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PREFACE

The present statistical report includes the latest available figures on the mineral production of Canada for 1930, and imports and exports of the principal minerals and mineral products in that year. The compilation shows that the value of production was considerably less than in 1929 due to lower prices for the metals and to a falling off in demand for non-metallic minerals and structural materials. On the other hand programs of enlargements projected two or three years ago by some of the larger mining and smelting companies were brought to a successful completion during 1930 and Canada now stands well equipped to meet any normal increase in demand for the principal metals either in the raw, semi-manufactured or fully-manufactured state.

As in former years, the Bureau has continued to co-operate with the provinces of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia in the collection of coal statistics; and with the provinces of Quebec, Ontario, and British Columbia in the collection of annual mineral production returns, thereby lessening the work of the mine operators in the matter of making returns and also tending to make the compilations more uniform as between the provinces and the Dominion. The Bureau desires to acknowledge its indebtedness to the provincial governments and to other Dominion departments for the valuable assistance rendered in connection with this report.

The thanks of the Bureau are also tendered to mine and smelter operators for assistance given and information made available. The railway and other transportation companies as well as smelter operators outside of Canada have also furnished data, receipt of which is gratefully acknowledged.

The report has been prepared under the direction of Mr. W. H. Losee, B.Sc., chief of the Mining, Metallurgical and Chemical Branch of the Bureau, by Mr. R. J. McDowall, B.Sc., who was assisted by Mr. B. R. Hayden of the mineral division staff.

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Quantities and Values of Mineral Products from Canadian Sources, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930		Per cent Increase (+) or Decrease (-)		
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	
METALLICS							
Arsenic (As ₂ O ₃)..... lb.	5,230,088	171,320	4,524,220	129,527	-	13.5	24.4
Bismuth..... lb.	194,329	307,114	12,732	6,386	-	-	-
Cadmium..... lb.	773,978	675,294	-	394,800	-	-	41.5
Chromite..... tons	126	900	-	-	-	-	-
Cobalt..... lb.	929,415	1,801,915	694,163	1,144,007	-	25.4	36.6
Copper..... lb.	248,120,760	43,415,251	303,356,644	37,990,226	+	22.2	12.5
Gold..... fine oz.	1,928,308	39,861,663	2,107,073	43,557,063	+	9.2	9.2
Iron ore sold for export..... tons	2,748	7,359	412	1,239	-	85.0	83.1
Lead..... lb.	326,522,566	16,544,248	333,067,797	13,109,451	+	2.1	20.8
Manganese ore..... tons	-	-	244	1,356	-	-	-
Molybdenite..... lb.	16,150	6,400	-	-	-	-	-
Nickel..... lb.	110,275,912	27,115,461	103,708,857	24,455,133	-	6.0	9.9
Palladium, Rhodium, Iridium, etc. fine oz.	17,318	809,289	34,063	895,040	+	96.6	10.5
Platinum..... fine oz.	12,519	846,756	34,013	1,542,761	+	171.6	82.1
Silver..... fine oz.	23,143,261	12,264,308	26,435,935	10,096,367	+	14.2	17.8
Zinc..... lb.	197,267,087	10,626,778	207,665,479	9,635,957	+	35.6	9.4
Total	-	154,454,056	-	142,919,293	-	-	7.5
NON-METALLICS—FUELS							
Coal..... tons	17,490,557	63,065,170	14,878,728	53,287,813	-	15.0	15.6
Natural gas..... M cu. ft.	28,378,462	9,477,124	29,104,570	9,635,704	+	2.5	3.5
Peat..... tons	2,607	13,339	2,847	10,932	+	9.2	18.1
Petroleum, crude..... brls.	1,117,368	3,731,764	1,492,471	4,953,885	+	33.5	32.7
Total	-	76,787,397	-	67,888,334	-	-	11.6
Other Non-Metallics							
Actinolite..... tons	30	375	34	437	+	13.3	16.5
Asbestos..... tons	306,055	13,172,581	242,112	8,390,163	-	20.9	36.4
Barytes..... tons	105	2,341	66	1,484	-	37.2	36.7
Beryl crystals..... lb.	4,450	114	-	-	-	-	-
Bituminous sands..... tons	989	3,956	1,992	7,968	+	101.4	96.3
Diatomite..... tons	429	10,330	554	13,247	+	29.1	28.2
Feldspar..... tons	37,527	340,471	27,423	237,383	-	27.0	30.3
Fluorspar..... tons	17,870	268,120	80	1,240	-	-	-
Graphite..... tons	1,461	103,174	1,610	100,322	+	10.1	2.8
Grindstones..... tons	1,947	106,354	850	57,799	-	56.4	45.7
Gypsum..... tons	1,211,689	3,345,090	1,040,883	2,772,584	-	14.1	17.2
Iron oxides..... tons	6,518	115,932	6,596	83,873	+	1.1	27.7
Magnesite..... tons	18,809	491,170	13,336	336,162	-	29.1	31.6
Manganese (bog)..... tons	301	1,830	275	1,650	-	8.7	9.8
Mica..... tons	4,053	118,539	1,261	97,156	-	68.9	18.1
Mineral waters..... Imp. gals.	321,905	16,139	224,741	10,078	-	30.2	37.6
Phosphate..... tons	1,185	5,380	40	760	-	-	-
Quartz..... tons	265,949	561,527	264,732	475,023	-	0.5	15.3
Salt..... tons	330,264	1,578,086	268,851	1,681,217	-	18.6	6.5
Silica brick..... M	3,951	173,581	3,696	158,693	-	8.8	8.7
Soapstone..... tons	-	17,986	-	50,168	-	-	4.5
Sodium carbonate..... tons	600	8,100	364	4,550	-	39.5	43.9
Sodium sulphate..... tons	5,018	64,132	31,571	293,847	+	529.1	358.3
Sulphur..... tons	42,781	350,843	36,972	308,777	-	13.6	12.0
Talc..... tons	15,509	181,212	11,841	136,048	-	23.7	25.0
Volcanic dust..... tons	300	6,000	326	6,520	+	8.7	8.6
Total	-	21,973,959	-	15,227,689	-	-	27.8
CLAY PRODUCTS AND OTHER STRUCTURAL MATERIALS—Clay Products							
Brick—Soft mud process (Face..... M	26,624	538,096	9,001	179,148	-	90.2	66.7
Common..... M	77,399	1,195,511	53,494	815,594	-	30.9	31.8
Stiff mud process (Face..... M	114,093	2,469,417	96,363	2,094,172	-	15.6	15.2
(wire cut)..... Common..... M	170,840	2,509,451	115,447	1,632,424	-	32.5	35.0
Dry press (Face..... M	38,561	813,461	31,845	650,164	-	17.3	19.4
Common..... M	20,131	368,039	16,920	208,495	-	35.3	43.4
Fancy or ornamental brick..... M	187	12,795	339	27,648	+	81.2	116.0
Sewer brick..... M	4,765	96,588	994	18,692	-	79.1	80.7
Paving brick..... M	97	3,844	9	297	-	-	-
Firebrick..... M	5,196	251,043	3,790	177,608	-	27.1	53.2
Fireclay and other clay..... tons	5,041	35,226	2,870	25,974	-	43.1	26.3
Fireclay blocks and shapes.....	-	130,411	-	147,309	-	-	12.9
Hollow blocks..... tons	221,800	2,214,384	169,655	1,716,170	-	23.6	22.5
Roofing tile..... sq. ft.	35,075	4,028	3,086	376	-	-	-
Floor tile (marries)..... sq. ft.	307,400	70,186	203,789	59,030	-	33.8	15.9
Drain tile..... M	25,000	729,315	20,764	631,118	-	17.0	12.4
Sewer pipe, copings, flue linings, etc. tons	-	2,065,887	-	1,783,422	-	-	11.1
Pottery, glazed or unglazed..... \$	-	325,194	-	292,146	-	-	9.7
Other clay products.....	-	142,166	-	231,411	-	-	62.7
Total	-	13,904,643	-	10,697,218	-	-	23.1
Other Structural Materials							
Cement..... brls.	12,284,081	19,337,235	11,032,539	17,818,451	-	10.2	7.9
Lime..... tons	674,087	5,908,910	507,855	4,104,251	-	24.7	28.6
Sand and gravel..... tons	27,840,945	7,317,814	29,006,338	7,302,424	+	4.1	0.2
Slate..... tons	-	-	150	3,090	-	-	-
Stone..... tons	9,622,424	12,066,532	9,878,106	12,419,903	+	2.6	2.9
Total	-	44,630,191	-	41,708,029	-	-	6.6
Grand Total	-	310,850,246	-	278,476,563	-	-	10.4

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PRELIMINARY REPORT ON THE MINERAL PRODUCTION OF CANADA DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR, 1930

Canada's mineral production amounted to \$278,470,563 in 1930. This is a decrease of 10.4 per cent from the 1929 record of \$310,850,246 but \$3,481,076 above 1928. More gold, copper, zinc, natural gas, petroleum, stone and sand and gravel were produced than ever before and the silver and lead output exceeded that of the previous year, but the production of coal, asbestos, gypsum, salt, clay products, cement and lime were all lower than in 1929.

Metals as a group totalled \$142,949,293 as compared with \$154,454,056 in 1929. This drop in value is accounted for by the drastic reduction in metal prices during the year. Silver touched an all time low; copper fell from 17.775 cents in January to 9.597 cents in October; lead averaged 3.927 cents per pound on the London market and the average quotation for zinc on the same market was 3.6 cents.

On account of the lower output of coal during 1930 the value of the fuels group at \$67,888,334 showed a decline of 11.6 per cent. Petroleum production however increased 33.5 per cent in quantity and 32.7 per cent in value over the previous year. Other non-metals, the principal items of which were asbestos, gypsum, salt, sulphur, quartz, and sodium sulphate, were valued at \$15,227,689, a decrease of 27.8 per cent from 1929.

Structural materials comprising cement, lime, clay products, stone and sand and gravel were valued at \$52,405,247 as compared with \$58,534,834 in 1929.

The following table shows the value of production for metals, fuels, other non-metals, clay products and other structural materials in each of the past ten years.

