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MONTHLY REPORT

GYPSUM PRODUCTION IN CANADA - JANUARY, 1936.

The Canadian production of gypsum during January amounted to 4,887 tons as against 3,500 tons produced in January, 1935, according to a report issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa.

Exports of crude gypsum from Canada in January totalled 13,100 tons; in December 57,275 tons were exported. Shipments of plaster of Paris from Canada in January were recorded at 76 tons as compared with 61 tons exported in December.

Seven tons of ground gypsum worth \$120 were imported into Canada in January; during the previous month 5 tons at \$131 were imported. Plaster of Paris imports in January consisted of 29 tons valued at \$928 received from the United States and $1\frac{1}{2}$ tons worth \$39 from Great Britain. In December, 100 tons at \$1,108 were imported from Germany and 37 tons at \$621 from the United States.

PRODUCTION OF GYPSUM IN CANADA

| Month | 1936(a) | 1935(a) | 1934 |
|---|---------|---|---|
| | Tons | Tons | Tons |
| January February March April May June July August September October November December | 4,887 | 3,500 3,289 4,453 26,518 58,312 75,525 91,484 81,228 48,058 59,257 67,722 21,216 | 3,232 3,147 4,677 25,508 53,956 67,995 65,567 59,517 44,419 37,890 67,411 27,918 |
| TOTAL | | 540,562 | 461,237 |

⁽a) Subject to revision.

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