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IRON ORE

Shipments of iron ore from Canadian mines during October, 1956, were 2,799,451 tons compared with 2,474,759 tons in October, 1955.

Producers' Shipments and Stocks of Iron Ore

	October		Year to date	
	1955	1956	1955	1956
	(Tons of 2,000 pounds)			
<u>Ontario</u>				
Ore shipped for export .....	498,749	403,154	3,527,049	4,039,161
Ore to Canadian consumers .....	52,313	51,067	402,927	585,237
Total shipments .....	551,062	454,221	3,929,976	4,624,398
Stock at end of period .....	596,334	193,857	596,334	193,857
<u>Other Provinces (Nfld., Que., B.C.)</u>				
Ore shipped for export .....	1,772,265	2,249,759	9,403,290	13,335,287
Ore to Canadian consumers .....	151,432	95,471	802,597	1,152,177
Total shipments .....	1,923,697	2,345,230	10,205,887	14,487,464
Stock at end of period .....	1,896,286	1,584,478	1,896,286	1,584,478
<u>CANADA</u>				
Ore shipped for export .....	2,271,014	2,652,913	12,930,339	17,374,448
Ore to Canadian consumers .....	203,745	146,538	1,205,524	1,737,414
Total shipments .....	2,474,759	2,799,451	14,135,863	19,111,862
Stock at end of period .....	2,492,620	1,778,335	2,492,620	1,778,335

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