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RAW HIDES, SKINS AND FINISHED LEATHER

May, 1961

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TABLE 1. Receipts by Tanners of Raw Hides and Skins

	May		Five months ended May	
	1960	1961	1960	1961
	number			
<u>Cattle hides:</u>				
Domestic - Packer	48,294	88,474	389,443	487,381
Country	37,249	32,507	178,214	142,608
Imported	25,482	41,074	177,690	323,000
Total cattle hides	111,025	162,055	745,347	942,989
<u>Calf & kip skins:</u>				
Domestic - Packer	35,366	19,619	85,492	54,628
Country	5,786	5,367	33,677	31,975
Imported	77,491	64,766	267,781	293,977
Total calf & kip skins	118,643	89,752	386,950	380,580
Sheep and lamb skins(1)	6,271	5,949	33,637	36,299

(1) 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				
<u>May 31, 1960</u>				
Cattle hides:				
Domestic - Packer	163,606	78,445	87,598	329,649
Country	6,538	51,506	30,467	88,511
Imported	-	250	51,549	51,799
Total cattle hides	170,144	130,201	169,614	469,959
Calf and kip skins:				
Domestic - Packer	65,201	52,961	51,207	169,369
Country	1,008	28,202	10,752	39,962
Imported	-	1,596	164,910	166,506
Total calf and kip skins	66,209	82,759	226,869	375,837
Sheep and lamb skins(1)	9,090	15,935	28,570	53,595
Goat skins	-	334	26,844	27,178
Horsehides	11	2,499	-	2,510
All other hides and skins	331	1,347	-	1,678
<u>May 31, 1961</u>				
Cattle hides:				
Domestic - Packer	134,654	63,614	68,144	266,412
Country	5,728	41,690	24,507	71,925
Imported	-	983	54,842	55,825
Total cattle hides	140,382	106,287	147,493	394,162
Calf and kip skins:				
Domestic - Packer	56,666	38,301	25,475	120,442
Country	2,288	36,267	9,799	48,354
Imported	-	-	175,150	175,150
Total calf and kip skins	58,954	74,568	210,424	343,946
Sheep and lamb skins(1)	9,926	17,654	32,149	59,729
Goat skins	-	1,769	47,663	49,432
Horsehides	6	4,096	2	4,104
All other hides and skins	190	1,033	9,708	10,931

(1) Sheep and lamb skins reported in dozens of skins.

TABLE 3. Wettings of Raw Hides and Skins

	May		Five months ended May	
	1960	1961	1960	1961
	number			
Cattle hides:				
Domestic - Packer	56,926	106,215	387,555	504,341
Country	37,401	35,552	179,123	149,240
Imported	28,279	64,287	172,339	330,186
Total cattle hides	122,606	206,054	739,017	983,767
Calf and kip skins:				
Domestic - Packer	11,633	15,985	65,238	73,607
Country	2,513	1,373	28,086	36,027
Imported	46,457	58,847	199,813	226,489
Total calf and kip skins	60,603	76,205	293,137	336,123
Sheep and lamb skins(1)	7,531	8,914	36,839	35,015

(1) Sheep and lamb skins reported in dozens of skins.

TABLE 4. Production, Deliveries and Stocks of Finished Leather

	Production	Deliveries		On hand at end of month
		Domestic	Export	
<u>May, 1960</u>				
Cattle leather:				
Sole leather	pounds 641,727	551,514	10,309	2,444,381
Upper leather(1)	sq. ft. 3,597,962	2,869,827	912,157	4,385,489
Glove and garment leather ..	sq. ft. 346,186	190,591	48,770	801,548
Splits, all types:				
(a) reported in sq. ft.	sq. ft. ..	..	..	..
(b) reported in pounds	pounds ..	..	..	..
All other cattle leather in case, strap, etc.:				
(a) upholstery, specialty, luggage, etc.	sq. ft. ..	..	..	..
(b) harness, lace, etc.	pounds ..	..	..	..
Calf and kip skins, upper	sq. ft. 712,503	527,047	201,650	2,241,516
Sheep and lamb leather	doz. skins 6,733	7,028	-	8,398
<u>May, 1961</u>				
Cattle leather:				
Sole leather	pounds 799,818	802,979	3,539	1,859,603(2)
Upper leather(1)	sq. ft. 6,520,600	4,908,332	1,669,080	4,759,305(2)
Glove and garment leather ..	sq. ft. 288,996	245,567	4,722	544,239(2)
Splits, all types:				
(a) reported in sq. ft.	sq. ft. 1,527,149	1,486,645	167,027	2,201,324(2)
(b) reported in pounds	pounds 122,687	148,676	-	25,369(2)
All other cattle leather in case, strap, etc.:				
(a) upholstery, specialty, luggage, etc.	sq. ft. 685,963	476,755	-	1,765,444
(b) harness, lace, etc.	pounds 16,868	16,868	-	90
Calf and kip skins, upper	sq. ft. 950,978	620,576	298,099	2,012,349
Sheep and lamb leather	doz skins 7,968	8,019	-	6,939(2)

(1) Includes overweight kip and patent leather.

(2) Physical inventory adjustment
.. Figures not available.

TABLE 5. Cumulative, Production and Deliveries of Finished Leather

		Production	Deliveries	
			Domestic	Export
<u>Five months ended May, 1960</u>				
Cattle leather:				
Sole leather	pounds	4,065,410	3,220,471	88,183
Upper leather(1)	sq. ft.	19,845,217	15,212,338	4,420,657
Glove and garment leather	sq. ft.	2,364,929	1,405,266	744,211
Splits, all types:				
(a) reported in sq. ft.	sq. ft.	..	..	..
(b) reported in pounds	pounds	..	..	..
All other cattle leather in case, strap, etc.:				
(a) upholstery, specialty, luggage, etc.	sq. ft.	..	..	..
(b) harness, lace, etc.	pounds	..	..	..
Calf and kip skins, upper	sq. ft.	3,794,605	2,407,964	846,486
Sheep and lamb leather	doz.skina	34,621	37,455	-

Five months ended May, 1961

Cattle leather:				
Sole leather *.	pounds	3,849,874	3,777,045	118,916
Upper leather(1)	sq. ft.	31,341,704	23,587,885	7,328,626
Glove and garment leather	sq. ft.	1,673,847	1,447,076	301,767
Splits, all types:				
(a) reported in sq. ft.	sq. ft.	7,455,842	7,165,564	413,856
(b) reported in pounds	pounds	571,284	572,994	-
All other cattle leather in case, strap, etc.				
(a) upholstery, specialty, luggage, etc.	sq. ft.	2,943,690	2,469,901	15,466
(b) harness, lace, etc.	pounds	94,377	94,287	-
Calf and kip skins, upper	sq. ft.	4,358,523	3,007,393	1,401,538
Sheep and lamb leather	doz.skina	32,200	35,603	174

(1) Includes overweight Kip and Patent Leather.

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* Includes Revisions to date.