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IRON ORE

Shipments of iron ore from Canadian mines during January, 1957, were 272,674 tons compared with 376,350 tons in January, 1956.

Producers' Shipments and Stocks of Iron Ore

	January		Year (12 months)	
	1956	1957	1955	1956
	(Tons of 2,000 pounds)			
<u>Ontario</u>				
Ore shipped for export	-	-	3,887,058	4,537,914
Ore to Canadian consumers	49,801	59,277	475,133	684,021
Total shipments	49,801	59,277	4,362,191	5,221,935
Stock at end of period	798,410	421,972	710,349	290,112
<u>Other Provinces (Nfld., Que., B.C.)</u>				
Ore shipped for export	173,526	134,885	10,947,829	15,445,490
Ore to Canadian consumers	153,023	78,512	973,157	1,329,164
Total shipments	326,549	213,397	11,920,986	16,774,654
Stock at end of period	1,393,219	1,559,048	1,437,607	1,576,718
<u>CANADA</u>				
Ore shipped for export	173,526	134,885	14,834,887	19,983,404
Ore to Canadian consumers	202,824	137,789	1,448,290	2,013,185
Total shipments	376,350	272,674	16,283,177	21,996,589
Stock at end of period	2,191,629	1,981,020	2,147,956	1,866,830

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