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MONTHLY REPORT

GYPSUM PRODUCTION IN CANADA - NOVEMBER, 1937.

Gypsum production in Canada during November amounted to 95,066 tons; in the preceding month, 114,377 tons were produced while in November, a year ago, the output was 75,661 tons, according to a statement just issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa. Production during the eleven months ending November totalled 976,449 tons; in the corresponding period of 1936 the output aggregated 774,519 tons.

Exports of crude gypsum from Canada in November were recorded at 105,088 tons compared with 119,230 tons exported in October. Plaster of Paris exports in November declined to 77 tons from the previous month's total of 166 tons.

Ground gypsum importations in November amounted to 32 tons at \$1,361; in October, 21 tons at \$399 were imported. Receipts of plaster of Paris rose to 230 tons worth \$3,302 from the October total of 96 tons at \$2,163.

PRODUCTION OF GYPSUM IN CANADA

Month	1937(a)	1936	1935
	Tons	Tons	Tons
January	8,475	4,887	3,508
February	4,827	2,877	3,297
March	23,352	5,329	4,464
April	65,703	40,007	26,582
May	113,570	76,634	58,452
June	161,978	109,767	75,707
July	125,762	132,461	91,704
August	116,754	81,896	81,424
September	146,582	87,510	48,174
October	114,377	157,490	59,400
November	95,066	75,661	67,885
December		59,303	21,267
TOTAL - CALENDAR YEAR		833,822	541,864
TOTAL - ELEVEN MONTHS ending NOVEMBER	976,449	774,519	520,597

(a) Subject to revision.

