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MONTHLY REPORT

SILVER, LEAD AND ZINC PRODUCTION IN CANADA, SEPTEMBER, 1945

Silver - The Canadian output of silver in September 1945 amounted to 962,889 ounces compared with 1,055,488 ounces in August, 1945. In September, 1944 the production totalled 910,838 ounces.

Table 1 - PRODUCTION OF SILVER IN CANADA, 1944 and 1945

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Month	1944	1945(x)	Month	1944	1945(x)
	(Ounces)			(Ounces)	
January	1,212,349	1,019,590	September	910,838	962,889
February	1,280,962	952,225	October	1,060,794	
March	1,375,351	1,199,546	November	1,199,153	
April	1,237,170	1,253,877	December	1,234,315	
May	1,035,847	1,198,327			
June	1,167,200	1,099,541	TOTAL	13,627,109	
July	1,077,974	951,348			
August	835,166	1,055,488	Total 9 Months.	10,132,857	9,692,831

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Lead - Primary production of unrefined lead in all forms in Canada during September, 1945 increased to 29,175,590 pounds from the preceding month's output of 28,127,996 pounds, and 53.6 per cent over the September, 1944 total of 18,993,630 pounds.

Table 2 - PRODUCTION OF LEAD IN CANADA, 1944 and 1945

Month	Lead in All Forms		Refined Lead	
	1944	1945(x)	1944	1945(x)
	(Pounds)			
January	32,857,666	25,623,743	27,297,766	23,406,000
February	29,887,544	24,578,012	26,269,207	22,534,000
March	24,373,016	35,169,939	29,235,053	27,504,000
April	25,383,726	28,172,344	22,834,018	25,864,000
May	20,583,341	25,555,454	25,318,538	27,922,000
June	19,832,745	25,175,850	18,843,608	25,116,000
July	24,633,240	25,505,404	20,806,857	24,900,000
August	18,401,675	28,127,996	23,127,606	25,424,000
September	18,993,630	29,175,590	17,096,054	25,482,000
October	18,452,002		14,112,234	
November	35,836,191		23,385,245	
December	35,347,422		38,785,674	
TOTAL	504,582,198		287,111,860	
Total 9 Months	214,946,583	247,084,332	210,828,707	228,152,000

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Table 3 - SPECIFIED EXPORTS OF LEAD FROM CANADA, BY MONTHS, 1945

Month	Lead in Ore		Lead in Pigs	
	Pounds	Value \$	Pounds	Value \$
January	1,806,900	58,787	9,588,700	269,425
February	1,514,100	50,561	2,820,200	79,664
March	2,294,700	59,547	11,726,400	299,604
April	1,266,700	35,517	17,267,700	521,214
May	1,869,100	69,730	12,072,500	346,449
June	1,263,900	46,752	24,720,200	954,000
July	981,000	50,906	45,556,400	1,609,433
August	816,100	30,421	25,430,900	1,073,895
September	723,500	28,498	6,271,800	311,479
October				
November				
December				
Total - 9 Months	12,536,000	430,719	155,454,800	5,465,163

Zinc - Production of Primary zinc in all forms in Canada in September, 1945 amounted to 38,459,108 pounds compared with 41,520,857 pounds in the preceding month and 46,955,939 pounds in September, 1944.

Table 4 - PRODUCTION OF ZINC IN CANADA, 1944 and 1945

Month	Zinc in All Forms		Refined Zinc	
	1944	1945(x)	1944	1945(x)
	(Pounds)			
January	49,438,642	49,506,177	32,588,967	33,576,662
February	46,551,662	44,520,588	28,214,856	30,659,996
March	47,918,693	47,697,136	29,343,399	32,332,750
April	45,119,487	43,385,577	27,205,219	28,804,591
May	47,499,582	45,427,551	26,250,780	31,880,714
June	41,373,262	43,469,170	24,530,795	30,403,825
July	42,556,604	45,197,460	25,554,388	31,313,141
August	44,843,903	41,520,857	28,716,605	30,178,056
September	46,955,939	38,459,108	29,529,962	29,772,325
October	43,098,175		25,945,671	
November	44,718,272		27,132,337	
December	50,769,132		32,023,801	
TOTAL	550,823,353		337,036,830	
Total 9 Months	412,237,774	399,183,624	251,934,971	278,922,060

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Table 5 - SPECIFIED EXPORTS OF ZINC FROM CANADA, BY MONTHS, 1945

Month	Zinc in Ore		Zinc Spelter	
	Pounds	Value \$	Pounds	Value \$
January	16,204,600	531,289	14,953,200	508,024
February	16,540,600	529,444	12,403,700	416,961
March	22,166,900	706,456	32,229,600	1,880,360
April	16,252,900	502,991	20,636,000	1,196,435
May	17,810,000	562,825	17,214,300	796,044
June	16,902,200	523,604	20,999,500	1,043,720
July	15,105,500	420,634	20,682,500	1,094,662
August	14,301,900	409,026	24,697,400	1,410,720
September	10,757,400	304,342	12,983,800	767,072
October				
November				
December				
Total 9 Months	146,042,000	4,490,611	176,800,000	9,113,998