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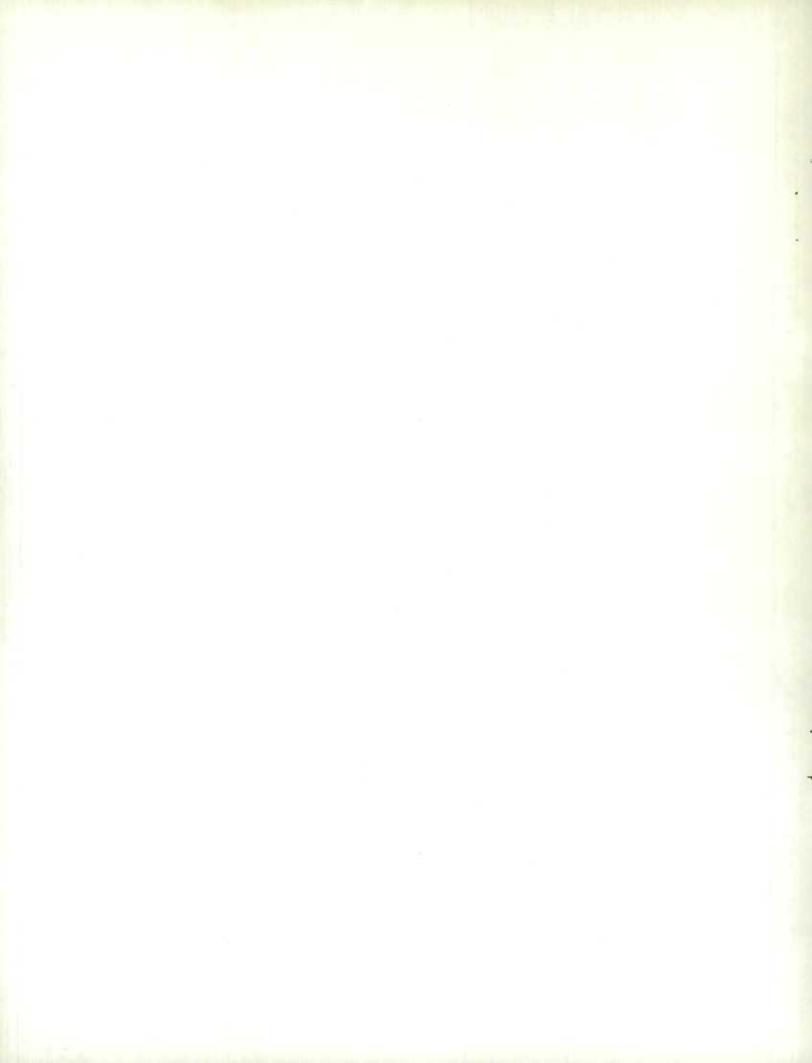
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### THE FELDSPAR AND QUARTZ MINING INDUSTRY, 1939

Owing to the very close physical association of these minerals in many Canadian deposits (pegnatites), it has been found difficult for some operators to make a separation of all data pertaining to the mining of each individual mineral and, for this reason, the general statistics relating to capital, employment, fuel and electricity, etc., have been combined in this bulletin by the Mining, Metallurgical and Chemical Branch of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa. Since 1936 corresponding statistics relating to the production of nepheline-symmitte have been included with those pertaining to the commercial production of feldspar and quartz.

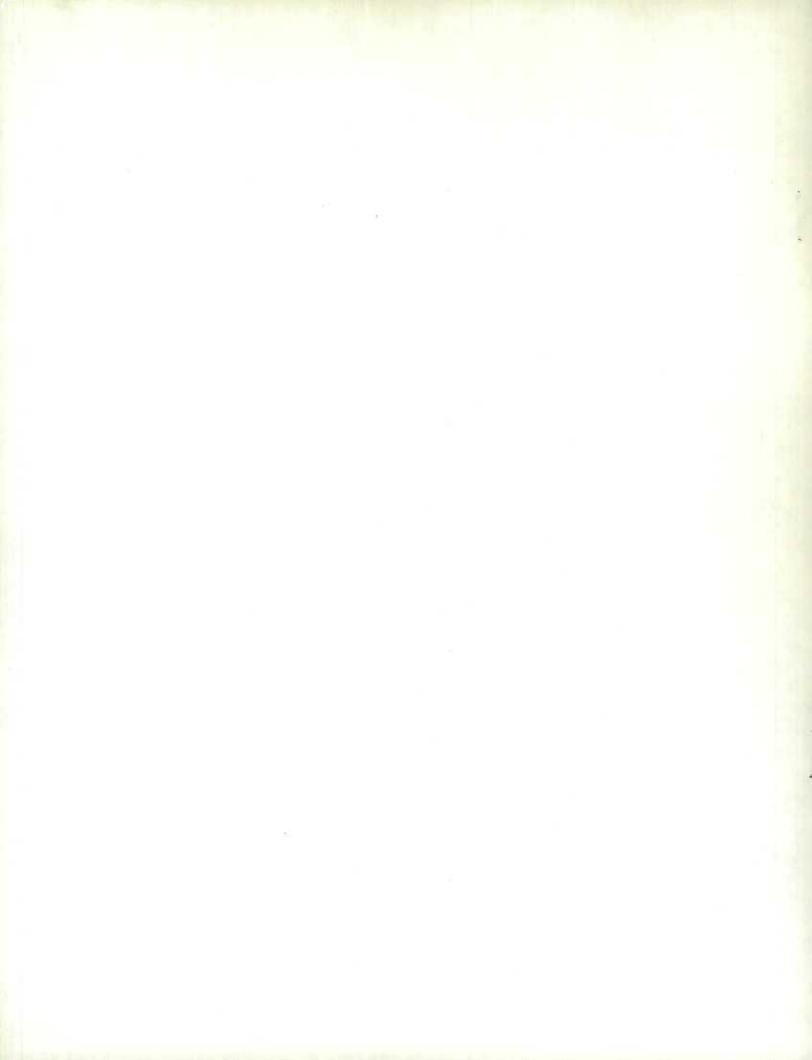
During 1939 the gross value of production by the industry and including the value of feldspar, quartz and nepheline-symplet sold totalled \$1,352,671 compared with corresponding values of \$1,233,647 in 1938 and \$1,428,714 in 1937. In 1939 commercial shipments of feldspar were made only from properties located in Ontario, Manitoba and Quebec; quartz in various forms was produced in Nova Scotia, Quebec, Ontario and Saskatchewan while production of nepheline-symplet was confined to the province of Ontario.

