

TRANSPORTATION AND COMMUNICATIONS.

30.—Earnings of Express Companies, 1911-1914.

Companies.	Revenue from transportation.	Money Orders, domestic.	Money Orders, foreign.	Travelers' Cheques, domestic.	Travelers' Cheques, foreign.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
American Express ¹	755,227	5,831	-	190	753
British America Express...	14,280	-	-	-	-
Canadian Express.....	3,341,982	64,671	-	-	881
Canadian Northern Express	931,280	17,384	-	-	-
Dominion Express.....	7,009,899	118,719	20,617	-	7,569
Great Northern Express...	101,241	1,000	33	-	-
United States Express.....	33,706	-	-	-	-
Wells Fargo Express.....	22,645	-	-	-	-
Total, 1914	12,210,260	207,605	20,650	190	9,203
Total, 1913	12,434,321	173,261	21,137	23,145	2,892
Total, 1912	10,617,376	201,535	18,056	2,806	2,715
Total, 1911	9,644,705	181,396	16,985	2,895	1,186

Companies.	"C.O.D." Cheques.	Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total expenses.	Net earnings.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
American Express ¹	6,270	24,636	792,910	804,101	-11,191
British America Express...	-	-	14,280	7,419	6,861
Canadian Express.....	28,063	14,648	3,450,246	3,367,256	82,990
Canadian Northern Express	15,829	7,454	971,947	798,854	173,093
Dominion Express.....	64,343	35,809	7,256,955	7,254,887	2,068
Great Northern Express...	286	1,203	103,763	96,927	6,836
United States Express.....	-	-	33,706	36,228	-2,522
Wells Fargo Express.....	-	-	22,645	21,385	1,260
Total, 1914	114,791	83,751	12,671,681	12,387,057 ⁴	284,624
Total, 1913	98,780	73,943	12,873,370 ²	11,555,091	1,318,279 ²
Total, 1912	83,791	68,139	11,022,858 ³	9,859,851	1,163,007 ³
Total, 1911	39,701	26,150	9,890,072	8,724,785	1,165,287

¹Including National Express Co.

²Includes \$45,891 revenue from outside operations.

³Includes \$28,440 revenue from outside operations.

⁴Includes \$25,229 revenue from outside operations.

CANALS.

Canal Systems.—There are six canal systems under the control of the Dominion Government in connection with navigable lakes and rivers. They consist of the canals (1) between Port Arthur or Fort William and Montreal; (2) from Montreal to the international boundary near Lake Champlain; (3) from Montreal to Ottawa; (4) from Ottawa to Kingston and Perth; (5) Trenton, Lake Ontario, to Lake Huron (not completed); and (6) the St. Peter's canal from the Atlantic ocean to Bras d'Or Lakes, Cape Breton. The total length of the canals comprised within these systems is about 1,594 statute miles.

Canal Traffic.—For the calendar year 1914, the total volume of traffic through the canals of the Dominion amounted to 37,023,237 tons,