

The total shipments for the past week were 31,230 tons and for the year to date 770,219 tons.

Granby Smelter Receipts.

Grand Forks, B.C.		
Granby	19,970	425,036
Other mines		270
Total	19,970	425,306

Consolidated Co.'s Receipts.

Trail, B. C.		
St. Eugene	664	9,351
Snowshoe	3,137	51,664
Le Roi No. 2	525	13,971
Centre Star	3,272	73,059
Blue Bird	10	10
Hot Punch	16	16
Queen	38	253
North Star	30	61
Yankee Girl	23	403
Other mines		7,153
Total	7,715	155,941

The total smelter receipts for the past week were 27,685 tons and for the year to date 733,030.

L. Vogelstein & Co., New York, report the following figures of German consumption of foreign copper during the months January-April, 1909:—

Imports of copper.....	49,323 tons.
Exports of copper.....	2,703 tons.
Consumption of copper.....	46,620 tons.

As compared with consumption during the same period in 1908 of 53,810 tons. Of the above quantity 45,026 tons were imported from the United States.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Metals—June 22—(Quotations from Canada Metal Co., Toronto.—These prices are slightly higher than wholesale prices obtainable on large orders.)

- Spelter, 5½ to 5¾ cents per pound.
- Lead, 3½ cents per lb.
- Antimony, 8½ cents per lb.
- Tin, 31 cents per lb.

Copper—

- Casting, 13¾ cents per lb.
- Electrolytic, 13¾ cents per lb.
- Lake, 14 cents per lb.

Ingot Brass, 10 to 14 cents per lb.

Coal—

- Anthracite, \$5.50 to \$6.75.
- Bituminous, \$3.50 to \$4.50 for 1¼ inch lump.

Fig Iron—June 22—(Quotations from Drummond, McCall & Co.)

- Summerlee, No. 1, \$21.75 (f.o.b. Toronto).
- Summerlee, No. 2, \$21.25 (f.o.b. Toronto).
- Midland, No. 1, \$17.75 to \$18.00 (f.o.b. Midland).

MARKET REPORTS.

Coke.

June 18.—Connellsville Coke, f.o.b. ovens:—

- Furnace coke, prompt, \$1.50 to \$1.60 per ton.
- Foundry coke, prompt, \$1.80 to \$1.90 per ton.

Metals.

June 18.—Tin, straits, 29.50 cents.

- Copper, prime lake, 13.50 cents.
- Electrolytic copper, 13.125 cents.
- Copper wire, 15 cents.
- Lead, 4.35 to 4.40 cents.
- Spelter, 5.45 cents.
- Sheet zinc, 7.50 cents.
- Antimony, Cookson's, 8.25 cents.
- Aluminium, 21 to 24 cents.
- Nickel, 40 to 47 cents.
- Platinum, \$22.50 to \$23.50 per oz.
- Bismuth, \$1.75 per lb.
- Quicksilver, \$44.50 to \$45.00 per 75-lb. flask.

SILVER PRICES.

	New York. Cents.	London. Pence.
June 5.....	53¼	24½
“ 7.....	53	24¾
“ 8.....	52¾	24¼
“ 9.....	52⅞	24 5-16
“ 10.....	52⅞	24 3-16
“ 11.....	52⅞	24¾
“ 13.....	52⅞	24 3-16
“ 14.....	52⅞	24 1-16
“ 15.....	52¼	24
“ 16.....	52⅞	24½
“ 17.....	52⅞	24½
“ 18.....	52¼	24

MARKET NOTES.

Silver.—During the first week of June, India was a buyer of cash silver, but a seller of forward. Business was large. The Punjab crop forecasts are distinctly favorable. Wheat will, it is estimated, exceed the average output by 22 1-2 per cent. Other crops show up even better. Thus prospects are good for a strong silver market throughout the year.

The Commission appointed by Governor Hughes to investigate the methods of various exchanges, reported thus upon the Metal Exchange:—“Similar, but equally deceptive, is the method of making quotations on the Metal Exchange. In spite of the apparent activity of dealings in this organization in published market reports, there are no actual sales on the floor of the Metal Exchange, and we are assured that there have been none for several years. Prices are, however, manipulated up and down by a quotation committee of three, chosen annually, who represent the great metal selling agencies as their interest may appear, affording facilities for fixing prices on large contracts, mainly for the profit of a small clique, embracing, however, some of the largest interests in the metal trade.

“These practises result in deceiving buyers and sellers. The making and publishing of quotations for commodities or securities by groups of men calling themselves an exchange, or by any other similar title, whether incorporated or not, should be prohibited by law, where such quotations do not fairly and truthfully represent any bona fide transactions on such exchanges. Under present con-