The number of firms reported as active in the industry in 1939 totalled 43, capital employed was recorded at \$1,591,015, employees numbered 338, salaries and wages paid amounted to \$330,170 and the value of fuel, electricity and process supplies consumed totalled \$178,721. The net value of all products sold was estimated at \$1,175,950 compared with \$1,065,138 in 1938.

### FELDSPAR

Production of feldspar in Canada during 1939 totalled 12,500 short tons valued at \$112,309 compared with 14,058 short tons at \$129,293 in 1938. Of the 1939 output 5,399 tons valued at \$60,923 were mined in the Province of Quebec, 7.061 tons at \$51,056 in Ontario and 40 tons worth \$330 in Manitoba.

According to the Bureau of Mines, Ottawa, nepheline-symplet used as a substitute for straight feldspar in the glass trade, on account of its higher content of alumina, is doubtless responsible for the decreased sales of Canadian feldspar. This is a condition that may be expected to continue because, in the United States, to which much of the Canadian product is shipped, one half of the feldspar now used is consumed in glass manufacture. Canadian spar, however, enjoys a high reputation as a standard grade for various ceramic purposes, and a moderate demand is likely to be maintained both for domestic use and for export.



The output of crude fledspar in the United States rose sharply in 1939, exceeding in quantity any year except 1937 but the value was less than that in several earlier years, according to the Bureau of Mines, United States Department of the Interior. However, there was in 1939 a substantial production of feldspathic material, known as "aplite", in Virginia, which might have been included in the totals were it possible to do so without revealing confidential information. Even excluding this material, which virtually made its commercial debut in 1939, the average value of the output (\$4.59) was less than in 1958, continuing a steady downtrend since 1936, when the average sales realization reported by producers was \$5.52 a long ton.

Sales of ground feldspar in the United States increased sharply compared with 1938, the tonnage rising 20.8 per cent and the value 16.1 per cent. However, compared with 1937, the all-time record year, they were 7.2 per cent less in quantity and 17.9 per cent less in value. Of the total of 259,194 short tons sold by merchant mills in 1939, 53 per cent, or 138,336 tons were shipped to the glass industry; about 34 per cent (87,209 tons) consumed in pottery manufacture; 11 per cent (28,356 tons) used by the enamel trades; and the remainder entered miscellaneous uses, chiefly ceramic. Grinding mills processing 99 per cent of the total feldspar ground in the United States reported distribution of shipments by States in 1939. Chief consuming States in order of tonnage were: Ohio, Indiana, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, West Virginia, Illinois, and New York.

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PRODUCTION (SALES) - (d)	Tons	\$	Tons	\$
Quebec	5,874	62,878	5,399	60,923
Ontario	8,106	65,964	7,061	51,056
Manitoba	78	451	40	330
TOTAL	14,058 -	129,293	- 12,500	112,309
MPORTS OF FELDSPAR -				de he
Crude only	42	367	257	1,302
Ground (a)	615	10,083	608	10,379
PORTS OF FELDSPAR -				
TOTAL $(\neq)$	4,998	34,244		
To - United Kingdom		4		
United States	4,998	34,240		
FELDSPAR ONLY (b) - Total	6,455	44,531	7,661	49,957
To - United Kingdom	5	90	2	60
United States	6,558	41,841	7,648	49,567
NEPHELINE-SYENITE (c)	22,787	94,877	24,701	87,487

Table 1 - PRODUCTION IN CANADA, IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF FELDSPAR 1938 and 1939

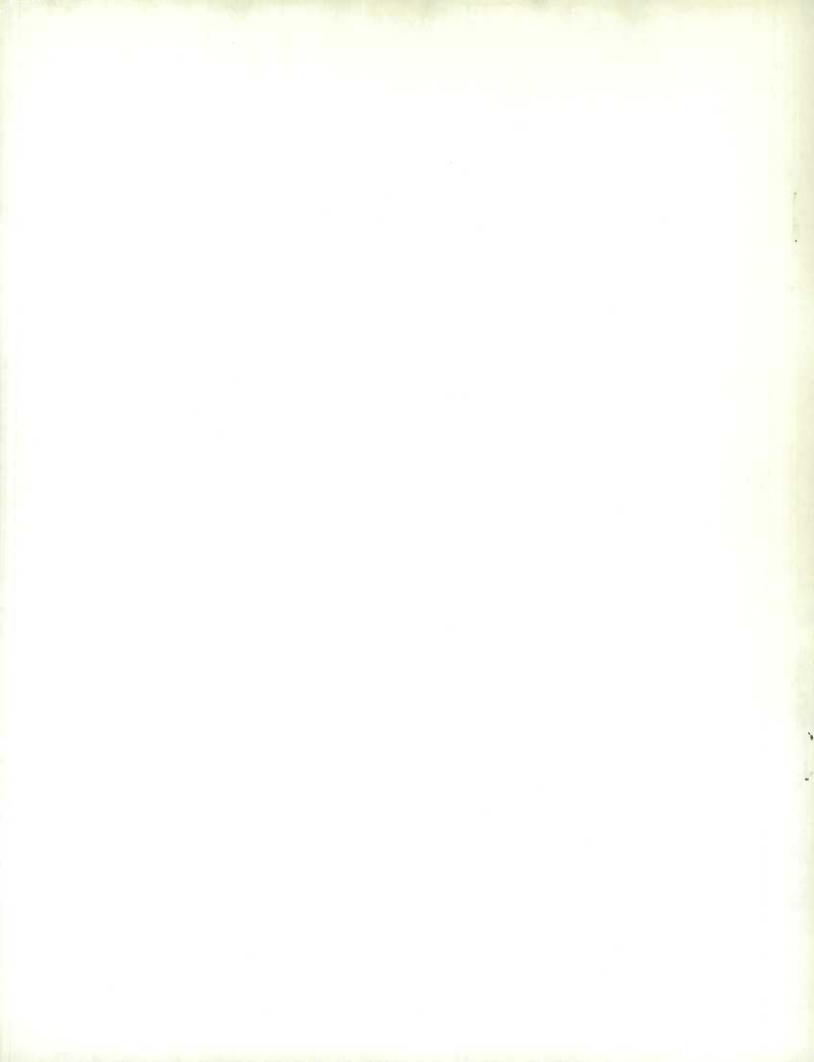
(a) Not further manufactured than ground; all from United States.

(b) From April 1, 1938.

(c) From April 1, 1938; all to United States.

(d) Includes crude and ground.

