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STOCKS OF RAW HIDES AND SKINS IN CANADA

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The Dominion Bureau of Statistics presents herewith one of a series of month-ly 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. Figures in the tables include all domestic stocks in transit to Canadian firms and also any sheep and lamb skins, goat and kid skins of foreign origin which may be in transit. The figures do not include foreign cattle hides, calf or kip skins in transit to Canadian firms but such items are mentioned in a footnote to the table.

Stocks of raw cattle hides held by tanners, packers, and dealers in Canada amounted to 552,513 at the end of November, 1941, compared with 538,763 at the end of October, 1941, and 609,294 at the end of November, 1940. Total stocks on hand at the end of November, 1941, were made up of 464,907 hides of domestic origin and 87,606 hides of foreign origin. The domestic stock included 362,133 packer or small packer and 102,744 country hides.

Calf and Kip skins on hand decreased from 631,147 at the end of October, 1941, to 604,806 at the end of November, 1941. Stocks of other types at the end of November, 1941, included 74,978 dozen sheep and lamb skins, 237,950 goat and kid skins, and 30,086 horse hides.

Stocks on hand

| | November | 30, 1940 | October 31, 1941 | | November 30, 1941 | |
|-------------------------------|--|------------------------------|--|-------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|
| Cattle Hides - Domestic | 346,428 172,413 | 518,841 90,453 609,294 | 331,312 98,794 | 430,106 108,657 538,763 | 362,133 102,744 | 464,907 87,606 552,513 |
| Calf and Kip Skins - Domestic | 288;177 265,227 | 553,404 86,526 639,930 | 255,872 263,377 | 519,249 111,898 631,147 | 236,411 261,927 | 498,338 106,468 604,806 |
| Shoep and Lamb Skins - (doz.) | The state of the s | 74,904 | Top one of the state of the sta | 78,393 | | 74,978 |
| Goat and Kid Skins | | 80,653 | | 115,562 | | 237,950 |
| Horse Hides | max v extragger | 21,341 | | 24,959 | | 30,086 |

Note: In addition to the figures reported above, raw stocks of foreign origin in transit to Canadian tanners included 14,078 cattle hides at the end of November, 1940, 13,605 at the end of October, 1941, and 28,083 at the end of November, 1941. At the end of November, 1941, no calf skins of foreign origin in transit to Canadian tanners were reported.



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