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STOCKS OF RAN HIDES AND SKINS IN CANADA

February, 1945

Stocks of raw cattle hides held by tanners, packers and dealers in Canada amounted to 657,434 at the end of February, 1945 compared with 630,059 at the end of January, 1945 and 467,708 at the end of February, 1944. Total stocks on hand at the end of February, 1945, were made up of 634,242 hides of domestic origin and 23,192 hides of foreign origin. The domestic stock included 464,786 packer or small packer and 169,456 country hides.

Calf and kip skins on hand decreased from 421,638 at the end of January, 1945 to 383,106 at the end of February, 1945. Stocks of other types at the end of February, 1945 included 86,542 dozen sheep and lamb skins 267,184 goat and kid skins and 24,062 horse hides.

Stocks on Hand

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	Fobruary	29, 1944	January 31, 1945		February 28, 1945		
Cattle Hides Domestic Packer Country Domestic Total Foreign Cattle Hides, Total	289,373 137,597	426,970 40,738 467,708	439,562 164,648	604,210 25,849 630,059	464,786 169,456	634,242 23,192 657,434	
Calf and Kip Skins Packer Country Domestic Total Foreign Calf and Kip Skins Total	171,885 139,173	311,058 85,373 396,431	171,667 143,580	315,247 106,391 421,638	162,564 139,294	301,873 81,233 383,106	
Sheep and Lamb Skins (Doz.) Goat and Kid Skins Horse Hides	(:	87,032 8,116(1) 35,546		97,303 280,644 2) 36,188	(86,542 267,184 3) 39,665	
	Foreign hides or skins in transit (not included in above figures)						
	Fobpuary	Fobpuary 29, 1944		January 31, 1945		February 28, 1945	
Cattle Hides Calf Skins Sheep and Lamb Skins (Doz.) Goat and Kid Skins	12,088		6,931		8,000 24,802		
	900		580 157,000		503 132,000		

⁽¹⁾ Includes 11,751 fronts and 23,795 whole hides.

⁽²⁾ Includes 11,249 fronts and 24,939 whole hides.

⁽³⁾ Includes 15,603 fronts and 24,062 whole hides.
(4) Not comparable with figures shown for 1945.



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