

## 21.—Summary Statistics on the Operations of Express Companies 1945-54

NOTE.—Figures for 1911-44 are given in the corresponding table of previous Year Books beginning with the 1927-28 edition.

Year or Company	Milages Operated <sup>1</sup>	Gross Earnings	Operating Expenditure	Express Privileges <sup>2</sup>	Net Operating Revenue
	No.	\$	\$	\$	\$
1945.....	50,938	37,171,862	20,040,339	16,711,647	419,876
1946.....	51,365	39,260,553	22,670,616	16,841,229	Dr. 251,292
1947.....	51,841	42,314,758	25,770,190	17,650,061	Dr. 1,105,493
1948.....	51,840	46,809,112	30,398,053	18,785,988	Dr. 2,374,929
1949.....	54,806	51,966,290	32,385,223	21,226,817	Dr. 1,645,750
1950.....	55,581	52,017,492	32,881,689	21,355,956	Dr. 2,220,153
1951.....	57,355	60,423,503	38,374,128	21,037,164	1,012,211
1952.....	57,332	70,185,114	44,744,018	24,428,739	1,012,357
1953.....	55,805	74,296,948	49,569,842	23,584,806	1,142,300
1954.....	68,373 <sup>3</sup>	70,039,054	48,167,243	20,753,503	1,118,308
<b>1954</b>					
Canadian National Express.....	42,839 <sup>3</sup>	36,769,693	25,606,614	10,519,706	643,373
Canadian Pacific Express.....	21,409	31,208,263	21,461,660	9,320,113	426,490
Northern Alberta Railways.....	928	645,712	320,036	289,660	36,016
Railway Express Agency, Inc.....	3,197	1,415,386	778,933	624,024	12,429
<b>Totals, 1954.....</b>	<b>68,373</b>	<b>70,039,054</b>	<b>48,167,243</b>	<b>20,753,503</b>	<b>1,118,308</b>

<sup>1</sup> Over railways, boat lines and motor carrier and aircraft routes.      <sup>2</sup> Amounts paid by express companies to the carriers, i.e., railways, steamship lines, etc., for transporting express matter.      <sup>3</sup> 12,290 aircraft miles were reported by the Canadian National Express.

## 22.—Business Transacted by Express Companies in Financial Paper 1950-54

Item	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Money orders, domestic and foreign.....	121,476,102	137,215,925	134,870,537	134,996,758	130,807,463
Travellers cheques, domestic and foreign	9,242,789	7,753,328	7,332,881	7,589,928	7,788,302
C.O.D. cheques.....	21,292,175	24,186,587	23,826,544	22,144,909	20,966,806
Telegraphic transfers.....	153,140	191,188	255,243	274,705	214,475
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>152,164,206</b>	<b>169,347,028</b>	<b>166,285,205</b>	<b>165,006,300</b>	<b>159,777,046</b>

## 23.—Employees, Salaries, Wages and Commissions of Express Companies 1945-54

Year	Full Time Employees	Salaries and Wages <sup>1</sup>	Com-missions Paid	Year	Full Time Employees	Salaries and Wages <sup>1</sup>	Com-missions Paid
	No.	\$	\$		No.	\$	\$
1945.....	7,160	13,945,167	1,846,884	1950.....	8,974	24,195,490	2,177,933
1946.....	7,430	16,060,439	1,975,856	1951.....	9,610	28,607,463	2,443,341
1947.....	8,017	18,308,793	1,995,947	1952.....	10,849	32,503,058	2,689,830
1948.....	8,525	22,212,249	2,157,489	1953.....	12,119	37,413,060	2,795,766
1949.....	8,809	23,621,322	2,283,425	1954.....	11,450 <sup>2</sup>	35,882,288	2,691,440

<sup>1</sup> Includes wages paid to part time employees.

<sup>2</sup> Includes part time employees.