

**Independent Air Lines.**—In addition to Trans-Canada Air Lines and Canadian Pacific Air Lines, there are eight other domestic air lines licensed to operate scheduled services in Canada. These are:—

- Central Northern Airways, Limited, Winnipeg, Man.
- Leavens Bros. Air Services, Limited, Toronto, Ont.
- Maritime Central Airways, Limited, Charlottetown, P.E.I.
- Mont Laurier Aviation Company, Limited, Saint Jean de Brébeuf, Que.
- Queen Charlotte Airlines, Limited, Vancouver, B.C.
- Rimouski Air Lines, Limited, Mont Joli, Que.
- Wheeler Air Lines, Limited, St. Jovite, Que.
- Quebec Airways, Limited, Montreal, Que.

The number of operating certificates in effect are: 57 scheduled; 305 non-scheduled, other than flying training; and 123 flying training.

Non-scheduled services are operated by the majority of the independent air lines. These services provide effective means of access to sections of Canada that are inaccessible by other means of transportation, and act as feeders to the scheduled air lines. They also provide specialty services such as recreational flying, aerial photography and survey, aerial pest control, and aerial advertising.

**Commonwealth and Foreign Scheduled Services.**—In 1949 there were 14 operating certificates issued to Commonwealth and foreign scheduled services flying into Canada:—

*Northwest Airlines Inc.*:—Operating between Winnipeg, Canada, and Fargo, N.D., U.S.A.; and between Minneapolis/St. Paul, U.S.A., Edmonton, Canada; Anchorage, Alaska; and beyond.

*Pan American World Airways Inc.*:—Operating between Seattle, U.S.A., and Fairbanks, Alaska, via Juneau, Alaska, and Whitehorse, Y.T., with a refuelling stop at Port Hardy, B.C., and/or Comox, B.C.; and between New York, U.S.A., and London, England, and points beyond, via Boston, U.S.A.; Gander, Canada and Shannon, Ireland.

*Sabena (The Société Anonyme Belge d'Exploitation de la Navigation Aérienne)*:—Operating between Brussels, Belgium, and New York, U.S.A., via Shannon, Ireland, and Gander, Canada.

*Scandinavian Airlines System*:—Operating between Stockholm, Sweden; Oslo, Norway; Copenhagen, Denmark; Prestwick, Scotland; Gander, Canada; and New York, U.S.A.

*T.W.A. (Transcontinental and Western Air, Inc.)*:—Operating between New York, Washington, Philadelphia, Boston, U.S.A.; Gander, Canada; The Azores; Shannon, Ireland; Paris, France; and beyond.

*United Air Lines, Inc.*:—Operating between Vancouver and Seattle via Bellingham.

*Western Air Lines, Inc.*:—Operating between Great Falls and Cut Bank, U.S.A., and Lethbridge and Edmonton, Canada; via Calgary and Penhold, Canada.

*American Airlines, Inc.*:—Operating between Toronto, Canada, and Buffalo, U.S.A. and Buffalo, U.S.A., Windsor, Canada, and Detroit, U.S.A.

*American Overseas Airlines, Inc.*:—Operating between New York, Washington, Philadelphia, Boston, U.S.A.; Gander, Canada; Reykjavik, Iceland; Shannon, Ireland; and points beyond.