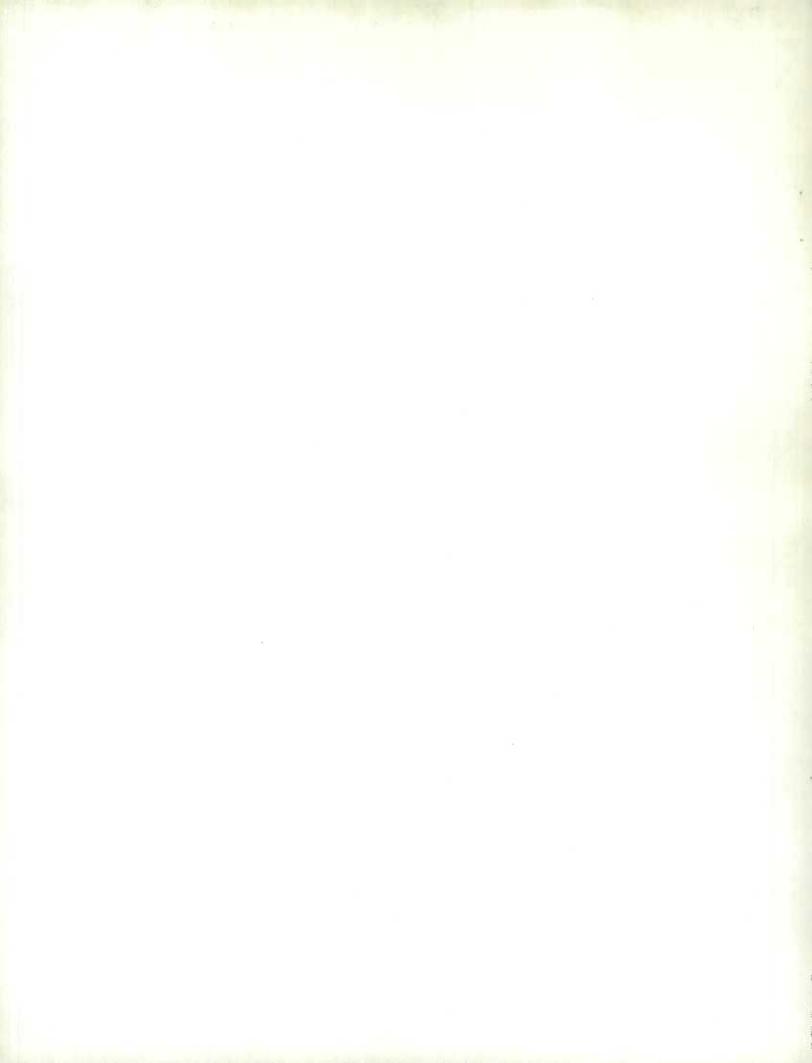
(4) Feldspar and nepheline-sympite to March 51, 1938.



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932	3,390	39,		3,657		920			11.63
933	6,183	59,		4,387		350	88	484	9.86
934	9,207	78,		7,302		665	1,793	6,763	8.05
935	7,002	63,		8,656		003	2,084	6,252	8.13
936	8,115	75,		8,409		840	1,322	7,932	8.66
937	12,285	105,		9,061		610			8.35
938	5,874	62,		8,106		964	78	451	9.20
939	5,399	60,		7,061		056	40	330	8.98
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.931		8	190		885	34,394	1913	5,405	93,175
932		6	1 173		406	28,043		5,093	89,818
933		6	115		861	16,297		5,762	98,393
.934		25	688		488	30,577	121.244	9,738	130,842
0.75		34	939		135	21,977		5,097	84,878
.935		36	999		572	28,521		5,730	105,121
937		53	1,506	,	428	46,028		5,979	108,072
938		41	1,129		890	35,979		3,567	62,291
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#### FELDSPAR PRICES (October, 1939) -

UNITED STATES - Per ton, f.o.b. North Carolina, potash feldspar, 200 mesh, white, \$17 in bulk; soda feldspar, \$19. F.O.B. Maine, potash feldspar, white, 200 meah, \$17, in bulk. Granular glass spar, white, 20 mesh, F.O.B. North Carolina, \$12.50 in bulk; semi granular, \$11.75; soda feldspar, 200 mesh, white, \$19. Virginia: No. 1, 230 mesh, \$18; 200 mesh, \$17; No. 17 glassmakers', \$11.75; No. 18, \$12.50. Enamelers, \$14 to \$16. Quotations on Spruce Pine, N.C., or Keene, N.H., basis. (Engineering and Mining Journal's "Metal and Mineral Markets" - New York).

"Canadian Chemistry and Process Industries", Toronto, published feldspar quotations September, 1939, as follows:- Feldspar, pottery, ground, 200 mesh, F.O.B. mill, carlots, ton - \$17.00; feldspar rock, F.O.B. mill, carlots, ton, \$5 to \$7.

Table	6	 WORLD	PRODUCTION	OF	FELDSPAR,	1936		1938	(Long	tons)	
			(Supplied )	bv ]	Imperial ]	Institu	ite	ə)	112.0		

Producing country	1936	1937	1938
BRITISH EMPIRE	18 1 1 1 1 10		
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China stone	66,509	60,715	48,383
Canada (sales)	15,934	19,059	12,552
India	785	487	691
Australia (including china stone)	3,691	3,806	2,370
FOREIGN COUNTRIES	it. In	8	ALL ALL
Czechoslovakia (estimated)	30,000	30,000	25,000
Finland (exports)	2,480	3,181	4,966
Germany (Bavaria only)	7,864	9,828	(a)
Italy	8,484	13,225	13,180
Norway	24,792	23,859	(a)
Roumania	1,929	2,546	(a)
Sweden	55,902	48,364	44,399
Egypt	44	156	196
United States (sales)	244,726	268,532	196,119
Argentina	1,065	1,325	(a)
Brazil	(a)	8,300	(a)
Manchuria	74,000	(a)	(a)

Feldspar is also produced in U.S.S.R. and China. (a) Information not available.

#### NEPHELINE-SYENITE

Production of nepheline-symmite in Canada during 1939 was valued at \$140,148 compared with \$142,737 in the preceding year. The output in both years came from properties located in eastern Ontario.

The following information relating to nepheline-symplet is abstracted from report No. 791 issued by the Bureau of Mines, Ottava:- "Nepheline-symplet is an igneous rock consisting of a mixture of the feldspathoid mineral nepheline (or nephelite), a silicate of alumina and soda, and varying amounts of soda and potash feldspars. It is used in the ceramic trade (at present mainly in the glass industry) as a substitute for straight feldspar.



"Interest in the material as an industrial mineral or rock is of recent date, the first production being in 1936, when Canadian Nepheline Ltd., opened a quarry at Blue Mountain in Methuen township, Peterborough county, about 27 miles northeast of Lakefield, and erected a mill at Lakefield to crush and process the rock for market."