Values of Mineral Production of Canada by Classes, 1921-1930

Year	Metallics	Coal, natural gas, peat and crude petroleum	Other non- metallics	Clay products and other structural materials	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
1921.....	49,343,232	77,694,017	10,148,665	34,737,428	171,923,342
1922.....	61,785,707	71,990,674	10,986,120	30,534,741	184,297,242
1923.....	84,391,218	78,465,622	13,471,110	37,751,381	214,079,331
1924.....	102,406,528	59,770,024	12,025,985	35,380,869	209,583,406
1925.....	117,082,298	57,354,055	14,497,746	37,649,231	226,583,333
1926.....	115,237,581	68,743,933	16,496,211	39,959,398	240,437,123
1927.....	113,561,030	71,426,516	17,559,730	44,809,419	247,356,695
1928.....	132,012,454	74,413,160	18,826,692	49,737,181	274,989,487
1929.....	154,454,056	76,787,397	21,073,959	58,534,834	310,850,246
1930.....	142,949,293	67,888,334	15,227,689	52,405,247	278,470,563

Figures of total production, however, fail to convey a correct impression of the magnitude of the mining industry in this country. Among the basic industries of Canada mining stands third, being exceeded only by agriculture and forestry. In 1929 the latest year for which industrial statistics are complete, some \$870,000,000 was invested in this industry; more than 95,000 men were employed in operating the mines, smelters, oil and gas wells, brick plants and quarries, who received \$125,000,000 in salaries and wages, and these figures do not include the expenditure of the many prospecting and exploration companies. In addition to the mining of our known ore bodies, and the resulting metallurgical operations, prospecting in the outlying areas of the Dominion has been carried forward to a much greater degree than formerly. The development of the aeroplane has provided an agent of improved and rapid transportation in regions where the canoe, dog team and pack horse were the only other means available, while exploration and photography from the air are providing accurate knowledge and reliable maps of large areas that hitherto were almost entirely unexplored.

Principal Minerals

Canada's principal metals and minerals in order of their total values in 1930 were coal, gold, copper, nickel, cement, lead, stone, clay products, silver, zinc, natural gas, asbestos, sand and gravel, petroleum, lime, gypsum, platinum group metals and salt. These 18 mineral products represent over 98 per cent of the total value of production but many of the remaining items on the list, while not of immediate importance, have possibilities, and each year there is a changing in relative values among them as new uses are developed. For instance, the sodium sulphate of Saskatchewan, which for years was mined only in small quantities, now shows an increase in production due principally to the action of one of our chemical companies which transforms it into nitre cake for use in the smelting of our nickel-copper ores. Sulphur, formerly produced and sold in Canada only in the form of pyrites, is now being recovered from smelter gases to make sulphuric acid direct.

Coal.—Production of coal from Canadian mines in 1930 declined to a point 15 per cent below the 1929 level, and 9.4 per cent below the average for the past five years. Compared with the 1929 output losses were recorded in the five important producing provinces; the most serious declines were as follows: Nova Scotia, 11.4 per cent; Alberta, 19.5 per cent; and British Columbia, 16.4 per cent. Saskatchewan's output was only slightly below the previous year's record, while New Brunswick mines reported a falling off of 4.3 per cent in production. The Yukon total was higher than in 1929. Nova Scotia was the principal producing province, accounting for 42 per cent of the total output in 1930 and Alberta followed with 38.7 per cent. Canadian production during the year consisted of 10,824,291 tons of bituminous coal, 3,451,079 tons of lignite coal and 603,358 tons of sub-bituminous coal. Imports of coal totalled 17,620,074 tons including 4,256,000 tons of anthracite, 13,345,308 tons of bituminous and 18,676 tons of lignite. Anthracite imports consisted of 2,955,954 tons from the United States, 996,127 tons from Great Britain, 291,407 tons from Russia, 11,480 tons from Germany, and 1,122 tons from the French East Indies. Bituminous importations were obtained principally from the United States. The lignite coal imported was purchased from the United States. Exports of Canadian coal declined 26 per cent in 1930. Coal made available for consumption in Canada during 1930 totalled 31,874,290 tons as compared with 35,272,885 tons in the preceding year. The seasonal trend of employment in the Canadian coal mines was more pronounced than usual in 1930; during January 30,839 men were employed, a steady falling off was recorded during the following months and the low point for the year was reached in June when 24,693 men were on the mine pay rolls. During December 30,558 men were employed in the industry.

Gold.—Canada produced more gold in 1930 than ever before, passing the 2,000,000 ounce mark for the first time. While the output from the Porcupine area was not as great as in 1929, the Kirkland Lake camp's production was far ahead of last year. In Porcupine preparations have been made for expansion, the Dome has a new mill in operation and the new mill at the McIntyre will be in operation early this year (1931). The Hollinger maintained a steady production and it is understood other producers in the camp are enlarging their development plans. At Kirkland Lake the increase of 22 per cent speaks for itself. British Columbia contributed

163,490 ounces to the 1930 total. This was recovered principally from the ores of the Premier, the Nickel Plate and the Pioneer, and from alluvial workings. Another important source is the base metal ores from which gold is recovered as a by-product. Quebec production shows a marked increase over last year due to the fact that Noranda, when the price of copper is low, is able to mine ore which carries high gold values. The Siscoe and Granada are other contributors and considerable interest is being presently displayed on other possibilities in this section of the province. Yukon placer output was only slightly under last year. One gold mine in Manitoba ran steadily and gold is also reported in the blister copper made at Flin Flon. As in other years Nova Scotia reported small shipments.

Copper.—Canada produced 22 per cent more copper than in 1929, but because of the marked reduction in average price when compared with 1929 the total value was under that of last year. The price of electrolytic copper in New York last January, February and March was 17.775 cents per pound; since then a steady decline in price has occurred reaching a new record low of 9.597 cents in October. November and December prices were slightly better. During the past two years Canada has made rapid strides in the matter of handling raw output. Refineries have been built and fabricating plants constructed that can supply a large part of the Canadian demand for this metal in its various forms and have a considerable quantity left over for export. In 1930 the various copper producing provinces contributed to the total production as follows:—Ontario, 42 per cent; British Columbia, 31 per cent; Quebec, 26 per cent; and Manitoba, about 1 per cent.

Nickel.—Canada's nickel output in 1930 was slightly under 1929. Since this metal has been changed to peace time uses the output is bound to follow the general industrial conditions and it naturally follows that nickel output would be less in 1930; the decline is remarkably small, however.

The International Nickel Company produce electrolytic nickel and nickel oxide at Port Colborne; some matte is shipped to Huntington for the manufacture of monel metal and some is exported to Clydach, Wales, for refining. The smelter matte from the Falconbridge mine is shipped to Norway.

Cement.—Cement production was less, totalling 11,032,539 barrels valued at \$17,818,451. Quebec and Ontario are the principal producers but more than a million dollars worth is produced annually in each of the three western provinces, Manitoba, Alberta, and British Columbia.

Lead.—Lead output at 333,067,797 pounds was greater than in 1929 and only 1.5 per cent under the record year of 1928. Over 95 per cent of Canada's lead is produced in British Columbia ores principally from the Sullivan mine. The Monarch mine at Field, B.C., operated by the Base Metals Corporation exported lead concentrates. In Nova Scotia, lead concentrates were produced from the ores of the Stirling mine but no shipments were made. The Tétremult mine in Quebec was not operating. Ontario's output was composed of the pig lead made at Gulletta and the lead concentrates produced by the Treadwell Yukon Company in the Sudbury area. Production from the Mayo camp of the Yukon was about the same as last year.

Stone.—Products of the quarry are always in much demand and Canada has a variety to suit almost every purpose. Plants for the dressing of granite, marble, limestone and sandstone are to be found in various parts of the Dominion. In the realm of road-making nothing has yet been found that will take the place of crushed stone and the large railway companies are using crushed stone in place of sand and gravel for ballasting their road-beds. Stone production in 1930 totalled \$12,419,903, a considerable item in Canada's mineral production.

Clay Products.—Clay products production was lower than in 1929, due to a falling off in building construction. Brick and tile manufacturers are situated at strategic points in all the provinces so that any normal demand can be readily met.

Silver.—Silver output at 26,435,935 ounces was the largest of any year since 1915 and greater than 1929 by 14 per cent, despite the very drastic reduction in price. Production is noted from Nova Scotia where it is associated with gold bullion; from Quebec where it is

mined with copper and gold ores. In Ontario silver output amounted to 10,205,010 fine ounces as against 8,890,726 ounces in 1929. Manitoba's production, though not large, will increase when the large copper-zinc-silver mines come into full production. British Columbia's output was larger than last year by 17 per cent due in large part to the fact that in addition to the Sullivan and Premier, the former great silver producing properties of the province, the Prosperity and Porter-Idaho mines made substantial shipments to the smelters. Shipments from the Mayo camp in the Yukon territory were greater than in 1929.

Zinc.—Canada's output of zinc in 1930 established a new high record despite the average low price of 3.6 cents per pound on the London market on which basis the bulk of Canada's zinc is sold. In addition to the Sullivan production, considerable zinc was recovered by the re-treatment of slags which had been stored at Trail. The Monarch mine at Field, B.C., the Amulet mine in Quebec, the Treadwell Yukon in Ontario, all exported zinc concentrates. In Manitoba, the Hudson Bay Mining and Smelting Company commenced the production of refined zinc in the late autumn. This company along with the Consolidated Smelters at Trail are the only producers of refined zinc in Canada.

Natural Gas.—Natural gas output set up a new high record in 1930 when 29,104,570 thousand cubic feet were produced. Wells in Alberta accounted for more than 70 per cent of the total Canadian production. Increasing quantities of natural gas are being produced from the wet gas wells of the Turner Valley field, Alberta, and the problem of utilizing all this gas continues to be the subject of much study. During 1930 experimental work was done in connection with the storing of some of this gas in the exhausted sands of the Bow Island field.

Asbestos.—With the exception of coal, asbestos has been Canada's most valuable non-metallic mineral for some years. Competition from Africa and Russia, along with the general tie-up in business, affected the 1930 output seriously. Production amounted to 242,112 tons valued at \$8,390,163 as compared with 306,055 tons valued at \$13,172,581 in 1929, a decrease of 21 per cent in quantity and 36 per cent in value.

Sand and Gravel.—As with stone, sand and gravel constitutes one of the important Canadian mineral products. Its ready accessibility and the fact that the aggregate is in form for immediate use, gives it a wider range than stone for concrete construction, and for small concrete jobs that would not warrant the installation of an expensive quarrying and crushing plant, sand and gravel will be always used. The fact that gravel pits are to be found in so many convenient localities makes its use ideal for road construction where traffic is not too heavy. Sand is indispensable in all construction where lime and cement are used and because of its common uses we are apt to overlook the important place it takes in our every day life.

Petroleum.—Petroleum production at 1,492,471 barrels valued at \$4,953,885 recorded an increase of 33.5 per cent in quantity and 32.7 per cent in value over the 1929 output. In 1930 Alberta well yielded 1,368,411 barrels, Ontario wells produced 117,302 barrels, and wells in New Brunswick 6,758 barrels.

