

87.—Money Order Statistics, by Provinces, and Total Postal Notes, fiscal years ended Mar. 31, 1931-35—concluded.

Province.	1931.	1932.	1933.	1934.	1935.
Money Orders Issued in—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Canada	16,313,134	14,324,715	12,659,379	12,633,710	12,673,794
Prince Edward Island.....	151,811	128,996	108,485	117,322	109,122
Nova Scotia.....	1,134,996	1,008,232	832,395	880,606	891,104
New Brunswick.....	689,993	566,527	459,879	483,746	488,075
Quebec.....	2,698,723	2,261,175	1,877,359	1,864,996	1,874,251
Ontario.....	4,587,967	4,006,994	3,372,544	3,320,911	3,426,862
Manitoba.....	1,139,333	1,013,233	925,918	932,236	909,860
Saskatchewan.....	2,653,994	2,331,567	2,219,345	2,228,527	2,146,163
Alberta.....	1,848,114	1,760,455	1,634,159	1,654,541	1,643,725
British Columbia.....	1,396,018	1,235,615	1,218,591	1,140,596	1,174,553
Yukon.....	12,185	11,921	10,704	10,229	10,079
Value of Money Orders Issued in—	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Canada	167,749,651	132,625,260	107,767,394	107,471,321	114,832,665
Prince Edward Island.....	1,691,838	1,295,973	985,242	1,016,634	969,870
Nova Scotia.....	11,722,636	9,514,229	7,247,938	7,268,581	7,805,723
New Brunswick.....	7,408,956	5,515,290	4,085,415	4,181,138	4,341,140
Quebec.....	26,450,677	20,553,932	15,729,506	15,213,011	16,308,934
Ontario.....	47,294,433	37,497,963	28,998,040	28,211,079	30,868,605
Manitoba.....	11,531,294	9,006,233	7,642,324	7,843,981	8,238,040
Saskatchewan.....	26,142,693	19,888,827	18,556,560	18,944,362	19,654,449
Alberta.....	19,530,976	17,050,391	14,903,895	14,840,731	15,876,608
British Columbia.....	15,727,241	12,098,869	9,453,581	9,807,995	10,626,810
Yukon.....	248,907	203,553	164,843	143,809	142,486
Money Orders Paid in—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Canada	15,194,131	13,719,521	12,239,065	12,215,611	12,228,783
Prince Edward Island.....	57,168	50,802	44,654	43,041	41,686
Nova Scotia.....	659,447	627,269	528,288	538,841	562,941
New Brunswick.....	1,075,018	929,408	744,867	774,924	777,627
Quebec.....	2,569,951	1,838,959	1,572,443	1,541,862	1,563,062
Ontario.....	4,644,032	4,537,142	3,972,323	3,906,095	3,922,944
Manitoba.....	2,980,705	2,746,432	2,588,330	2,688,168	2,604,349
Saskatchewan.....	1,715,563	1,625,339	1,527,786	1,473,521	1,459,678
Alberta.....	762,442	691,926	648,958	640,394	656,848
British Columbia.....	728,355	671,014	610,333	607,896	638,887
Yukon.....	1,450	1,230	1,083	869	761
Value of Money Orders Paid in—	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Canada	162,773,000	131,421,945	107,908,214	106,908,174	114,054,602
Prince Edward Island.....	905,202	743,777	573,511	557,281	538,204
Nova Scotia.....	8,089,034	6,826,980	5,272,743	5,131,281	5,530,006
New Brunswick.....	11,057,962	8,432,979	6,157,997	6,186,968	6,553,543
Quebec.....	26,985,799	18,751,132	14,545,094	13,966,669	15,152,171
Ontario.....	48,548,791	41,822,499	33,407,867	32,529,477	34,734,816
Manitoba.....	27,537,919	22,247,614	20,161,603	21,378,560	22,091,686
Saskatchewan.....	17,473,777	14,267,265	12,590,724	12,194,519	12,860,754
Alberta.....	11,467,571	9,780,572	8,384,182	8,061,119	8,984,483
British Columbia.....	10,672,398	8,525,908	6,798,175	6,887,535	7,594,163
Yukon.....	34,546	23,219	16,318	14,765	14,776
Postal Notes—					
Total notes received and paid..... No.	8,145,855	7,227,262	5,963,810	5,115,761	5,772,119
Total value, including postage and postal note stamps affixed..... \$	14,681,376	12,629,304	10,530,490	9,247,459	10,246,800

Postage Stamps.—The value of the postage stamps, post cards, etc., sold during each of the latest seven fiscal years, was: \$26,475,541 in 1929, \$27,101,353 in 1930, \$25,769,781 in 1931, \$27,242,715 in 1932, \$25,999,159 in 1933, \$25,541,129 in 1934, and \$26,303,451 in 1935. Receipts from postage paid in cash were as follows: \$8,410,255 in 1929, \$9,045,805 in 1930, \$8,887,322 in 1931, \$9,078,136 in 1932, \$8,173,950 in 1933, \$8,129,387 in 1934 and \$8,619,712 in 1935.

Air-Mail Services.—The total weight of mail carried by air throughout Canada during the year ended Mar. 31, 1935, was 691,767 lb., an increase of 17 p.c. over the previous year, while the mileage flown showed an increase of approximately 11 p.c.

An interesting feature of the returns is the continued volume of mail carried by air into the several mining districts, and there would seem to be little doubt that aerial postal communication contributes materially to the development of Canada's natural resources.