During 1939 the mineral was shipped by the Canadian Flint and Spar Co. Ltd. from the Bentley mine, Dungannon township, Hastings county; by Canadian Nepheline Ltd., from Methuen township, Peterborough county; by the Temagami Development Company Ltd., from the Morrison property, Dungannon township and by the New England Nepheline Cd. Inc., from the Bancroft mine, Bancroft, Ontario.

The potential nepheline-sympite reserves of the Central Ontario region are undoubtedly very large, the Blue Mountain occurrence alone being a massive body about eight miles long and consisting in a large part of such rock. Numerous small outcrops are known in the Bancroft and adjacent areas to the north.

Table 7 - PRODUCTION OF NEPHELINE-SYENITE IN CANADA, 1956 - 1959

Year	E.C.W.	Quantities	Value
1936     1937     1938     1939		(a) (a) (a) (a)	\$ 57,426(b) 121,481 142,737 140,148

f Produced in Untario only.

(a) Quantity not published.

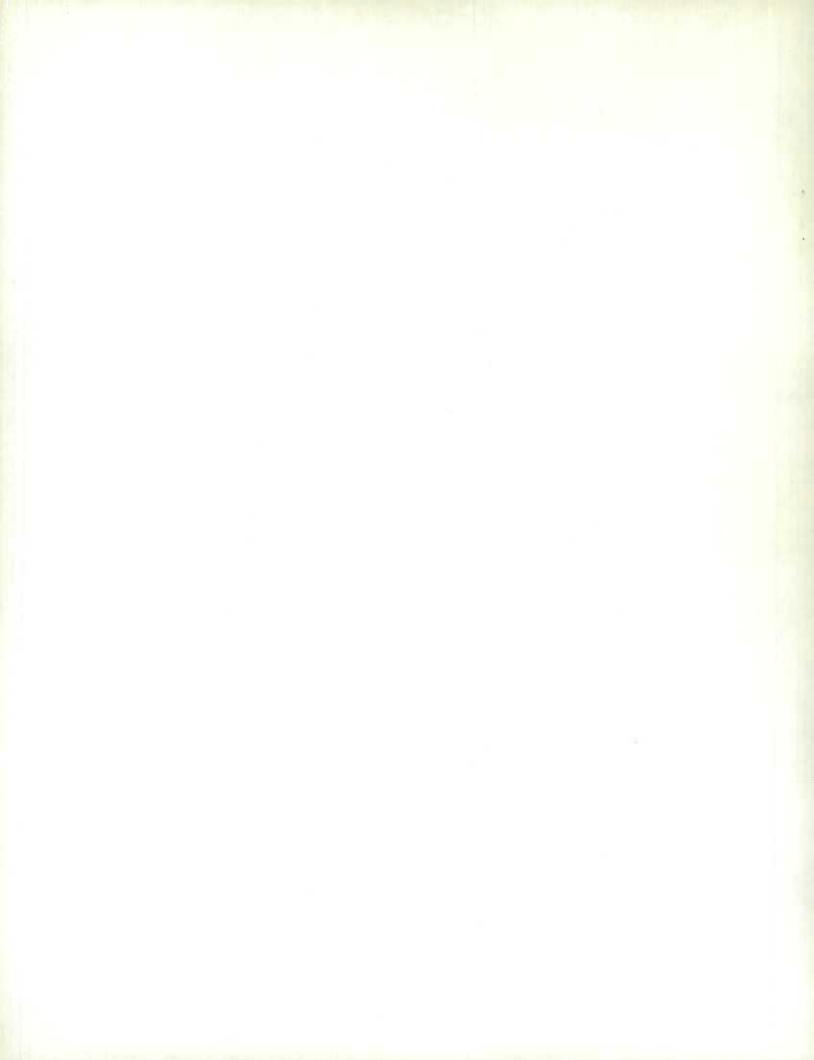
(b) First commercial production in Canada.

Nepheline-symplet used in Canada during 1958 in the manufacture of glass totalled 2,558 tons valued at \$41,678.

## QUARTZ (SILICA)

The production of natural silica or quartz in Canada during 1939 totalled 1,582,935 short tons valued at \$1,100,214 compared with 1,380,011 tons at \$961,617 in 1938. Output of primary silica products by the Canadian Quartz Mining industry includes crude and crushed dyke quartz, quartzite, sandstone and natural silica sands and gravels. The mineral in one or more of the forms thus defined was produced during 1939 in Nova Scotia, Quebec, Ontario and Saskatchewan. Shipments of silica in Nova Scotia were made to steel plants largely for the making of silica brick. In Quebec high grade silica sands were produced for the manufacture of glass and chemicals while a considerable tonnage of these same sands was sold for sandblasting and various other purposes; in the same province relatively large quantities of crushed quartzite or sandstone were mined and milled for the manufacture of silicon carbide and other products. The greater part of the tonnage of silica shipped in Ontario during 1959 represented material intended for use in the production of silica brick and ferro-silicon and for the fluxing of nickel-copper ores. Quartz production as recorded for Saskatchewan represented low-grade natural silica sands or gravels shipped as flux to the Flin Flon Smelter of the Hudson Bay Mining and Smelting Co. Ltd.

The price per ton of the several grades of silica varies greatly depending on its purity and on the purpose for which it is to be used. Silica, on the whole,



is a comparatively low-priced commodity, and therefore the location of a deposit with respect to markets is of great importance. According to a report issued by the Bureau of Mines, Ottawa, the larger markets for silica are in the provinces of Quebec and Ontario, and any new deposits being opened up should be within economic reach of either Montreal or Toronto.

Imports into Canada during 1939 of silex or crystallized quartz, ground or unground totalled 2,751 short tons valued at \$61,497; imports of silica sand for glass, carborundum and steel and filtration plants, etc., in the same year, amounted to 167,721 short tons worth \$349,256.

