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Monthly Report

PRODUCTION OF CANADA'S LEADING MINERALS

APRIL, 1948

	March 1948	April 1948	April 1947	Four Months Ended April 1947	Four Months Ended April 1948
Asbestos .. ton	62,524	61,590	60,517	203,939	220,873
Cement .... brl.	1,072,864	1,268,461	1,062,054	2,699,406	3,489,222
Clay products ..... $	(x)1,148,346	1,607,672	999,807	3,745,206	4,681,480
Coal ..... ton	1,644,916	1,602,525	850,887	4,664,527	5,774,992
Copper .... lb.	42,158,106	41,829,639	39,947,433	141,998,667	163,106,603
Feldspar .. ton	3,790	2,339	2,571	10,399	13,732
Gold ..... fine oz.	(x)287,708	286,070	254,889	975,912	1,108,742
Gypsum .... ton	81,102	222,121	89,639	372,573	481,797
Lead ..... lb.	(x)24,953,039	25,689,655	25,850,461	105,124,657	98,709,485
Lime ..... ton	88,162	88,462	82,126	301,759	330,486
Natural gas M cu.ft.	6,289,518	5,302,903	4,406,115	21,880,265	24,638,437
Nickel .... lb.	20,957,231	26,389,468	20,043,186	76,663,495	88,261,460
Petroleum . brl.	816,452	795,724	602,129	2,336,299	3,169,600
Salt ..... ton	54,433	57,861	64,321	243,822	220,309
Silver .... fine oz.	(x)1,099,369	1,089,755	851,464	3,563,449	4,182,918
Zinc ..... lb.	37,195,114	39,088,168	36,341,332	137,359,854	145,669,338

Note: For the metals and for coal the above figures represent production; for other non-metals the figures are for shipments plus amounts produced for own use.
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