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MONTHLY REPORT ON THE BOOT AND SHOE PRODUCTION

OF CANADA, JULY, 1927

The statistics of the production of leather boots and shoes for the month of July, 1927, are based on the returns of 173 factories out of a total of 180 factories in operation during the month. Five factories in Quebec and 1 factory each in Ontario and British Columbia failed to make return. The distribution of the factories in operation by provinces is as follows: Nova Scotia, 2; New Brunswick, 5; Quebec, 106; Ontario, 59; Manitoba, 1; Alberta, 1; and British Columbia, 6. The total output for the month, comprising boots and shoes with leather or fabric uppers, sheepskins, larrigans and moccasins, footwear with felt uppers, and cloth, carpet, boudoir and Indian slippers, was 1,503,578 pairs, a decrease from the preceding month of 109,213 pairs. The production of boots and shoes with leather or fabric uppers was 1,344,232 pairs, a decrease from the preceding month of 131,261 pairs and a decrease from the month of July, 1926, of 140,993 pairs. The production of men's shoes shows an increase compared with the preceding month, while all of the other classifications according to size show decreases. The classification by process of manufacture, shows an increase in the production of welts and decreased production for the other kinds. Increases are shown for sheepskins, larrigans and moccasins, footwear with felt uppers, and slippers.

The cumulative production of boots and shoes with leather or fabric uppers for the 7 months ending July 31, 1927, was 10,191,993 pairs, or an average per month of 1,455,999 pairs, compared with a total for the corresponding period of 1926 of 9,931,670 pairs and an average per month of 1,418,810 pairs.

Detailed statistics are given in the following tables.

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1. Production of Boots and Shoes in Canada, July, 1927.

Classification	Boots and Shoes with leather or Fabric Uppers							Shoe packs larrigans and moc- casins	Footwear of all kinds with felt uppers	Cloth, carpet, boudoir and In- dian slippers	Total Footwear
	Wolts	McKays and all imitation wolts	Turns	Nailed, pegged, screw or wire fas- tened	Stitch- downs	All other	Total				
	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair
Men's	251,427	77,661	7,777	94,625	19,809	1,760	453,059	18,114	34,113	2,853	508,139
Boys' and youths'	6,749	46,076	1,384	41,395	8,043	-	103,647	5,627	3,103	981	113,358
Women's	63,933	357,111	56,255	4,654	18,285	3,795	504,033	2,690	31,463	19,819	558,005
Misses' and children's	13,318	61,057	8,234	4,161	105,920	146	192,836	4,744	13,187	6,254	217,021
Babies' and infants'	9,521	13,889	7,690	209	50,408	8,940	90,657	1,668	4,455	10,275	107,055
T O T A L S	344,948	555,794	81,340	145,044	202,465	14,641	1,344,232	32,843	86,321	40,182	1,503,578

2. Comparative Statistics of the Production of Boots and Shoes with Leather or Fabric Uppers for the month of July, 1926.

Classification	Boots and Shoes with Leather or Fabric Uppers.						
	Wolts	McKays and all imitation wolts	Turns	Nailed, pegged, screw or wire fas- tened	Stitch- downs	All Other	Total
	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair
Men's	240,095	57,028	8,426	103,603	19,522	2,739	431,413
Boys' and youths'	7,174	36,712	483	44,505	31,494	869	121,237
Women's	73,461	434,425	82,774	7,409	31,754	1,922	631,745
Misses' and children's	10,951	56,372	5,108	8,079	102,909	1,179	184,598
Babies' and infants'	14,548	18,235	12,343	420	63,041	7,645	116,232
T O T A L S	346,229	602,772	109,134	164,016	248,720	14,354	1,485,225





3. Cumulative Production of Boots and Shoes for the  
Seven Months ended July 31st, 1927

Boots and Shoes with Leather or Fabric uppers											
Classification	Wolts	McKays and all imitation wolts	Turns	Nailed, pegged, screw or wire fas- tened	Stitch- downs	All others	Total	Shoe packs, Foot- larrigans and mocc- asins	Foot- wear of all kinds with felt uppers	Cloth- carpet, boudoir and Indian slippers	Total
	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair
Men's	1,741,770	419,034	22,644	782,447	156,217	9,366	3,131,478	86,843	156,359	18,804	3,396,641
Boys' and youths'	67,062	337,397	3,938	362,011	105,135	1,806	877,349	35,081	14,904	6,542	909,796
Women's	415,353	2,823,731	367,588	48,113	180,286	8,937	3,844,008	22,018	147,198	116,184	4,117,400
Misses' and children's	105,101	525,324	26,190	56,954	900,270	7,019	1,620,858	16,597	72,004	30,183	1,729,134
Babies' and infants'	85,478	99,887	73,796	1,342	354,950	62,847	718,300	6,646	16,085	53,250	828,281
TOTAL	2,414,764	4,205,373	494,156	1,250,867	1,736,858	89,975	10,191,993	167,185	406,550	226,963	10,825,506

4. Cumulative Production of Boots and Shoes with Leather or Fabric  
Uppers for the Seven Months ended July 31st, 1926.

Boots and Shoes with Leather or Fabric Uppers.							
Classification	Wolts	McKays and all imitation wolts	Turns	Nailed, pegged, screw or wire fastened	Stitch- downs	All Others	Total
	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair	Pair
Men's	1,613,740	359,717	23,784	718,665	149,030	19,890	2,884,826
Boys' and youths'	54,663	245,481	6,385	335,690	220,119	11,960	874,298
Women's	361,247	2,717,446	462,495	50,351	266,279	39,522	3,897,340
Misses' and children's	99,380	518,645	35,795	57,434	751,794	40,409	1,503,457
Babies' and infants'	117,486	108,396	77,437	3,580	306,518	78,332	771,749
TOTAL	2,246,516	3,949,685	605,896	1,165,720	1,773,740	190,113	9,931,670

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