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DEALERS'  
MONTHLY REPORT  
ON  
NON-FERROUS SCRAP METAL  
OCTOBER - 1947

(Data in pounds)					
	Stocks 1st of period	Purchases or Receipts (A)	Sales		Stocks end of period
			To Other Dealers (A)	To Consumers	
<u>ALUMINUM SCRAP</u>					
Province - Maritimes	254,661	6,712	7,084	(x) n.a.p.	254,289
Quebec	873,947	620,850	710,214	1,830	782,753
Ontario	1,203,879	2,038,818	894,061	1,199,032	1,149,604
Manitoba	488,631	10,124	-	n.a.p.	492,332
Saskatchewan	145,712	18,895	-	-	164,607
Alberta	848,369	4,438	n.a.p.	n.a.p.	850,951
British Columbia	461,096	46,827	(xx) n.a.p.	4,756	503,167
Total - Canada	4,276,295	2,746,664	★ 1,611,910	1,213,346	4,197,703

n.a.p. - Not available for publication. Quantities reported by one or two dealers only, included in "Total Canada". (X) Included in "Sales to Other Dealers". (XX) Included in "Sales to Consumers".

★ - Includes 1,117,352 pounds sold for export by dealers in Quebec and Ontario.

(B) - Exports during October 1947 to: United States- 1,847,800 pounds, valued at \$139,872.

Brazil - 211,900 pounds, valued at 20,128.

France - 50,900 pounds, valued at 5,774.

Total Exports 2,110,600 pounds, valued at \$165,774.

(B) - Imports during October - Nil.

BRASS & BRONZE SCRAP

Red Brass-(Includes No.1 composition red brass, cocks and faucets, radiators, fourdrinier wire, No.1 red brass turnings)

Province - Maritimes	229,552	98,757	142,522	-	185,787
Quebec	764,962	534,339	324,568	33,582	941,151
Ontario	3,153,714	1,374,657	261,587	906,675	3,360,109
Manitoba	130,736	127,637	(xx) n.a.p.	42,685	215,688
Saskatchewan	89,249	35,521	-	-	124,770
Alberta	117,483	31,809	n.a.p.	n.a.p.	131,431
British Columbia	100,982	36,770	(xx) n.a.p.	30,269	107,483
Total-Red Brass- Canada	4,586,678	2,239,490	★ 744,540	1,015,209	5,066,419

n.a.p. - Not available for publication. Quantities reported by one or two dealers only, included in "Total Red Brass Canada". (x) Included in "Sales to other Dealers". (xx) Included in "Sales to Consumers".

★ - Includes n.a.p. pounds sold for export.

Yellow Brass-(Includes car brasses, gilding metal, scrap brass, fired primers, rifle shells and cartridge cases, condenser tubes, heavy yellow brass and yellow brass castings, clippings, turnings and light brass)

Province - Maritimes	294,721	80,004	68,725	-	306,000
Quebec	654,201	615,379	357,417	432,731	479,432
Ontario	1,175,688	1,230,928	568,356	605,286	1,232,974
Manitoba	67,650	20,653	n.a.p.	n.a.p.	82,403
Saskatchewan	69,777	23,158	135	-	92,800
Alberta	37,215	6,736	n.a.p.	-	39,428
British Columbia	160,076	151,014	134,642	15,941	160,507
Total-Yellow Brass- Canada	2,459,328	2,127,871	★ 1,137,521	1,056,135	2,393,544

n.a.p. - Not available for publication. Quantities reported by one or two dealers only, included in "Total Yellow Brass, Canada".

★ - Includes 557,385 pounds sold for export by dealers in Quebec and Ontario.



	Stocks 1st of period	Purchases or Receipts	S a l e s		Stocks end of period
			To Other Dealers	To Consumers	
<b>BRASS &amp; BRONZE SCRAP (cont'd)</b>					
<b>Miscellaneous Bronze-</b> (Includes aluminum bronze, manganese bronze castings and turnings, silicon bronze or any other non-tin bronze)					
Province - Maritimes	57,170	-	n.a.p.	-	55,586
Quebec	61,903	37,530	15,240	(x) n.a.p.	84,193
Ontario	381,324	102,775	44,055	84,369	355,675
Manitoba	n.a.p.	n.a.p.	-	-	n.a.p.
Saskatchewan	n.a.p.	-	-	-	n.a.p.
Alberta	-	-	-	-	-
British Columbia	235,490	-	-	-	235,490
Total-Miscellaneous					
Bronze-Canada	780,505	144,581	60,879	84,369	779,838
Total-Brass/Bronze					
Group-Canada	7,826,511	4,511,943	1,942,940	2,155,713	8,239,801

n.a.p. - Not available for publication. Quantities reported by one or two dealers only, included in "Total Miscellaneous Canada". (X) Included in "Sales to Other Dealers".

\* - Includes n.a.p. pounds sold for export.

\*\* - Includes 618,985 pounds sold for export by dealers in Quebec, Ontario and British Columbia.

