

point there is no reason why it should not play a vital role in the development of our water resources, much depends on whether the federal politicians will, in light of present political considerations, make use of the power.

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APPENDIX †
STATUTES CONTAINING AN EXERCISE OF THE FEDERAL
DECLARATORY POWER UNDER SECTION 92(10)(c)
OF THE BRITISH NORTH AMERICA ACT

1856 - 1966

* Indicates declaration in language similar to Section 92(10)(c) of the B.N.A. Act.

**Indicates that an "undertaking" is included in declaration.

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YEAR	STATUTE	DECLARATION	SUBJECT MATTER
1867-8	St. Lawrence & Ottawa Ry., c. 20, s. 1.	°	Railway
1869	None		
1870	Works on the Ottawa River, c. 24, s. 1	... shall be held to be works for the general advantage of Canada ...	Canals, dams, etc.
	Montreal and Champlain Junction Ry. Co., c. 55, s. 1	°	Railway
1871	Ontario & Quebec Ry. Co., c. 48, preamble	... the construction ... is a work for the general advantage of Canada.	Railway
	Sault Ste. Marie Ry. and Bridge Co., c. 50, preamble	... the construction ... would be a work for the general advantage of Canada ...	Railway and railway bridge
	Fredericton & St. Mary's Bridge Co., c. 51, preamble	°	Bridge
1872	Great Western Ry. Co., c. 65, s. 5	°	Railway
	Manitoba Junction Ry. Co., c. 75, s. 1	°	Railway
	Central Ry. Co. of Manitoba, c. 77, s. 1	°	Railway
	North-Western Ry. Co. of Manitoba, c. 78, s. 1	°	Railway
	Thunder Bay Silver Mines Ry. Co., c. 80, s. 1	°	Railway
	Quebec Frontier Ry. Co., c. 81, s. 1	°	Railway

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YEAR	STATUTE	DECLARATION	SUBJECT MATTER
	Coteau & Province Line Ry. & Bridge Co., c. 83, s. 1	°	Railway
	River St. Clair Ry. Bridge & Tunnel Co., c. 87, s. 1	°	Railway bridge or tunnel
	Canada and New York Bridge & Tunnel Co., c. 88, s. 1	°	Bridge and tunnel
	St. Lawrence International Bridge Co., c. 90, s. 1	°	Bridge
	Detroit River Ry. Bridge Co., c. 91, s. 1	°	Railway bridge
1873	Montreal, Chambly & Sor-el Ry. Co., c. 87, s. 1	°	Railway
	Canada & Detroit River Bridge Co., c. 90, s. 4	°	Railway bridge
	Lachine Hydraulic Works Co., c. 115, preamble	. . . the construction of the works would be for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Canal, dam, ec.
1874	Great Western Ry. Co., c. 66, s. 1	°	Railway
	Canada Southern Ry. Co., c. 68, s. 1	°	Railway
	Ontario & Pacific Junction Ry. Co., of Canada, c. 74, s. 1	°	Railway
	The Neutral Link Ry. Co., c. 76, preamble	Whereas . . . having by their petition set forth that it will be to the general advantage of Canada that a railway shall be built . . . and it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said petition: Therefore Her Majesty . . . enacts as follows:	Railway
	Niagara Grand Island Bridge Co., c. 77, s. 1	°	Railway bridge
	Lochiel, Hawkesbury and L'Original Junction Ry. Co., c. 78, s. 1	°	Railway
	Huron Trent Valley Canal Co., c. 80, s. 57	°	Canals and other works
1875	None		
1876	None		
1877	Montreal, Portland & Boston Ry. Co., c. 58, s. 1	°	Railway
	St. Lawrence & Pacific Ry. Ferry Co., c. 62, s. 1	°	Railway viaduct, turnpike and ferry
1878	Brockville & Ottawa Ry. Co., and Canada Central Ry. Co., c. 36, s. 1	°	Railway
1879	None		
1880	The Souris & Rocky Mountain Ry. Co., c. 58, preamble	Whereas the construction of a railway . . . would be for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway

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	Nelson Valley Ry. and Transportation Co., c. 57, preamble	Whereas the opening of a route . . . would be for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway, telegraph, and public road
	The Winnipeg & Hudson's Bay Ry. & Steamship Co., c. 59, preamble	Whereas the construction and operation of a railway . . . would be for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway and steamships
1881	New Brunswick Ry. Co., c. 42, s. 1	°	Railway, docks, elevators, steam and other vessels
	Ontario & Quebec Ry. Co., c. 44, s. 1	°	Railway
	The Bay of Quinté Ry. & Navigation Co., c. 46, s. 1	°	Railway, telegraph, steam and other vessels, wharfs, docks, etc.
	The Napierville Junction Ry. & Quarry Co., c. 48, s. 1	°	Railway
1882	The Great Eastern Ry. Co., c. 71, s. 1	°	Railway
	Ottawa & Arnprior Junction Ry. Co., c. 74, preamble	Whereas, the construction of a railway . . . would be . . . of general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway
	Chignecto Marine Transport Ry. Co., Ltd., c. 76, s. 16	It is hereby declared that the construction of the said railway is of general importance and a work for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway
	Ontario Pacific Ry. Co., c. 78, s. 1	°	Railway and railway bridge
	Portage, Westbourne and North-Western Ry. Co., c. 80, s. 1	°	Railway
	Lake Athabaska & Hudson Bay Ry. Co., c. 83, preamble	Whereas, the construction and operation of a railway . . . would be for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway, steam and other vessels
	Lake Superior & James Bay Ry. Co., c. 84, preamble	Whereas, the construction of a railway would be for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway, telephone and telegraph
	Rapid City Central Ry. Co., c. 85, preamble	°	Railway
	Niagara Peninsula Bridge Co., c. 88, s. 1	°	Bridge for railway and other purposes
	Richelieu Bridge Co., c. 91, s. 18	°	Toll-bridge
	The Bell Telephone Co. of Canada, c. 95, s. 4	°	Telephone and telegraph

