

The Saskatchewan Power Corporation, which serves all communities in Saskatchewan that have distribution systems except Lloydminster, Lone Rock and Unity, continued its program to construct distribution systems in all reasonably sized communities and supply them from its province-wide transmission system. Regina and six smaller communities were added in 1957 to the list of communities supplied with natural gas.

The chief construction in Manitoba was that by Winnipeg and Central Gas Company to supply Winnipeg with natural gas.

During 1957 pipeline construction in Ontario constituted a high proportion of the national total. Accelerated programs were undertaken in southern Ontario when Trans-Canada negotiated successfully for an interim supply of natural gas from Union Gas Company of Canada Limited which was and is importing United States natural gas to supplement its own supply from fields in southwestern Ontario. Ottawa and 14 smaller communities, principally along Lake Ontario and the St. Lawrence River, were served with natural gas one year earlier than originally expected as a result of this plan. Twin City Gas Company Limited and Northern Ontario Natural Gas Company Limited supplied Kenora, Fort William and Port Arthur. Major construction to serve localities along the Trans-Canada route was carried out in 1958. A total of 1,660 miles of distribution pipeline was laid in the province during the year, in addition to 600 miles of transmission line, exclusive of the Trans-Canada pipeline itself.

## Section 2.—Oil Pipeline Statistics\*

There were 32 oil pipelines operating in Canada at Dec. 31, 1957, with a total mileage of 6,873 compared to 6,051 at the end of 1956. Pipeline deliveries shown in Table 1 were made to non-pipeline carriers, foreign pipelines, and terminals including refineries and distributing centres.

During 1957 operating revenues of all oil pipelines except Amurex Oil Development Company, Anglo American Exploration Company, Anglo Canadian Oils Limited, Green River Exploration Company, Mobil Oil of Canada Limited, and Sarnia Products Line totalled \$87,719,710 compared with \$78,213,744 in 1956.

### 1.—Oil Delivered by Pipeline 1954-58

Destination	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958
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British Columbia .....	13,612,931	19,309,150	21,809,740	22,300,264	20,597,276
U.S. Pacific Northwest (at Sumas, B.C.) .....	953,403	11,408,992	19,211,435	27,329,940	8,968,639
West Coast offshore shipments .....	—	—	6,230,466	6,904,960	—
Alberta <sup>1</sup> .....	16,452,608	18,518,740	17,830,462	13,570,320	16,150,606
Saskatchewan .....	14,191,691	15,543,202	16,732,869	17,691,698	16,289,075
Manitoba .....	6,743,309	7,514,552	9,961,540	9,952,757	10,628,835
U. S. Midwest (at Gretna, Man.) .....	1,435,895	5,246,832	16,867,189	20,643,820	20,781,689
Ontario—crude oil .....	33,340,688	41,148,261	46,515,517	46,845,164	59,552,656
Ontario—refinery products .....	32,441,988	37,894,021	43,022,682	44,189,759	43,256,943
Quebec .....	53,323,422	67,691,018	76,758,440	81,428,930	78,547,073
<b>Totals, Net Deliveries . . . . .</b>	<b>172,495,935</b>	<b>224,274,768</b>	<b>274,940,340</b>	<b>290,857,612</b>	<b>274,772,792</b>

<sup>1</sup> Includes natural gasoline.

Employee and revenue data shown in Table 2 do not include statistics for eight pipelines operated as departments of the oil companies which are manned by employees on the regular payrolls of those companies.

\* Statistics of oil pipelines are given in greater detail in the DBS monthly report *Pipe Lines (Oil) Statistics*. Additional information on the interprovincial movement of oil by pipeline will be found in Chapter XX, Part I. Section 5.