

## 13.—Leading Imports, 1939, 1946 and 1955-58—concluded

Commodity	1939	1946	1955	1956	1957	1958
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Books, printed.....	4,238	11,272	26,035	27,950	31,468	34,765
Tools.....	2,377	10,135	26,739	32,779	36,227	34,738
Medical, optical and dental goods, n.o.p.....	4,035	10,442	22,952	26,133	28,943	32,334
Rubber, crude and semi-fabricated.....	12,860	10,013	44,110	40,610	39,101	30,779
Bauxite and alumina for aluminum.....	3,374	8,525	21,473	24,635	38,831	30,284
Gasoline.....	7,998	14,912	35,831	35,217	37,184	30,235
Drugs and medicines.....	3,922	9,440	25,018	26,560	28,729	29,619
Iron ore.....	4,179	6,467	31,563	38,722	36,387	28,932
Synthetic fabrics (piece goods).....	2,123	9,851	22,415	23,570	25,336	26,895

## 14.—Leading Domestic Exports, 1939, 1946 and 1955-58

NOTE.—Commodities are arranged in order of value in 1958.

Commodity	1939	1946	1955	1956	1957	1958
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Newsprint paper.....	115,687	265,865	665,877	708,385	715,490	690,209
Wheat.....	109,051	250,306	338,216	513,081	380,415	446,078
Planks and boards.....	48,829	125,391	385,313	326,445	281,681	292,013
Wood pulp.....	31,000	114,021	297,304	304,536	292,406	285,449
Uranium ores and concentrates.....			26,533	45,777	127,935	276,506
Aluminum, primary and semi-fabricated.....	25,950	51,390	210,971	234,806	229,386	222,442
Nickel, primary and semi-fabricated.....	57,934	55,205	215,169	222,909	248,253	212,580
Copper, primary and semi-fabricated.....	52,396	34,940	163,924	147,206 <sup>1</sup>	147,247 <sup>1</sup>	135,021
Aircraft and parts (except engines).....	347	9,507	19,906	49,545	39,910	109,113
Iron ore.....	43	4,353	99,814	144,443	152,281	107,674
Farm implements and machinery (except tractors) and parts.....	6,975	28,662	72,206	63,937	67,339	93,829
Asbestos, unmanufactured.....	2,902	23,839	94,804	99,895	107,058 <sup>1</sup>	90,745
Cattle, chiefly for beef.....	13,808	652	3,922	630	41,678	84,101
Barley.....	7,882	9,688	76,461	94,977	67,522	78,118
Petroleum, crude and partly refined.....			36,253	103,923	140,975	73,044
Fish, fresh and frozen.....	10,212	31,110	55,263	59,594	63,186	70,898
Whisky.....	7,914	29,650	60,862	68,660	66,994	70,276
Wheat flour.....	16,378	126,733	74,442	71,549	61,175	69,398
Zinc, primary and semi-fabricated.....	9,922	27,659	70,558	74,011	64,921	55,385
Machinery (non-farm) and parts.....	11,668	16,675	35,789	47,130	57,177 <sup>1</sup>	46,881
Fertilizers, chemical.....	9,179	32,108	56,296	49,211	48,958	46,476
Flaxseed (chiefly for crushing).....	1	11	31,279	43,624	64,719	45,046
Non-commercial items.....	2,402	39,951	25,227	34,000	40,954	38,229
Pulpwood.....	10,901	28,731	48,655	49,794	48,459	34,655
Fish, canned.....	11,549	30,428	18,217	17,450	13,868	33,706
Engines, internal combustion, and parts.....	202	1,737	17,391	17,614	26,735	32,789
Rolling-mill products (iron and steel).....	3,864	7,528	20,313	25,719	33,043	31,833
Synthetic plastics, primary forms.....	351	2,654	27,365	26,577	29,642	26,348
Lead, primary and semi-fabricated.....	9,850	16,715	37,194	35,025	29,396	26,099
Electrical apparatus, n.o.p.....	3,229	20,939	20,700	21,407	25,186	24,944
Fur, skins, blooms and billets (iron and steel).....	2,691	3,328	33,695	20,749	42,226	24,278
Pigs, in, undressed.....	14,130	30,928	28,287	25,893	25,944	23,322
Abrasives, artificial crude.....	4,380	11,727	26,942	28,389	33,911	22,717
Fish, cured.....	3,884	13,808	23,939	22,835	24,513	22,700
Plywoods and veneers.....	1,608	12,026	30,104	20,020	22,336	22,524
Beef and veal, fresh.....	1,226 <sup>2</sup>	27,224	2,721	3,644	13,356	20,185
Platinum metals, unmanufactured.....	6,178	15,450	26,315	35,656	27,821	19,837
Shingles.....	8,224	11,211	29,144	24,646	19,393	19,828
Automobiles, passenger.....	14,394	13,993	13,165	17,027	22,629	19,382
Molluscs and crustaceans.....	3,539	14,159	20,246	20,554	20,413	19,220

<sup>1</sup> Less than \$500.<sup>2</sup> Beef only.

**Detailed Imports and Exports.**—Detailed statistics of all commodities of any importance imported into Canada from all countries, from the United Kingdom and from the United States during the calendar years 1956-58 are given in Table 15 and corresponding statistics for domestic exports appear in Table 16.