Lime.—In conformity with the drop in other structural materials, lime production was lower than last year. Besides its use in the building trades, the consumption in chemical and other industrial enterprises is considerable, and an effort is being made this year by the Bureau to get a more complete survey of the consumption of this old and indispensable mineral product.

Gypsum.—Gypsum quarries are operated in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Ontario, Manitoba, and British Columbia. Nova Scotia is the principal producer and the bulk of the output in this province is exported to the United States. During the past few years much research work has been done on this mineral with very favourable results. As a fire resistant it has few competitors and in some of its manufactured forms it acts as a good insulator.

Salt.—Most of Canada's salt comes from wells in Ontario. Its markets are largely domestic and it also plays a large part in chemical manufacturing industries in the western part of the province. In Nova Scotia, the only other province producing salt at the present time, Malagash salt is recovered by mining methods.

Review by Areas

Nova Scotia.—Coal is Nova Scotia's principal mineral. In 1930 production reached 6,252,552 tons valued at \$24,518,860 as compared with 7,056,133 tons worth \$28,071,956 in 1929. In addition there are large commercial deposits of gypsum, the greater part of the annual output being exported to the United States. It is in this province that Malagash salt is mined; other non-metallies such as barytes, quartz, and diatomite are also produced. Production of these other non-metals was less than last year. Gold is produced in small amounts annually, output for the province being given at 1.272 fine ounces in 1930.

The Stirling mine, which has a complex ore of lead, zinc and copper, was brought to the production stage during the year, the mill being operated from May until August. Underground exploration was continued at the Coxheath copper mine. The Torbanite Products, Limited, interested in the developments of the oil shale deposits in Pietou county were delayed in their development work by a fire which destroyed part of their plant.

A small experimental shipment of manganese ore was made from a property in Lunenburg county.

New Brunswick.—Coal, gypsum, natural gas, petroleum, grindstones and structural materials are produced in New Brunswick. Coal production totalled 209,311 tons valued at \$864,006 as against 218,706 tons valued at \$909,169 in 1929. Gypsum output was not as large as in 1929. Several carloads of manganese ore were shipped during the year to steel companies from a property situated in Albert county.

Quebec.—For many years the non-metallic minerals of Quebec constituted the principal mineral production of that province. Evidences of changes have been appearing during the last year or two and at the present time the metallic production represents 34 per cent of the total. At one time Quebec supplied most of the world's asbestos, but competition from Rhodesia and Russia, co-incident with the general commercial depression, affected the 1930 output seriously. There has been a steady annual output of feldspar and mica and other non-metallies including graphite, magnesite, iron oxides, mineral waters, phosphate, pyrites, quartz are also produced, in addition to cement, brick, and other clay products, lime, building stone, and sand and gravel.

Within the past two years Quebec has developed into a notable producer of copper and although confronted with drastically reduced prices for this metal, the Noranda Mines, Ltd., was able to maintain continuous operation throughout the year. This company, essentially a copper producer, is fortunate in possessing copper ores which are almost unique in their high gold values which fact has a large bearing on low cost production. The Noranda Mines has a substantial interest in a new copper refinery at Montreal East which is expected to be in operation early in 1931. The Waite-Ackerman-Montgomery shipped ore to the Noranda smelter until May, 1930, and the Amulet ran their mill until November, shipping copper concentrate to Noranda and zinc concentrate abroad. The Siscoe gold mine operated continuously throughout the year and the Granada, another gold mine, came into production in June. At the O'Brien Cadillac gold property development was continued throughout the year.

Ontario.—Ontario, which produced 40.5 per cent of the total mineral production of the Dominion in 1930, continued to show progress in the face of adverse conditions. The gold camps reaped the benefits of the general fall in commodity prices and 1930 will stand out as an exceptional year in Canadian gold mining. Production from the Porcupine camp totalled 859,079 fine ounces as against the larger 1929 output of 932,732 fine ounces, the decrease being accounted for by the fact that the Dome mine did not produce during the first ten months of the year, except for a small amount from the clean-up of the mill which was destroyed by fire in October, 1929. A new mill erected by the Dome began

operations in November, 1930. An intensive geological study is being made at the Hollinger and production of gold was maintained steadily throughout the year. The new McIntyre mill, which will use flotation, is expected to be into production early in the spring of 1931. Kirkland Lake output of gold reached a grand total of 831,503 fine ounces, an increase of 22 per cent over 1929. The Lake Shore mine is now treating in the neighbourhood of 2,000 tons per day; the Teck Hughes has continued deep development; the Wright-Hargreaves improved its position and declared a dividend payable early in 1931. The Sylvanite paid its first dividend. The Howey mine in Red Lake came into production in March and has operated continuously since. Other sources of gold in Ontario are the nickel-copper mines and copper-zinc mines of the Sudbury area. A new gold find was reported in the Metachewan district during the autumn, and one large Canadian mining company is doing intensive development work upon it. The quantity of copper produced in Ontario gained 44 per cent over last year and included the copper in blister made at Port Colborne, copper in nickel-copper matte exported by the nickel companies, the copper in concentrates exported by the copper-zinc-silver mines, and the small amount of copper contained in silver ores exported from the Cobalt camp. A copper refinery, the first in Ontario, was completed and put in operation in July at Copper Cliff. It has a rated capacity of 120,000 tons and in addition to refining converter copper made at Port Colborne by the International Nickel Company, also treated blister copper made at Anyox, B.C., by the Granby Consolidated.

Nickel production was only 6 per cent under 1929. Metallic nickel and nickel oxide are made at Port Colborne, Ontario, by the International Nickel Company which organization also exports nickel-copper matte to Huntington, West Virginia, to be made into monel metal, and to Clydach, Wales, for refining. The Falconbridge Nickel mines also shipped nickel-copper matte to their Norway refinery during the period, February to November. The Treadwell Yukon Company, operating in the Sudbury district, shipped lead, zinc and copper concentrates.

In the silver camps of Cobalt, South Lorraine and Gowganda several companies carried on in the face of the worst silver market experienced in years; despite the extremely low prices production was greater than in 1929.

Lead production in Ontario was less than last year.

Natural gas and petroleum production in Ontario was slightly lower than in 1929; the other non-metallics showed declines and the structural materials group reflected the depression in the building trades.

Manitoba.—For the first time in the history of mining in Canada, Manitoba is able to report a production of blister copper and refined zinc. The Hudson Bay Mining and Smelting Company, operating the Flin Flon mine, brought their smelter to production late in the fall and reported an output of these metals along with some gold and silver as by-products. At this writing blister copper is being shipped to the Canadian Refineries at Montreal and the zinc is being sent to British and various European ports. When the Sherritt-Gordon mine begins production concentrates from its mill will be treated at the Flin Flon smelter. Gold production in this province was principally from the Central Manitoba mine.

Saskatchewan.—In Saskatchewan, lignite coal production at 578,152 tons was slightly under that of 1929. Sodium sulphate output was considerably greater, due to the fact that a large chemical company at Copper Cliff is converting this material to sodium acid sulphate for use in the "tops and bottoms" separation process in nickel-copper smelting.

Alberta.—Coal production in Alberta followed a lower trend during 1930, although in October there was an increase in output, particularly in the lignite fields. This advance, however, was not continued during the closing months of the year. Substantial gains were recorded in the production of petroleum and natural gas during 1930.

The output of coal totalled 5,754,752 tons valued at \$18,513,620; in the previous year 7,150,693 tons worth \$22,928,182 were produced. Production during 1930 consisted of 2,278,467 tons of bituminous coal; 603,358 tons of sub-bituminous coal and 2,872,927 tons of lignite coal.

The output of gas from Alberta wells amounted to 20,540,858 thousand cubic feet valued at \$4,806,125. The Turner Valley field continued to be the main source of supply for Calgary, where over 17,000 consumers were served.

Petroleum production reached a total of 1,368,411 barrels with a value of \$4,700,760 as compared with 988,675 barrels worth \$3,458,177 produced in 1929. The bringing in of some twenty-five new producing wells was indicative of the drilling activities in the Alberta fields during 1930. Output in 1930 averaged approximately 115,000 barrels per month.

British Columbia.—British Columbia is the great base metal producing province. The world-famous Sullivan mine produces large quantities of lead, zinc and silver; the Monarch mine at Field, another lead-zinc-silver mine, came into production late in 1929 but closed down in October, 1930, owing to the low prices obtainable for these metals. The Britannia mine on Howe Sound, the Hidden Creek on Portland Canal and the Copper Mountain mine near Princeton produce copper with some gold and silver. Copper Mountain ceased producing during the last two months of the year on account of the low price of copper. Other main precious metals producers are the Premier, Porter Idaho, Prosperity, Nickel Plate and Pioneer. Lead output from this province was greater than in 1929 and zinc production was greater than in any former year. Silver production established a record also. Gold output, both placer and lode, was greater than in 1929, and much interest is being taken in the possibility of enlarging some of the gold properties and in the development of likely prospects.

Among the features of the past year was the construction of the new slag-fuming plant of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Co. Ltd., which enables the recovery of zinc formerly wasted in the lead blast furnace slags; and the completion of the first unit of the fertilizer plant by the same company.

Coal production during the year was 16 per cent less than in 1929. The use of fuel oil for industrial and domestic purposes is having a serious effect on the coal mining industry and great efforts are now being put forth towards extending the use of British Columbia's coal in the pulverized form.

Yukon.—Yukon placer gold production was slightly less than in 1929. Silver output from the Mayo camp shows a gain and lead production was about the same as in the previous year. Production from this camp does not reflect the actual year's work. Owing to the early freeze-up silver produced in the latter part of the year is not shipped until the following season, so that the 1930 shipments include part of the 1929 production. The low price of silver and lead now prevailing will seriously affect the mines in this district which are so far removed from smelting facilities.

Mineral Production of Canada by Provinces, 1928-1930

Province	1928		1929		1930	
	Value of production	Per cent of total	Value of production	Per cent of total	Value of production	Per cent of total
	\$		\$		\$	
Nova Scotia*	30,524,392	11.10	30,904,453	9.94	26,771,300	9.65
New Brunswick	2,198,919	0.80	2,439,072	0.79	2,270,812	0.81
Quebec	37,037,420	13.47	46,358,285	14.93	40,986,805	14.71
Ontario	99,584,718	36.22	117,662,505	37.85	112,888,204	40.53
Manitoba	4,186,853	1.52	5,423,825	1.75	5,326,568	1.91
Saskatchewan	1,719,461	0.63	2,253,506	0.72	2,298,725	0.82
Alberta	32,531,416	11.83	34,739,986	11.17	30,629,097	10.99
British Columbia	64,496,351	23.45	68,162,878	21.92	54,814,955	19.68
Yukon	2,709,957	0.98	2,905,736	0.93	2,503,197	0.90
Total	274,959,457	100.00	319,850,246	100.00	278,470,563	100.00

* Includes small production from Prince Edward Island.

