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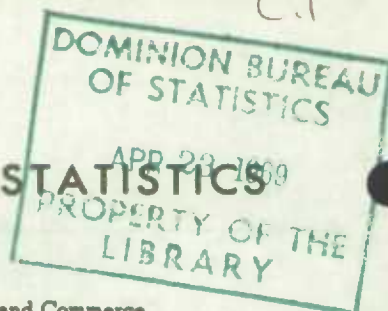
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GYPSUM PRODUCTS

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TABLE 1. Production of Gypsum Products

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		February		Two months ended February	
		1968	1969	1968	1969
<u>Gypsum</u>					
Wallboard	sq. ft.	55,603,460 ^r	58,348,969	106,044,662 ^r	119,658,644
Lath	"	13,172,270	12,285,901	28,971,670	27,848,336
Sheathing	"	x	x	x	x
Plasters	ton	14,932	x	27,485	x

See footnote(s) at end of Table 3.

TABLE 2. Factory Shipments(1) of Gypsum Products

		February		Two months ended February	
		1968	1969	1968	1969
<u>Gypsum wallboard</u>					
Domestic	sq. ft.	53,099,961	59,256,152	103,957,940	120,694,576
Export	"	-	-	-	-
Totals	"	53,099,961	59,256,152	103,957,940	120,694,576
<u>Gypsum lath</u>					
Domestic	sq. ft.	13,422,739	12,816,505	26,735,347	26,882,565
Export	"	-	-	-	-
Totals	"	13,422,739	12,816,505	26,735,347	26,882,565
<u>Gypsum sheathing</u>					
Domestic	sq. ft.	866,896	1,165,058	1,651,840	2,581,542
Export	"	-	-	-	-
Totals	"	866,896	1,165,058	1,651,840	2,581,542
<u>Gypsum plasters</u>					
Domestic	ton	14,361	x	27,307	x
Export	"	-	-	-	-
Totals	"	14,361	x	27,307	x

See footnote(s) at end of Table 3.

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TABLE 3. Factory Stocks of Gypsum Products

		February 28	
		1968	1969
Gypsum wallboard	sq. ft.	37,935,093 ^r	43,703,928
Gypsum lath	"	14,307,066	12,772,121
Gypsum sheathing	"	1,228,248	1,273,190
Gypsum plasters	ton	2,898	x

Notes: 1. Data contained in this report reflect the experience of respondent firms listed in the December report. However, please note the following changes for the month under review:

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2. In the case of the commodity contained herein it is assumed that coverage is approximately 100%.

(1) Producer's Shipments.

r Revised figures.

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