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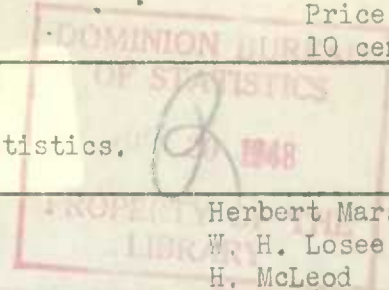
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SALES OF PAINTS, VARNISHES AND LACQUERS

FEBRUARY, 1948

Sales of paints, varnishes and lacquers by manufacturers, which normally account for 96 per cent of the total Canadian production, amounted to \$7,345,871 in February, 1948 compared with \$6,538,374 in January, 1948. In February, 1948 the trade sales (exclusive of water paints) accounted for about 51 per cent of the total, industrial sales for 29 per cent, water paints for 2 per cent, and unclassified sales for 18 per cent.

SALES OF PAINTS, VARNISHES AND LACQUERS BY CANADIAN PRODUCERS, FEBRUARY, 1947 and 1948
and TWO MONTHS ENDED FEBRUARY, 1947 and 1948

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	\$	\$
<u>F e b r u a r y</u>		
1. <u>Trade Sales</u> of paints, varnishes and lacquers (except water paints as given under Item 3)	2,883,754	3,740,902
2. <u>Industrial Sales</u> -		
(a) Paints and varnishes (except Item 3) ..	1,418,130	1,726,100
(b) Lacquers	389,859	419,337
3. Sales of all types of water paints	149,533	148,423
4. Unclassified sales	537,563	1,311,109
TOTAL ALL SALES	5,378,839	7,345,871
<u>Two Months Ended February</u>		
1. <u>Trade Sales</u> of paints, varnishes and lacquers (except water paints as given under Item 3)	5,219,311	7,161,880
2. <u>Industrial Sales</u> -		
(a) Paints and varnishes (except Item 3) ..	2,780,738	3,423,658
(b) Lacquers	730,616	782,475
3. Sales of all types of water paints	321,425	249,242
4. Unclassified sales	1,079,820	2,266,990
TOTAL ALL SALES	10,131,910	13,884,245

Note: The above figures are for firms which normally account for 96 per cent of the total Canadian production.

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