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Finally revised statistics on gypsum production as reported by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa, under the authority of the Hon. Thos. A. Low, show that the quantity of Canadian gypsum sold during 1924 was appreciably higher than in the previous twelve months. The total production for the year was 646,016 tons with a valuation of \$2,208,108 as compared with 578,301 tons at \$2,243,100 in 1923. The production was made up of lump, crushed, fine ground and calcined gypsum sold; there was also included the calcined gypsum used in the calcining plants for the production of wall plaster, wall board, alabastine and other gypsum products.

The average values received, by operators were as follows: lump \$1.81; crushed \$1.82; fine ground \$5.82; and calcined \$10.27 per ton.

Compared with 1923, the imports remained constant while the exports, principally crude gypsum, increased approximately 75,000 tons to a total of 477,463 tons.

SHIPMENTS OF GYPSUM, CANADA, 1924.

	Tons	Value
<u>SHIPMENTS BY GRADES:-</u>		
Lump.....	139,618	253,191
Crushed.....	381,262	693,785
Fine Ground.....	5,478	31,822
Calcined.....	119,658	1,229,350
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>646,016</b>	<b>2,208,108</b>
<u>SHIPMENTS BY PROVINCES:-</u>		
Nova Scotia.....	441,752	915,345
New Brunswick.....	86,738	476,304
Ontario.....	88,121	467,697
Manitoba.....	29,375	348,212
British Columbia.....	30	150
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>646,016</b>	<b>2,208,108</b>

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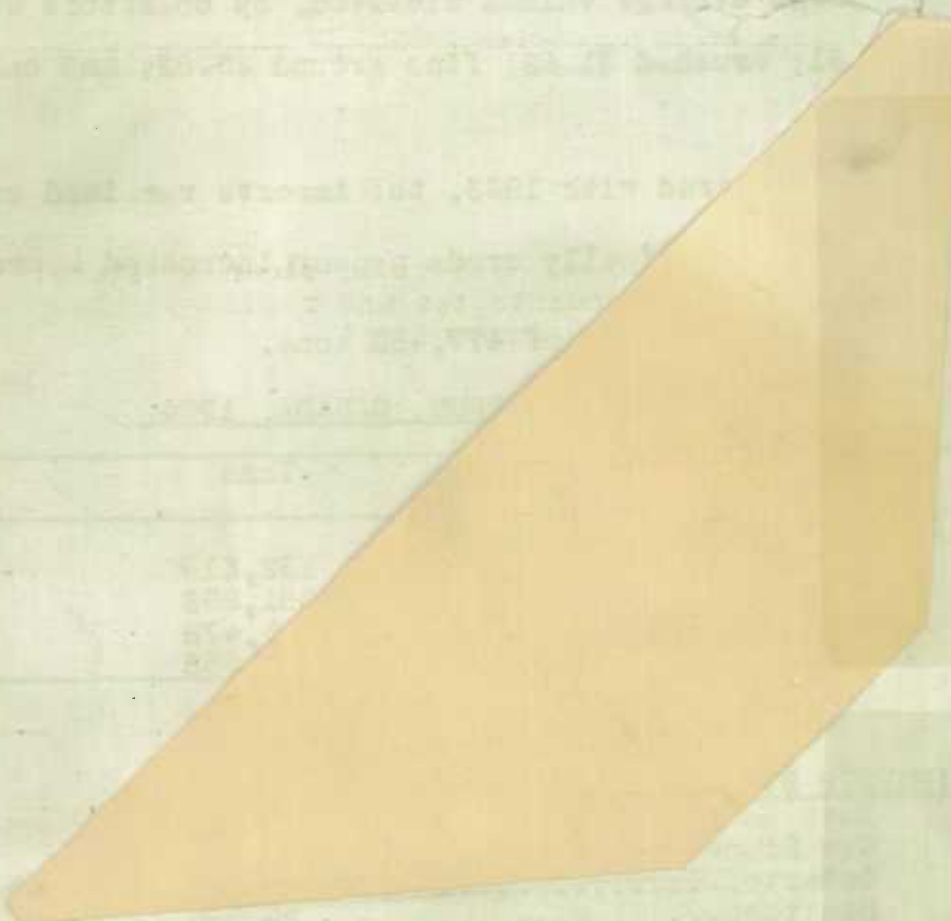
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