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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	
	1965	1966	1965	1966
	number			
<u>May</u>				
Cattle hides:				
Domestic - Packer	104,022	92,680	128,233	89,365
Country	13,806	6,552	14,811	7,199
Imported	63,417	111,246	64,413	95,710
Total cattle hides	181,245	210,478	207,457	192,274
Sheep and lamb skins(1)	4,917	1,201	6,605	5,289
<u>Five months ended May</u>				
Cattle hides:				
Domestic - Packer	579,660	526,136	621,813	577,030
Country	69,009	35,878(2)	78,995	43,188
Imported	322,559	383,286(3)	324,688	360,640
Total cattle hides	971,228	945,300	1,025,496	980,858
Sheep and lamb skins(1)	29,954	20,020	35,331	25,816

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

(2) Includes revision for April which should have read 29,040

(3) Includes revision for April which should have read 272,040

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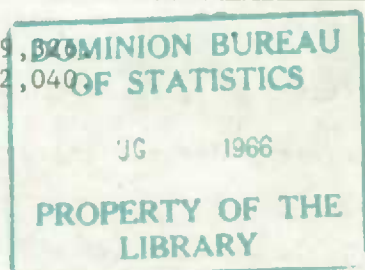


TABLE 2. Stocks of Raw Hides and Skins held by Packers, Dealers and Tanners

On hand	Held by			Total
	Packers	Dealers	Tanners	
	number			
<u>May 31, 1965</u>				
Cattle hides:				
Domestic - Packer	80,918	106,830	63,809	251,557
Country	1,456	45,530	11,308	58,294
Imported	-	(2)	60,153	60,153
Total cattle hides	82,374	152,360	135,270	370,004
Calf and kip skins:				
Domestic - Packer	53,182	86,228	(3)	139,410
Country	83	27,631	(3)	27,714
Imported	-	32,240	(3)	32,240
Total calf and kip skins ...	53,265	146,099	(3)	199,364
Sheep and lamb skins(1)	1,257	4,143	16,325	21,725
Goat skins	-	191	69,744	69,935
Horsehides	-	4,724	4,510	9,234
All other hides and skins	175	1,863	-	2,038
<u>May 31, 1966</u>				
Cattle hides:				
Domestic - Packer	85,522	109,011	38,166	232,699
Country(4)	1,863	43,082	2,374	47,319
Imported(5)	-	(2)	72,751	72,751
Total cattle hides	87,385	152,093	113,291	352,769
Calf and kip skins:				
Domestic - Packer	37,138	95,233	(3)	132,371
Country	139	20,800	(3)	20,939
Imported	-	19,397	(3)	19,397
Total calf and kip skins ...	37,277	135,430	(3)	172,707
Sheep and lamb skins(1)	1,653	6,387	14,836	22,876
Goat skins	-	601	24,072	24,673
Horsehides	-	2,953	201	3,154
All other hides and skins	445	1,769	-	2,214

(1) Sheep and lamb skins reported in dozens of skins. (2) Included with tanners.
 (3) Included with Dealers. (4) Revise April data to read: Tanners 3,021; Total 50,207.
 (5) Revise April data to read: Tanners 56,709; Total 56,709.

TABLE 3. Production, Deliveries and Stocks of Finished Leather

		Production during month	Deliveries during month		On hand at end of month
			Domestic	Export	
<u>May 31, 1965</u>					
Cattle leather:					
Sole leather(1)	lb.	652,292	560,675	138,573	1,354,386
Upper leather(2)	sq. ft.	5,900,022	4,955,423	1,270,303	5,947,224
Glove and garment leather	"	615,325	467,512	143,794	298,811
Splits, all types:					
Sold by the sq. ft.	sq. ft.	1,987,644	2,028,491	164,366	1,135,030
Sold by the pound	lb.	103,725	104,725	-	5,000
All other cattle leather:(3)					
Upholstery, specialty, luggage, etc. ...	sq. ft.	338,147	335,265	21,278	125,721
Harness, lace, etc.	lb.	38,107	30,218	9,614	29,727
Calf and kip skins, upper	sq. ft.	(4)	(4)	(4)	(4)
Sheep and lamb leather	doz. skins	6,053	6,411	-	8,066
<u>May 31, 1966</u>					
Cattle leather:					
Sole leather(1)	lb.	547,789	539,736	66,157	731,221
Upper leather(2)	sq. ft.	6,754,480	5,023,634	1,355,960	4,869,588
Glove and garment leather	"	361,214	258,563	90,093	270,791
Splits, all types:					
Sold by the sq. ft.	sq. ft.	2,217,918	2,179,605	159,100	525,093
Sold by the pound	lb.	123,271	112,348	32,000	6,964
All other cattle leather:(3)					
Upholstery, specialty, luggage, etc. ...	sq. ft.	379,335	334,464	10,479	152,832
Harness, lace, etc.	lb.	36,310	27,121	9,436	39,154
Calf and kip skins, upper	sq. ft.	(4)	(4)	(4)	(4)
Sheep and lamb leather	doz. skins	4,636	5,530	70	8,356

(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>Five months ended May 1965</u>				
Cattle leather:				
Sole leather(1)	lb.	3,906,950	3,594,732	381,132
Upper leather(2)	sq. ft.	31,397,983	24,136,598	7,353,986
Glove and garment leather	"	2,430,336	1,994,847	536,835
Splits, all types:				
Sold by the sq. ft.	sq. ft.	10,667,587	10,249,214	721,361
Sold by the pound	lb.	474,616	476,644	31,665
All other cattle leather:(3)				
Upholstery, specialty, luggage, etc.	sq. ft.	1,426,182	1,319,867	76,428
Harness, lace, etc.	lb.	191,458	141,928	42,858
Calf and kip skins, upper	sq. ft.	(4)	(4)	(4)
Sheep and lamb leather	doz. skins	34,697	33,442	-
<u>Five months ended May 1966</u>				
Cattle leather:				
Sole leather(1)	lb.	3,279,791	3,287,897	295,801
Upper leather(2)	sq. ft.	34,360,421	27,832,959	6,558,855
Glove and garment leather	"	2,289,664	1,788,213	443,427
Splits, all types:				
Sold by the sq. ft.	sq. ft.	11,002,669	10,426,376	694,480
Sold by the pound	lb.	539,377	480,879	59,100
All other cattle leather:(3)				
Upholstery, specialty, luggage, etc.	sq. ft.	1,690,934	1,572,831	42,060
Harness, lace, etc.	lb.	189,927	134,818	52,330
Calf and kip skins, upper	sq. ft.	(4)	(4)	(4)
Sheep and lamb leather	doz. skins	26,192	25,343	330

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

(2) Includes overweight kip and pstant leather.

(3) Includes case, strap, etc.

(4) Included with upper leather.

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