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STEEL INGOTS

Price 10 cents

MAY - 1950

Production of steel ingots in Canada during May amounted to 283,810 net tons, an average of 9,155 tons a day compared with a daily average of 9,155 tons in May of a year ago.

Table 1 - Production of Steel Ingots, 1933-1948

Year	Net tons of 2,000 pounds	Year	Net tons of 2,000 pounds
1933 .....	441,346	1941 .....	2,593,512
1934 .....	825,572	1942 .....	2,958,906
1935 .....	1,018,288	1943 .....	2,846,736
1936 .....	1,211,334	1944 .....	2,878,407
1937 .....	1,496,575	1945 .....	2,747,206
1938 .....	1,235,465	1946 .....	2,253,437
1939 .....	1,490,057	1947 .....	2,854,532
1940 .....	2,177,630	1948 .....	3,089,027

Table 2 - Production of Steel Ingots, by Months, 1949 and 1950

Month	1949		1950	
	Monthly total	Daily average	Monthly total	Daily average
(Net tons of 2,000 pounds)				
January .....	275,987	8,935	283,894	9,158
February .....	249,009	8,893	251,890	8,996
March .....	287,885	9,286	287,719	9,268
April .....	260,319	8,677	272,936	9,098
May .....	283,808	9,155	283,810	9,155
Total - Five Months ..	1,357,008	8,987	1,380,249	9,141
June .....	261,476	8,716		
July .....	232,499	7,500		
August .....	241,442	7,788		
September .....	232,882	7,763		
October .....	252,965	8,160		
November .....	253,213	8,440		
December .....	257,883	8,319		
TOTAL .....	3,089,368	8,464		

Note: The present rated ingot capacity of Canada's steel furnaces is 3,672,500 net tons per annum.

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