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FELDSPAR AND SALT PRODUCTION IN CANADA, SEPTEMBER, 1933.

FELDSPAR - Canadian producers shipped 1,436 tons of feldspar during September as compared with 913 tons in the preceding month and 375 tons in September, 1932, according to a report issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa. Production during the first nine months of 1933 amounted to 5,518 tons or 74 tons below the total for the corresponding period of 1932.

Ground feldspar imports into Canada from the United States advanced to 89 tons valued at \$963 from the August total of 36 tons worth \$447.

PRODUCTION OF FELDSPAR IN CANADA

| | 1933 | 1932 | 1931 | 1930 | 1929 |
|---------------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Tons | Tons | Tons | Tons | Tons |
| January | 400 | 800 | 643 | 2,482 | 2,114 |
| February | 212 | 945 | 404 | 7,299 | 6,592 |
| March | 159 | 1,160 | 858 | 1,168 | 4,505 |
| April | 359 | 415 | 758 | 498 | 967 |
| May | 528 | 423 | 2,251 | 791 | 1,816 |
| June | 864 | 479 | 2,825 | 1,324 | 2,617 |
| July | 647 | 635 | 2,256 | 1,928 | 1,893 |
| August | 913 | 360 | 2,315 | 1,622 | 5,363 |
| September | 1,436 | 375 | 2,029 | 1,944 | 2,814 |
| October | | 482 | 2,076 | 2,326 | 2,306 |
| November | | 433 | 1,294 | 2,150 | 4,133 |
| December | | 540 | 634 | 3,264 | 2,407 |
| TOTAL - Calendar Year | | 7,047 | 18,343 | 26,796 | 37,527 |
| TOTAL - Nine Months ending SEPTEMBER. | 5,518 | 5,592 | 14,339 | 19,056 | 28,681 |

SALT - Sales of commercial salt by Canadian producers in September amounted to 17,498 tons; in the preceding month 17,130 tons were sold and in September, 1932, the total was 15,140 tons. Shipments during the nine months ending September totalled 131,831 tons, a 7.7 per cent increase over the corresponding period of 1932.

Exports of salt from Canada were recorded at 775 tons as against 675 tons in August. Salt imports into Canada in September totalled 12,291 tons, made up of 7,165 tons from the United States, 2,649 tons from Great Britain, 1,488 tons from the British West Indies, 753 tons from Germany, 184 tons from Portugal, and 52 tons from Newfoundland. In August, 17,720 tons were imported of which Spain contributed 35.5 per cent; the United States, 25.9 per cent; Great Britain, 18.5 per cent; British West Indies, 15.7 per cent, and Germany, 4.4 per cent.

PRODUCTION OF SALT IN CANADA

| | 1933 | 1932 | 1931 | 1930 | 1929 |
|---------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|-------------|-------------|
| | Tons | Tons | Tons | Tons | Tons |
| January | 9,884 | 9,673 | 10,698 | 23,723 | 23,132 |
| February | 9,223 | 10,279 | 10,844 | 19,579 | 23,958 |
| March | 12,670 | 13,026 | 13,346 | 22,120 | 29,674 |
| April | 13,654 | 15,247 | 13,976 | 25,911 | 20,813 |
| May | 17,342 | 15,327 | 13,065 | 25,661 | 27,420 |
| June | 18,419 | 15,628 | 14,125 | 23,316 | 29,847 |
| July | 16,011 | 13,798 | 14,126 | 24,832 | 30,181 |
| August | 17,130 | 14,258 | 14,152 | 23,405 | 29,876 |
| September | 17,498 | 15,140 | 12,661 | 22,062 | 28,359 |
| October | | 16,598 | 16,101 | 22,806 | 31,303 |
| November | | 18,544 | 14,354 | 22,035 | 29,826 |
| December | | 9,783 | 13,641 | 16,245 | 25,875 |
| TOTAL - Calendar Year | | 167,301 | 161,089 | (a) 271,695 | (a) 330,264 |
| TOTAL - Nine Months ending SEPTEMBER. | 131,831 | 122,376 | 116,993 | (a) 210,609 | (a) 243,260 |

(a) Includes commercial salt and the salt content of brine used for chemical purposes.

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