(Metal Prices, 1926-1930)

Metal	Market	Unit	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930
			\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Antimony (ordinaries).....	New York.....	Pound.....	0-15988	0-12393	0-10305	0-08956	0-07667
Arsenic, white.....	New York.....	Pound.....	0-0350	0-0383	0-04	0-04	0-04
Cobalt.....	New York.....	Pound.....	2-50	2-50	2-63	2-52	2-50
Cobalt oxide.....	New York.....	Pound.....	2-10	2-10	2-10	2-10	2-00
Copper.....	New York.....	Pound.....	0-13795	0-12920	0-14570	0-18107	0-12982
	Montreal.....	Pound.....	0-1577	0-1478	0-16402	0-19978	0-1498
	New York.....	Pound.....	0-08417	0-06755	0-06305	0-06833	0-05517
Lead.....	Montreal.....	Pound.....	0-08154	0-0673	0-0666	0-06678	0-05496
	Toronto.....	Pound.....	0-08274	0-0683	0-06206	0-06775	0-056
	London.....	Pound.....	0-06751	0-05256	0-04576	0-05054	0-03927
Nickel.....	New York.....	Pound.....	0-36	0-36	0-36	0-35	0-36
Platinum.....	New York.....	Ounce.....	113-260	84-636	78-58	67-655	45-358
Silver.....	New York.....	Ounce.....	0-62107	0-56370	0-58176	0-52093	0-38154
*Tin.....	New York.....	Pound.....	0-63615	0-62747	0-50472	0-45155	0-31694
Zinc.....	St. Louis.....	Pound.....	0-07337	0-06242	0-06027	0-06512	0-04556
	Montreal.....	Pound.....	0-08825	0-07710	0-07144	0-0687	0-05084
	London.....	Pound.....	0-07410	0-06194	0-05493	0-05396	0-03600

* For 1926 prices are for 99% grade; 1927-1930 quotations are for Straits.

Metal Prices by Months, 1929-1930

Month	Copper (Electrolytic)				Pig Lead					
	New York (In cents per pound)		London (In £ sterling per long ton)		Montreal (In cents per pound)		New York (In cents per pound)		*London (In £ sterling per long ton)	
	1929	1930	1929	1930	1929	1930	1929	1930	1929	1930
January.....	16-603	17-775	78-602	83-250	6-430	6-500	6-650	6-250	22-111	21-545
February.....	17-727	17-775	83-538	83-500	6-590	6-425	6-853	6-236	23-128	21-188
March.....	21-257	17-775	98-356	83-405	7-175	5-950	7-450	5-662	25-409	18-807
April.....	19-500	15-621	89-405	74-338	7-080	5-650	7-187	5-537	24-783	18-319
May.....	17-775	12-756	83-727	59-545	6-740	5-330	7-000	5-523	23-049	17-795
June.....	17-775	12-049	84-013	56-750	6-700	5-360	7-000	5-410	23-694	17-941
July.....	17-775	11-023	84-043	52-522	6-550	5-360	6-804	5-250	22-810	18-160
August.....	17-775	10-693	84-230	50-725	6-600	5-400	6-750	5-188	23-185	18-294
September.....	17-775	10-310	84-363	49-500	6-675	5-320	6-890	5-500	23-557	17-909
October.....	17-775	9-597	83-978	45-772	6-625	4-820	6-873	5-151	23-236	15-747
November.....	17-775	10-113	82-202	48-963	6-480	4-910	6-285	5-100	21-622	15-934
December.....	17-775	10-300	82-569	50-065	6-500	4-930	6-250	5-100	21-472	15-283
Average.....	18-107	12-982	84-921	61-528	6-678	5-496	6-833	5-517	23-246	18-077

* Computed at par (\$4-8666), the average London price of lead in 1929 was 0-05054 cents per pound; and in 1930 was 0-03927 cents per pound.

Month	Silver				Zinc					
	New York (In cents per oz.: -999 fine)		London (In pence per oz.: -925 fine)		Montreal (In cents per pound)		St. Louis (In cents per pound)		*London (In £ sterling per long ton)	
	1929	1930	1929	1930	1929	1930	1929	1930	1929	1930
January.....	57-019	45-000	26-257	20-896	7-29	5-950	6-350	5-229	26-196	19-634
February.....	56-210	43-193	25-904	20-008	7-30	5-825	6-350	5-180	26-247	19-209
March.....	56-346	41-654	26-000	19-298	7-37	5-550	6-463	4-934	27-050	18-004
April.....	55-668	42-428	25-738	19-554	7-23	5-340	6-658	4-843	26-759	17-819
May.....	54-125	40-736	25-084	18-850	7-05	5-070	6-618	4-641	26-727	16-639
June.....	52-415	34-595	24-258	16-049	7-00	4-990	6-686	4-441	26-216	16-422
July.....	52-510	34-346	24-289	15-928	6-94	4-920	6-766	4-350	25-332	16-171
August.....	52-579	35-192	24-288	16-283	6-85	4-880	6-800	4-360	24-896	15-953
September.....	51-042	36-315	23-708	16-738	6-74	4-830	6-799	4-270	24-208	15-773
October.....	49-913	35-846	23-042	16-563	6-50	4-480	6-740	4-059	22-927	14-446
November.....	49-615	35-908	22-690	16-625	6-15	4-600	6-242	4-266	20-851	14-706
December.....	48-475	32-635	22-258	15-201	6-00	4-570	5-666	4-099	20-103	13-762
Average.....	52-993	38-154	24-460	17-666	6-87	5-664	6-512	4-556	24-793	16-570

* Computed at par (\$4-8666) the average London price of zinc in 1929 was 0-05386 cents per pound, and in 1930 was 0-03660 cents per pound.

Mineral Production in Canada, by Provinces, 1930

	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia	Yukon	Canada
METALLICS										
Arsenic.....lb.	-	-	-	2,750,887	-	-	-	1,773,333	-	4,524,220
\$	-	-	-	109,932	-	-	-	19,595	-	129,527
Bismuth.....lb.	-	-	-	12,732	-	-	-	-	-	12,732
\$	-	-	-	6,366	-	-	-	-	-	6,366
Cadmium.....lb.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
\$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cobalt.....lb.	-	-	-	694,163	-	-	-	-	-	694,163
\$	-	-	-	1,144,007	-	-	-	394,800	-	1,144,007
Copper.....lb.	-	-	80,310,363	127,729,059	2,085,699	-	-	93,231,613	-	303,356,644
\$	-	-	10,425,891	15,193,253	270,754	-	-	12,103,328	-	37,990,226
Gold...fine oz.	1,272	-	141,743	1,736,855	28,197	-	-	163,490	35,516	2,107,073
\$	26,294	-	2,930,088	35,903,978	582,884	-	-	3,379,638	734,181	43,557,063
Iron ore sold for export tons	-	-	412	-	-	-	-	-	-	412
\$	-	-	1,239	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,239
Lead.....lb.	-	-	-	2,193,856	-	-	-	322,137,792	8,736,149	333,067,797
\$	-	-	-	116,031	-	-	-	12,650,351	343,069	13,109,451
Manganese ore.....tons	4	240	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	244
\$	60	1,296	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,356
Nickel.....lb.	-	-	-	103,768,857	-	-	-	-	-	103,768,857
\$	-	-	-	24,455,133	-	-	-	-	-	24,455,133
Palladium, Rhodium, etc...fine oz.	-	-	-	34,040	-	-	-	23	-	34,063
\$	-	-	-	894,511	-	-	-	529	-	895,040
Platinum fine oz.	-	-	-	34,000	-	-	-	13	-	34,013
\$	-	-	-	1,542,172	-	-	-	589	-	1,542,761
Silver...fine oz.	67	-	571,603	10,205,010	93,428	-	-	11,836,632	3,729,195	26,435,935
\$	26	-	218,069	3,893,619	35,647	-	-	4,516,149	1,422,837	10,086,367
Zinc.....lb.	-	-	9,754,160	3,527,894	3,306,707	-	-	251,076,718	-	267,665,479
\$	-	-	351,150	127,004	119,041	-	-	9,038,762	-	9,635,957
Total.....\$	26,330	1,296	13,921,457	83,383,006	1,068,326	-	-	42,163,741	2,500,667	142,949,293
NON-METALLICS										
Fuels										
Coal.....tons	6,252,552	209,311	-	-	-	578,152	5,754,752	2,083,308	653	14,878,728
\$	24,518,860	864,006	-	-	-	966,929	18,513,020	8,421,288	3,110	53,287,813
Natural gas...M cu. ft.	-	661,975	-	7,901,137	600	-	20,540,858	-	-	29,104,570
\$	-	325,749	-	4,503,650	180	-	4,806,125	-	-	9,635,704
Peat.....tons	-	-	2,219	628	-	-	-	-	-	2,847
\$	-	-	9,330	1,602	-	-	-	-	-	10,932
Petroleum crude...bbl.	-	6,758	-	117,302	-	-	1,368,411	-	-	1,492,471
\$	-	17,379	-	235,746	-	-	4,700,760	-	-	4,953,885
Total.....\$	24,518,860	1,207,134	9,330	4,740,998	180	966,929	28,020,505	8,421,288	3,110	67,888,334
Other non-metallies										
Actinolite...tons	-	-	-	34	-	-	-	-	-	34
\$	-	-	-	437	-	-	-	-	-	437
Asbestos...tons	-	-	242,112	-	-	-	-	-	-	242,112
\$	-	-	8,390,163	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,390,163
Barytes...tons	86	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	86
\$	1,484	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,484
Bituminous sands...tons	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,992	-	-	1,992
\$	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,968	-	-	7,968
Diatomite...tons	398	-	-	10	-	-	-	146	-	554
\$	7,960	-	-	140	-	-	-	5,147	-	13,247
Feldspar...tons	-	-	17,101	9,722	800	-	-	-	-	27,423
\$	-	-	131,512	102,871	3,000	-	-	-	-	237,383
Fluorspar...tons	-	-	-	80	-	-	-	-	-	80
\$	-	-	-	1,240	-	-	-	-	-	1,240
Graphite...tons	-	-	272	1,338	-	-	-	-	-	1,610
\$	-	-	13,780	86,542	-	-	-	-	-	100,322
Grindstone...ton	6	494	-	-	-	-	-	350	-	850
\$	110	35,689	-	-	-	-	-	22,000	-	57,799
Gypsum...tons	807,423	71,813	-	94,946	34,572	-	-	32,129	-	1,040,883
\$	949,224	437,112	-	776,069	361,977	-	-	248,202	-	2,772,584
Iron oxides...tons	-	-	6,590	-	-	-	-	-	6	6,596
\$	-	-	83,753	-	-	-	-	-	120	83,873
Magnesite...tons	-	-	13,336	-	-	-	-	-	-	13,336
\$	-	-	336,162	-	-	-	-	-	-	336,162
Manganese (bog)...tons	-	275	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	275
\$	-	1,650	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,650
Mica...tons	-	-	521	740	-	-	-	-	-	1,261
\$	-	-	62,882	24,274	-	-	-	-	-	97,156

