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STOCKS OF RAW HIDES AND SKINS IN CANADA

May, 1946

Stocks of raw cattle hides held by tanners, packers and dealers in Canada amounted to 593,226 at the end of May, 1946 compared with 681,552 at the end of April, 1946 and 643,842 at the end of May, 1945. Total stocks on hand at the end of May, 1946 were made up of 593,226 hides of domestic origin and no hides of foreign origin. The domestic stock included 414,883 packer or small packer and 178,343 country hides.

Calf and kip skins on hand increased from 419,732 at the end of April, 1946 to 466,552 at the end of May, 1946. Stocks of other types at the end of May, 1946 included 64,369 dozen sheep and lamb skins, 257,265 goat and kid skins and 17,163 horse hides.

Stocks on Hand

	May 31, 1945		April 30, 1946		May 31, 1946	
Cattle Hides --						
Domestic --						
Packer	440,161		501,989		414,883	
Country	184,085		179,563		178,343	
Domestic Total		624,246		681,552		593,226
Foreign		19,596		-		-
Cattle Hides, Total ..		643,842		681,552		593,226
Calf and Kip Skins --						
Domestic --						
Packer	228,835		213,689		255,893	
Country	260,602		159,660		181,883	
Domestic Total		489,437		373,349		437,776
Foreign		63,135		46,383		28,776
Calf and Kip Skins Total		552,572		419,732		466,552
Sheep and Lamb Skins (Doz.)		75,776		62,213		64,369
Goat and Kid Skins ...		329,853		304,241		257,265
Horse Hides		(1) 40,749		(2) 45,728		(3) 40,610

Foreign hides or skins in transit (not included in above figures)

	May 31, 1945	April 30, 1946	May 31, 1946
Cattle Hides	-	-	-
Calf Skins	5,000	-	-
Sheep and Lamb Skins (Doz.)	-	-	-
Goat and Kid Skins ...	150,152	253,144	165,136

- (1) Includes 22,343 fronts and 18,406 whole hides.
- (2) Includes 22,946 fronts and 22,782 whole hides.
- (3) Includes 23,447 fronts and 17,163 whole hides.

