons to metallurgical works and 45.156 tons were sold.

Coke charged to iron blast furnaces in Canada during August totalled 63,943 tons, as compared with 73,857 tons in July and 76,444 tons in June.

During the first eight months of the year, 1,258,125 tons of coke were produced in Canada and 664,232 tons were imported, making an available supply of 1,922,357 tons but as exports totalled 35,822 tons the apparent consumption in Canada was 1,886,535 tons. During the corresponding period of 1925, the apparent consumption was 1,335,321 tons.



CONE PRODUCTION IN CANADA BY MONTHS, 1926

Month	Bituminous coal used				Disposition of coke by makers				
	1	r coke makin		Coke made	For use by maker		Sold	Total	
	Canadian	Imported	Total		In Coke Plant	In own Smelter	5010	10041	
Jan.	89,230	150,520	239,750	155,700	21,051	67,269	71,660	159,980	
Feb.	88,389	163,196	251,585	166,012	17,460	63,141	88,170	168,771	
March	86,560	151,005	237,565	152.480	18,919	67,967	65,619	152,505	
April	76,260	156,167	232,427	149,357	20,883	83,195	49,028	153,106	
May	84,030	157,602	241,632	159,390	22,671	90,582	41,468	154,721	
June	81,100	148,411	229,511	151,564	21,479	84,704	38,778	144,961	
July	83,694	152,574	236,268	157,960	18,772	82,389	45,156	146,317	
Aug.	88,954	160,881	249,835	165,662	19,014	77,231	60,653	156,898	
Sept.									
Oct.									
Nov.									
Dec.						01.			
TOTAL	678,217	1,240,356	1,918,573	1,258,125	160,249	616,478	460,532	1,237,259	

Coke used in iron blast furnaces: Month 63,943 tons; Year to date 552.513 tons.

PRODUCTION IN CANADA, IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF COKE BY PROVINCES, 1925 & 1926

	Year	Nova Scotia New Brunswick and Quebec		Ontario		Manitoba Saskatchewan Alberta and British Columbia		CAMADA	
		Month	Year to date	Month	Year to date	Month	Year to date	Month	Year to date
PRODUCTION	1925	26,909 52,828	285, 2 78 411,108		475,897 691,689	15, 43 9 17,737	137,290 155,3 2 8	95,397 165,662	898,465 1,258,125
IMPORTS	1925	4,646 4,240	31,7 2 0 49,658	62,266 79,767	396, 244 599,607	3,088 2,656	38,634 14,967	70,000 86,663	
EXPORTS	1925	14 301	1,05 4 1,297	706 2, 8 01	12,689 13,430	1,287	15,999 21,095	2,00 7 5,028	29,74 2 35,82 2
	1925 1926	31,5 4 1 56,767		114,609 17 2 ,063 1	859,452 ,277,866	17,240 18,467	159,925		1,335,321 1,886,535