Mineral Production in Canada, by Provinces, 1930—(Continued)

	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia	Yukon	Canada
NON-METALLICS										
—Con.										
Mineral water imp. gal	-	-	10,941	213,800	-	-	-	-	-	224,741
\$	-	-	2,427	7,651	-	-	-	-	-	10,078
Phosphate.tons	-	-	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	40
\$	-	-	760	-	-	-	-	-	-	760
Pyrites (see sulphur).	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Quartz.....tons	8,057	-	42,947	207,231	-	-	-	6,497	-	264,732
\$	18,494	-	124,006	297,638	-	-	-	35,485	-	475,623
Salt.....tons	23,058	-	-	245,793	-	-	-	-	-	268,851
\$	136,226	-	-	1,544,991	-	-	-	-	-	1,681,217
Sodium carbonate.....tons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	364	-	364
\$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,550	-	4,550
Sodium sulphate.tons	-	-	-	-	-	31,571	-	-	-	31,571
\$	-	-	-	-	-	293,847	-	-	-	293,847
Sulphur.....tons	-	-	12,653	7,275	-	-	-	17,044	-	36,972
\$	-	-	93,038	73,835	-	-	-	141,904	-	308,777
Talc and soapstone.tons	-	-	-	11,864	-	-	-	177	-	-
\$	-	-	50,168	133,213	-	-	-	2,835	-	186,216
Volcanic dust.....tons	-	-	-	-	-	326	-	-	-	326
\$	-	-	-	-	-	6,520	-	-	-	6,520
Silica brick M	2,040	-	-	1,566	-	-	-	-	-	3,606
\$	78,259	-	-	80,374	-	-	-	-	-	158,633
Total.. \$	1,191,757	474,451	9,298,651	3,139,275	364,977	306,267	7,968	460,243	-	15,227,689
CLAY PRODUCTS AND OTHER STRUCTURAL MATERIALS										
Clay Products										
Brick—Soft mud process—										
Face..... M	240	-	-	8,761	-	-	-	-	-	9,001
\$	3,360	-	-	175,788	-	-	-	-	-	179,148
Common M	730	3,078	3,896	26,884	10,430	839	1,348	6,289	-	53,494
\$	9,718	46,625	44,267	404,938	164,986	13,367	19,822	111,871	-	815,594
Stiff mud process (wire cut)—										
Face..... M	962	1,125	33,595	53,894	1,704	1,692	2,263	1,128	-	96,363
\$	26,608	23,547	743,891	1,104,322	36,087	54,842	64,029	40,846	-	2,094,172
Common M	7,211	1,913	66,668	24,634	-	4,823	9,846	352	-	115,447
\$	98,133	33,000	955,659	377,181	-	55,158	108,324	5,069	-	1,632,424
Dry press—										
Face..... M	-	-	2,660	24,346	-	282	3,751	906	-	31,945
\$	-	-	67,291	483,671	-	9,057	61,616	34,549	-	656,184
Common M	-	-	-	4,248	-	-	10,886	1,788	-	10,920
\$	-	-	-	58,530	-	-	124,585	25,380	-	208,495
Fancy or ornamental brick.. M	-	-	74	265	-	-	-	-	-	339
\$	-	-	3,791	23,857	-	-	-	-	-	27,648
Sewer brick.. M	-	-	-	912	-	-	-	82	-	994
\$	-	-	-	15,883	-	-	-	2,809	-	18,692
Paving brick.. M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	9
\$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	297	-	297
Firebrick M	-	-	-	-	-	504	17	3,269	-	3,790
\$	-	-	-	-	-	28,001	832	148,775	-	177,608
Fireclay and other clay.....tons	1,269	46	-	-	-	504	30	1,021	-	2,870
\$	5,720	1,814	-	-	-	3,919	450	14,071	-	25,974
Fireclay blocks and shapes... \$	525	552	-	-	-	118,122	-	28,110	-	147,309
Hollow blocks...tons	9,378	700	39,289	90,131	1,335	7,566	12,823	8,433	-	169,655
\$	107,998	8,888	481,968	842,497	17,754	60,214	111,808	85,043	-	1,716,170
Roofing tiles.....No.	-	-	-	3,056	-	-	-	-	-	3,056
\$	-	-	-	376	-	-	-	-	-	376

Mineral Production in Canada, by Provinces, 1930—(Concluded)

	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia	Yukon	Canada
CLAY PRODUCTS										
—Con.										
Floor tiles (quarries)				203,050		739				203,789
sq. ft.				58,854		176				59,030
Drain tile.. M	111	5	724	18,367	310	25	58	1,164		20,764
\$	3,796	193	26,593	540,199	15,024	1,000	3,785	40,528		631,118
Sewer pipe, copings, flue linings, etc. \$	239,475		260,981	830,968			335,033	116,965		1,783,422
Pottery, glazed or unglazed. \$		31,917		92,394			167,402	434		292,146
Other clay products. \$			711	227,275		1,924		1,501		231,411
Total.. \$	495,333	146,536	2,585,652	5,236,733	233,851	345,780	997,686	656,247		10,697,218
Other Structural Materials										
Cement... brls.			4,865,609	3,942,690	977,906		525,289	721,045		11,032,539
\$			7,031,529	5,779,404	2,268,742		1,144,160	1,594,616		17,818,451
Lime..... tons	31,114	12,681	128,687	204,803	28,917		5,136	36,517		507,855
\$	113,250	138,258	964,544	2,291,536	272,081		49,525	335,057		4,164,251
Sand and gravel... tons	312,833	526,760	6,032,105	12,678,928	1,678,545	3,487,833	1,623,214	2,666,120		29,006,338
\$	133,625	46,539	1,405,134	3,547,983	304,999	685,649	388,417	790,178		7,302,424
Slate..... tons								150		150
\$								3,000		3,000
Stone..... tons	163,354	92,369	3,946,531	5,178,010	129,608		7,903	360,331		9,878,106
\$	292,195	256,598	5,756,108	4,769,269	873,412		21,736	450,585		12,419,903
Total.. \$	538,970	441,395	15,157,315	16,388,192	3,719,234	685,649	1,603,838	3,173,436		41,708,629
Grand Total. \$	35,771,366	2,776,812	40,966,965	112,888,204	5,326,566	2,298,725	30,629,997	54,814,955	2,563,197	278,476,563

Monthly Production of Principal Minerals in Canada, 1930

	Asbestos	Cement	Clay Products	Coal	Copper	Feldspar	Gold	Gypsum
	tons	brls.	\$	tons	lb.	tons	fine oz.	tons
January.....	17,117	269,195	477,449	1,043,622	24,936,756	2,540	154,114	11,277
February.....	16,112	295,810	446,813	1,194,710	24,226,221	7,470	145,436	11,410
March.....	19,559	448,884	620,421	1,136,765	28,194,655	1,195	193,771	15,373
April.....	23,825	781,736	848,373	913,203	26,569,188	510	169,166	51,936
May.....	23,045	1,206,554	1,139,373	1,124,545	27,481,810	810	168,267	112,358
June.....	24,035	1,313,683	1,237,041	1,151,963	26,098,196	1,355	175,481	237,511
July.....	17,070	1,594,598	1,208,069	1,058,424	26,154,536	1,073	170,264	148,941
August.....	18,353	1,466,953	1,176,351	1,111,675	26,088,877	1,660	169,621	144,813
September.....	20,746	1,402,769	1,089,795	1,252,665	26,011,321	1,990	177,839	98,012
October.....	26,322	1,180,205	1,075,405	1,659,431	23,680,686	2,380	180,370	104,846
November.....	18,448	709,671	812,813	1,348,306	21,736,050	2,200	197,186	80,712
December.....	17,480	452,571	495,315	1,283,629	22,148,648	3,340	229,558	23,494
Calendar Year..	242,112	11,032,539	10,697,218	14,878,728	303,356,644	27,423	2,107,073	1,040,883
	Lead	Lime	Natural Gas	Nickel	Petroleum	Salt	Silver	Zinc
	lb.	tons	M cu. ft.	lb.	brls.	tons	fine oz.	lb.
January.....	23,231,247	42,437	3,898,517	9,228,010	100,400	24,530	1,709,222	17,751,289
February.....	31,690,290	36,118	3,178,862	7,734,229	89,961	20,245	1,841,836	20,680,156
March.....	32,235,285	40,108	3,016,480	9,836,944	119,550	22,873	1,814,597	22,347,219
April.....	29,390,473	42,412	2,433,026	10,190,755	102,335	26,792	2,568,017	20,180,902
May.....	26,625,102	47,664	2,197,269	9,538,891	106,339	26,534	2,185,482	19,890,591
June.....	28,891,065	43,587	1,394,570	8,584,699	121,403	25,510	3,104,405	22,506,558
July.....	26,218,993	44,694	1,304,168	9,379,712	122,862	25,677	1,999,136	19,936,626
August.....	25,540,314	39,786	1,492,073	9,088,052	136,056	24,201	2,036,001	26,235,267
September.....	27,003,314	39,274	1,659,559	10,243,341	139,947	22,813	2,643,850	25,786,983
October.....	20,092,115	39,460	2,257,457	7,490,314	171,352	23,582	1,968,736	25,092,277
November.....	23,414,573	40,090	2,841,803	7,090,217	160,720	22,785	2,361,778	23,833,659
December.....	32,594,426	52,316	3,620,765	5,393,656	186,898	23,309	2,202,875	23,409,282
Calendar Year..	333,067,797	507,855	29,104,570	103,768,857	*1,567,725	268,851	26,435,935	267,665,479

* Total output of wells.

† Obtained by difference; actual December production 15,500 tons.

ABRASIVES

Diatomite.—Shipments of diatomite from Canadian deposits in 1930 amounted to 554 tons valued at \$13,247 as compared with 429 tons at \$10,330 shipped in 1929. Diatomite was produced in Nova Scotia, Ontario and British Columbia during 1930.

Grindstones, Pulpstones and Scythstones.—Production of grindstones, pulpstones and scythstones from Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and British Columbia quarries during 1930 totalled 850 tons with a value of \$57,799. In 1929, shipments amounted to 1,947 tons valued at \$106,354.