YEAR	STATUTE	DECLARATION	SUBJECT MATTER
	The Edison Electric Light Co. of Canada, c. 96, preamble	Whereas, the persons . . . have, by their petition, prayed . . . and whereas it is expedient for the general advantage of Canada to grant the prayer of the said petition . . . therefore Her Majesty . . . enacts as follows:	Electricity
	The Thomson & Houston Electric Light Co. of Canada, c. 97, preamble	ditto	Electricity
1883	The Consolidated Railway Act, 1879, c. 24, s. 6	•	Railway
	Saskatchewan & North-Western Ry. Co., c. 71, preamble	Whereas the construction of a railway . . . would be for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway
	Qu'Appelle, Long Lake & Saskatchewan R. R. and Steamboat Co., c. 72, preamble	Whereas the construction and operation of a railway . . . would be for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway
	Cumberland Coal & Ry. Co., c. 77, s. 1	•	Mining and railway
1884	Central Ontario Ry., c. 60, s. 1	•	Railway
	Hamilton & North-Western Ry. Co., c. 63, s. 11	•	Railway
	Toronto, Grey & Bruce Ry. Co., c. 66, s. 20	•	Railway
	Erie & Huron Ry., c. 68, s. 1	•	Railway
	North-Western Coal and Navigation Co. (Ltd.), c. 74, preamble	the construction of a railway . . . would be for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway, telephone or telegraph
	New Brunswick Ry. Co., c. 75, s. 2	•	Railway
	Lake Nipissing & James' Bay Ry. Co., c. 80, preamble	Whereas the construction and operation of a railway . . . would be for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway, telephone and telegraph
	Niagara Frontier Bridge Co., c. 81, s. 1	•	Bridge (railway and other purposes)
	Saskatoon & Northern Ry. Co., c. 85, preamble	Whereas the construction and operation of a railway . . . would be of general advantage to the Dominion of Canada . . .	Railway
	Alberta Ry. & Coal Co., c. 86, preamble	Whereas the construction of a railway . . . would be for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway, telephone or telegraph

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1885	Lake Erie, Essex & Detroit River Ry. Co., c. 21, s. 1	°	Railway
	Hamilton, Guelph & Buffalo Ry Co., c. 22, preamble	Whereas the construction of a railway . . . would be for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway
	Fredericton & St. Mary's Ry. Bridge Co., c. 26, preamble	°	Bridge
	West Ontario Pacific Ry. Co., c. 87, s. 1	°	Railway
1886	Carleton, City of St. John, Branch R.R., c. 16, s. 1	°	Railroad
	St. Lawrence and Atlantic Junction Ry. Co., c. 78, s. 1	°	Railway
	Maskinongé and Nipissing Ry. Co., c. 79, preamble	Whereas the construction of a railway . . . would be for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway, telephone or telegraph
	Victoria & Sault Ste. Marie Junction Ry. Co., c. 80, preamble	. . . and whereas the construction of such railway would be for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway
	Lake Superior Mineral Ry. Co., c. 81, preamble	Whereas the construction of a railway . . . would be for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway
	Shuswap & Okanagan Ry. Co., c. 82, preamble	Whereas the construction of a railway would be for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway
	Kootenay & Athabasca Ry. Co., c. 83, preamble	Whereas the construction of a railway . . . would be for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway
	St. Gabriel Levee & Ry. Co., c. 85, preamble	. . . whereas the construction of the said levee or dyke would be for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Levee, dyke and railway
	Medicine Hat Ry. & Coal Co., c. 86, preamble	Whereas the construction and operation of a railway . . . would be for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway
	Bow River Coal Mine Ry. & Transp. Co., c. 87, s. 1	°	Mining and railway
1887	Western Counties Ry. Co., c. 25, s. 1	°	Railway
	St. Catherines & Niagara Central Ry. Co., c. 60, s. 1	°	Railway
	Ontario Sault Ste. Marie Ry. Co., c. 61, s. 2	°	Railway
	Ottawa & Gatineau Valley Ry. Co., c. 74, s. 1	°	Railway

	Western Counties Ry. Co. c. 77, s. 1	°	Railway
	Prescott County Ry. Co., c. 82, s. 1	°	Railway
	Kincardine & Teeswater Ry. Co., c. 83, preamble c. 84, s. 1	Whereas such railway would be for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway
	(Act amending above Act), (c. 83), c. 84, s. 1	°	Railway
	South Ontario Pacific Ry. Co., c. 85, s. 1	°	Railway and bridge or ferry
	Kingston, Smith's Falls & Ottawa Ry. Co., c. 88, s. 1	°	Railway
	Berlin & Canadian Pacific Junction Ry. Co., c. 89, s. 1	°	Railway
	Teeswater & Inverhuron Ry. Co., c. 90, s. 1	°°	Railway, wharves, etc., telephone and telegraph
	Goderich & Canadian Pa- cific Junction Ry. Co., c. 91, preamble	°	Railway
	Hereford Branch Ry. Co., c. 93, s. 1	°	Railway
	Massawippi Junction Ry. Co., c. 94, s. 1	°	Railway
	Niagara Falls Bridge Co., c. 96, s. 1	°	Railway bridge
	Quebec Bridge Co., c. 98, preamble	Whereas the construction of a bridge . . . would be of general benefit to the Dominion . . .	Bridge and railway
	Dominion Oil Pipe Line & Manufacturing Co., c. 122, preamble	°	Pipeline
1888	The Railway Act, c. 29, s. 306	°	Railways
	South-Western Ry Co., c. 52, preamble	Whereas the construction and operation of a rail- way . . . would be for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway
	Stanstead, Shefford & Chambly Ry. Co., c. 54, s. 13	°	Railway
	Montreal Island Ry. Co., c. 63, preamble	°	Railway
	St. Lawrence & Adiron- dack Ry. Co., c. 64, s. 1	°	Railway
	Ottawa & Perry Sound Ry. Co., c. 65, s. 1	°	Railway
	Pontiac & Renfrew Ry. Co. c. 66, s. 1	°	Railway
	Belleville & Lake Nipissing Ry. Co., c. 68, s. 1	°	Railway

