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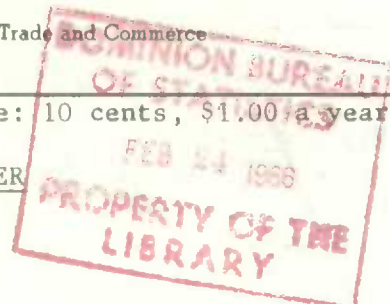
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RAW HIDES, SKINS AND FINISHED LEATHER

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About the middle of 1964, it was discovered that this monthly survey was deficient in coverage with regard to the stocks of raw hides and skins held by domestic packers. Steps were taken to bring the missing firms into the survey and the necessary monthly inventory holdings were obtained for each month of 1964. The addition of these new firms to the survey, effective with January, 1965, accounts for the revisions to the 1964 inventory data shown in this report.

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

	Receipts		Wettings	
	1964 <sup>r</sup>	1965	1964 <sup>r</sup>	1965
<u>December</u>	number			
Cattle hides:				
Domestic - Packer .....	157,781	162,324	161,288	155,112
Country .....	16,907	5,269	11,613	5,662
Imported .....	58,864	48,598	58,422	54,029
Total cattle hides .....	233,552	216,191	231,323	214,803
Sheep and lamb skins(1) .....	8,622	3,710	8,157	5,966
<u>Twelve months ended December</u>				
Cattle hides:				
Domestic - Packer .....	1,693,063	1,566,730	1,674,481	1,583,632
Country .....	196,201	140,538	199,979	152,148
Imported .....	705,195	633,441	746,400	646,123
Total cattle hides .....	2,594,459	2,340,709	2,620,860	2,381,903
Sheep and lamb skins(1) .....	100,998	72,754	97,165	73,824

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

<sup>r</sup> Revised figures.February 1966  
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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>December 31, 1964<sup>r</sup></u>				
Cattle hides:				
Domestic - Packer .....	93,297	118,015	105,962	317,274
Country .....	922	56,156	21,294	78,372
Imported .....	-	(3)	66,881	66,881
Total cattle hides .....	94,219	174,171	194,137	462,527
Calf and kip skins:				
Domestic - Packer .....	38,929	86,378	(2)	125,307
Country .....	131	28,295	(2)	28,426
Imported .....	-	36,342	(2)	36,342
Total calf and kip skins ...	39,060	151,015	(2)	190,075
Sheep and lamb skins(1) .....	8,009	20,777	21,702	50,488
Goat skins .....	-	768	58,260	59,028
Horsehides .....	-	6,078	200	6,278
All other hides and skins .....	171	17,336	-	17,507
<u>December 31, 1965</u>				
Cattle hides:				
Domestic - Packer .....	89,121	129,498	89,060	307,679
Country .....	993	52,914	9,684	63,591
Imported .....	-	700	49,599	50,299
Total cattle hides .....	90,114	183,112	148,343	421,569
Calf and kip skins:				
Domestic - Packer .....	39,445	89,254	(2)	128,699
Country .....	60	22,988	(2)	23,048
Imported .....	-	37,906	(2)	37,906
Total calf and kip skins ...	39,505	150,148	(2)	189,653
Sheep and lamb skins(1) .....	4,517	6,358	20,632	31,507
Goat skins .....	-	77	54,960	55,037
Horsehides .....	-	7,900	1,802	9,702
All other hides and skins .....	176	15,634	-	15,810

(1) Sheep and lamb skins reported in dozens of skins. (2) Included with Dealers.  
 (3) Small amount included with Tanners. <sup>r</sup> 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>December 31, 1964</u>					
Cattle leather:					
Sole leather(1) .....	lb.	921,367	606,206	39,906	1,475,494
Upper leather(2) .....	sq. ft.	7,064,678	5,076,702	1,555,106	6,039,825
Glove and garment leather .....	"	429,168	220,378	68,012	400,157
Splits, all types:					
Sold by the sq. ft. ....	sq. ft.	2,327,502	1,969,347	232,579	1,438,018
Sold by the pound .....	lb.	90,900	76,757	-	38,693
All other cattle leather:(3)					
Upholstery, specialty, luggage, etc. ...	sq. ft.	273,370	206,838	29,437	95,834
Harness, lace, etc. ....	lb.	47,026	30,900	15,883	23,055
Calf and kip skins, upper .....	sq. ft.	(4)	(4)	(4)	(4)
Sheep and lamb leather .....	doz. skins	7,430	7,087	-	6,811
<u>December 31, 1965</u>					
Cattle leather:					
Sole leather(1) .....	lb.	679,053	612,715	111,912	2,032,151
Upper leather(2) .....	sq. ft.	6,735,359	4,988,861	1,267,879	4,906,981
Glove and garment leather .....	"	718,978	613,022	103,660	212,767
Splits, all types:					
Sold by the sq. ft. ....	sq. ft.	2,171,728	2,095,125	118,044	643,280
Sold by the pound .....	lb.	132,835	121,217	26,660	7,566
All other cattle leather:(3)					
Upholstery, specialty, luggage, etc. ...	sq. ft.	309,458	268,696	16,296	76,789
Harness, lace, etc. ....	lb.	44,377	26,300	15,993	36,405
Calf and kip skins, upper .....	sq. ft.	(4)	(4)	(4)	(4)
Sheep and lamb leather .....	doz. skins	7,262	7,807	-	7,837

(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.

TABLE 4. Cumulative Production and Deliveries of Finished Leather

		Production	Deliveries	
			Domestic	Export
<u>Twelve months ended December 1964</u>				
Cattle leather:				
Sole leather(1) .....	lb.	9,265,187	8,638,572	454,175
Upper leather(2) .....	sq. ft.	84,092,714	63,218,196	19,730,776
Glove and garment leather .....	"	5,044,148	3,691,385	1,510,834
Splits, all types:				
Sold by the sq. ft. ....	sq. ft.	25,745,217	23,266,767	2,523,728
Sold by the pound .....	lb.	1,044,297	1,002,805	45,315
All other cattle leather:(3)				
Upholstery, specialty, luggage, etc. ....	sq. ft.	3,621,144	3,523,241	103,057
Harness, lace, etc. ....	lb.	446,941	348,146	107,331
Calf and kip skins, upper .....	sq. ft.	(4)	(4)	(4)
Sheep and lamb leather .....	doz. skins	83,187	83,216	648
<u>Twelve months ended December 1965</u>				
Cattle leather:				
Sole leather(1) .....	lb.	9,468,040	7,877,798	1,033,585
Upper leather(2) .....	sq. ft.	75,237,726	59,817,071	16,538,203
Glove and garment leather .....	"	6,991,579	5,743,326	1,435,643
Splits, all types:				
Sold by the sq. ft. ....	sq. ft.	25,227,107	24,408,071	1,613,774
Sold by the pound .....	lb.	1,298,797	1,237,461	92,463
All other cattle leather:(3)				
Upholstery, specialty, luggage, etc. ....	sq. ft.	3,713,009	3,577,620	154,434
Harness, lace, etc. ....	lb.	491,340	339,687	138,303
Calf and kip skins, upper .....	sq. ft.	(4)	(4)	(4)
Sheep and lamb leather .....	doz. skins	74,747	73,651	70

(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.

