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Monthly Report

CEMENT

SEPTEMBER - 1948

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Shipments to customers by Canadian manufacturers of Portland cement totalled 1,475,062 barrels in September, 1948 compared with 1,431,774 barrels in August. In 1947 the September shipments amounted to 1,235,427 barrels as against 1,172,744 barrels in the previous month. Actual production for September, 1948 was 1,237,974 barrels compared with 1,154,634 barrels in the corresponding month of 1947.

Production, Shipments and Stocks of Portland Cement
 September, and Year to Date, 1947 and 1948.

	September		Nine Months Ended September	
	1947	1948	1947	1948
	(Barrels)			
Stocks at plants and warehouses at beginning of period	388,622	575,472	466,792	731,194
Production	1,154,634	1,237,974	8,775,622	10,297,754
Shipments to customers	1,235,427	1,475,062	8,916,056	10,675,406
Used at plants	2,416	6,803	20,945	21,961
Stocks at plants and warehouses at end of period	305,413	331,581	305,413	331,581
Exports	8,568	2,525	64,969	55,974
Imports (not including clinker)	177,093	(x)	890,547	(x)

(x) Not yet available. Imports amounted to 156,691 barrels in August, 1948 and 641,435 barrels for the eight months ended August, 1948.

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