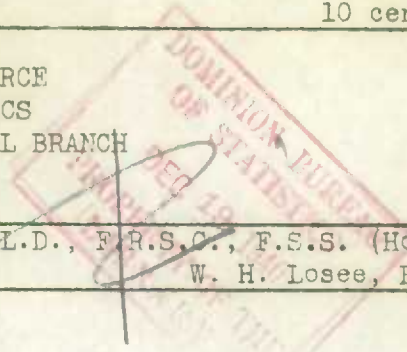


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MONTHLY REPORT

CANADA'S LEADING MINERAL PRODUCTS

SEPTEMBER, 1940

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa has suspended for the duration of the war the publication of special monthly bulletins on all minerals except coal, gold, crude petroleum and natural gas. Production figures, however, will continue to be issued each month on the mineral products listed below. Copies of these publications may be obtained on application.

		AUGUST 1940(a)	SEPTEMBER 1940(a)	SEPTEMBER 1939(a)	Nine months ending September	
					1940(a)	1939(a)
Asbestos	Ton	31,980	30,440	38,124	249,219	246,888
Cement	Brl.	909,330	908,630	(b) 851,802	5,528,618	(b)4,423,481
Clay products	\$	572,146	596,430	(b) 612,945	3,751,449	(b)3,649,636
Coal	Ton	1,392,609	1,359,997	(b)1,385,438	12,156,067	(b)10,667,359
Feldspar	Ton	2,446	2,264	(b) 1,190	15,998	(b) 7,422
Gold	Fine oz.	466,223	440,450	(b) 422,392	3,935,341	(b)3,801,760
Gypsum	Ton	185,789	186,253	(b) 195,344	1,094,194	(b) 901,641
Lime	Ton	71,710	59,209	(b) 48,750	524,171	(b) 377,346
Natural gas	M cu. ft.	1,582,755	1,782,514	(b)2,085,564	25,102,463	(b)24,927,868
Petroleum	Brl.	868,651	841,752	722,866	6,268,565	5,787,117
Salt (commercial)	Ton	18,325	19,705	26,322	166,235	176,557
Silver	Fine oz.	1,791,044	1,794,777	1,979,640	17,619,772	17,637,398

(a) Subject to revision.

(b) Revised.

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