(B) - October exports of brass scrap, dross and ashes to: United States 756,400 pounds valued at \$65,135.

(B) - Imports for October from: United States - 2,800 pounds, valued at \$ 224.

Newfoundland - 6,200 pounds, valued at 291.

Total Imports - 9,000 pounds, valued at \$ 515.

**COPPER SCRAP-(Includes slag, skimmings and sludge)**

Province - Maritimes	162,763	107,602	123,861	-	146,504
Quebec	1,061,201	1,345,779	730,395	275,150	1,401,435
Ontario	934,785	2,066,092	1,108,818	930,749	961,310
Manitoba	80,829	48,657	-	n.a.p.	116,420
Saskatchewan	41,586	9,265	-	-	50,851
Alberta	43,650	28,319	n.a.p.	-	63,364
British Columbia	141,321	172,903	152,580	19,966	141,678
Total Canada	2,466,135	3,778,617	2,124,259	1,238,931	2,881,562

n.a.p. - Not available for publication. Quantities reported by one or two dealers only, included in "Total Canada".

\* - Includes 1,177,234 pounds sold for export by dealers in Quebec, Ontario and British Columbia.

(B) - October exports of copper scrap, slag, skimmings and sludge to:

United States - 1,576,900 pounds, valued at \$ 225,551.

Portugal - 59,600 pounds, valued at 10,882.

Total Exports - 1,636,500 pounds, valued at \$ 236,433.

(B) - Imports for October from: United States - 400 pounds, valued at 30.

Newfoundland - 2,900 pounds, valued at 185.

Total Imports - 3,300 pounds, valued at \$ 215.

**MAGNESIUM SCRAP**

Province - Maritimes	-	-	-	-	-
Quebec	n.a.p.	n.a.p.	n.a.p.	-	-
Ontario	107,308	-	n.a.p.	-	107,008
Manitoba	-	-	-	-	-
Saskatchewan	n.a.p.	-	-	-	n.a.p.
Alberta	-	-	-	-	-
British Columbia	-	-	-	-	-
Total- Canada	109,913	n.a.p.	n.a.p.	-	109,613

n.a.p. - Not available for publication. Quantities reported by one or two dealers only, included in "Total Canada". Major stocks held in Quebec and Ontario. None reported by the Maritimes, Alberta or British Columbia Dealers.

(B) - October Exports - Nil. (B) October Imports - Nil.



	Stocks 1st of period	Purchases or Receipts (A)	Sales To Other Dealers (A)	To Consumers	Stocks end of period
<b>NICKEL SCRAP</b>					
Province - Maritimes	n.a.p.	n.a.p.	n.a.p.	-	n.a.p.
Quebec	143,981	16,533	3,905	-	156,609
Ontario	171,307	339,631	2,739	302,121	206,078
Manitoba	n.a.p.	n.a.p.	-	-	n.a.p.
Saskatchewan	n.a.p.	-	-	-	n.a.p.
Alberta	-	-	-	-	-
British Columbia	-	-	-	-	-
Total - Canada	318,975	357,173	6,687	302,121	367,340

n.a.p. - Not available for publication. Quantities reported by one or two companies only, included in "Total - Canada".

(B) - Exports - see classification "Metallic Scrap, Dross and Ashes, N.O.P."

(B) - Imports -

**TIN-LEAD SCRAP**-(Includes secondary tin in pig, tin pipe, sheets, babbitts, type metal, syphon tops and solder joints)

Province - Maritimes	8,422	n.a.p.	n.a.p.	-	7,038
Quebec	107,492	68,884	15,661	47,745	112,970
Ontario	182,257	1,382,741	937,898	396,572	230,528
Manitoba	4,266	15,716	(xx) n.a.p.	16,319	3,663
Saskatchewan	20,114	829	-	-	20,943
Alberta	5,300	n.a.p.	n.a.p.	-	5,325
British Columbia	4,061	1,802	n.a.p.	n.a.p.	5,467
Total-Secondary Etc.- Canada	331,912	1,470,184	* 955,206	460,962	385,928

n.a.p. - Not available for publication. Quantities reported by one or two dealers only, included in "Total - Secondary Etc. Canada".

(XX) - Included in "Sales to Consumers".

\* - Includes 897,252 pounds sold for export by dealers in Ontario.

(Heavy Soft Lead, Chest Lead,  
with or without paper)

Province - Maritimes	37,678	55,048	49,078	-	43,648
Quebec	723,685	774,994	418,771	318,392	761,516
Ontario	334,203	544,793	420,263	193,296	265,437
Manitoba	38,311	18,834	n.a.p.	n.a.p.	28,774
Saskatchewan	(				)
Alberta	( 109,996	12,444	n.a.p.	n.a.p.	117,944)
British Columbia	94,586	2,365	(xx) n.a.p.	1,926	95,025
Total-Heavy Soft Lead Etc. Canada	1,338,459	1,408,478	* 893,595	540,998	1,312,344

n.a.p. - Not available for publication. Quantities reported by one or two dealers only, included in "Total - Heavy Soft Lead Etc. - Canada".(xx) Included in "Sales to Consumers". Alberta and Saskatchewan combined.