Volcanic Dust.—Volcanic dust is produced near Waldeck, Saskatchewan. Shipments amounted to 326 tons valued at \$6,520 as against 300 tons worth \$6,000 in 1929.

Imports into Canada and Exports of Abrasives, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
IMPORTS—		\$		\$
Abrasives—				
Artificial abrasives in bulk, crushed or ground, when imported for use in the manufacture of abrasive wheels and polishing composition.....	-	251,704	-	205,042
Carborundum wheels or stones not further manufactured than moulded or burned.....	-	219,475	-	57,731
Diamond dust or bort, and black diamond for borers.....	-	2,727,285	-	1,440,871
Emery in bulk, crushed or ground.....	-	54,433	-	37,353
Emery wheels and carborundum wheels, n.o.p.....	-	133,779	-	150,503
Emery or carborundum, manufactures of, including carborundum stones, n.o.p.....	-	99,036	-	127,795
Grindstones, not mounted, and not less than 36 inches in diameter.....	-	424,613	-	229,436
Grindstones, n.o.p.....	-	23,769	-	12,134
Pumice and pumice stone, lava and calcareous tufa, nor further manufactured than ground.....	-	35,955	-	36,089
Sand paper, glass, flint and emery paper or emery cloth.....	-	498,328	-	342,771
Iron sand or globules for polishing and sawing.....	-	41,934	-	41,758
Burrstones in blocks, rough or unmanufactured, not bound up or prepared for binding into millstones..... No.	-	-	-	-
Diatomaceous earth or infusorial earth (kieselguhr, ground or unground).....cwt.	23,857	40,539	6,582	12,004
Total	-	4,550,850	-	2,693,487
EXPORTS—				
Grindstones, manufactured.....	-	36,536	-	11,674
Stone for the manufacture of grindstones..... tons	64	154	-	-
Abrasives—				
Natural, n.o.p.....cwt.	8,287	9,757	7,455	8,972
Artificial, crude, including carborundum.....cwt.	1,571,816	3,815,804	1,128,775	2,842,289
Artificial, made up into wheels, stones, etc.....	-	53,686	-	36,489
Total	-	3,915,917	-	2,899,424

Actinolite

Actinolite is obtained from occurrences in Elzevir and Kaladar townships, Hastings and Addington counties, Ontario. During 1930 shipments to the United States totalled 34 tons worth \$437 as compared with 30 tons worth \$375 in 1929.

Antimony

Antimony ores occur in the provinces of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, British Columbia, and in the Yukon Territory and antimony is sometimes recovered from the Cobalt ores of Ontario. No production is recorded for 1930.

Imports into Canada of antimony in 1930 amounted to 1,303,560 pounds valued at \$87,027 as against 1,746,525 pounds worth \$147,643 in 1929. Imports of antimony salts in 1930 totalled 21,146 pounds worth \$3,691 as against 59,049 pounds valued at \$8,822 during the previous year.

Arsenic

Production in Canada, Imports and Exports of Arsenic, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	Quantity lb.	Value \$	Quantity lb.	Value \$
PRODUCTION—				
From arsenical concentrates and residues exported	1,531,218	17,314	1,773,540	19,599
White arsenic	3,698,870	154,006	2,750,680	109,928
Total	5,230,088	171,330	4,524,220	129,527
IMPORTS—				
White arsenic	123,224	5,341	13,100	749
Sulphide of arsenic	18,295	1,865	25,113	2,208
Arsenate of soda	1,456	156	2,968	315
Arsenate of lead	846,017	98,179	1,069,383	112,769
Arsenate of lime	440,835	23,598	655,619	36,211
Total	-	129,139	-	152,252
EXPORTS—				
Arsenic, n.o.p.				
Total	3,167,300	123,395	2,355,600	86,825

Asbestos

Output and Shipments of Canadian Asbestos, 1929 and 1930

Classification	1929				1930			
	Total output	Sold or Shipped			Total output	Sold or Shipped		
		Quantity	Total sales value at mill	Average value per ton		Quantity	Total sales value at mill	Average value per ton
Tons	Tons	\$	\$ cts.	Tons	Tons	\$	\$ cts.	
Crude No. 1	883	802	447,250	557 68	653	720	345,750	480 20
Crude No. 2	2,804	2,625	870,888	331 77	2,882	1,440	411,179	285 54
Other crudes	1,053	931	168,228	180 69	436	161	10,914	67 78
Spinning stocks	19,615	17,545	3,110,848	177 31	14,433	10,411	1,473,522	141 53
Shingle stocks	34,038	34,177	2,572,216	75 26	22,590	19,909	1,406,385	70 64
Millboard and paper stocks	91,892	91,157	3,515,209	38 56	80,130	79,738	2,817,295	35 33
Fillers, floats and other short fibres	160,859	158,818	2,487,935	15 66	123,842	129,733	1,925,118	14 83
Total	311,204	306,055	13,172,581	43 64	244,966	242,112	8,390,163	34 65
Sand and gravel	18,976	18,976	7,303	0 38	40,309	40,309	12,413	0 31

Imports into Canada and Exports of Asbestos, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	tons	\$	tons	\$
IMPORTS—				
Asbestos in any form other than crude, and all manufactures of, n.o.p.	114	897,229	-	791,739
Asbestos packing	-	116,207	87	82,111
Total	-	1,013,436	-	873,850
EXPORTS—				
Asbestos	143,725	10,127,208	104,262	6,441,939
Asbestos, sand and waste	148,305	2,507,474	131,238	2,011,318
Asbestos manufactures, including asbestos roofing	-	113,952	-	199,783
Total	-	12,748,634	-	8,653,040

Barytes

Shipments of barytes during 1930 amounted to 66 tons valued at \$1,484 as against 105 tons at \$2,341 in 1929. The deposit at Lake Ainslie, Inverness county, Nova Scotia, as in previous years was the source of the total output.

Barytes imports were recorded at 1,949 tons evaluated at \$35,945 in 1930; in the previous year 2,646 tons worth \$52,078 were imported.

Bismuth

No metallic bismuth was made in Canada in 1930 but a small amount was contained in silver-lead-bismuth bullion exported in 1930 for treatment in foreign smelters. During 1929 metallic bismuth was made by the Deloro Smelting and Refining Company at Deloro, Ontario, and by the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company, Ltd., of Trail, B.C.

Imports of metallic bismuth into Canada during 1930 amounted to 2,273 pounds valued at \$2,330.

Bituminous Sands

Bituminous sands production from the Fort McMurray district, Alberta, during 1930 amounted to 1,992 tons valued at \$7,968 as compared with a total of 989 tons worth \$3,956 in 1929.

Importations of asphalt, sold, into Canada in 1930 were recorded at 42,796 tons appraised at \$650,837; asphalt, not solid, to the value of \$98,458 and asphaltum oil for paving purposes worth \$70,130 were also imported.

Cement*Production in Canada, Imports and Exports of Cement, 1929 and 1930*

	1929		1930	
	Barrels	Value	Barrels	Value
OUTPUT..... Total.....	12,252,203	\$ -	11,790,409	-
SOLD OR USED, BY PROVINCES—				
Quebec.....	5,169,408	7,120,374	4,865,609	7,031,529
Ontario.....	4,624,712	6,608,246	3,942,690	5,779,404
Manitoba.....	1,000,258	2,350,606	977,906	2,268,742
Alberta.....	808,796	1,770,786	525,289	1,144,169
British Columbia.....	680,907	1,487,223	721,045	1,594,616
Total.....	12,284,081	19,337,235	11,632,539	17,818,451
Stocks, December 31.....	1,488,751	-	2,246,621	-
IMPORTS—				
Portland.....	55,980	189,169	143,436	569,848
Manufactures.....	-	64,942	-	34,672
Total.....	-	254,111	-	604,520
EXPORTS—Total.....	234,111	252,955	198,736	212,071
APPARENT CONSUMPTION—Total.....	12,165,850	-	10,977,239	-

Chromite

There was no production of chromite in Canada in 1930. This material is known to occur in Quebec, British Columbia, and Ontario.

Clay and Clay Products

Production of Clay Products from Domestic Clays in Canada, by Provinces, 1929 and 1930

Province	1929	1930
Prince Edward Island.....	\$ -	\$ -
Nova Scotia.....	653,157	405,333
New Brunswick.....	160,006	146,536
Quebec.....	3,187,702	2,585,052
Ontario.....	6,830,162	5,236,733
Manitoba.....	362,240	233,851
Saskatchewan.....	502,522	345,780
Alberta.....	1,342,427	997,686
British Columbia.....	866,427	656,247
Canada.....	13,994,643	10,697,218

Production in Canada, Imports and Exports of Clay and Clay Products, 1929 and 1930

Kind	1929		1930		
	Quantity	Total selling value	Quantity	Total selling value	
PRODUCTION (SALES)—					
Brick: Soft mud process (Face.....)	M	26,624	\$ 538,096	9,001	\$ 179,148
(Common.....)	M	77,399	1,195,511	53,494	815,594
Stiff mud process (Face.....)	M	114,093	2,469,417	96,363	2,094,172
(Common.....)	M	170,840	2,509,451	115,447	1,632,424
Dry press (Face.....)	M	38,591	813,461	31,945	656,184
(Common.....)	M	26,131	368,039	16,920	208,495
Fancy or ornamental brick (including special shapes, embossed and enamelled brick).....	M	187	12,795	339	27,648
Sewer brick.....	M	4,765	98,588	994	18,692
Paving brick.....	M	97	3,844	9	297
Firebrick from domestic clay.....	M	5,196	251,043	3,790	177,608
Fireclay and other clay.....	tons	5,041	35,226	2,870	25,974
Fireclay blocks and shapes.....		-	130,411	-	147,309
Structural tile: Hollow blocks (including fireproofing and loadbearing tile).....	tons	221,800	2,214,384	169,655	1,716,170
Roofing tile.....	No.	35,075	4,628	3,056	376
Floor tile (quarries).....	Sq. ft.	307,400	70,186	203,789	59,030
Drain tile.....	M	25,000	720,310	20,704	631,118
Sewer pipe (including copings, flue linings, etc.).....		-	2,065,887	-	1,783,422
Pottery, glazed or unglazed.....		-	323,194	-	292,146
Other products.....		-	142,166	-	231,411
Total.....		-	13,994,643	-	10,697,218
IMPORTS—					
Building brick.....	M	15,678	291,370	11,707	255,515
Building blocks.....		-	222,047	-	131,569
Clays—					
China.....	cwt.	497,571	292,980	462,245	278,757
Fire.....	cwt.	1,521,282	322,508	1,147,387	240,293
Pipe.....		-	570	-	9,262
Zirconium silicate.....		-	8,223	-	6,092
Zirconium oxide.....		-	8,244	-	5,706
Other clays.....		-	150,804	-	155,650
Drain tile, unglazed.....		-	2,809	-	2,076
Drain and sewer pipe.....		-	119,654	-	73,872
Insulators, electric, porcelain.....		-	556,535	-	355,036
Earthenware and chinaware.....		-	6,257,954	-	5,313,858
Brick, fire, other, valued at not less than \$100 per M, rectangular shaped: the dimensions of each not to exceed 125 cubic inches for use exclusively in the construction or repair of a furnace, kiln, etc.....		-	93,513	-	64,042
Brick, fire, n.o.p., for use exclusively in the construction or repair of a furnace, kiln or other equipment of a manufacturing establishment.....		-	1,706,109	-	1,297,778
Firebrick, n.o.p.....		-	76,963	-	53,682
Firebrick, chrome.....		-	101,302	-	73,761
Magnesite brick.....		-	256,635	-	270,180
Silica brick.....		-	330,502	-	315,039
Paving brick.....	M	5,173	120,871	4,522	108,357
Other clay manufactures.....		-	1,239,183	-	1,180,156
Total.....		-	12,159,506	-	10,196,681
EXPORTS—					
Building brick.....	M	1,587	21,797	1,822	26,150
Clay—					
Unmanufactured.....	cwt.	16,379	6,640	9,688	5,900
Manufactures.....		-	54,397	-	36,606
Earthenware.....		-	24,563	-	30,931
Porcelain insulators.....		-	268,109	-	349,533
Total.....		-	375,506	-	449,126