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	Western Ontario Ry. Co., c. 69, preamble	Whereas the construction and operation of a railway . . . would be for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway
	Tobique Gypsum & Colonization Ry. Co., c. 71, s. 1	°	Railway
	Chatham Ry. Co., c. 72, s. 1	°	Railway
	Annapolis Atlantic Ry. Co., c. 73, s. 1	°	Railway
	Thousand Islands Ry. Co., c. 75, s. 1	°	Railway
	Mortgage Central Ry. Co. to Central Trust Co. of N.Y., c. 83, s. 1	°	Railway
	Port Arthur, Duluth & Western Ry. Co., c. 84, s. 1	°	Railway
1889	Alberta Ry. & Coal Co., c. 50, s. 3	°	Railway and other purposes
	Lac Seul Ry. Co., c. 55, s. 2	°	Railway
	Northern Pacific & Manitoba Ry. Co., c. 58, s. 1	°	Railway
	Union Ry. Co., c. 63, s. 3	°	Railway and railway bridge
1890	Lindsay, Bobcaygen & Pontypool Ry. Co., c. 55, s. 3	°°	Railway
	Tilsonburg, Lake Erie & Pacific Ry Co., c. 56, s. 3	°°	Railway
	Erie & Huron Ry. Co., c. 59, s. 7	°	Railway
	Mount Forest, Markdale & Meaford Ry. Co., c. 60, s. 3	°°	Railway
	Owen Sound & Lake Huron Ry. Co., c. 61, s. 7	°°	Railway
	Sault Ste. Marie & Hudson's Bay Ry. Co., c. 64, s. 3	°°	Railway
	Northern & Western Ry. Co. of New Brunswick to "The Canada Eastern Ry. Co.," c. 74, s. 1	°°	Railway
	Manitoba & South Eastern Ry. Co., c. 77, s. 3	°	Railway
	Columbia & Kootenay Ry. Navigation Co., c. 87, s. 2	°	Railway, steamers and other vessels
1891	Burrard Inlet & Westminster Valley Ry. Co., c. 57, s. 3	°	Railway
	Montreal & Atlantic Ry. Co., c. 68, s. 3	°	Railway

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	Ontario and Rainy River Ry. Co., c. 82, s. 1	°	Railway
	Toronto, Hamilton & Buffalo Ry. Co., c. 86, s. 1	°°	Railway
	Ottawa & Parry Sound Ry. Co. and Ottawa, Arnprior & Renfrew Ry. Co., under name of The Ottawa Arnprior & Parry Sound Ry. Co., c. 93, s. 3	°	Railway, steam and other vessels, wharves, docks, etc.
	Baie des Chaleurs Ry. Co., c. 97, s. 1	°	Railway
	Salisbury & Harvey Ry. Co., c. 100, s. 6	°	Railway
1892	Buckingham & Lièvre River Ry. Co., c. 32, s. 3	°°	Railway
	Great Northern Ry. Co., c. 40, s. 1	°	Railway, railway and toll bridge
	Lake Manitoba Ry. and Canal Co., c. 41, s. 3	°	Railway, canals, steam and other vessels, piers, docks, etc.
	London & Port Stanley Ry. Co., c. 43, s. 1	°	Railway
	Montreal & Lake Maskinongé Ry. Co., c. 48, s. 2	°	Railway, telephone telegraph, etc.
	Nicola Valley Railway Co., c. 50, s. 1	°	Railway
	Ottawa City Passenger Ry. Co., c. 53, s. 6	°°	Railway
	Ottawa Valley Ry. Co., c. 54, s. 3	°°	Railway and ferry
	Tobique Valley Ry. Co. & Canadian Pacific Ry. Co., c. 60, s. 1	°	Railway
	Certain Railway Works in City of Toronto, c. 61, s. 1	°	Railway
1893	Chilliwack Ry. Co., c. 43, s. 2	°	Railway
	Columbia & Kootney Ry. & Navigation Co., c. 45, s. 1	°	Railway, telegraph, telephone, docks, etc.
	Drummond County Ry. Co., c. 46, s. 2	°	Railway
	Nakusp & Slocan Ry. Co., c. 56, s. 3	°°	Railway, steam and other vessels
	Grand Trunk Ry. Co. of Canada, Canadian Pacific Ry. Co., and Corporation of the City of Toronto, c. 48, s. 1	°	Railway
	Lake Erie & Detroit River Ry. Co., c. 50, s. 3	°	Railway
	Nelson & Fort Sheppard Ry. Co., c. 57, s. 1	°	Railway, steam and other vessels, warehouses, elevators, docks, wharfs, etc.