\* - Includes 662,248 pounds sold for export by dealers in Quebec and Ontario.

(Hard Lead, Battery Plates,  
Tops and Cable Lead)

Province - Maritimes	221,708	91,384	187,349	-	155,743
Quebec	364,041	1,246,277	788,982	396,272	425,064
Ontario	668,093	3,205,379	1,973,402	1,312,119	587,951
Manitoba	177,595	469,350	(xx) n.a.p.	469,586	177,359
Saskatchewan	161,309	191,306	245,764	-	106,851
Alberta	145,719	313,853	(xx) n.a.p.	315,761	143,811
British Columbia	129,163	367,166	275,703	109,059	111,567
Total-Hard Lead Etc. Canada	1,867,628	5,884,715	3,441,200	2,602,797	1,708,346
Total-Tin/Lead Group	3,537,999	8,763,377	** 5,290,001	3,604,757	3,406,618

n.a.p. - Not available for publication. Quantities reported by one or two dealers only, included in "Total-Hard Lead Etc.-Canada". (xx) Included in "Sales to Consumers"

\* - Includes 1,736,529 pounds sold for export by dealers in Quebec, Ontario and British Columbia.

\*\* - Includes 1,426,525 pounds sold for export by dealers in Quebec, Ontario and British Columbia.

(B) - Exports - see classification "Metallic Scrap, Dross and Ashes, N.O.P."

(B) - Imports - of Lead "Old and Scrap" during the month of October - Nil.



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	Stocks 1st of period	Purchases or Receipts (A)	Sales		Stocks end of period
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<u>ZINC SCRAP</u> -(includes clippings, engravers and lithographers' plates, Radiator Grills and Die Casts)					
Province - Maritimes	43,927	3,959	4,264	-	43,622
Quebec	126,284	73,177	37,636	35,690	126,135
Ontario	478,390	706,875	659,122	197,852	328,291
Manitoba	45,637	10,162	2,513	(x) n.a.p.	53,286
Saskatchewan	20,700	241	-	-	20,941
Alberta	1,889	1,601	n.a.p.	n.a.p.	3,078
British Columbia	17,480	19,461	22,051	(x) n.a.p.	14,890
Total - Canada	734,307	815,476	★ 725,686	233,854	590,243

n.a.p. - Not available for publication. Quantities reported by one or two dealers only, included in "Total-Canada".

(x) - Included in "Sales to Other Dealers".

★ - Includes 574,487 pounds sold for export by dealers in Ontario and British Columbia.

(B) - October exports of Zinc Scrap, Dross and Ashes to:

United States	-	1,176,800 pounds, valued at \$49,400.
Argentina	-	101,900 pounds, valued at 8,305.
France	-	24,200 pounds, valued at 1,960.
Total exports	-	<u>1,302,900 pounds, valued at \$59,665</u>

DROSSES-(Antimonial Lead, Brass Residues, Genuine Babbitt, Lead Solder, Type and Babbitt, Zinc)

Province - Maritimes	54,091	-	n.a.p.	-	53,778
Quebec	579,977	724,085	266,380	360,295	677,387
Ontario	538,383	1,514,003	958,414	257,083	836,889
Manitoba	23,052	12,245	-	n.a.p.	30,152
Saskatchewan	n.a.p.	-	-	-	-
Alberta	n.a.p.	n.a.p.	(xx)n.a.p.	7,723	-
British Columbia	4,717	32,072	36,122	(x)n.a.p.	n.a.p.
Total - Canada	1,203,332	2,287,128	★ 1,261,229	630,246	1,598,785

n.a.p. - Not available for publication. Quantities reported by one or two dealers only, included in "Total - Canada".

(x) - Included in "Sales to Other Dealers". (xx) Included in "Sales to Consumers".

★ - Includes 1,211,115 pounds sold for export by dealers in Quebec, Ontario and British Columbia.

(B) - Exports and imports - see footnotes under "Miscellaneous Bronze, "Zinc Scrap" and Metallic Scrap, Dross and Ashes, N.O.P."

(B) - October exports of "Metallic Scrap, Dross and Ashes, N.O.P." to:

United States	-	2,594,300 pounds, valued at \$230,026
United Kingdom	-	78,100 pounds, valued at 8,650
Total Exports	-	<u>2,672,400 pounds, valued at \$238,676</u>

This includes cupro nickel scrap and residue, lead dross, contaminated soft lead, etc., for which no specific export classifications are provided.

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(A) Due to "Dealer to Dealer" transactions some duplication exists.

(B) As per monthly Trade of Canada Report issued by External Trade Branch, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

Export and import figures, shown in this bulletin are not confined solely to operation of dealers whose combined reports comprise this tabulation.

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