Coal

Output and Value of Coal in Canada by Kinds and by Provinces, 1929 and 1930

Province	1929		1930	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
		\$		\$
NOVA SCOTIA (Bituminous).....	7,056,133	28,071,956	6,252,552	24,518,860
NEW BRUNSWICK (Bituminous).....	218,706	909,169	209,311	864,006
SASKATCHEWAN (Lignite).....	580,189	993,226	578,152	966,929
ALBERTA—				
Bituminous.....	3,064,147	10,851,499	2,278,467	7,973,782
Sub-bituminous.....	668,702	1,908,954	603,358	1,705,328
Lignite.....	3,387,844	10,167,729	2,872,927	8,834,510
Total.....	7,150,693	22,928,182	5,754,752	18,513,620
BRITISH COLUMBIA (Bituminous).....	2,490,378	10,160,789	2,083,308	8,421,288
YUKON (Bituminous).....	458	1,848	653	3,110
CANADA—				
Bituminous.....	12,859,822	49,995,261	10,824,291	41,781,046
Sub-bituminous.....	668,702	1,908,954	603,358	1,705,328
Lignite.....	3,968,033	11,160,955	3,451,079	9,801,439
Total.....	17,496,557	63,065,170	14,878,728	53,287,813

Shipments of Coal from Canadian Mines by Grades and Destinations, 1929 and 1930

(Short tons)

Destination	1929				1930			
	Run-of-mine	Screened	Slack	Total	Run-of-mine	Screened	Slack	Total
Prince Edward Island.....	3,130	77,241	2,214	82,585	3,398	82,322	2,193	87,913
Nova Scotia.....	335,851	851,042	843,299	1,830,192	217,094	560,135	748,058	1,525,197
New Brunswick.....	214,058	150,133	129,667	493,858	163,368	133,597	192,361	489,326
Quebec.....	67,591	1,137,112	1,167,838	2,372,541	50,134	1,008,281	894,547	1,952,962
Ontario.....	703	46,330	9,236	56,269	845	26,022	4,845	31,712
Manitoba.....	158,420	428,495	240,024	824,939	165,207	366,648	241,322	773,177
Saskatchewan.....	259,860	1,032,840	424,147	1,716,847	204,467	893,035	442,331	1,539,833
Alberta.....	261,088	537,838	599,652	1,398,578	256,122	462,452	508,320	1,226,894
British Columbia.....	46,451	724,672	252,979	1,024,102	42,238	710,226	249,036	1,001,500
Yukon.....	-	221	-	221	293	-	-	293
Total domestic shipments.....	1,347,152	4,783,924	3,669,056	9,800,132	1,103,076	4,242,718	3,283,013	8,628,807
Railroads.....	4,029,986	817,399	363,604	5,210,989	3,021,954	765,565	313,648	4,101,167
Ship's bunkers.....	253,940	111,476	-	365,422	243,738	82,433	895	327,066
Total railroads and ship's bunkers.....	4,283,932	928,875	363,604	5,576,411	3,265,692	847,998	314,543	4,428,233
United States.....	19,592	104,618	53,764	177,974	10,647	74,234	64,869	149,750
Alaska.....	-	23,891	-	23,891	-	26,456	-	26,456
Newfoundland.....	9,916	234,264	540	244,720	2,080	204,724	57,637	264,441
Other places.....	-	438	-	438	-	-	-	438
Lost at sea.....	-	569	-	569	-	4,318	3,416	7,734
Total external shipments.....	29,508	363,780	54,304	447,592	12,727	309,732	125,922	448,381
Total.....	5,660,592	6,076,579	4,096,964	15,824,133	4,381,495	5,460,448	3,723,478	13,565,421

Output, Exports, Interprovincial Shipments, Imports and Coal made Available for Consumption in Canada, by Provinces, 1930

(Short tons)

Province	Canadian Coal				Imported from U.S.A.	Imported from Great Britain	Imported from other countries	Coal available for consumption
	Output	Received from other provinces	Shipped to other provinces	Exported				
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND—								
Anthracite.....	—	—	—	—	8,033	1,406	—	9,529
Bituminous.....	—	87,913	—	—	4,408	1,676	—	93,997
Total.....	—	87,913	—	—	12,441	3,172	—	103,526
NOVA SCOTIA—								
Anthracite.....	—	—	—	—	30,086	20,859	14,340	74,285
Bituminous.....	6,252,552	—	2,475,428	350,154	18,018	19,557	—	3,464,545
Total.....	6,252,552	—	2,475,428	350,154	48,104	49,410	14,340	3,538,830
NEW BRUNSWICK—								
Anthracite.....	—	—	—	—	28,325	60,844	24,890	114,049
Bituminous.....	209,311	435,084	499	24,724	72,299	35	—	691,506
Total.....	209,311	435,084	499	24,724	100,624	60,879	24,890	805,555
QUEBEC—								
Anthracite.....	—	—	—	—	754,897	903,928	283,667	1,922,492
Bituminous.....	—	1,952,930	—	200	1,111,811	124,931	33	3,189,505
Sub-bituminous.....	—	32	—	—	—	—	—	32
Lignite.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total.....	—	1,952,962	—	200	1,866,708	1,028,859	263,700	5,112,029
CENTRAL ONTARIO—								
Anthracite.....	—	—	—	—	2,080,681	—	—	2,080,681
Bituminous.....	—	140	—	38	10,492,151	—	—	10,492,253
Sub-bituminous.....	—	5,729	—	—	—	—	—	5,729
Lignite.....	—	25,843	—	32	—	—	—	25,811
Total.....	—	31,712	—	70	12,572,832	—	—	12,604,474
MANITOBA AND HEAD OF LAKES—								
Anthracite.....	—	—	—	—	53,564	—	—	53,564
Bituminous.....	—	87,548	—	433	1,498,336	—	—	1,575,451
Sub-bituminous.....	—	73,271	—	—	—	—	—	73,271
Lignite.....	—	612,358	—	1,989	—	—	—	610,389
Total.....	—	773,177	—	2,402	1,541,900	—	—	2,312,675
SASKATCHEWAN—								
Anthracite.....	—	—	—	—	367	—	—	367
Bituminous.....	—	127,788	—	16	1,816	—	—	129,588
Sub-bituminous.....	—	62,493	—	—	—	—	—	62,493
Lignite.....	578,152	1,101,598	227,147	6,059	738	—	—	1,447,280
Total.....	578,152	1,291,879	227,147	6,075	2,919	—	—	1,639,728
ALBERTA—								
Bituminous.....	2,278,467	34,444	179,702	99	1,351	—	—	2,134,461
Sub-bituminous.....	603,358	—	193,321	—	—	—	—	410,037
Lignite.....	2,872,127	1,535	1,650,336	1,222	—	—	—	1,222,904
Total.....	5,754,752	35,979	2,023,359	1,321	1,351	—	—	3,767,402
BRITISH COLUMBIA—								
Anthracite.....	—	—	—	—	1	—	1,122	1,123
Bituminous.....	2,083,308	41,597	111,815	218,826	8,879	—	—	1,803,143
Sub-bituminous.....	—	51,796	—	—	—	—	—	51,796
Lignite.....	—	136,149	—	20,740	17,940	—	—	133,349
Total.....	2,083,308	229,542	111,815	239,566	26,820	—	1,122	1,989,411
YUKON—								
Bituminous.....	653	—	—	—	7	—	—	660
Total.....	653	—	—	—	7	—	—	660
CANADA—								
Anthracite.....	—	—	—	—	2,955,954	996,127	*301,609	4,256,090
Bituminous.....	10,824,291	2,767,444	2,767,444	594,490	13,199,076	146,199	133	23,575,109
Sub-bituminous.....	693,358	193,321	193,321	—	—	—	—	693,358
Lignite.....	3,451,079	1,877,483	1,877,483	30,022	18,676	—	—	3,439,733
Total.....	14,878,728	4,838,248	4,838,248	624,512	16,173,796	1,142,326	301,642	31,874,290

*Consists of 291,407 tons from Russia, 11,480 tons from Germany, 1,122 tons from French East Indies.
 †Imported from Newfoundland.