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	North American Canal Co., c. 66, s. 2	°	Canals, locks, dams, etc., harbours, wharfs, etc., steamers, tugs and other vessels
	British Columbia Dock Co., c. 68, s. 3	°°	Dry dock or floating dock and ship-building and repairing yards
1894	Yarmouth & Annapolis Ry. and Windsor & Annapolis Ry. Co. Ltd. to Dominion Atlantic Ry. Co., c. 69, s. 2	°	Railway
	Duluth, Nipigon & James' Bay Ry. Co., c. 70, s. 17	°°	Railway, steamers, etc., wharfs, docks, etc., telegraph and telephone
	Elgin & Havelock Ry. Co., c. 72, s. 2	°	Railway
	Metis, Matane & Gaspé Ry. Co., c. 81, s. 3	°°	Railway
	Ottawa City Passenger Ry. Co., Ottawa Electric Street Ry. Co., (City of Ottawa) merge to The Ottawa Electric Ry. Co., c. 86, s. 7	°	Street railway
	Ottawa & Gatineau Valley Ry. Co. to Ottawa & Gatineau Ry. Co., c. 87, s. 1	°°	Railway, telephone and telegraph, steam and other vessels, wharfs, elevators, etc.
	Welland Power & Supply Canal Co., Ltd., c. 102, s. 15	°	Canal and hydraulic raceway, dams, docks, etc.
	Montreal, Ottawa and Georgian Bay Canal Co., c. 103, s. 2	°	Canals, locks, dams, etc., terminals, docks, etc., steamers, tugs, etc.
	St. Clair & Erie Ship Canal Co., c. 104, s. 2	°	Canal, locks, dams, etc., railway, harbours, wharfs, etc., vessels
1895	International Radial Ry. Co., c. 49, s. 4	°°	Railway, docks, elevators, steam and other vessels
	Ottawa & Aylmer Ry. & Bridge Co., c. 58, s. 2	°	Railway and bridge
	Quebec, Montmorency & Charlevoix Ry. Co., c. 59, s. 1	°°	Railway, wharfs, etc., steam and other vessels, hotels
	Red Mountain Ry. Co., c. 60, s. 1	°°	Railway, vessels, telephone and telegraph
	Shore Line Ry. Co., c. 63, s. 2	°°	Railway
	South Shore Ry. Co., Ltd., c. 64, s. 1	°°	Railway, ships, etc., wharfs, etc., hotels
	Trail Creek & Columbia Ry. Co., c. 67, s. 2	°	Railway, steamboats, docks, etc.
	Deschênes Bridge Co., c. 73, s. 2	°°	Bridge

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1896	Huron & Ontario Ry. Co., c. 20, s. 4	°°	Railway, docks, etc., steam and other ves- sels, telephone and telegraph
	Montreal & Province Line Ry. Co., c. 26, s. 3	°°	Railway
	Nipissing & James' Bay Ry. Co., c. 30, s. 16	°° °	Railway, telephone and telegraph, steam and other vessels, docks, etc.
	St. Lawrence & Adiron- dack Ry. Co., c. 32, s. 4	°	Railway
	Schomberg & Aurora Ry. Co., c. 34, s. 4	°°	Railway
	South Shore Suburban Ry. Co., c. 36, s. 2	°°	Railway, bridge
	South-Western Ry. Co. & St. Lawrence & Adiron- dack Ry. Co., c. 37, s. 5	°	Railway
	Hudson's Bay & Pacific Ry. Co., 60 Vic., c. 7, s. 2	°°	Railway, steamers and other vessels, eleva- tors, docks, etc., tele- phone and telegraph
	Ottawa, Arnprior & Parry Sound Ry. Co. and Parry Sound Colonization Ry. Co. to Ottawa, Arnprior & Parry Sound Ry. Co., 60 Vic. 8, c. 8, s. 3	°	Railway
	South Shore Ry. Co., 60 Vic., c. 10, s. 1	°°	Railway, bridge, ele- vators, etc.
1897	British Columbia Southern Ry. Co., c. 36, s. 1	°°	Railway
	Kaslo & Lardo-Duncan Ry. Co., c. 48, s. 2	°°	Railway, docks, elevators, etc.
	Montreal & Southern Counties Ry. Co., c. 56, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Richelieu & Lake Mem- phremagog Ry. Co., c. 61, s. 1	°°	Railway, vessels, warehouses, docks
	Yukon Mining & Transpor- tation Co. (Foreign), c. 91, s. 1	°	Railway, telephone and telegraph, vessels, docks, etc.
1898	Columbia & Western Ry. Co., c. 61, s. 1	°	Railway
	Cowichan Valley Ry. Co., c. 62, s. 2	°°	Railway, dams for generating electricity to build railway
	Lake Bennett & Klondike Ry. & Tramway Co., c. 68, s. 2	°°	Railway, vessels, docks, power houses
	The London & Lake Hu- ron Ry. Co., c. 71, s. 2	°°	Railway, vessels, docks
	Montfort Colonization Ry., change its name to Mont- fort & Gatineau Coloniza- tion Ry. Co., c. 75, s. 2	°°	Railway, steam and other vessels

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	Montreal & James Bay Ry. Co., c. 76, s. 2	°°	Railway, vessels, docks
	Three Rivers & North Shore Electric Ry. Co., c. 86, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Timagami Ry. Co., c. 87, s. 2	°°	Railway, steam boats, barges and other vessels
	Toronto & Hudson Bay Ry. Co., c. 88, s. 2	°°	Railway, steam and other vessels, water and steam power
	Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Ry. & Navigation Co., c. 89, s. 1	°	Railway
	Western Alberta Railway Co., c. 90, s. 2	°	Railway, steam and other vessels, water and steam power
1899	An Act respecting the City of Ottawa, c. 10, s. 8	° °°	Public works, improvement, purchase of property
	Algoma Central Ry. Co., c. 50, s. 2	°°	Railway, docks, elevators, vessels
	Athabaska Ry. Co., c. 51, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Bedlington & Nelson Ry. Co., c. 53, s. 1	°	Railway
	Edmonton & Slave Lake Ry. Co., c. 66, s. 2	°°	Railway, navigation, vessels, use of water power
	Niagara, St. Catharines & Toronto Ry. Co., c. 77, s. 2	°°	Railway, acquire water power
	Russell, Dundas & Grenville Counties Ry. Co., c. 87, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Rutland & Noyan Ry. Co., c. 88, s. 2	°	Railway
	Sudbury & Wahnapiatae Ry. Co., c. 90, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Zenith Mining & Ry. Co., c. 92, s. 2	°°	Railway, vessels, steam, docks, etc.
	St. Clair & Erie Ship Canal Co., c. 128, s. 3	°°	Railway, canal, locks, harbours, water and steam power, vessels, basins, dry docks
	Yale - Kootenay Telegraph Co., c. 131, s. 2	°°	Telegraph
1900	Comox & Cape Scott Ry. Co., c. 57, s. 2	°°	Railway, vessels, docks, warehouses, etc.
	Lake Superior & Hudson's Bay Ry. Co., c. 63, s. 2	°°	Railway, vessels, telephone and telegraph
	Morris & Portage Ry. Co., c. 67, s. 2	°°	Railway, telephone and telegraph
	Ottawa, Brockville & St. Lawrence Ry. Co., c. 71, s. 2	°°	Railway, ferry, wharfs, docks, etc.

