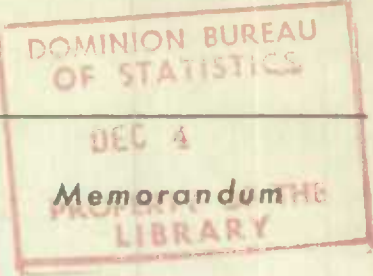


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IRON ORE

Shipments of iron ore from Canadian mines during September 1958, were 2,337,390 tons compared with 3,261,054 tons in September 1957.

Producers' Shipments and Stocks of Iron Ore

| | September | | Year to date | |
|--|-----------|-----------|--------------|------------|
| | 1957 | 1958 | 1957 | 1958 |
| (Tons of 2,000 pounds) | | | | |
| <u>Ontario</u> | | | | |
| Ore shipped for export | 443,422 | 371,489 | 3,286,524 | 1,877,582 |
| Ore to Canadian consumers | 130,394 | 99,734 | 633,848 | 638,558 |
| Total shipments | 573,816 | 471,223 | 3,920,372 | 2,516,140 |
| Stock at end of period | 438,538 | 400,589 | 438,538 | 400,589 |
| <u>Other Provinces (Nfld., Que., B.C.)</u> | | | | |
| Ore shipped for export | 2,507,646 | 1,740,841 | 12,678,109 | 8,342,806 |
| Ore to Canadian consumers | 179,592 | 125,326 | 1,036,111 | 754,843 |
| Total shipments | 2,687,238 | 1,866,167 | 13,714,220 | 9,097,649 |
| Stock at end of period | 1,090,584 | 3,133,855 | 1,090,584 | 3,133,855 |
| <u>CANADA</u> | | | | |
| Ore shipped for export | 2,951,068 | 2,112,330 | 15,964,633 | 10,220,388 |
| Ore to Canadian consumers | 309,986 | 225,060 | 1,669,959 | 1,393,401 |
| Total shipments | 3,261,054 | 2,337,390 | 17,634,592 | 11,613,789 |
| Stock at end of period | 1,537,333 | 3,534,444 | 1,537,333 | 3,534,444 |

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