

HALIBUT FARES AT PACIFIC COAST PORTS. March, 1917.

	Pounds
By independent schooners at Seattle	573,000
By company vessels at Seattle	1,110,000
By regular steamers at Seattle	576,000
Arrivals at Ketchikan, Alaska	413,000
Arrivals at Vancouver, B. C.	300,000
Arrivals at Prince Rupert, B. C.	1,425,000
Total	4,397,000

HALIBUT ARRIVALS AT VANCOUVER, B. C. March, 1917.

Arr. Mar.	Vessel—	Fare, Selling Lbs. Price	Delivered to—
1	Borealis	50,000	Can. Fishing Co., Ltd.
3	Kingsway	50,000	Can. Fishing Co., Ltd.
20	Celestial Empire	50,000	Can. Fishing Co., Ltd.
21	Flamingo	55,000	Can. Fishing Co., Ltd.
24	Iskum	15,000 9½	Can. Fishing Co., Ltd.
26	Kingsway	55,000	Can. Fishing Co., Ltd.
30	Carlotta G. Cox	25,000	Can. Fishing Co., Ltd.
Total	300,000		

HALIBUT ARRIVALS AT PRINCE RUPERT, B. C. March, 1917.

Arr. Mar.	Vessel—	Fare, Selling Lbs. Price	Purchaser—
1	*Loyal	14,000 9	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
1	Grier Starrett	8,000	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
1	*Jennie	9,000	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
1	*Pauline	14,000 9	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
1	*Omaney	55,000 9	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
1	Jas. Carruthers	20,000	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
1	Chief Zibassa	17,000	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
1	*Orient	15,000 9	Atlin Fisheries, Ltd.
1	*Tordenskjold	25,000 9	Atlin Fisheries, Ltd.
1	*Eidsvold	16,000 9	Atlin Fisheries, Ltd.
1	Nautilus	7,000 11½	Atlin Fisheries, Ltd.
1	*Seattle	45,000 9	Booth Fisheries Co.
1	*Washington	25,000 9	Pacific Fisheries Co.
1	*Pacific	28,000 9	Pacific Fisheries Co.
1	Ed. Rodel	5,000 11½	Royal Fish Co.
3	*Liberty	35,000 9	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
3	*Panama	17,000 9	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
4	*Bryan	10,000 9¾	Booth Fisheries Co.
4	Andrew Kelly	40,000	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
4	Agnes B.	8,000 10½	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
4	*Glacier	13,000 9½	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
4	*Mars	10,000 9½	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
4	*Senator	20,000 9¾	Booth Fisheries Co.
4	*Thelma	14,000 9¾	Atlin Fisheries, Ltd.
4	*Viking	10,000 9¾	Atlin Fisheries, Ltd.
6	*Sitka	36,000 9¾	Pacific Fisheries Co.
6	*Magnolia	8,000 9½	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
6	*Teddy J.	15,000 9½	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
6	*Shamrock	20,000 9¾	Atlin Fisheries, Ltd.
6	*Kennebec	7,000 9¾	Atlin Fisheries, Ltd.
7	*Rolfe	10,000 9	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
9	*Director	16,000 7	Pacific Fisheries Co.
9	*Volunteer	17,000 7	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
9	*Manhattan	100,000	Atlin Fisheries, Ltd.
12	*Amundsen	15,000 8	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
12	*Pioneer	20,000 8	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
12	*Commonwealth	30,000	Booth Fisheries Co.
12	*Arctic	15,000 8	Booth Fisheries Co.
12	*Active	6,000 8	Booth Fisheries Co.
12	Jas. Carruthers	20,000	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
13	*Kodiak	20,000 8	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
13	*Olympic	20,000 8	Booth Fisheries Co.
13	*Gjoa	12,000 8	Booth Fisheries Co.
13	*Corona	10,000 8½	Pacific Fisheries Co.
13	Borealis	10,000	Atlin Fisheries, Ltd.
13	*Nornen	15,000 9½	Atlin Fisheries, Ltd.
14	*Fairbanks	16,000 8¾	Booth Fisheries Co.
14	*J. P. Todd	9,000 8¾	Booth Fisheries Co.