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	Port Dover, Grantford, Berlin & Goderich Ry. Co., c. 73, s. 2	°°	Railway, vessels, telephone and telegraph, wharfs, docks, etc.
	Quebec Southern Ry. Co., c. 76, s. 2	°°	Railway, warehouses, elevators, etc.
	Retigouche & Western Ry. Co., c. 78, s. 4	°	Railway bridge
1901	Alberta Central Ry. Co., c. 44, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Canada National Ry. & Transport Co., c. 51, s. 2	°	Railway, vessels, docks
	Fort Qu'Appelle Ry. Co., c. 8, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Interprovincial & James Bay Ry. Co., c. 66, s. 2	°°	Railway, navigation, docks
	Kamloops & Atlin Ry. Co., c. 67, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Kettle River Valley Ry. Co., c. 68, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Kootenay & Arrowhead Ry. Co., c. 70, s. 1	°	Railway, vessels, dams
	Northern Pacific & Manitoba Ry. Co., c. 73, s. 1	°	Railway, amalgamation, vessels
	Nova Scotia Eastern Ry. Co., c. 77, s. 1	°	Railway
	Ontario Hudson's Bay Western Ry. Co., c. 78, s. 1	°	Railway
	Orford Mountain Ry. Co., c. 79, s. 1	°	Railway
	Quebec Terminal & Ry. Co., c. 81, s. 2	°°	Railway, docks, vessels
	Saskatchewan & Western Ry. Co., c. 83, s. 1	°	Railway
	Similkameen & Keremeos Ry. Co., c. 84, s. 2	°°	Railway - amalgamation
	Vancouver & Lulu Island Ry. Co., c. 86, s. 1	°	Railway - amalgamation
1902	Battleford & Lake Lenore Ry. Co., c. 39, s. 2	°°	Railway, telephone and telegraph
	Canada Eastern Ry. Co., c. 46, s. 2	°°	Railway, piers, wharfs, docks, etc.
	Canadian Northern Telegraph Co., c. 51, s. 2	°	Telegraph
	Essex Terminal Ry. Co., c. 62, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Indian River Ry. Co., c. 64, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Montreal Subway Co., c. 80, s. 2	°°	Subway, telephone and telegraph
	Nipissing & Ottawa Ry. Co., c. 84, s. 2	°°	Railway, elevators, docks, wharfs, etc.
	North Shore Power, Railway & Navigation Co., c. 85, s. 18	°	Lumber, pulp, paper, bricks, etc., steam and other vessels, gas and electricity, water pow-

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			ers, hydraulic properties, docks, wharves, etc., fishing rights, slides and dams, saw mills, flour mills, etc., mining, canals, watercourses, raceways
	St. Lawrence & Northern Ry. Co., c. 99, s. 2	°°	Railway, vessels, telephone and telegraph
	Strait of Canso Bridge Co., c. 104, s. 2	°	Bridge, railway
	Toronto & Niagra Power Co., c. 107, s. 2	°	Electricity and water power
	Velvet (Rossland) Mine Ry. Co., c. 112, s. 2	°°	Railway, electricity, telephone and telegraph
1903	Atlantic, Quebec & Western Ry. Co., c. 81, s. 1	°	Railway
	Berlin, Waterloo, Wellesley & Lake Huron Ry. Co., c. 84, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Chatham, Wallaceburg Lake Erie Ry. Co., c. 105, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Erie Ontario Power Co., c. 119, s. 2	°	Electric power, watercourses, dams, aqueduct
	Guelph & Georgian Bay Ry. Co., c. 125, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Hamilton, Galt & Berlin Ry. Co., c. 126, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Huron, Erie & Buffalo Ry. Co., c. 131, s. 2	°	Railway, wharves, ferries, bridge
	Joliette & Lake Manuan Colonization Ry. Co., c. 135, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Midway & Verson Ry. Co., c. 154, s. 2	°	Railway
	Niagara, Queenston & St. Catharines Ry. Co., c. 162, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Nicola, Kamloops & Similkameen Coal & Ry. Co., c. 164, s. 1	°	Railway
	Quebec, Saguenay & Gulf of St. Lawrence Ry. Co., c. 179, s. 2	°°	Railway
	St. Chrysostome Ry. Co., c. 186, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Vancouver & Coast-Kootenay Ry. Co., c. 199, s. 1	°	Railway
	Nicola, Kamloops & Similkameen Coal & Ry. Co., c. 164, s. 1	°	Railway
	Quebec, Saguenay & Gulf of St. Lawrence Ry. Co., c. 179, s. 2	°°	Railway, wharves, elevators, telephone and telegraph, steamships, and other vessels
	St. Chrysostôme Ry. Co., c. 186, s. 2	°°	Railway

