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MONTHLY REPORT

FELDSPAR AND SALT PRODUCTION IN CANADA - APRIL, 1937.

FELDSPAR - Canadian producers shipped 1,048 tons of feldspar during April as compared with 2,061 tons in March and 825 tons in April, 1936, according to a statement just issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa. During the first four months of 1937, shipments aggregated 5,824 tons; in the corresponding period a year ago 3,541 tons were shipped.

Ground feldspar importations in April were recorded at 104 tons appraised at \$1,728; in March, 46 tons worth \$758 were imported. Customs records show that 437 tons of ground feldspar at \$7,333 were imported during the first four months of the current year as against 156 tons valued at \$3,041, a year ago.

PRODUCTION OF FELDSPAR IN CANADA

Month	1937(a)	1936(a)	1935
	Tons	Tons	Tons
January	1,177	901	819
February	1,538	937	635
March	2,061	878	873
April	1,048	825	552
May		1,229	1,136
June		2,565	1,907
July		2,859	2,660
August		1,910	1,923
September		2,749	1,169
October		2,245	1,701
November		1,820	3,165
December		1,500	1,202
TOTAL - CALENDAR YEAR		(b)20,418	17,742
TOTAL - FOUR MONTHS ending APRIL ...	5,824	3,541	2,879

(a) Subject to revision.

(b) The 1936 figures include some shipments of nepheline syenite.

SALT - Commercial salt shipments from Canadian plants in April were recorded at 26,101 tons; in the preceding month 13,504 tons were shipped, while in April, a year ago, 16,064 tons were shipped. Shipments during the four months ending April totalled 63,221 tons as compared with 52,150 tons a year ago.

Exports of salt from Canada in April declined to 293 tons from the March total of 808 tons.

Imports of salt in April advanced to 8,161 tons appraised at \$26,734; the preceding month's importations amounted to 7,005 tons at \$19,734. Receipts of table salt in April were recorded at 4 tons, of salt for sea or gulf fisheries, 2,880 tons, of salt in bulk, n. o. p., 4,073 tons and of other salt in bage, barrels and other coverings, 1,204 tons. The United States accounted for 60.3 per cent of the April importations, Great Britain, 15.0 per cent, French Africa, 13.5 per cent and British West Indies, 11.2 per cent.

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Year	Population	Area
1630	100	100
1640	200	200
1650	300	300
1660	400	400
1670	500	500
1680	600	600
1690	700	700
1700	800	800
1710	900	900
1720	1000	1000
1730	1100	1100
1740	1200	1200
1750	1300	1300
1760	1400	1400
1770	1500	1500
1780	1600	1600
1790	1700	1700
1800	1800	1800

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PRODUCTION OF COMMERCIAL SALT IN CANADA

Month	1937(a)	1936(a)	1935
	Tons	Tons	Tons
January	11,910	11,013	11,189
February	11,706	11,662	10,905
March	13,504	13,411	13,860
April	26,101	16,064	21,509
May		27,016	22,857
June		19,257	16,510
July		20,962	23,841
August		19,726	15,786
September		19,404	18,225
October		22,496	20,400
November		30,205	26,505
December		14,305	13,323
TOTAL - CALENDAR YEAR		225,521	214,910
TOTAL - FOUR MONTHS ending APRIL	63,221	52,150	57,463

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