Table 8 - PRODUCTION IN CANADA AND IMPORTS OF QUARTZ AND SILICA PRODUCTS, 1938 and

	<u>1939</u> 193	8	19	39
	Short Tons	Value	Short Tons	Value
PRODUCTION(x) (SHIPMENTS) -		\$		\$
Nova Scotia	4,701	8,415	10,574	18,927
Quebec	85,153	315,251	104,827	369,172
Ontario	1,173,259	537,037	1,333,342	665,148
Manitoba	116,898	40,914	134,192	46,967
British Columbia				
CANADA	1,380,011	961,617	1,582,935	1,100,214
MPORTS - Genister	360	2,888	255	2,018
Flint and ground flint stones Silex or crystallized quartz,	1,005	16,946	645	11,601
ground or unground Silica sand for glass, carborundum	3,069	77,815	2,750	61,497
and steel and filtration plants				
and sand blasting (a)	172,073	338,832	167,721	349,256
Silica fire brick, 90% / silica				312,413

(x) Includes both crude and crushed quartz and quartzite, silica flux and natural silica sands. See footnote to Table 11. (a) 164,601 tons from the United States and 7,427 tons from Belgium in 1938 and 164,232 tons from the United States, 3,388 tons from Belgium and 101 tons from the United Kingdom in 1939.
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(4) Entirely from United States in 1938 and \$294,228 from United States and \$18,185 from the United Kingdom in 1939.

Table 9 - PRODUCTION (x) (USE) OF NATURAL LOW GRADE SILICA SAND AND SILICA GRAVEL AS NON-FERROUS SMELTER FLUX, 1937, 1938 and 1939

BAL SAL AND	193	7	193	8	193	9
	Tons	\$	Tons	\$	Tons	\$
Ontario Saskatchewan	980,427 95,809	343,149 33,533	990,020 116,898	349,657 40,914	1,195,558 134,192	
CANADA-TOTAL	1,076,236	376,682	1,106,918	390,571	1, 329, 750	465,412

(x) Included in totals shown in Tables 8 and 10; also complete data for production of this material in Ontario during previous years are not available.



Year		Ton	2	\$		Year			Ton	\$	
1926	 Tel	232,082	10	553,161	162.84	1933		 12	185,783	297,820	1365
1927		235,984		496,346		1934			272,565	482,265	
1928		282, 522		523,933		1935			253,002	424,882	
1929		265,949		561,527		1936	<b>(x)</b>		1,046,649	597,781	
1950		226,200		418,127	4.5	1937	$(\mathbf{x})$		1,377,448	1,129,011	115
1951		195,724		303,158		1938	(x)		1,580,011	961,617	
1932		189,132		276,147	19-22	1939	(x)		1,582,985	1,100,214	

Table 10 - PRODUCTION OF QUARTZ (SILICA) IN CANADA, 1926 - 1939

(x) See footnote to Table 9.

TAble 11 - PRODUCTION OF QUARTZ (SILICA) IN CANADA, 1913 - 1920

Year	Tons	\$	Year	Tons	\$
1913	78,261	169,842	1917	216,288	496,182
1914	54,148	84,583	1918	268,155	629,813
1915	127,108	205,153	1919	94,991	527,635
1916	136,745	251,226	1920	128,295	467,821

In 1916 it was stated that included with the annual statistics of quartz was a small production of grinding pebbles obtained from near Jackfish, Ontario, on the north shore of Lake Superior, by the Canada Pebble Co., Ltd. These pebbles were used chiefly in the cement industry. It was also reported that considerable deposits of rounded quartzite pebbles, suitable for grinding purposes, were found on the Cypress Hills, south of Maple Creek, Southern Saskatchewan. During 1930 the production of grinding pebbles from the Jackfish deposits amounted to 560 tons; in 1925 the total was 105 tons and in 1926 only 64 tons. The Hedley Gold Mining Co. used pebbles obtained from Hedley, Similkameen district, British Columbia, in 1922. No production of grinding pebbles has been reported in Canada during recent years.

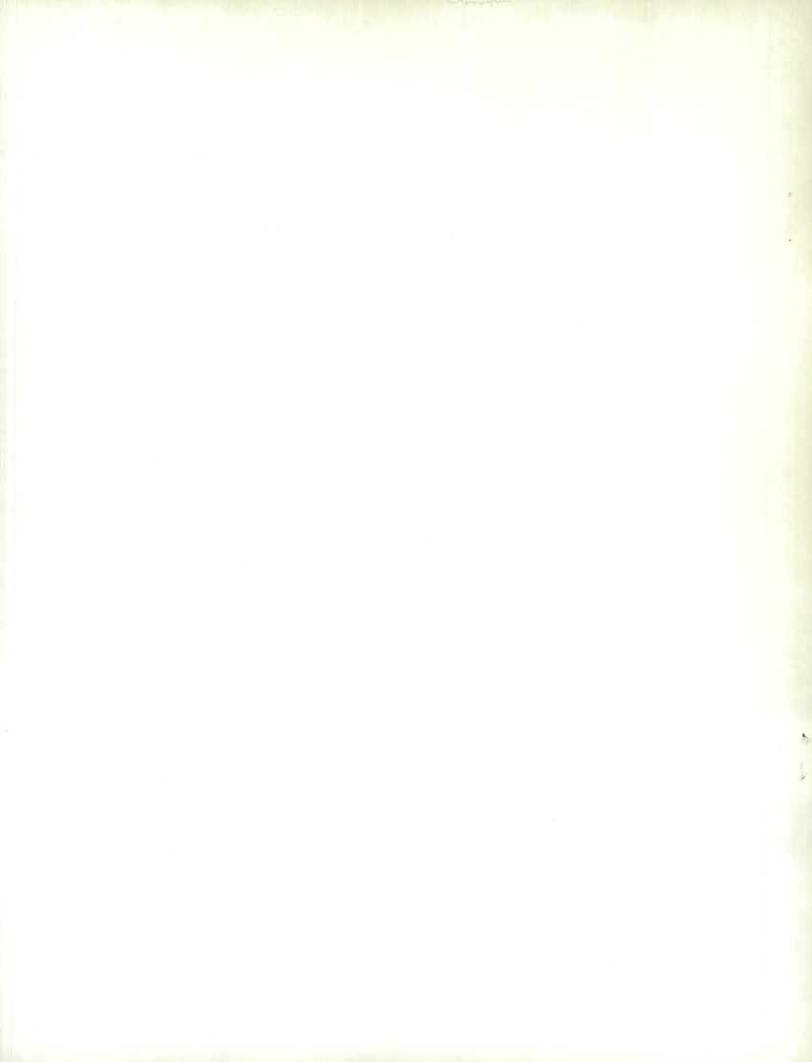
Year	M	Value	Year	M	Value
		\$			\$
1950	2,418	97,379	1935	2,461	96,194
1931	~	35,746	1936	2,393	97,285
1932		4,304	1937	3,744	181,126
1933	636	23,185	1938	1,788	100,403
1934		85,945	1939	2,493	124,807

Teble 12 - PRODUCTION OF SILICA BRICK IN CANADA, 1930 - 1939

The Foreign Minerals Quarterly of the United States Bureau of Mines states: "Of particular interest is the new method by the Andes Copper Company, Chile, of reducing the consumption of silica brick in furnace arches by spraying at intervals with a water slurry containing about 56 per cent solids made up of 97 per cent pulverized silica end 5 per cent clay. This is done while the furnace is in operation and a protective coating of an inch or more is maintained on the surface exposed to corrosion, which lengthens the life of the furnace campaign to an indefinite extent".