Arr. Mar.	Vessel—	Fare Selling Lbs. Price	Purchaser—
14	*Cora	8,000 8½	Pacific Fisheries Co.
14	*E. Nielson	6,000 8½	Pacific Fisheries Co.
14	*Onah	10,000 8	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
14	Margalice	8,000 9¾	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
16	*Alten	55,000 8¾	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
16	*Tordenskjold	15,000 9¾	Pacific Fisheries Co.
16	*Alvida	9,000 9¾	Pacific Fisheries Co.
16	D. C. F. 1	6,000 9¾	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
16	Nautilus	6,000 9¾	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
19	*Atlantic	20,000 8¾	Booth Fisheries Co.
19	*Eidsvold	7,000 8¾	Booth Fisheries Co.
19	*Liberty	55,000 8¾	Pacific Fisheries Co.
19	*Tom & Al	55,000 8¾	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
19	*Panama	40,000 8¾	Atlin Fisheries, Ltd.
19	Agnes B.	5,000 8¾	Atlin Fisheries, Ltd.
19	Rosespit	15,000 9	Atlin Fisheries, Ltd.
19	Tuladi	15,000 9	Atlin Fisheries, Ltd.
20	*America	10,000 8	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
21	Chief Skugaid	20,000	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
21	Geo. E. Foster	10,000	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
22	Grier Starrett	6,000	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
22	*Eagle	24,000 9½	Booth Fisheries Co.
23	*Vesta	20,000 9½	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
24	Andrew Kelly	40,000	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
26	*Flamingo	8,000 8	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
27	*Bryan	5,000 8	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
27	*Shamrock	5,000 8	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
30	Joe Baker	5,000 17½	Royal Fish Co.
31	Nornen	10,000 11	C. F. & C. S. Co., Ltd.
Total	1,425,000		

*American vessel.

—Pacific Fisherman.

FOREIGN TRADE.

	Month of February 1917	1916	Twelve months ending February 1917	1916
Imports:				
Merchandise	\$68,030,469	\$51,654,968	\$805,029,622	\$486,160,140
*Coin & Bullion	525,469	2,109,968	26,979,553	34,175,614
Total Imports	\$68,555,938	\$53,764,936	\$832,009,175	\$520,335,754
Exports:				
Can. Produce	\$68,224,383	\$57,931,168	\$1,117,374,693	\$698,315,322
Foreign Produce	3,254,865	831,865	24,891,544	39,293,938
Total Mdse.	\$71,479,248	\$58,763,033	\$1,142,266,237	\$737,609,260
Coin & Bullion	127,514	116,288	*196,510,395	125,173,639
Total Exports	\$71,606,762	\$58,879,321	\$1,338,776,632	\$862,782,899

*The imports and exports of coin and bullion are exceptional owing to special transactions between the Imperial and Canadian Governments, and, therefore, are not to be taken as an indication of the trade of Canada.

BANK CLEARINGS.

Week ending	Amount	Inc. or Dec. from last year	Year to date	Inc. or Dec. for year
Mar. 8	\$215,588,495	+ 29.4%	\$2,067,846,371	+ 21.7%
" 15	203,138,160	+ 31.0%	2,270,984,531	+ 22.5%
" 22	212,864,739	+ 23.7%	2,483,849,270	+ 22.6%
" 29	194,150,016	+ 34.6%	2,677,999,286	+ 23.4%

GROSS RAILWAY EARNINGS. (January, February and March)

	1917	1916	1915
Canadian Pacific	\$30,465,000	\$27,154,000	\$20,111,000
Canadian Northern	8,076,400	6,783,000	4,941,000
Grand Trunk	14,532,629	12,829,374	10,761,053
Total	\$53,074,029	\$46,766,374	\$35,813,053

BRITISH COLUMBIA ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

Financial Statement of the British Columbia Electric Railway and Allied Companies for March, 1917.

	1917	1916	Increase
Approximate Income and Expenditure—			
Gross Earnings	\$456,626	\$446,401	\$10,225
Operating Expenses, Maintenance, etc.	356,178	355,103	1,075
Net Earnings	\$100,448	\$ 91,298	\$ 9,150
For the nine months of the fiscal year, July 1 to March 31—			
Gross Earnings	\$4,066,379	\$3,826,820	\$239,559
Operating Expenses, Maintenance, etc.	3,194,066	3,170,133	23,933
Net Earnings	\$ 872,313	\$ 656,687	\$215,626