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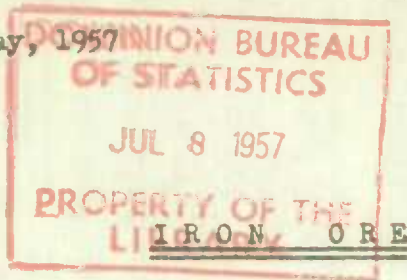


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Shipments of iron ore from Canadian mines during May, 1957, were 2,575,708 tons compared with 1,474,369 tons in May, 1956.

Producers' Shipments and Stocks of Iron Ore

	May		Year to date	
	1956	1957	1956	1957
	(Tons of 2,000 pounds)			
<u>Ontario</u>				
Ore shipped for export	475,887	768,695	535,411	931,363
Ore to Canadian consumers	46,190	58,295	182,457	297,519
Total shipments	522,077	826,990	717,868	1,228,882
Stock at end of period	926,439	809,377	926,439	809,377
<u>Other Provinces (Nfld., Que., B.C.)</u>				
Ore shipped for export	918,111	1,542,291	1,207,622	1,706,837
Ore to Canadian consumers	34,181	206,427	34,181	365,606
Total shipments	952,292	1,748,718	1,241,803	2,072,443
Stock at end of period	1,167,476	1,428,050	1,167,476	1,428,050
<u>CANADA</u>				
Ore shipped for export	1,393,998	2,310,986	1,743,033	2,638,200
Ore to Canadian consumers	80,371	264,722	216,638	663,125
Total shipments	1,474,369	2,575,708	1,959,671	3,301,325
Stock at end of period	2,093,915	2,237,427	2,093,915	2,237,427

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