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MONTHLY REPORT ON CLAY PRODUCTS MADE FROM CANADIAN CLAYS

JANUARY, 1945

Sales by producers of clay products made from domestic clays in Canada during January, 1945 totalled \$408,135 compared with \$431,238 in December, 1944. The total for January, 1944 was \$362,538.

SALES IN CANADA, DECEMBER, 1944 and JANUARY, 1945

		December		January	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			\$		\$
Building brick .....	M	9,449	191,229	8,154	183,389
Structural tile .....	ton	4,268	44,246	5,377	52,023
Drain tile .....	M	554	17,395	147	5,938
Sewer pipe .....	...	xxx	49,639	xxx	47,126
Fireclay blocks and shapes ...	...	xxx	20,452	xxx	20,243
Pottery (flower pots, stone-ware, artware, etc.) .....	...	xxx	74,441	xxx	69,768
Other clay products (including floor tile, firebrick, etc.).	...	xxx	33,836	xxx	29,648
TOTAL .....	...	xxx	431,238	xxx	408,135

PRODUCTION, SALES AND STOCKS OF CERTAIN CLAY PRODUCTS IN CANADA, JANUARY, 1945

	Mari- times	Quebec	Ontario	Prairie Provinces	British Columbia	CANADA
<u>Building Brick</u> (thousands)						
Stocks--December 31, 1944	497	6,726	7,833	2,381	949	18,386
Production--January, 1945	803	3,891	3,234	2,029	253	10,210
Sales--January, 1945 ....	410	2,621	3,688	1,224	211	8,154
Stocks--January 31, 1945.	890	7,996	7,379	3,186	991	20,442
<u>Structural Tile</u> (tons)						
Stocks--December 31, 1944	623	6,010	4,566	1,839	1,182	14,220
Production--January, 1945	1,555	1,150	2,013	...	230	4,948
Sales--January, 1945 ....	1,032	1,441	2,115	485	304	5,377
Stocks--January 31, 1945.	1,146	5,719	4,464	1,354	1,108	13,791
<u>Drain Tile</u> (thousands)						
Stocks--December 31, 1944	6	12	417	272(x)		707
Production--January, 1945	23	1	52	47(x)		123
Sales--January, 1945 ....	15	1	50	81(x)		147
Stocks--January 31, 1945.	14	12	419	238(x)		683

(x) Includes the Prairie Provinces and British Columbia.

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