

Independent Air Lines.—In addition to the two major Canadian air carriers—Trans-Canada Air Lines and Canadian Pacific Air Lines, Limited—there are four domestic air carriers licensed to operate scheduled commercial air services in Canada, namely, Maritime Central Airways Limited, Charlottetown, P.E.I.; Pacific Western Airlines Limited, Vancouver, B.C.; Quebecair Inc., Rimouski, Que.; and TransAir Limited, Winnipeg, Man.

Licensed domestic air carriers operating in Canada as at Mar. 31, 1959 held valid operating certificates covering 43 scheduled, 119 flying training, and 779 other non-scheduled and specialty services. These non-scheduled services, in addition to providing effective access to sections of Canada that are inaccessible by other means of transportation, act as feeder lines to the scheduled airlines. They also include such specialty services as recreational flying, aerial photography and surveying, aerial pest control, aerial advertising and aerial patrol.

Commonwealth and Foreign Scheduled Commercial Air Services.—At the end of December 1959 there were 17 Commonwealth and foreign air carriers holding valid Canadian operating certificates and licences covering international scheduled commercial air services operating into Canada, as follows:—

Air France (Compagnie Nationale Air France) operates between Paris and other points in Metropolitan France; Montreal, Que., Canada; Chicago, Ill., U.S.A., and points beyond.

American Airlines, Inc. operates between Toronto, Ont., Canada, and New York, N.Y./Newark, N.J., via Buffalo, N.Y., U.S.A.

British Overseas Airways Corp. operates between London, England, Prestwick, Scotland, Shannon, Ireland, Gander, Nfld., and Montreal, Que., Canada; and between London, England, Montreal, Que., Canada, and Jamaica in the West Indies.

Eagle Airways (Bermuda) Ltd. operates between Montreal, Que., and Bermuda.

Eastern Air Lines, Inc. operates between the terminals Ottawa, Ont., Canada, and Montreal, Que., Canada, and New York, N.Y., U.S.A., direct or via Burlington, Vt., U.S.A.; and between the terminals Ottawa, Ont., and Montreal, Que., Canada, and Washington, D.C., U.S.A., direct or via Massena/Syracuse, N.Y., U.S.A.

KLM Royal Dutch Airlines operates between Amsterdam, the Netherlands, Gander, Nfld., Canada, and Montreal, Que., Canada; and between Amsterdam, the Netherlands, Gander, Nfld., Canada, and New York, N.Y., U.S.A.

Lufthansa German Airlines operates between Hamburg, Germany, and other points abroad; Montreal, Que., Canada; and Chicago, Ill., U.S.A.

Northeast Airlines, Inc. operates between Montreal, Que., Canada, and Boston, Mass., U.S.A., via Burlington, Vt., Montpelier-Barre, Vt., White River Junction, Vt. (Lebanon Airport, N.H.), and Concord, N.H., U.S.A.

Northwest Airlines, Inc. operates between Winnipeg, Man., Canada, and Fargo, N.D., U.S.A.; and between Minneapolis/St. Paul, Minn., U.S.A., Edmonton, Alta., Canada, Anchorage, Alaska, and beyond.

Pan American World Airways Inc. operates between Seattle, Wash., and Fairbanks, Alaska, U.S.A., with points of call at Juneau and Annette Island, Alaska, and Whitehorse, Y.T., Canada; and between points in the United States, Gander, Nfld., Canada, and Europe.

Qantas Empire Airways Ltd. operates between Sydney, Australia, San Francisco, Cal., U.S.A., and Vancouver, B.C., Canada.

Sabena Belgian World Airlines operates between Brussels, Belgium, via Shannon, Ireland, and Montreal, Que., Canada.

Scandinavian Airlines System operates between Stockholm, Sweden, Oslo, Norway, Copenhagen, Denmark, Prestwick, Scotland, Montreal, Que., Canada, and New York, N.Y., U.S.A.

Seaboard and Western Airlines, Inc. operates between points in the United States, Gander, Nfld., Canada, and beyond.

TWA (Trans-World Airlines, Inc.) operates between points in the United States, Gander, Nfld., Canada, and points abroad.

United Air Lines, Inc. operates between Vancouver, B.C., Canada, and Seattle, Wash., U.S.A., via Bellingham, Wash., U.S.A.

Western Air Lines, Inc. operates between Great Falls, Mont., U.S.A., Calgary, Alta., and Edmonton, Alta.