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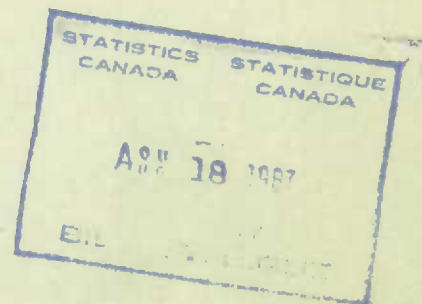
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Monthly Report

CEMENT

February, 1947



Shipments to customers by Canadian manufacturers of Portland cement totalled 420,021 barrels in February, 1947, compared with 401,060 barrels in January. In 1946 the February shipments amounted to 273,294 barrels as against 310,285 barrels in the previous month. Actual production for February, 1947 was 726,195 barrels.

Production, Shipments and Stocks of Portland Cement,
 February, 1947, and Year to Date, 1946 and 1947

| | February | | Two Months ended February | |
|---|-----------|-----------|---------------------------|-----------|
| | 1946 | 1947 | 1946 | 1947 |
| | (barrels) | | | |
| Stocks at plant and warehouses at beginning of period | 1,832,139 | 915,626 | 1,359,482 | 466,792 |
| Production | 604,083 | 726,195 | 1,387,288 | 1,578,962 |
| Shipments to customers | 273,294 | 420,021 | 583,579 | 821,081 |
| Used at plants | 85 | 2,287 | 348 | 5,160 |
| Stocks at plant and warehouses at end of period | 2,162,843 | 1,219,513 | 2,162,843 | 1,219,513 |
| Exports | 7,638 | 3,064 | 10,203 | 8,690 |
| Imports (x) | 1,247 | 26,432 | 3,083 | 71,205 |

(x) Exclusive of clinker.

