

For the month of May the output of coal from the four collieries of the Nova Scotia Steel & Coal Company was about the same as the preceding month. The output from No. 4 is gradually increasing, having almost doubled the output of April. Following are the figures from the different collieries:

	Tons.
No. 1	21,298
No. 2	23,784
No. 4	1,116
No. 5	7,390
Total	53,588

The output of pig iron at the blast furnaces was the largest since the company's existence, 6,064 tons.

May was a busy month at the Dominion Steel Works, and the output exceeded the big figures of April. The May output was as follows:

Pig iron	21,864
Ingots	5,650
Blooms	20,045
Rails	12,316
Rods	3,765

Dominion Coal's May output was 332,588 tons, against 327,269 tons last year.

This makes the company's output 242,899 tons ahead of a year ago for the five months:

	1908 Tons.	1907 Tons.
January	314,108	252,248
February	285,649	225,988
March	346,529	212,831
April	298,745	316,384
May	332,588	327,269
Total	\$1,577,619	\$1,334,720

Following are the weekly shipments from Cobalt camp, and those from Jan. 1 to date:

	Week end May 30.	Since Jan. 1
Coniagas	62,030	505,580
Drummond	56,260	148,600
La Rose	60,000	2,181,652
McKinley	66,540	1,373,560
Nipissing	184,220	1,548,110
O'Brien	254,810	2,357,130
Silver Queen	110,310	634,510
Trethewey	124,850	997,456

The total shipments for the week were 919,020 pounds, or 459 tons.

Cobalt ore shipments for the week ending May 25th totalled 905,780 pounds, or 452 tons.

The total shipments for the year to date are 13,210,228 pounds, or 6,605 tons. The shipments by mine follow in pounds:

	Week ended May 25	From Jan. 1
Buffalo	451,000	510,810
Coniagas	62,640	444,550
La Rose	140,000	2,121,652
McKinley	63,120	1,307,020
O'Brien	275,450	1,106,220
Right of Way	61,060	242,240
Silver Leaf	63,820	196,620
Trethewey	192,690	872,606

Following are the weekly shipments from Cobalt camp, and those from Jan. 1 to date:

	Week end June 6	Since Jan. 1
Buffalo	42,900	653,710
Coniagas		505,580
Cobalt Lake		246,455
Crown Reserve	44,000	84,000
Cobalt Central		56,380
City of Cobalt	113,510	452,110
Drummond		148,000
Foster		238,400
Kerr Lake	101,650	404,320
King Edward		127,240
La Rose	120,000	2,301,652
McKinley		1,373,560
Nipissing		1,746,120
Nova Scotia		227,555
Nancy Helen		140,420
O'Brien	183,840	2,540,970
Right of Way		242,240
Provincial		143,210
Standard		39,730
Silver Leaf		196,620
Silver Cliff		52,000
Silver Queen		634,510
Townsite		85,100
Temiskaming & H. B.		599,000
Temiskaming		325,390
Trethewey		997,456
Watts	65,590	246,020

The total shipments for the week were 866,500 pounds, or 433 tons. The total shipments from Jan. 1 to date are 14,995,748 pounds, or 7497 tons.

The following are the shipments from the various mines in the districts of Southeastern British Columbia and the receipts at smelters for the past week, ending May 23rd and year to date:

Ore Shipments:

Boundary—

Mine.	Week.	Year.
Granby	20,766	522,760
Mother Lode	2,000	2,000
Oro Denoro	480	480
Crescent	30	58
Other mines	434
Total	23,276	425,732

Rossland—

Centre Star	2,647	68,380
Le Roi	1,580	31,538
Le Roi No. 2	316	12,320
Other mines	500

Slocan-Kootenay—

Whitewater (milled)	280	5,740
Poorman (milled)	250	4,380
Queen (milled)	185	3,690
Second Relief (milled)	145	2,100
St. Eugene	81	8,720
Richmond	76	681
Rambler-Cariboo	42	587
Vancouver	20	521
Other mines	15,077
Total	1,079	41,496