#### PRICES .

UNITED STATES (May, 1940) - Silica, per ton, water ground and floated, in bags, f.o.b. Illinois: 325 mesh, \$21 to \$40 for 92 to 992 per cent grades. Dry ground, air floated, 525 mesh, 92 to 992 per cent silica, \$20 to \$30. Glass sand,



f.o.b. producing plant, \$1.25 to \$5 per ton; molding sand, 50 cents to \$3.50; blast sand, \$1.75 to \$6. California: \$5 for quartz and \$2.50 for sand. Quartz rock crystals for fusing, all sizes, \$100 (/) per ton; prisms for piezo-electrical and optical use command premium. (Engineering and Mining Journal's "Metal and Mineral Markets" - New York).

"Canadian Chemistry and Process Industries" - Toronto - quotations (September, 1939) - silica sand, various grades, carlots, ton \$8 to \$9. Silica quartz 99 per cent, 110-220 grade, carlots - to \$15 per ton. The price for the lower grades of crude quartz varies greatly according to purity and purpose of use.

Table 13 - CONSUMPTION OF QUARTZ, SILICA SAND, ETC., IN CANADA, BY INDUSTRIES, ACCORDING TO CENSUS OF INDUSTRY REPORTS, 1937 and 1938

	1 9	3 7	1 9	5 8(a)
Industry	Quanti ty	Cost at works	Quantity	Cost at works
	Short tons	\$	Short tons	\$
Sflice Sand and Silice (including ground quarts) -			12,931	
Soaps and cleaning preparations	4,685	76,378	4,987	80,056
Acids and salts	11,659	54,769	11,453	49,391
Paints	836	21,306	838	23,986
Refractories	35	256	6	60
Roofing paper	1,976	11,657	1,050	5,132
Abrasives	45,240	211,899	32,746	159,284
· Glass	82,267	382,728	77,499	363,233
Enameling materials	493	5,971	380	5,700
Products from imported clays	3,032	44,648	2,576	- 38,441
Foundry facings and supplies	48	430	32	243
Non-ferrous smelters(f)	1,076,236	\$76,682	1,106,918	390,571
Steel foundries	37,015	207,510	36,123	194,426
TOTAL ACCOUNTED FOR	1,263,522	1,392,234	1,274,608	1,310,523
Quartz and Quartzite -				
'Acids and Salts	1,537	3,632	1,421	3,201
Ferro-alloys	35,633	80,201	23,711	47,539
TOTAL ACCOUNTED FOR	37,170	83,833	25,132	50,740

NOTE - Consumption values are costs at works.

(A) The quantities reported under this industry represent low grade natural silii cious sands used for fluxing purposes. In addition to the quantities shown for 1938, a relatively large quantity of quartz and quartzite is consumed in the manufacture of silica brick.

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(a) Data not yet complete for 1939.

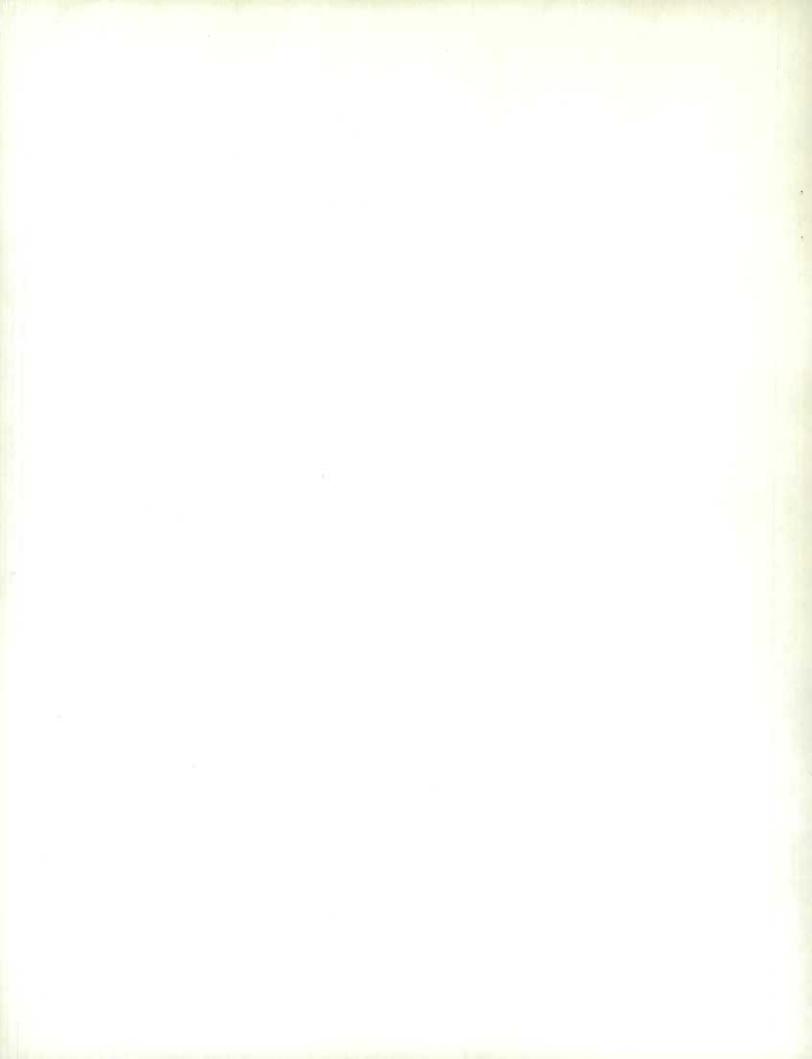


Table 14 - PRINCIPAL STATISTICS OF THE FELDSPAR AND QUARTZ MINING INDUSTRY,

1938 and	1939			
	ONTARIO	<b>x</b> )(b)	QUEI	BEC
	1938	1939	1958	1939
Number of firms (a)	15	17	17	26
Capital employed \$	585,102	598,255	1,020,034	992,760
Number of employees - On salary	25	15	24	20
On wages	142	169	184	134
Total	167	184	208	154
Salaries and wages - Salaries \$	. 30,133	19,915	35,675	30,995
Wages\$	140,959	165,721	135,481	113,539
Total \$	171,092	185,636	171,156	144,534
Selling value of products (gross) \$	855,518	922,576	378,129	430,095
Cost of fuel and purchased electricity \$	30,360	35,525	45,290	43,589
Cost of process supplies \$	68,774	74,217	24,085	25,390
Net value of sales \$	756, 384	812,834	308,754	361,116

(x) In 1938 includes 1 firm operating in Nova Scotia, Manitoba and Saskatchewan (a total of 3). In 1939 includes 1 firm in Nova Scotia, 2 in Manitoba and 1 in Saskatchewan.

