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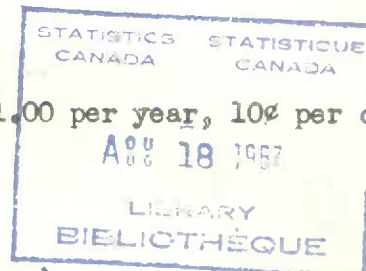
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C E M E N T

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Shipments to customers by Canadian manufacturers of Portland cement totalled 669,162 tons in September, 1957, compared with 764,634 tons in the previous month. In 1956 the September shipments amounted to 441,591 tons. Actual production for September, 1957, was 644,424 tons compared with 434,504 tons in the corresponding month of 1956.

Production, Shipments and Stocks of Portland Cement

	September		Year to date	
	1956	1957	1956	1957
	(Short tons)			
Stocks at plants and warehouses at beginning of period	109,986	350,582	194,651	285,516
Production	434,504	644,424	3,791,512	4,728,769
Shipments to customers	441,591	669,162	3,854,922	4,683,784
Used at plants	927	94	30,213	2,099
Stocks at plants and warehouses at end of period	101,972	325,750	101,972	325,750
Exports, September	13,526	35,137	95,104	259,187
Imports, September	152,821	...	554,208	...
August	172,693	...	401,387	...
July	112,001	10,385	228,694	47,962

Commencing with the March, 1957, issue the data on cement manufacturing and on concrete products are each published as separate bulletins.

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