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Shipments of asbestos from Canadian mines during September, 1949, totalled 71,963 tons compared with 72,114 tons in the previous month and with 68,424 tons in September, 1948.

Producers' Shipments of Asbestos for September, and Year to Date, 1948 and 1949

Grade	Shipments (including any for own use)			
	<u>S e p t e m b e r</u>		<u>Nine Months Ended September</u>	
	1948	1949	1948	1949
	(Tons of 2,000 pounds)			
Crude .....	115	88	700	442
Spinning stocks .....	3,082	2,430	22,984	13,499
Shingle stocks .....	12,648	13,457	91,354	66,473
Paper stocks .....	7,931	8,833	61,240	41,915
Waste, stucco or plaster ....	13,750	13,820	100,505	63,558
Refuse or shorts .....	30,898	31,959	247,837	172,006
Sand .....	...	1,376	...	5,646
Total .....	68,424	71,963	524,620	363,539

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	<u>S e p t e m b e r</u>		<u>Nine Months Ended September</u>	
	1948	1949	1948	1949
	(Tons of 2,000 pounds)			
Crude .....	60	58	606	435
Milled fibres .....	21,406	21,750	169,077	111,375
Waste, refuse, shorts .....	42,432	45,199	330,028	224,223
Total .....	63,898	67,007	499,711	336,033

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