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	Vancouver & Coast-Kootenay Ry. Co., c. 199, s. 1	°	Railway, telephone and telegraph
1904	Bessemer & Barry's Bay Ry. Co., c. 48, s. 2	°°	Railway, electricity, steam and other vessels
	Brantford & Hamilton Electric Ry. Co., c. 50, s. 7(3)	°	Railway, steam and other vessels, telephone and telegraph
	Campbellford, Lake Ontario & Western Ry. Co., c. 54, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Canada Southern Ry. Co., c. 55, s. 4 and s. 6	°°	Railway
	Crawford Bay & St. Mary's Ry. Co., c. 70, s. 2	°°	Railway, vessels, boats and ferries, telephone and telegraph
	Guelph & Goderich Ry. Co., c. 81, s. 11	°°	Railway
	Guelph Junction Ry. Co., c. 82, s. 4	°	Railway
	Kingston & Dominion Central Ry. Co., c. 90, s. 10	°	Railway
	St. Maurice Valley Ry. Co., c. 123, s. 2	°°	Railway, telephone and telegraph
	Thorold & Lake Erie Ry. Co., c. 131, s. 2	°°	Railway, vessels, telephone and telegraph
	Walkerton & Lucknow Ry. Co., c. 138, s. 2	°°	Railway
1905	Athabaska Northern Ry. Co., c. 57, s. 2	°°	Railway, vessels, warehouses, hotels, power houses, telephone and telegraph
	Athabaska Ry. Co., c. 58, s. 2	°°	Railway, telephone and telegraph
	Brantford & Woodstock Ry. Co., c. 63, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Dominion Atlantic Ry. Co., c. 85, s. 2	The said Midland Division is hereby declared to be a work for the general advantage of Canada . . .	Railway
	Esquimalt & Nanaimo Ry. Co., c. 90, s. 1	°	Railway
	Georgian Bay & Seaboard Ry. Co., c. 95, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Lebonk & Thunder Bay Ry. Co., c. 117, s. 2	°°	Railway
	London & Saint Clair Ry. Co., c. 118, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Montreal, Quebec and Southern Ry. Co., c. 128, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Nicola, Kamloops & Similkameen Coal & Ry. Co., c. 134, s. 3	The Company, as now organized, is hereby declared to be, and to have been since the passing of ch. 164 of the statutes of 1903, a body corporate and politic within the legislative authority of the Parliament of Canada, with power to lay out, construct and operate the railway works de-	Railway

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		scribed in the Acts of the Province of British Columbia mentioned in the preamble, and with all the other powers in the said provincial Acts set forth, so far as the legislative powers of the Parliament of Canada extend, save and except only such provisions of the said provincial Acts, if any, as have been varied by ch. 164 of the Stats. of 1903, or ch. 103 of the Stats. of 1904, or are inconsistent with The Railway Act, 1903; but nothing herein contained shall affect or invalidate any action heretofore taken by or against the Company pursuant to the provisions in the said provincial Acts contained.	
	Owen Sound & Meaford Ry. Co., c. 144, s. 3	°°	Railway, vessels, electricity, telephone and telegraph
	St. Mary's & Western Ontario Ry. Co., c. 155, s. 2	°°	Railway, steam and other vessels, water powers for electricity, docks, warehouses, hotels
	Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Ry. & Navigation Co., c. 172, c. 1, s. 2	(The s. 1 "Declaratory" provision is similar to that of Nicola, Kamloops and Similkameen Coal & Ry. Co., c. 134 above.) s. 2: Upon any agreement for purchase being entered into the railway or portion thereof to which such agreement applies shall after purchase thereupon become, and is hereby declared to be, work for the general advantage of Canada, and may be operated as a portion of the railway of the Company.	Railway
1906	Ashcroft, Barkerville and Fort George Ry. Co., c. 58, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Brandon Transfer Ry. Co., c. 63, s. 2	°	Railway, elevators, warehouses
	Buffalo, Niagara & Toronto Ry. Co., c. 67, s. 2	°°	Railway, telephone and telegraph
	Burk's Falls & French River Ry. Co., c. 69, s. 15	°°	Railway, vessels, dams, reservoirs, telephone and telegraph
	Erie, London & Tillsonburg Ry. Co., c. 90, s. 2	°°	Railway, steam and other vessels, docks, warehouses, telephone and telegraph
	Fort William Terminal Ry. & Bridge Co., c. 97, s. 2	°°	Railway, bridge, vessels, docks, warehouses
	Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Co., c. 99, s. 36	°°	Railway, steam and other vessels, docks, wharves, warehouses, hotels and restaurants, telephone and telegraph, mining
	Grand Trunk Pacific Telegraph Co., c. 101, s. 25	°	Telephone and telegraph
	Hamilton, Waterloo & Guelph Ry. Co., c. 106, s. 2	°°	Railway, electricity, telephone and telegraph

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	Kamloops & Yellow Head Pass Ry. Co., c. 115, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Pacific & Atlantic Ry. Co., c. 138, s. 1	°	Railway
	Quebec Midland Ry. Co., c. 149, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Quebec, Montreal & Southern Ry. Co., c. 150, s. 13	°°	Railway, steam and other vessels
	Toronto Terminals Ry. Co. Co., c. 170, s. 2	°°	Railway, hotels, shops, telephone and telegraph
	Trans-Niagara Bridge Co., c. 171, s. 2	°°	Railway and general traffic bridge
	Twelve Mile Power Co., Ltd., c. 172, s. 2	°	Water, steam, electric power, dams
	Vancouver, Fraser Valley & Southern Ry. Co., c. 175, s. 2	°°	Railway, water, steam, telephone and telegraph
	Windsor, Chatham & London Ry. Co., c. 183, s. 2	°°	Railway, steam, electric power, telephone and telegraph
	Windsor, Essex & Lake Shore Rapid Ry. Co., c. 184, s. 1	°	Railway, steam and other vessels
1907	Alese & Yukon Ry. Co., c. 58, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Burrard, Westminster Boundary Ry. & Navigation Co., c. 68, s. 2	°°	Railway, steam and other vessels, hotels, restaurants, electricity, telephone and telegraph
	Collingwood Southern Ry. Co., c. 77, s. 2	°°	Railway, steam and other vessels, water and steam power for electricity, telephone and telegraph
	Joliette & Brandon Ry. Co., c. 97, s. 1	°°	Railway
	Manitoba Radial Ry. Co., c. 105, s. 2	°	Railway, steam and other vessels, telephone and telegraph, electric and other power
	Ottawa Terminals Ry. Co., c. 117, s. 2	°°	Railway, hotels, restaurants, offices, telephone and telegraph
	Quebec Oriental Ry. Co., c. 122, s. 1	°	Railway
	Quinze & Blanche River Ry. Co., c. 123, s. 2	°°	Railway, steam and other vessels, dams, reservoirs, buildings, electricity, telephone and telegraph
	St. Lawrence Ry. Ferry Co., c. 127, s. 2	°°	Ferry, steamboats, ships, locomotives

