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MONTHLY REPORT ON CLAY PRODUCTS MADE FROM CANADIAN CLAYS

OCTOBER 1944

Sales by producers of clay products made from domestic clays in Canada during October, 1944 totalled \$740,819 compared with \$720,400 in September. Totals for the corresponding months of 1943 were, respectively \$681,642 and \$709,227.

SALES IN CANADA, SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER, 1944

	September		October	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
		\$		\$
Building brick M	17,419	354,672	17,519	361,712
Structural tile tons	9,011	90,796	9,497	92,551
Drain tile M	1,671	50,357	1,764	54,550
Sewer pipe xxx	xxx	103,309	xxx	98,049
Fireclay blocks and shapes .. xxx	xxx	13,939	xxx	19,693
Pottery (flower pots, stoneware, artware, etc.) xxx	xxx	70,517	xxx	72,701
Other clay products (including floor tile, firebrick, etc.) xxx	xxx	36,810	xxx	41,563
TOTAL xxx	xxx	720,400	xxx	740,819

PRODUCTION, SALES AND STOCKS OF CERTAIN CLAY PRODUCTS IN CANADA, OCTOBER 1944

	Maritimes	Quebec	Ontario	Prairie Provinces	British Columbia	Canada
<u>Building Brick</u> (thousands)						
Stocks - September 30, 1944 ...	222	7,456	5,594	2,328	474	16,074
Production - October	1,456	7,550	5,649	1,048	268	15,971
Sales - October	1,464	7,921	5,078	1,724	332	17,519
Stocks - October 31	214	7,085	5,165	1,652	410	14,526
<u>Structural Tile</u> (tons)						
Stocks - September 30, 1944 ...	297	7,055	3,374	1,649	1,059	13,434
Production - October	1,834	2,800	2,224	1,478	412	8,748
Sales - October	1,849	3,569	2,421	1,208	450	9,497
Stocks - October 31	282	6,286	3,177	1,919	1,021	12,685
<u>Drain Tile</u> (thousands)						
Stocks - September 30, 1944 ...	-	44	438		329(x)	811
Production - October	3	83	1,549		237(x)	1,872
Sales - October	3	92	1,494		175(x)	1,764
Stocks - October 31	-	35	493		391(x)	919

(x) Includes the Prairie Provinces and British Columbia.



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TABLE 1
1981-82

TABLE 2
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Province	1981-82	1980-81	1979-80	1978-79
Alberta	1,234,567	1,123,456	1,012,345	901,234
Saskatchewan	567,890	512,345	467,890	423,456
Manitoba	345,678	312,345	289,012	256,789
Ontario	2,345,678	2,123,456	1,901,234	1,789,012
Quebec	1,567,890	1,456,789	1,345,678	1,234,567
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