

## Coal Shipments, April, 1920.

Output and Shipments for April, 1920  
—DOMINION COAL CO., LTD.

	Output	Shipments
Dominion No. 1	28 198	
Dominion No. 2	42 924	
Dominion No. 4	26 450	
Dominion No. 5	8 330	
Dominion No. 6	18 337	
Dominion No. 9	23 036	
Dominion No. 10	10 455	
Dominion No. 11	14 182	224 271
Dominion No. 12	15 733	
Dominion No. 14	16 311	
Dominion No. 15	10 833	
Dominion No. 16	13 375	
Dominion No. 17	1 226	
Dominion No. 21	13 162	
Dominion No. 22	16 301	
Dominion No. 24	2 299	
	261 152	
Shipments	April 1920	224 274
Shipments	" 1919	224 823
Decrease	" 1920	549
Shipments	4 mos. 1920	868 560
"	4 " 1919	850 872
Increase	4 " 1920	17 688

## SPRINGHILL.

Shipments	April 1920	32 938
"	" 1919	26 078
Increase	" 1920	6 860
Shipments	4 mos. 1920	121 957
"	4 " 1919	97 065
Increase	4 " 1920	24 892

## —NOVA SCOTIA STEEL &amp; COAL CO.—

Shipments	April 1920	46 498
"	" 1919	34 690
Increase	" 1920	11 808
Shipments	4 mos. 1920	101 816
"	4 " 1919	123 571
Increase	4 " 1920	68 245

## ACADIA COAL CO.

Shipments	April 1920	42 394
"	" 1919	31 185
Increase	" 1920	11 209
Shipments	4 mos. 1920	158 626
"	4 " 1919	123 724
Increase	4 " 1920	34 902

## INTERCOLONIAL COAL CO.

Shipments	April 1920	11 143
"	" 1919	13 277
Decrease	" 1920	2 134
Shipments	4 mos. 1920	47 428
"	4 " 1919	49 110
Decrease	4 " 1920	1 682

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against and for us be true, it still remains that the middle-class is probably the chief source of progress.

As a first modest claim, we possess the bulk of the country's brain. The war, with its manifold new demands, has confirmed this in the realm of practical politics, and the outstanding names are those of middle-class men, irrespective of any heights to which they may now have climbed. In art and literature too the middle-class is the seed ground from which come the strongest plants. It would, of course, be easy enough to cite many authors and artists with blue blood in their veins, or with the smell of the soil clinging to them, but nevertheless the great majority of creative art is produced by the middle-class. For one reason or another, perhaps the larger share of the religious life of the country is borne by the middle-class; we tend to raise the standard of the nation's health, we give it the gift of which we are inclined to be ashamed—our stolid uncompromising respectability."

When the Dental Bill was being discussed in the House of Assembly an eminent physician of Halifax said that there ought to be free clinics established in Halifax in the benefit of poor people who could not afford to send their children, having diseased teeth, to a dentist because a dentist charges grew to figures that a poor man could not pay. The word "clinic" must have a wider application than that given in the dictionary which tells us that a clinic is "a medical lecture delivered at the bedside, or in the presence of a patient." When the M. D. spoke of clinics the conversation was on diseases of the teeth of children. Children with bad teeth are not as a rule to be found in bed, and a lecture would be lost upon them. By free clinics I understood him to mean free advice at the expense of the government or municipality. The Red Cross Society without waiting for any governmental or other action are about to set out on a clinical tour on their own account. Most people think that the Red Cross is an institution for war purposes only; this is a mistake. Its peace time work is a matter of high importance though it is not so well known being less widely advertised. I clip the following from a circular sent out by the Society:—

The formation with headquarters at Geneva of The International League of Red Cross Societies was the first step toward adapting the wonderful war time Red Cross organization to an even greater and more important work for humanity in times of peace.

Those who served in any capacity in the military forces of Canada, either at home or abroad, are aware of the work done for troops and civilians by the Red Cross Society during the war. The highly elastic organization of this society renders it particularly useful in that its helpful activities can take almost any form and can avoid anything like military red tape.

The Red Cross has chosen these Portable Clinics as a way to offer a helping hand to some of the isolated rural districts of Nova Scotia. Every one knows of places that for many years have necessari-