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	St. Leon Ry. Co., c. 128, s. 2	°	Railway, water power for electricity, steam and other vessels, ferries, telephone and telegraph, hotels, theatres, athletic grounds
1908	Alberta & Brazeu River Ry. Co., c. 79, s. 2	°°	Railway, steam and other vessels, hotels, restaurants, warehouses, telephone and telegraph
	Hamilton Radial Electric Ry. Co., c. 117, s. 1	°	Electric railway
	New Brunswick Southern Ry. Co., c. 132, s. 2	°	Railway, bridge
	Pontiac Central Ry. Co., c. 146, s. 1	°	Railway
	Shuswap & Thompson Rivers Boom Co., c. 155, s. 2	°°	Rafting, driving, booming, etc., saw-logs, poles, timber, etc., booms, chutes, weirs, pilings, dams, slides, piers, cribs, wharves, aprons, canals, flumes, boats, tugs, water crafts
	Vancouver Island & Eastern Rly. Co., c. 167, s. 2	°°	Railway, steam and other vessels, docks, elevators, warehouses, wharves, telephone and telegraph
1909	Cabano Ry. Co., c. 57, s. 2	°°	Railway
	Canadian, Liverpool & Western Ry. Co., c. 61, s. 2	°	Railway, steam and other vessels, docks, wharves, telephone and telegraph
	London & North Western Ry. Co., c. 100, s. 2	°°	Railway, vessels, wharves, docks, elevators, warehouses, telephone and telegraph
	Salisbury & Albert Ry. Co., c. 131, s. 2	°°	Railway, steam and other vessels, docks, wharves, etc.
	St. Maurice & Eastern Ry. Co., c. 137, s. 2	°°	Railway, telephone and telegraph
	Superior & Western Ontario Ry. Co., c. 139, s. 2	°°	Railway, electric power telephone and telegraph
	Thessalon & Northern Ry. Co., c. 140, s. 1	°	Railway
	Victoria & Barkley Sound Ry. Co., c. 147, s. 2		Railway, steam ferry, steam and other vessels, wharves, docks, elevators, warehouses, offices, telephone and telegraph

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1910	Burrard Inlet Tunnel & Bridge Co., c. 74, s. 2	••	Tunnel under Inlet, bridge, railway
	London & Lake Erie Ry. & Transportation Co., c. 120, s. 2	••	Railway, steam and other vessels, wharves, docks, elevators, warehouses, etc.
	Manitoulin & North Shore Ry. Co., c. 122, s. 5	•	Railway
	Rainy River Radial Ry. Co., c. 152, s. 2	••	Railway, telephone and telegraph, steam and other vessels, ferries, docks, wharves, warehouses, etc.
	Toronto Eastern Ry. Co., c. 167, s. 2	••	Railway
	Western Canada Power Co., Ltd., c. 175, s. 2	••	Railway
1911	Albert & Moncton Ry. Co., c. 29, s. 2	••	Railway, steam and other vessels, docks, wharves, elevators, warehouses, bridge, telephone and telegraph
	Cariboo, Barkerville & Willow River Ry. Co., c. 64, s. 1	•	Railway, telephone and telegraph
	Imperial Traction Co., c. 96, s. 2	••	Railway, steam and other vessels, docks, wharves, elevators, warehouses, buildings, telephone and telegraph, hotels, restaurants
	Lachine, Jacques Cartier & Maisonneuve Ry. Co., c. 104, s. 1	•	Railway
	Lake Erie & Northern Ry. Co., c. 106, s. 2	••	Railway, steam and other vessels, wharves, docks, elevators, warehouses, telephone and telegraph
	Niagara, Welland & Lake Erie Ry. Co., c. 119, s. 2	••	Railway, ferries, telephone and telegraph
	Ontario-Michigan Ry. Co., c. 122, s. 2	••	Railway, steam and other vessels, wharves, docks, warehouses, elevators, ferries, telephone and telegraph
	Peoples Ry. Co., c. 129, s. 2	•	Railway, steam and other vessels, wharves, docks, ferries, elevators, warehouses, telephone and telegraph
	Simcoe, Grey & Truce Ry. Co., c. 140, s. 2	•	Railway, steam and other vessels, wharves, docks, warehouses, elevators, telephone and telegraph
	Western Central Ry. Co., c. 150, s. 1	•	Railway, ferries

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1912	Canadian Northern Montreal Tunnel & Terminal Co., Ltd., c. 74, s. 1	°	Tunnel, railway
	Cap de la Madeleine Ry. Co., c. 80, s. 1	°	Railway
	Prince Edward & Hastings Ry. Co., c. 137, s. 2	°°	Railway, steam and other vessels, wharves, docks, elevators
	Quinze River & Ottawa Ry. Co., c. 140, s. 2	°°	Railway, telephone and telegraph
1913	Athabasca & Grande Prairie Ry. Co., c. 64, s. 2	°°	Railway, telephone and telegraph, steam other vessels, wharves, docks, elevators, warehouses, offices, etc.
	Hull Electric Co., c. 133, s. 1	°	Railway
	Pointe Aux Trembles Terminal Ry. Co., c. 177, s. 2	°°	Railway, steam and other vessels, wharves, docks, elevators, warehouses
	Quebec, Portland & International Short Line Ry. Co., c. 181, s. 2	°	Railway, steam and other vessels, wharves, docks, elevators, warehouses, offices
	Quebec Rapid Transit Ry. Co., c. 182, s. 2	°	Railway, bridge, telephone and telegraph, steam and other vessels, wharves, docks, elevators, warehouses, offices, hotels, parks
1914	Canadian Northern Ry. System, c. 20, s. 15	°	Railway
	The Algonquin Ry. Co., c. 60, s. 2	°	Railway, vessels, wharves, docks, etc.
	The Atlin Ry. Co., c. 61, s. 2	°°	Railway, vessels, wharves, docks, etc.
	The Bruce Peninsula Ry. Co., c. 62, s. 2	°	Railway, vessels, wharves, docks, etc.
	The Erie & Ontario Ry. Co., c. 65, s. 2	°°	Railway, vessels, wharves, docks, etc.
	The Farnham & Granby Ry. Co. of Canada, c. 66, s. 2	°°	Railway, vessels, wharves, docks, etc.
	The Norfolk & Elgin Ry. Co., c. 67, s. 2	°	Railway, vessels, wharves, docks, etc.
	1915	Alberta Southern Ry. Co., c. 26, s. 2	°°
Fraser Valley Terminal Ry. Co., c. 27, c. 2		°	Railway, vessels, wharves, power plant, etc.
1916	Edmonton & Southwestern Ry. Co., c. 30, s. 2	°	Railway vessels, wharves, docks, elevators, warehouses, offices, telephone and telegraph

