

22.—Mileages Operated, Revenues and Expenses of Express Companies, 1939-48

NOTE.—Figures for 1911-38 are given in the corresponding table of previous Year Books beginning with the 1927-28 edition.

Year or Company	Mileages Operated ¹	Gross Earnings	Operating Expenses	Express Privileges ²	Net Operating Revenues
	No.	\$	\$	\$	\$
1939.....	65,390	19,410,091	10,622,936	8,313,218	473,937
1940.....	65,184	26,067,019	11,095,071	12,650,274	2,321,674
1941.....	53,359	22,933,227	12,202,191	10,113,218	617,818
1942.....	52,824	25,725,512	13,391,508	11,388,477	945,527
1943.....	52,670	32,875,971	15,824,160	15,323,905	1,727,906
1944.....	50,668	34,357,760	18,856,659	15,301,512	199,589
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					
Canadian National Express.....	23,997	21,109,448	13,214,237	9,268,157	-1,372,946
Canadian Pacific Express.....	21,541	19,689,094	11,711,677	7,745,247	232,170
Northern Alberta Railways.....	928	432,583	197,207 *	213,991	21,385
Railway Express Agency.....	4,875	1,083,633	647,069	422,666	13,898
Totals, 1947.....	51,341	42,314,758	25,770,190	17,650,061	-1,105,493
1948					
Canadian National Express.....	24,465	23,250,598	15,689,889	10,231,765	-2,671,056
Canadian Pacific Express.....	21,572	21,802,824	13,825,560	7,716,254	261,010
Northern Alberta Railways.....	928	456,413	215,146	222,054	19,213
Railway Express Agency.....	4,875	1,299,277	667,458	615,915	15,904
Totals, 1948.....	51,840	46,809,112	30,398,053	18,785,988	-2,374,929

¹ Over railways, boat lines and motor-carrier and aircraft routes. ² Amounts paid by express companies to the carriers, i.e., railways, steamship lines, etc., for transporting express matter.

23.—Business Transacted by Express Companies in Financial Paper, 1944-48

Description	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Money orders, domestic and foreign.....	101,819,945	101,257,845	116,368,000	126,592,398	133,668,100
Travellers cheques, domestic and foreign.....	1,729,925	2,228,722	4,245,528	5,697,740	6,654,176
"C.O.D." cheques.....	11,113,936	13,282,676	19,033,971	22,745,649	23,693,890
Telegraphic transfers.....	1,229,742	1,300,822	676,799	367,058	207,694
Totals.....	115,893,548	118,070,065	140,324,298	155,402,845	164,223,860

24.—Employees, Salaries and Wages and Commissions of Express Companies, 1939-48

Year	Employees ¹	Salaries and Wages ²	Commissions Paid	Year	Employees ¹	Salaries and Wages ²	Commissions Paid
	No.	\$	\$		No.	\$	\$
1939.....	4,737	7,412,300	967,227	1944.....	6,705	13,263,739	1,729,195
1940.....	4,843	7,672,761	1,001,470	1945.....	7,160	13,945,167	1,846,884
1941.....	5,084	8,451,872	1,139,474	1946.....	7,430	16,060,439	1,975,856
1942.....	5,296	9,417,112	1,253,428	1947.....	8,017	18,308,793	1,995,947
1943.....	5,936	10,837,037	1,569,453	1948.....	8,525	22,212,249	2,157,489

¹ Full-time.

² Includes wages to part-time employees.