(a) Small shippers from whom reports were unobtainable and whose production is recorded from consumers returns are sometimes not included in the total.

(b) Includes data relating to production of nepheline-syenite.

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Month	1936	1937	1938	Quebec	Ontario	CANADA(x)		
January	188	278	279	113	96	209		
February	186	282	292	105	106	211		
March	192	289	280	114	107	221		
April	199	338	271	116	94	210		
May	254	345	362	130	170	514		
June	321	416	382	144	171	331		
July	354	461	413	153	196	. 367		
August	364	455	429	178	197	397		
September	407	490	368	164	188	374		
October	585	481	318	175	205	402		
November	331	474	299	149	190	556		
December	303	367	222	145	150	313		

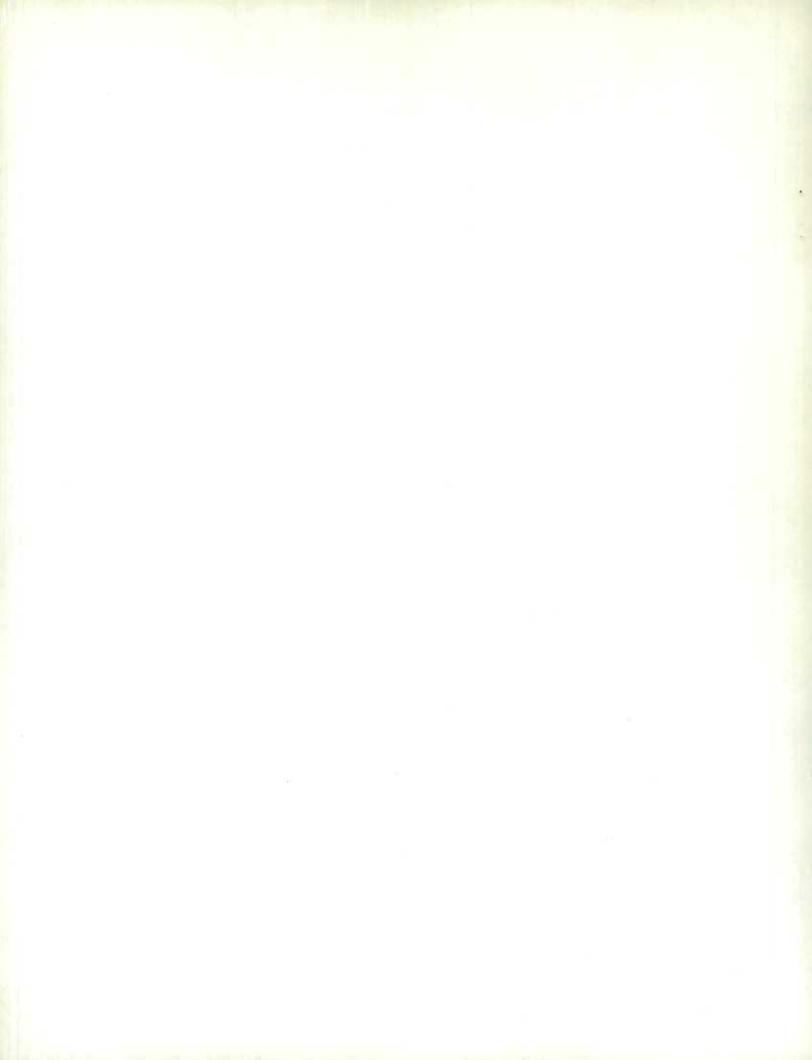
Table 15 - NUMBER OF WAGE-FARNERS ON PAY ROLL, BY MONTHS, 1936 - 1939

(x) Includes a few employees in some months in Nova Scotia and Manitoba.

Table 16 -	WAGE-EARNERS	WORKING	THE	HOURS	SPECIFIED	DURING	ONE	WEEK	IN	MONTH	OF	5.02
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Hours	Number	Hours		Number
30 or less	2			
51 - 43	47	51 - 54		64
4	15	55		5
5 - 47	10	56 - 64	************	120
8	112	65 and 0	ver	7
Grand Total Employees in we	ek specified			391
lotal wages paid in week sp				

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100.00	TOTAL AND A SALES AND A SALES		CAN	UDA	Onta	rio	Quebec			
tind		Unit of measure	Quantity	Cost at works	Quantity	Cost at works	Quantity	Cost a works		
-	1480 C		12.22.2	\$	(a)	\$	1.00 C	\$		
Rituminou	i coal -									
Canadian	1	short ton	892	6,334	5	20	887	6,514		
		short ton	4,136	25,006			30	161		
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		short ton	7	90			7	90		
		short ton	5	105			5	105		
		short ton				•••				
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		Imp. gal.			26,083	5,023	11,609			
		Imp. gal.	3,546		3,546	593				
		Imp. gal.	237,919			1,621	224,149	-		
4		cord(f)	888	3,316	424	1,424	464	1,892		
ther		\$		1				1		
Electricit	ty pur-									
chased		K.W.H.	1,283,842	15,229	286,242	1,999	997,600	13,230		
TOTAL		\$		79,114		35,525		43, 589		
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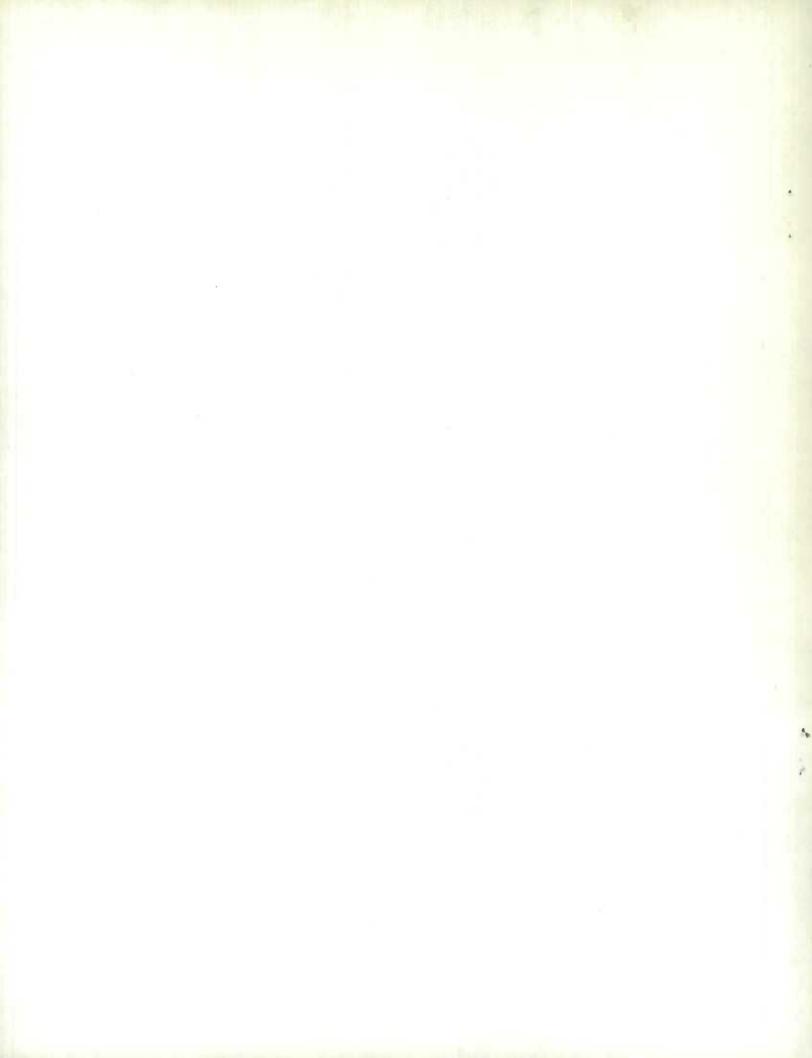
Table 17 - FUEL AND ELECTRICITY USED, 1959(b)

