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## RAW HIDES, SKINS and FINISHED LEATHER

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Table 1 - Receipts\* by Tanners of Raw Hides and Skins

	March		Three months ended March	
	1958	1959	1958	1959
	(Number of skins)			
<u>Cattle hides:</u>				
Domestic - Packer .....	106,980	98,264	318,298	318,985
- Country .....	38,426	41,042	109,463	110,885
Imported .....	25,088	58,314	131,354	180,955
Total cattle hides .....	170,494	197,620	559,115	610,825
<u>Calf &amp; Kip skins*</u>				
Domestic - Packer .....	7,955	8,010	48,119	50,401
- Country .....	8,108	5,936	12,230	13,461
Imported .....	88,141	77,184	191,263	158,354
Total calf & kip skins ..	104,204	91,130	251,612	222,216
Sheep and Lamb skins** .....	1,221	1,567	17,451	9,528

\* 1958 figures as reported by Tanners. 1959 figures arrived at by subtracting opening inventory from total of wettings and closing inventory.

\*\* Sheep and lamb skins reported in dozens of skins.

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Table 2 - Stocks of Raw Hides and Skins held by Packers, Dealers and Tanners.

On Hand	Held by			TOTAL
	Packers	Dealers	Tanners	
(Number of skins)				
<u>March 31, 1958</u>				
Cattle hides:				
Domestic - Packer .....	222,608	1,240	112,654	336,502
- Country .....	45,533	6,110	46,457	98,100
Imported .....	-	-	45,522	45,522
Total cattle hides .....	268,141	7,350	204,633	480,124
Calf and kip skins:				
Domestic - Packer .....	108,751	110	10,689	119,550
- Country .....	17,979	8,580	6,991	33,550
Imported .....	-	-	172,814	172,814
Total calf and kip skins ..	126,730	8,690	190,494	325,914
Sheep and lamb skins* .....	17,136	62	35,956	53,154
Goat skins .....	-	59	18,603	18,662
Horsehides .....	4,057	101	-	4,158
All other hides and skins .....	3,389	16	-	3,405
<u>March 31, 1959</u>				
Cattle hides:				
Domestic - Packer .....	135,039	56,535	102,488	294,062
- Country .....	506	54,466	29,006	83,978
Imported .....	-	2,872	57,398	60,270
Total cattle hides .....	135,545	113,873	188,892	438,310
Calf and kip skins:				
Domestic - Packer .....	39,487	42,190	8,922	90,599
- Country .....	617	18,580	2,899	22,096
Imported .....	-	1,931	101,588	103,519
Total calf and kip skins ..	40,104	62,701	113,409	216,214
Sheep and lamb skins* .....	9,187	30,011	18,374	57,572
Goat skins .....	-	237	69,106	69,343
Horsehides .....	5	5,745	6	5,756
All other hides and skins .....	1,308	1,786	-	3,094

\* Sheep and lamb skins reported in dozens of skins.

Note - See Table 6 for revisions on January and February stocks.

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Table 3 - Wettings of Raw Hides and Skins

	March		Three months ended March	
	1958	1959	1958	1959
	(Number of skins)			
<b>Cattle hides:</b>				
Domestic - Packer .....	101,330	87,687	306,299	288,664**
- Country .....	43,538	41,484	112,717	105,567
Imported .....	40,898	55,267	133,382	155,148
Total cattle hides .....	185,766	184,438	552,398	549,379**
<b>Calf and kip skins:</b>				
Domestic - Packer .....	22,415	22,418	108,406	74,356
- Country .....	2,721	4,387	15,320	18,002
Imported .....	53,731	40,308	178,556	148,336
Total calf and kip skins .	78,867	67,113	302,282	240,694
Sheep and lamb skins* .....	6,523	3,307	19,959	15,935

\* Sheep and lamb skins reported in dozens of skins.

\*\* Revised - 2 months ended February should read; Domestic-Packer, 200,977, Total Cattle Hides, 364,941.

Table 4 - Production, Deliveries and Stocks of Finished Leather

	Unit of measure	Production	Deliveries		On hand at end of month
			Domestic	Export	
<u>March, 1958</u>					
<b>Cattle leather:</b>					
Sole leather .....	pounds	842,637	983,009	29,578	2,518,399
Upper leather* .....	sq. ft.	5,119,981	3,376,802	1,451,375	4,002,048**
Glove and garment leather..	sq. ft.	694,146	541,064	87,747	1,514,435
All other cattle leather in case strap, etc.:					
(a) reported in sq. ft. ..	sq. ft.		Not Available		
(b) reported in pounds ...	pounds		Not Available		
Calf and kip skins upper ....	sq. ft.	897,557	531,220	232,688	2,020,658**
Sheep and lamb leather .....	doz. skins	5,756	5,466	-	11,292
<u>March, 1959</u>					
<b>Cattle leather:</b>					
Sole leather .....	pounds	1,137,045	1,239,167	75,521	2,023,296**
Upper leather* .....	sq. ft.	6,050,136	5,287,186	1,177,392	3,293,201
Glove and garment leather .	sq. ft.	671,542	404,340	280,480	1,091,797
All other cattle leather in case strap, etc.:					
(a) reported in sq. ft. ..	sq. ft.	497,751	457,379	38,026	197,577
(b) reported in pounds ...	pounds	93,409	91,853	2,592	5,195**
Calf and kip skins upper ....	sq. ft.	737,350	476,447	299,519	1,266,950
Sheep and lamb leather** ....	doz. skins	6,479	6,145	-	7,173

\* Includes overweight kip and patent leather.

