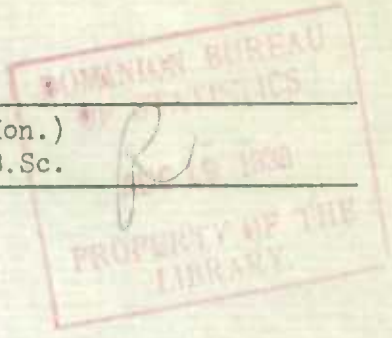


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MAY, 1938.

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa issues special monthly bulletins on each of the sixteen products listed below. Copies of these publications may be obtained on application. The following data are compiled from monthly reports received from operators.

	APRIL 1938(a)	MAY 1938(a)	MAY 1937(a)	FIVE MONTHS ENDING MAY	
				1938(a)	1937(a)
Asbestos Ton	24,642	31,007	37,636	106,952	162,404
Cement Brl.	364,096	545,310	557,294	1,418,414	1,337,323
Clay products \$	264,689	379,824	379,967	1,135,561	1,110,631
Coal Ton	869,772	1,017,337	1,077,669	5,967,907	5,958,415
Copper Lb.	47,750,255	48,429,331	41,561,784	243,558,959	201,055,674
Feldspar Ton	586	1,128	1,224	4,578	7,048
Gold Fine oz.	368,439	381,089	340,125	1,827,475	1,628,356
Gypsum Ton	49,579	110,515	113,570	178,673	215,930
Lead Lb.	35,406,758	32,403,798	34,183,050	167,300,903	167,162,552
Lime Ton	39,174	41,756	49,511	184,742	222,200
Natural Gas M cu.ft.	2,928,521	2,127,894	1,866,000	16,268,389	14,626,000
Nickel Lb.	20,469,463	18,620,908	18,462,389	92,667,972	90,426,601
Petroleum Brl.	464,316	566,086	192,845	2,381,771	852,500
Salt (ccmmercial) .. Ton	27,419	25,662	24,343	90,511	87,564
Silver Fine oz.	1,606,723	1,571,437	1,352,580	7,878,275	7,212,785
Zinc Lb.	33,724,256	35,163,472	30,992,408	166,293,961	133,723,544

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