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Stocks of Raw Hides and Skins in Canada

June, 1940

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics presents herewith one of a series of monthly reports based on information secured for the Wartime Prices and Trade Board showing stocks of raw hides and skins on hand in Canada. The figures contained in the table represent the total domestic and foreign stocks held at the end of the month by tanners, packing plants and dealers in hides and skins. Domestic hides and skins in transit to these firms are included. Foreign hides and skins in transit to Camadian firms are not included but are mentioned separately in a footnote to the table.

Stocks of raw cattle hides held by tanners, packers and dealers in Canada amounted to 650,075 at the end of June, 1940 compared with 667,272 hides at the end of May, 1940 and 689,008 hides at the end of April. Total stocks on hand at the end of June were made up of 569,726 hides of domestic origin and 80,349 hides of foreign origin. The domestic stocks included 364,695 packer and 205,031 country hides.

Calf and kip skins on hand increased from 513,719 at the end of May to 652,743 at the end of June. Stocks of other types at the end of June included 54,723 dozen sheep and lamb skins, 7,894 goat and kid skins and 16,725 horse hides.

Stocks on Hand

	April 30, 1940 "Revised"		May 31, 1940		June 30, 1940	
Cattle Hides - Domestic Packer Country Domestic, Total Foreign Cattle Hides, Total	363,549 206,497	570,046 118,962 689,008	365,037 197,672	562,709 104,563 667,272	364,695 205,031	569,726 80,349 650,075
Calf and Kip Skins - Domestic Packer Country Domestic, Total Foreign Calf and Kip Skins, Total	195,344	386,659 108,208 494,867	221,409 217,550	438,959 74,760 513,719	273,710 311,106	584,816 67,927 652,743
Sheep and Lamb Skins - (doz.)	Page 10 cm and a complete page 10 and	65,069		66,904		54,723
Goat and Kid Skins		48,171		22,465		7,894
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Note: In addition, foreign raw hides in transit to Canadian tanners were reported at 3,000 cattle hides and 4,048 calf skins at the end of April, 16,948 cattle hides and 12,081 calf skins at the end of May, and 12,723 cattle hides at the end of June, No calf skins were reported for this month.



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