\*\* Physical inventory adjustments.



Table 5 - Cumulative, Production and Deliveries of Finished Leather

	Unit of measure	Production	Deliveries	
			Domestic	Export
<u>Three months ended March, 1958</u>				
Cattle leather:				
Sole leather .....	pounds	2,826,098	2,951,497	227,432
Upper leather* .....	sq. ft.	15,495,015	11,518,690	4,361,302
Glove and garment leather ..	sq. ft.	1,841,867	1,535,164	428,879
All other cattle leather in case strap, etc.:				
(a) reported in sq. ft. ...	sq. ft.		Not Available	
(b) reported in pounds ....	pounds		Not Available	
Calf and kip skins upper .....	sq. ft.	3,220,637	1,858,216	1,097,480
Sheep and lamb leather .....	doz. skins	15,215	13,613	-
<u>Three months ended March, 1959</u>				
Cattle leather:				
Sole leather .....	pounds	3,383,685	3,422,738	106,588
Upper leather* .....	sq. ft.	17,082,445	14,679,517	3,318,857
Glove and garment leather ..	sq. ft.	2,121,085	1,367,225	720,917
All other cattle leather in case strap, etc.:				
(a) reported in sq. ft. ...	sq. ft.	1,348,054	1,266,665	141,186
(b) reported in pounds ....	pounds	109,414	109,654	2,592
Calf and kip skins upper .....	sq. ft.	2,737,878	1,703,512	1,000,026
Sheep and lamb leather .....	doz. skins	18,062	18,794	-

\* Includes overweight kip and patent leather.

Table 6 - Revised Stocks of Raw Hides and Skins held by Packers and Dealers

On Hand	January 31, 1959		February 28, 1959	
	Packers	Dealers	Packers	Dealers
(Number of skins)				
Cattle hides:				
Domestic - Packers .....	142,393	63,056	132,342	59,835
Country .....	1,471	61,476	1,349	56,490
Imported .....	-	2,848	1,644	2,518
Total cattle hides .....	143,864	127,380	135,335	118,843
Calf and kip skins:				
Domestic - Packer .....	41,772	29,230	36,255	35,896
Country .....	766	13,297	737	14,828
Imported .....	-	2,589	-	808
Total calf and kip skins	42,538	45,116	36,992	51,532
Sheep and lamb skins ★ .....	8,247	21,945	8,037	24,233
Goat skins .....	-	507	-	530
Horsehides .....	17	6,433	20	5,349
All other hides and skins ....	523	6,687	926	6,772

★ Sheep and lamb skins reported in dozens of skins.

REVISED LIST OF REPORTING FIRMS

Dealers\*

Bellick & Naiman	Toronto, Ontario
Bissinger & Company	Vancouver, British Columbia
The Blyth Woollen Mills	Blyth, Ontario
The Canadian Hide & Fur Co.	Yorkton, Saskatchewan
The Colonial Hide Company	Windsor, Ontario
Darling & Company of Canada	Charham, Ontario
Davis Enterprises (Alberta) Ltd.	Lethbridge, Alberta
The Halford Hide & Fur Co. Ltd.	Edmonton, Alberta
Katz Brothers	Prince Albert, Saskatchewan
Laurier Packers Ltd.	Montreal, Quebec
J. E. Love & Sons Ltd.	Calgary, Alberta
Martin & Steward Ltd.	Montreal, Quebec
Frank Massin & Son Ltd.	Brandon, Manitoba
N. Miller & Sons Ltd.	Cornwall, Ontario
Pearlman & Goldberg	Toronto, Ontario
R. S. Robinson's Sons Co. Ltd.	Winnipeg, Manitoba
Safford Bros. Ltd.	Montreal, Quebec
Schaeffer Bros. Inc.	Drummondville, Quebec
The Sherbrooke Hide Co. Ltd.	Sherbrooke, Quebec
Simpson & Lea	Calgary, Alberta
R. Singer Hides Skins Wool & Raw Furs Ltd.	Ottawa, Ontario
B. B. Smith	Toronto, Ontario
The St. Boniface Hide & Wool Co. Ltd.	St. Boniface, Manitoba
The St. Louis Hide & Fur Company	Toronto, Ontario
C. W. Upham	Sussex, New Brunswick
The Western Hide & Fur Company	Swift Current, Saskatchewan
Wyman Hide & Fur Co. Ltd.	Edmonton, Alberta

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\* These firms listed as "packers" in January, 1959 bulletin are now classed as "dealers". For revisions to January and February stocks, see Table 6 on Page 4.





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