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## GYPSUM PRODUCTION IN CANADA, SEPTEMBER, 1933.

Canada produced 35,618 tons of gypsum in September; during the preceding month 69,034 tons were produced and in September, 1932, the output was 52,398 tons, according to a report issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa. During the nine months ending September Canadian producers reported an output of 263,134 tons, made up of 80.1 per cent from Nova Scotia, 7.2 per cent from New Brunswick, 7.8 per cent from Ontario, 2.9 per cent from Manitoba, and 2.0 per cent from British Columbia.

Exports of crude gypsum amounted to 55,785 tons worth \$66,625 as compared with 49,354 tons at \$58,624 exported in August. Plaster of Paris exportations were recorded at 89 tons with a valuation of \$1,466; in the previous month 41 tons at \$926 were exported.

Imports of plaster of Paris into Canada declined to 56 tons appraised at \$1,101 from the August total of 65 tons at \$1,633. The September importations included 50 tons from Germany and 6 tons from the United States.

PRODUCTION OF GYPSUM IN CANADA 1933 1931 1930 1929 1932 Tons Tons Tons Tons Tons 2,728 6,395 10,159 10,957 30,745 January ..... 2,426 19,653 11,087 31,155 6,076 February ...... 4,160 5,827 11,317 15,132 41,515 March ..... 33,375 86,785 4,241 50,464 15,344 April ..... 33,400 32,022 97,493 109,173 108,574 May ..... 50,070 70,719 128,529 230,779 154,401 June ..... 144,720 175,668 80,273 133,349 61,457 July ..... 69,034 140,709 149,617 69,734 126,515 August ..... 95,234 161,583 35,618 52,398 115,050 September ...... 82,487 101,874 52,533 141,666 October ..... November ..... 27,657 51,414 78,424 91,110 38,870 19,651 54,411 82,415 December ..... 438,629 863,752 1,070,968 1,211,689 TOTAL - Calendar Year .... TOTAL - Nine months ending 263,134 338,788 675,440 808, 255 940,043 SEPTEMBER .....

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