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Chief - Mining, Metallurgical and Chemical Branch: W. H. Losee, B.Sc.CEMENT, CLAY PRODUCTS AND LIME PRODUCTION - NOVEMBER, 1935.

CEMENT - Canadian producers shipped 264,004 barrels of Portland cement during November as against 512,671 barrels in the preceding month and 223,909 barrels in November, 1934, according to a report just issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa. Shipments during the eleven months ending November were recorded at 3,499,378 barrels; in the corresponding period of the preceding year 3,700,520 barrels were shipped.

Exports of Portland cement in November advanced to 11,215 barrels from the October total of 6,770 barrels. The November exports were consigned principally to Trinidad, Jamaica, and Newfoundland.

Imports of cement into Canada in November amounted to 1,515 barrels worth \$5,040; in October, 1,193 barrels at \$3,431 were imported. The following countries were the sources of the Canadian importations of cement in November: Great Britain, 61.9 per cent; the United States, 34.2 per cent, and Italy and Germany the remainder.

PRODUCTION OF CEMENT IN CANADA

Month	1935(a)	1934	1933
	Barrels	Barrels	Barrels
January .....	53,479	68,957	64,750
February .....	70,776	66,739	45,307
March .....	130,747	107,695	95,205
April .....	244,174	210,715	172,498
May .....	387,684	382,523	309,717
June .....	430,884	522,143	401,060
July .....	453,155	566,133	414,827
August .....	475,187	569,215	449,305
September .....	476,617	500,342	424,710
October .....	512,671	482,149	348,639
November .....	264,004	223,909	182,144
December .....		82,706	99,270
TOTAL - Calendar Year .....		3,783,226	3,007,432
TOTAL - Eleven Months ending NOVEMBER	3,499,378	3,700,520	2,908,162

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CLAY PRODUCTS- Sales of clay and clay products by Canadian producers in November were valued at \$245,770; the October sales were worth \$339,709 and the November, 1934, sales, \$233,302. During the eleven months ending November the value of sales totalled \$2,568,436, which was 0.9 per cent higher than the total for the corresponding months of 1934.

Customs' records show that Canada exported clay and clay products to a value of \$28,120 or 39.1 per cent below the value of the preceding month's exports. The United States, South Africa and Australia were the principal importers of Canadian clay and clay products in November.

Receipts of clay and clay products during November were appraised at \$745,509; this represented an increase of 21.5 per cent over the total for October. The November imports were drawn from the following sources: Great Britain, 51.0 per cent; the United States, 38.8 per cent; Japan, 6.1 per cent, and Germany, Belgium, Italy, Czechoslovakia, France, Palestine, China, Denmark, Sweden, Finland, Hong Kong and Syria, the remainder.



PRODUCTION OF CLAY PRODUCTS IN CANADA

Month	1935(a)	1934(a)	1933
	\$	\$	\$
January .....	79,976	115,353	115,837
February .....	88,973	96,428	78,373
March .....	137,000	130,128	101,658
April .....		136,732	129,803
May .....		258,775	233,550
June .....		259,094	236,660
July .....		267,660	255,572
August .....		245,178	275,090
September .....		222,497	264,344
October .....		230,322	241,493
November .....		207,754	213,865
December .....		119,938	116,590
TOTAL - Calendar Year .....		2,336,889	2,262,835
TOTAL - Three months ending MARCH ...	305,849	341,909	295,868

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LIME - The production of lime in Canada during March amounted to 32,616 tons as against 29,018 tons in February and 34,220 tons in March, 1934. During January, February and March of the current year 90,507 tons of lime were produced in Canada; this represented an increase of 3.2 per cent over the total for the first three months of 1934.

Exports of lime from Canada in March were at approximately the same level as in February; the totals were 647 tons and 616 tons, respectively.

Lime importations into Canada in March totalled 55 tons worth \$688 as compared with 29 tons at \$359 imported in February.

PRODUCTION OF LIME IN CANADA

Month	1935(a)	1934(a)	1933
	Tons	Tons	Tons
January .....	23,873	23,060	19,286
February .....	29,018	27,398	18,784
March .....	32,616	34,220	16,384
April .....		23,653	23,019
May .....		32,071	27,090
June .....		31,984	28,437
July .....		30,639	31,158
August .....		29,249	32,381
September .....		26,965	30,267
October .....		29,790	35,648
November .....		33,990	31,909
December .....		34,020	29,177
TOTAL - Calendar Year .....		365,029	323,540
TOTAL - Three Months ending MARCH ...	90,507	87,668	54,454

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