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STOCKS OF RAW HIDES AND SKINS IN CANADA

September, 1946

Stocks of raw cattle hides held by tanners, packers and dealers in Canada amounted to 543,623 at the end of September, 1946 compared with 541,433 at the end of August, 1946 and 690,202 at the end of September, 1945. Total stocks on hand at the end of September, 1946 were made up of 543,623 hides of domestic origin and no hides of foreign origin. The domestic stock included 408,197 packer or small packer and 135,426 country hides.

Calf and kip skins on hand decreased from 508,188 at the end of August, 1946 to 467,984 at the end of September, 1946. Stocks of other types at the end of September, 1946 included 70,898 dozen sheep and lamb skins, 323,769 goat and kid skins and 14,154 horse hides.

Stocks on Hand

	September 30, 1945		August 31, 1946		September 30, 1946	
Cattle Hides --						
Domestic --						
Packer .....	511,367		404,813		408,197	
Country .....	176,833		136,620		135,426	
Domestic Total .....		688,200		541,433		543,623
Foreign .....		2,002		-		-
Cattle Hides, Total ..		690,202		541,433		543,623
Calf and Kip Skins --						
Domestic --						
Packer .....	263,295		263,443		257,253	
Country .....	251,667		199,299		182,085	
Domestic Total .....		534,962		462,742		439,338
Foreign .....		75		45,446		28,646
Calf and Kip Skins, Total .....		535,037		508,188		467,984
Sheep and Lamb Skins (Doz.) .....		81,458		70,327		70,898
Goat and Kid Skins ...		362,670		255,185		323,769
Horse Hides .....		(1) 19,033		(2) 32,250		(3) 21,500

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

	September 30, 1945	August 31, 1946	September 30, 1946
Cattle Hides .....	-	-	-
Calf Skins .....	-	13,420	13,420
Sheep and Lamb Skins (Doz.) .....	1,000	3,893	4,496
Goat and Kid Skins ...	116,176	68,956	156,956

(1) Includes 2,647 fronts and 16,386 whole hides.  
(2) Includes 9,380 fronts and 22,870 whole hides.  
(3) Includes 7,346 fronts and 14,154 whole hides.

