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RAW HIDES, SKINS AND FINISHED LEATHER

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TABLE 1. Receipts and Wettings by Tanners of Raw Hides and Skins

	Receipts		Wettings	
	1962	1963	1962	1963
				number
<u>March</u>				
Cattle hides:				
Domestic - Packer	120,777	103,143	128,195	101,941
Country	29,711	22,309	24,317	29,050
Imported	52,021	42,331	53,792	52,219
Total cattle hides	202,509	167,783	206,304	183,210
Calf and kip skins:				
Domestic - Packer	15,443	(2)	15,671	(2)
Country	3,718	(2)	6,531	(2)
Imported	42,269	(2)	41,280	(2)
Total calf and kip skins ...	61,430	(2)	63,482	(2)
Sheep and lamb skins(1)	8,529 ^F	11,202	6,639	10,873
<u>Three months ended March</u>				
Cattle hides:				
Domestic - Packer	365,749	340,976	375,582	354,672
Country	84,781	84,679	73,558	92,910
Imported	160,092	146,107	165,831	163,116
Total cattle hides	610,622	571,762	614,971	520,698
Calf and kip skins:				
Domestic - Packer	41,655	(2)	53,419	(2)
Country	14,595	(2)	25,182	(2)
Imported	86,032	(2)	111,364	(2)
Total calf and kip skins ...	142,282	(2)	189,965	(2)
Sheep and lamb skins(1)	29,403 ^F	38,159	23,851	38,145

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

(2) Confidential.

^F Revised figures.

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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	
<u>March 31, 1962</u>				
Cattle hides:				
Domestic - Packer	93,564	65,059	93,953	252,576
Country	3,227	51,584	31,349	86,160
Imported	-	-	58,687	58,687
Total cattle hides	96,791	116,643	183,989	397,423
Calf and kip skins:				
Domestic - Packer	34,502	60,791	(2)	95,293
Country	789	24,967	(2)	25,756
Imported	-	79,639	(2)	79,639
Total calf and kip skins ...	35,291	165,397	(2)	200,688
Sheep and lamb skins(1)	5,513	14,978 ^r	35,847 ^r	56,338
Goat skins	-	17,380	14,004	31,384
Horsehides	-	4,363	-	4,363
All other hides and skins	692	4,649	280	5,621
<u>March 31, 1963</u>				
Cattle hides:				
Domestic - Packer	81,140	90,723	86,044	257,907
Country	4,674	58,028	28,383	91,085
Imported	-	(3)	68,116(4)	68,116
Total cattle hides	85,814	148,751	182,543	417,108
Calf and kip skins:				
Domestic - Packer	26,201	73,701	(2)	99,902
Country	169	33,798	(2)	33,967
Imported	-	46,086	(2)	46,086
Total calf and kip skins ...	26,370	153,585	(2)	179,955
Sheep and lamb skins(1)	7,876	12,333	27,846	48,055
Goat skins	-	20,347	15,916	36,263
Horsehides	-	5,378	2	5,380
All other hides and skins	381	5,073	-	5,454

(1) Sheep and lamb skins reported in dozens of skins. (2) Included with dealers.
 (3) Small amount included with tanners. (4) Includes small amount of cattle hides held by dealer. ^r Revised figures.

TABLE 3. Production, Deliveries and Stocks of Finished Leather

		Production during month	Deliveries during month		On hand at end of month
			Domestic	Export	
<u>March 1962</u>					
Cattle leather:					
Sole leather(1)	lb.	986,920	841,016	33,303	1,484,737
Upper leather(2)	sq. ft.	6,833,566	5,109,956	1,390,240 ^F	5,374,838
Glove and garment leather	"	476,068	281,403	226,058	736,275
Splits, all types:					
Sold by the sq. ft.	sq. ft.	2,097,667	1,912,089	254,047 ^F	1,811,620
Sold by the pound	lb.	139,653	73,069	70,562	51,261
All other cattle leather: (3)					
Upholstery, specialty, luggage, etc. ...	sq. ft.	329,085	344,569	3,507	26,150
Harness, lace, etc.	lb.	42,452	28,096	7,770	36,703
Calf and kip skins, upper	sq. ft.	(4)	(4)	(4)	(4)
Sheep and lamb leather	doz. skins	7,608	8,272	40	6,417
<u>March 1963</u>					
Cattle leather:					
Sole leather(1)	lb.	609,118	680,347	42,313	1,536,005(5)
Upper leather(2)	sq. ft.	6,191,696	5,027,529	1,364,555	5,408,040(5)
Glove and garment leather	"	492,799	235,682	120,419	784,742
Splits, all types:					
Sold by the sq. ft.	sq. ft.	1,885,505	1,788,419	160,582	1,822,715
Sold by the pound	lb.	78,654	88,818	33,600	65,691
All other cattle leather: (3)					
Upholstery, specialty, luggage, etc. ...	sq. ft.	255,627	275,122	10,234	61,965
Harness, lace, etc.	lb.	39,133	31,570	6,967	16,028
Calf and kip skins, upper	sq. ft.	(4)	(4)	(4)	(4)
Sheep and lamb leather	doz. skins	8,741	8,471	-	9,666

(1) Includes transfers to cut stock department in "Domestic deliveries".

(2) Includes overweight kip and patent leather.

(3) Includes case, strap, etc.

(4) Included with upper leather.

(5) Physical inventory adjustments.

^F Revised figure.

TABLE 4. Cumulative Production and Deliveries of Finished Leather

		Production	Deliveries	
			Domestic	Export
<u>Three months ended March 1962</u>				
Cattle leather:				
Sole leather(1)	lb.	2,832,709 ^r	2,443,056 ^r	56,418
Upper leather(2)	sq. ft.	20,728,274	16,224,624	4,795,873
Glove and garment leather	"	1,605,999	954,208	563,735
Splits, all types:				
Sold by the sq. ft.	sq. ft.	5,749,840	5,703,843	513,538
Sold by the pound	lb.	334,763	290,753	70,562
All other cattle leather:(3)				
Upholstery, specialty, luggage, etc.	sq. ft.	1,118,418	1,128,929	15,424
Harness, lace, etc.	lb.	125,809	95,719	22,426
Calf and kip skins, upper	sq. ft.	(4)	(4)	(4)
Sheep and lamb leather	doz. skins	22,751	22,160	40
<u>Three months ended March 1963</u>				
Cattle leather:				
Sole leather(1)	lb.	2,299,209	2,204,246	90,342
Upper leather(2)	sq. ft.	19,855,382	15,401,745	4,549,708
Glove and garment leather	"	1,522,093	923,247	324,272
Splits, all types:				
Sold by the sq. ft.	sq. ft.	5,706,320	5,285,948	298,365
Sold by the pound	lb.	271,963	195,337	100,100
All other cattle leather:(3)				
Upholstery, specialty, luggage, etc.	sq. ft.	800,124	790,623	26,438
Harness, lace, etc.	lb.	107,121	93,584	23,668
Calf and kip skins, upper	sq. ft.	(4)	(4)	(4)
Sheep and lamb leather	doz. skins	25,535	23,961	7

(1) Includes transfers to cut stock department in "Domestic deliveries".

(2) Includes overweight kip and patent leather.

(3) Includes case, strap, etc.

(4) Included with upper leather.

^r Revised figures.

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