(4) 128 cubic feet. (a) Includes data for 1 property in Nova Scotia. (b) Data relating to production of silica flux by smelting companies are included with those of the non-forrous smelting and refining industry.

# Table 18 - POWER EQUIPMENT INSTALLATION, 1939

	QUEE	BEC	ONTARIO (a)		
Description	Number	Horse power	Number	Horse power	
Ordinarily in Use				10 19	
Steam engines and steam turbines	40		6	538	
Diesel engines	3	765	1	57	
Other internal combustion engines	7	213	11	596	
Electric motors operated by purchased power	30	716	27	317	
Electric motors operated by establishment power	70	810	5	119	
Boilers	4	215	5	500	
In reserve or idle					
Steam engines and steam turbines	1 1	35			
Diesel engines					
Other internal combustion engines					
Electric motors operated by purchased power					
Electric motors operated by establishment power	7	25			
Boilers	1	80			

(a) Includes 1 property in Nova Scotia.



## LIST OF FIRMS IN THE CANADIAN FELDSPAR AND QUARTZ MINING INDUSTRY, 1939

(a) - shipped silica only. (b) - operate a milling plant. (c) - shipped scapolite.

Name of Firm

## Head Office Address

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# Sydney (24 Whitney Ave.)

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Berthel, J. D. (a) Bigelow, Clifford (a) Bigelow, Gordon and Parcher, A. Cameron, Wm. Canadian Flint & Spar Co. Ltd. (b) Canadian Kaolin Silica Products Ltd. (a)(b)

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Smith, Allan (a) St. Amour, Orphila Stewart, Wm. (a) Thompson, Christopher (a) Warwick, Wm. (a)

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East Templeton Glen Almond Glen Almond Buckingham Gatineau Pointe

Glen Almond Notre Dame de la Salette Buckingham Poupore Glen Almond

Location of mine or mill

Leitches Creek

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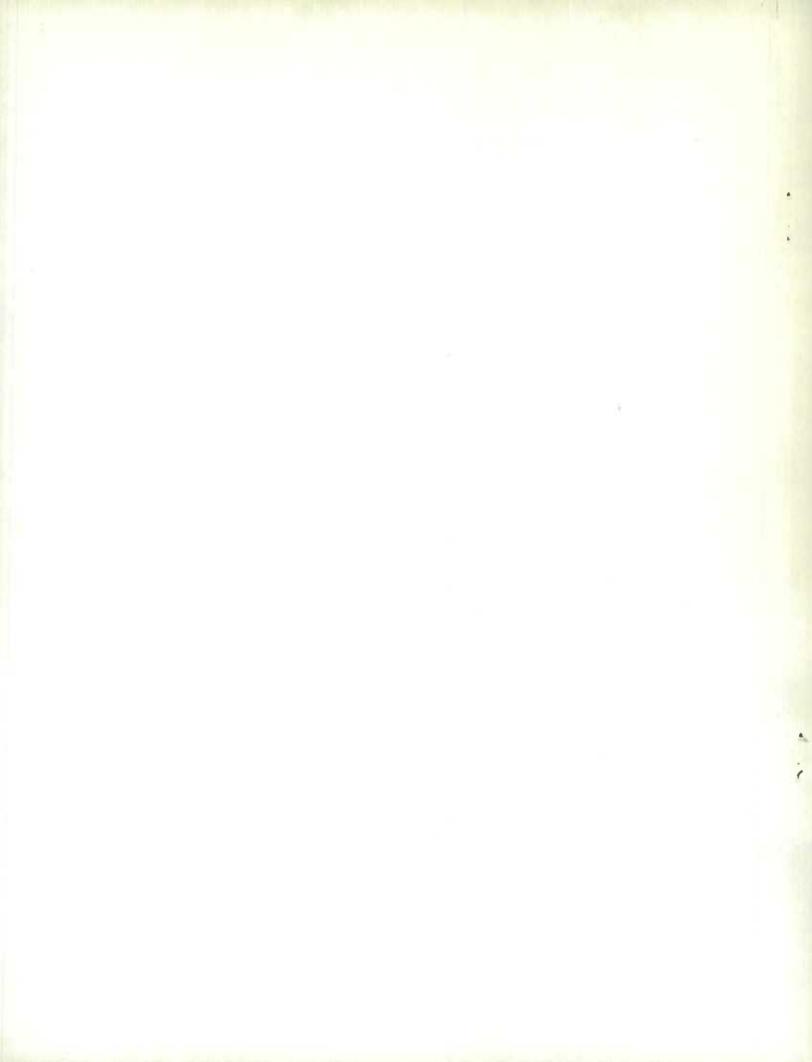
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LIST OF FIRMS IN THE CANADIAN FELDSPAR AND QUARTZ MINING INDUSTRY. 1939 (Concluded)

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