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GYPSUM PRODUCTION IN CANADA, APRIL, 1932.

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa reports that the production of gypsum in Canada during April amounted to 23,087 tons, an increase of 94.7 per cent over the March shipments but a 29.1 per cent decline from the April, 1931 total. Production during the first four months of 1932 was recorded at 46,161 tons, or 36.4 per cant below the total for the corresponding period of the preceding year.

Quarries were in operation during the month in Hants county, Nova Scotia;
Albert county, New Brunswick; near Paris and Hagersville, Ontario; Gypsumville and
Amaranth, Manitoba; and at Falkland, B.C.

There were no exports of crude gypsum from Canada during April. Exports of plaster of Paris, calcined, amounted to 23 tons in April as compared with 26 tons exported in the previous month. Imports of calcined plaster of Paris declined 76.3 per cent to 54 tons; the March importations reached a total of 228 tons.

PRODUCTION OF GYPSUM IN CANADA

	APRIL	FOUR MONTHS ENDING APRIL
1932	23,087 tons	46,161 tons
1931	32,576 tons	72,566 tons
1930	50,464 tons	87,640 tons
1929	86,785 tons	190,200 tons



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