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MONTHLY REPORT ON CLAY PRODUCTS MADE FROM CANADIAN CLAYS

MAY, 1944

Sales by producers of clay products made from domestic clays in Canada during May, 1944 totalled \$600,586 compared with \$397,689 in April. Totals for the corresponding months of 1943 were, respectively, \$528,948 and \$454,606.

SALES IN CANADA, APRIL AND MAY, 1944

		April		May	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Building brick	M	9,442	174,008	13,995	263,375
Structural tile	tons	4,480	43,900	6,487	62,119
Drain tile	M	501	16,088	1,257	38,238
Sewer pipe	xxx	xxx	57,780	xxx	118,758
Fireclay blocks and shapes	xxx	xxx	12,380	xxx	15,178
Pottery (flower pots, stoneware, artware, etc.)	xxx	xxx	69,391	xxx	71,187
Other clay products (including floor tile, firebrick, etc.)..	xxx	xxx	24,140	xxx	31,731
TOTAL	xxx	xxx	397,689	xxx	600,586

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

	Maritimes	Quebec	Ontario	Prairie Provinces	British Columbia	CANADA
Building Brick (thousands)						
Stocks--April 30, 1944 ...	321	9,159	8,489	1,535	814	20,318
Production--May	1,331	4,166	4,001	1,027	119	10,694
Sales--May	1,108	5,422	5,979	1,356	130	13,995
Stocks--May 31	594	7,903	6,511	1,206	303	17,017
Structural Tile (tons)						
Stocks--April 30, 1944 ...	591	10,026	6,528	2,393	1,065	20,603
Production--May	1,253	1,740	1,633	1,434	329	6,499
Sales--May	777	2,163	2,245	935	367	6,437
Stocks--May 31	1,072	9,603	5,971	2,942	1,027	20,615
Drain Tile (thousands)						
Stocks--April 30, 1944 ...	17	132	143	160(x)		453
Production--May	51	133	906	172(x)		1,262
Sales--May	37	175	887	153(x)		1,257
Stocks--May 31	31	90	162	180(x)		463

(x) Includes the Prairie Provinces and British Columbia.

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