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	The Ontario Niagara Connecting Bridge Co., c. 31, s. 2	••	Railway and general traffic bridge
	Western Canada Telephone Co., c. 66, s. 2, s. 11(3)	•	Telephone, steam and other vessels
1917	The Cascade Scenic Ry. Co., c. 42, s. 1 (2)	•	Railway
	The Kaslo & Slocan Ry. Co., c. 54, s. 1	•	Railway, telephone and telegraph, vessels, wharves, docks, etc.
1918	Montreal, Joliette & Transcontinental Junction Ry. Co., c. 55, s. 2	•	Railway, telephone and telegraph, vessels, wharves, docks, etc.
	The Canadian Niagara Bridge Co., c. 62, s. 2	•••	Railway and general traffic bridge, rail lines
1919	Grand Trunk Pacific Ry. System, c. 22, s. 2	•	Railway
	Act to consolidate and amend the Railway Act	•	Railways
1920	None		
1921	Lake of the Woods and Other Waters, c. 38, s. 2	•	Dams, etc., to regulate out flow of waters of Lake of the Woods, Winnipeg River, English River
	The Canadian Transit Co., c. 57, s. 2	•••	Railway and general traffic bridge, rail lines, etc.
	The Fort Smith Ry. Co., c. 61, s. 2	••	Railway, telephone and telegraph, wharves, docks, etc.
	Maritime Coal, Railway & Power Co., Ltd., c. 64, s. 1	•	Railways
1922	None		
1923	Buffalo & Fort Erie Public Bridge Co., c. 74, s. 7(2)	••	Bridge
1924	Joliette & Northern Ry. Co., c. 82, s. 2	••	Railway, telephone and telegraph, steam and other vessels, docks, wharves, etc. Grain elevators, etc.
1925	An Act respecting Grain, c. 33, s. 234	•	
1926-7	The Detroit & Windsor Subway Co., c. 83, s. 2	•••	Subways
	The Midland Ry. Co. of Manitoba, c. 87, s. 2	•	Railway
1928	The Detroit River Canadian Bridge Co., c. 58, s. 2	•••	Bridge
	St. Clair Transit Co., c. 64, s. 2	•••	Bridge

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1929	None		
1930	The Cornwall Bridge Co., c. 55, s. 2	• • •	Bridge
1931	Beauharnois Light, Heat & Power Co., Ltd., c. 20, s. 1	•	Canal, dams, locks, etc.
1932	Lake of the Woods Inter- national Bridge Co., c. 59, s. 2	• • •	Bridge for pedestrians and vehicles
1933	The Sarnia - Port Huron Vehicular Tunnel Co., c. 59, s. 2	• • •	Subway for tunnel under St. Clair River
	Thousand Islands Bridge Co., c. 66, s. 8	• • •	Bridges, approaches, etc.
1935	None		
1936	None		
1937	None		
1938	None		
1939	Amending The Canada Grain Act, c. 36, s. 68	•	Grain elevators, etc.
	Prescott & Ogdensburg Bridge Co., c. 55, s. 2	• • •	Bridge across St. Law- rence
1940	None		
1941	None		
1942	None		
1943	None		
1944	None		
1945	None		
1946	Atomic Energy Control, c. 37, s. 18	• • •	Atomic energy
	Prescott & Ogdensburg Bridge Co., c. 77, s. 2	• • •	Bridge or tunnel across St. Lawrence
1947	Canadian Wheat Board Act, c. 15, s. 39	•	Wheat, elevators, mills
	Yellowknife Telephone Co., c. 95, s. 2	• • •	Telephone, steam and other vessels
1948	None		
1949	None		
1950	Amending The Canada Grain Act, c. 24, s. 10	•	Grain, elevators
1951	None		
1952	Ogdensburg Bridge Auth- ority, c. 57, s. 2	• • •	Bridge across St. Law- rence
1953	None		
1954	None		
1955	Canadian National Rail- ways, c. 29, s. 18(1)	•	Railways, telephone and telegraph, steam and other vessels, docks, warehouses, hotels, etc.
	Baudette & Rainy River Municipal Bridge Co., c. 61, s. 2	• • •	Bridge
	St. Mary's River Bridge Co., c. 64, s. 2	• • •	Bridge or tunnel, ferries

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1956	Grand Central Ry. Co. Ltd., c. 59, s. 17	• ••	Railway, steam and other vessels, docks, wharves, elevators, warehouses, hotels, parks
	Niagara Lower Arch Bridge Co. Ltd., c. 64, s. 1	• ••	Bridge
1957	None		
1958	None		
1959	None		
1960	Wabash Railway Co. Ltd., & Arnaud Railway Co., c. 63, s. 2	•	Railway
1961	The Cumberland Ry. & Coal Co. and Sydney & Louisburg Ry. Co., c. 74, s. 3	••	Railway
1962	None		
1963	None		
1964	None		
1965	None		
1966	None		