Imports of Anthracite, Bituminous and Lignite Coal into Canada, by Months, 1929 and 1930

(Short tons)

Month	1929				1930			
	United States	Great Britain	Other countries	Total	United States	Great Britain	Other countries	Total
ANTHRACITE—								
January.....	253,773	20,281	2,672	276,726	331,283	16,046	-	347,329
February.....	303,992	9,932	2,432	316,356	327,674	29,097	7,130	363,907
March.....	251,092	12,938	4,612	268,642	211,890	55,080	-	266,970
April.....	129,511	7,346	2,046	139,503	112,483	6,392	6,200	125,075
May.....	222,955	71,309	-	294,264	191,048	113,989	7,527	312,564
June.....	223,328	86,488	-	309,816	204,025	138,372	63,668	406,065
July.....	196,528	72,229	11,589	280,346	176,368	107,214	27,388	310,970
August.....	215,892	103,403	29,861	349,156	193,193	121,561	52,909	367,653
September.....	303,470	97,489	26,950	427,909	341,207	118,780	54,578	511,565
October.....	446,017	85,749	16,129	547,895	321,293	129,733	45,509	496,535
November.....	323,035	92,657	14,791	430,483	297,092	113,515	34,948	445,555
December.....	303,450	69,637	8,734	379,821	248,398	46,348	7,656	301,802
Total.....	3,173,643	729,458	*117,416	4,019,917	2,955,954	996,127	†304,609	4,256,690
BITUMINOUS—								
January.....	834,784	4,892	35	839,711	850,111	800	-	850,911
February.....	713,499	2,971	-	716,470	673,315	3,498	10	676,823
March.....	920,070	170	-	920,240	797,599	5	-	797,604
April.....	591,351	2,735	-	594,086	532,204	2,800	-	535,004
May.....	1,256,003	16,996	-	1,272,999	1,035,101	25,525	-	1,060,626
June.....	1,417,991	26,441	-	1,444,432	1,463,150	17,988	-	1,481,138
July.....	1,731,400	11,525	-	1,742,925	1,442,013	27,291	20	1,469,324
August.....	1,525,787	8,111	-	1,533,898	1,416,964	15,620	3	1,432,587
September.....	1,496,010	19,360	-	1,515,370	1,510,255	24,018	-	1,534,273
October.....	1,610,882	7,874	-†	1,618,757	1,444,240	22,132	-	1,466,372
November.....	1,455,332	11,245	-	1,466,577	1,118,665	3,654	-	1,122,319
December.....	916,722	3,018	-	919,740	915,459	2,868	-	918,327
Total.....	14,169,831	115,368	††76	14,585,275	13,199,076	146,199	†‡33	13,345,308
LIGNITE—								
January.....	1,680	-	-	1,680	2,593	-	-	2,593
February.....	2,747	-	-	2,747	2,311	-	-	2,311
March.....	1,258	-	-	1,258	806	-	-	806
April.....	1,030	-	-	1,030	383	-	-	383
May.....	571	-	-	571	383	-	-	383
June.....	252	-	-	252	294	-	-	294
July.....	38	-	-	38	989	-	-	989
August.....	414	-	-	414	258	-	-	258
September.....	822	-	-	822	1,028	-	-	1,028
October.....	1,520	-	-	1,520	3,115	-	-	3,115
November.....	1,761	-	-	1,761	3,613	-	-	3,613
December.....	2,015	-	-	2,015	2,903	-	-	2,903
Total.....	14,168	-	-	14,168	18,676	-	-	18,676

* Consists of 117,304 tons from Russia, 112 tons from Japan.

† Consists of 291,407 tons from Russia, 11,480 tons from Germany, 1,122 tons from French East Indies.

‡ Imported from Newfoundland.

Coal Made Available for Consumption in Canada, 1929 and 1930

(Short tons)

Month	1929				1930			
	Output	Imports	Exports	Coal made available for use	Output	Imports	Exports	Coal made available for use
January.....	1,585,072	1,118,117	89,414	2,613,775	1,643,622	1,200,833	71,356	2,773,099
February.....	1,649,960	1,035,573	76,464	2,609,069	1,194,710	1,043,011	45,801	2,191,950
March.....	1,387,696	1,190,140	74,235	2,503,601	1,136,765	1,065,380	35,830	2,166,315
April.....	1,395,817	734,619	31,660	2,098,776	913,203	660,462	14,731	1,558,934
May.....	1,404,861	1,567,834	62,436	2,910,259	1,124,545	1,373,573	38,909	2,459,218
June.....	1,390,774	1,754,500	80,227	3,035,047	1,151,963	1,887,497	68,362	2,971,098
July.....	1,316,153	2,023,309	49,781	3,289,681	1,058,424	1,781,283	23,554	2,816,153
August.....	1,362,166	1,883,468	65,187	3,190,447	1,111,675	1,800,598	88,311	2,823,932
September.....	1,410,020	1,944,101	78,211	3,275,910	1,252,665	2,046,866	67,384	3,232,147
October.....	1,598,659	2,167,212	82,964	3,682,907	1,659,131	1,966,022	47,259	3,577,894
November.....	1,534,386	1,898,821	74,920	3,358,281	1,348,396	1,571,487	62,266	2,857,617
December.....	1,490,993	1,301,606	77,467	2,715,132	1,283,629	1,223,032	60,728	2,445,933
Total.....	17,496,557	18,619,300	842,972	35,272,885	14,878,729	17,620,074	624,512	31,874,290

Production in Canada and Exports of Cobalt, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	Pounds	\$	Pounds	\$
PRODUCTION—				
Cobalt, computed as cobalt in metal, oxides sold, and in ores and residues exported..... Total	929,415	1,801,915	694,163	1,144,007
EXPORTS—				
Cobalt alloys, cobalt metallica, cobalt oxides, cobalt salts and cobalt ores..... Total	-	1,786,163	-	1,319,870

Coke

Production in Canada, Imports, Exports and Apparent Consumption of Coke, by Provinces, 1929 and 1930

(Short tons)

	Year	Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia	Canada
Production.....	1929	850,452	1,624,884	202,245	2,677,581
	1930	674,621	1,489,415	189,990	2,354,026
Imports.....	1929	79,422	1,123,761	23,670	1,226,853
	1930	50,170	993,753	17,504	1,061,433
Exports.....	1929	834	2,010	22,364	25,208
	1930	1,253	317	28,231	29,801
Apparent Consumption.....	1929	929,040	2,746,635	203,551	3,879,226
	1930	723,544	2,482,851	179,263	3,385,658

Coke Production in Canada by Months, 1930

(Short tons)

Month	Bituminous coal used for coke making			Coke made	Disposition of coke by makers			
	Can- adian	Im- ported	Total		Used in Coke Plant	To Metal- lurgical works	Sold for other uses	Total
January.....	75,224	236,865	312,089	224,690	26,570	97,221	132,795	256,586
February.....	68,225	212,915	281,140	203,951	24,885	89,750	114,728	229,343
March.....	72,740	236,419	309,159	224,334	25,386	102,533	105,422	233,341
April.....	66,692	228,780	295,472	213,190	24,638	94,594	81,672	209,904
May.....	54,613	235,320	289,933	209,555	26,484	91,767	50,527	188,778
June.....	50,417	218,056	268,473	193,198	23,398	81,465	50,351	155,214
July.....	57,355	190,236	247,591	182,118	22,198	67,481	70,742	160,421
August.....	57,748	186,384	244,132	181,835	23,271	63,567	56,230	143,068
September.....	54,946	177,894	232,840	170,060	25,951	53,294	67,388	146,633
October.....	60,134	188,780	248,914	185,274	20,437	82,803	110,798	220,128
November.....	58,680	189,838	248,518	184,635	24,916	68,900	95,703	189,519
December.....	58,501	187,865	246,366	181,186	27,006	58,303	126,756	212,065
Total.....	735,275	2,489,352	3,224,627	2,354,026	301,740	951,748	1,063,112	2,316,600

Copper

Production in Canada, Imports and Exports of Copper, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	Pounds	Value \$	Pounds	Value \$
PRODUCTION—				
By Provinces—				
Quebec.....	55,337,169	10,019,901	80,310,363	10,425,891
Ontario.....	88,879,853	14,622,572	127,729,059	15,190,253
Manitoba.....	—	—	2,085,609	270,754
British Columbia.....	103,903,738	18,772,778	93,231,613	12,103,328
Total.....	248,120,760	43,415,251	303,356,644	37,990,226
By Sources—				
In blister copper produced.....	100,190,580	28,059,843	223,895,651	28,023,711
In ores exported and in copper sulphate produced.....	69,709,713	12,622,338	67,751,127	8,795,528
In nickel-copper matte exported.....	18,220,467	2,733,070	11,709,866	1,170,987
Total.....	248,120,760	43,415,251	303,356,644	37,990,226
IMPORTS—				
Copper in bars or rods, when imported by manufacturers of trolley, telegraph and telephone wires and electric cables for use only in the manufacture of such articles in their own factories.....	54,824,600	9,922,096	30,900,700	4,308,678
Copper in bars or rods, in coil or otherwise, in lengths of not less than 6 feet, unmanufactured.....	719,200	164,642	1,595,900	305,381
Copper in blocks, pigs or ingots.....	12,084,000	2,246,600	7,867,200	1,022,936
Copper, old and scrap.....	4,958,300	827,832	1,443,700	173,114
Copper, ore and concentrates.....	—	—	—	—
Copper in strips, sheets or plates not polished or coated.....	2,806,300	698,974	1,844,700	410,565
Copper tubing in lengths of not less than 6 feet, and not polished, bent or otherwise manufactured.....	2,662,706	721,369	1,895,872	442,842
Copper wire, plain, tinned or plated.....	937,858	267,464	722,729	178,299
Copper wire cloth, or woven wire of copper.....	—	9,613	—	9,509
Copper wire, single or several, covered with cotton, linen, silk, rubber or other materials, including cable so covered.....	—	809,729	—	557,027
Copper, all other, manufactures of, n.o.p.....	—	1,343,811	—	768,393
Anodes of nickel, zinc, copper, silver or gold.....	—	16,127	—	974
Copper, sub-acetate of, or verdigris, dry.....	681	177	7,528	1,323
Copper, sulphate of (blue vitriol).....	2,118,304	114,637	5,085,027	224,067
Copper, sulphate of, dehydrated, for agricultural or spraying purposes.....	2,252,122	122,056	931,552	49,775
Copper rollers adapted for use in calico printing.....	—	37,664	—	81,406
Total.....	—	17,272,791	—	8,584,289
EXPORTS—				
Copper, fine, contained in ore, matte, regulus, etc.....	86,999,100	8,944,065	74,804,600	7,236,456
Copper blister.....	148,278,500	26,711,867	147,521,400	22,428,176
Copper, old and scrap.....	11,559,600	1,574,712	6,765,600	740,099
Copper, pig.....	—	—	—	—
Copper in bars, rods, strips, sheets, plates and tubing.....	132,100	35,900	6,959,200	827,944
Copper wire and cable.....	—	119,030	—	111,678
Copper manufactures, n.o.p.....	—	13,522	—	10,191
Total.....	—	37,399,996	—	31,354,544
Copper coin, foreign.....	—	9,286	—	9,281
Canadian.....	—	—	—	25

Feldspar

Production in Canada, Imports and Exports of Feldspar, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	Tons	Value \$	Tons	Value \$
PRODUCTION—				
Quebec.....	15,790	133,492	17,101	131,512
Ontario.....	21,737	206,979	9,722	102,871
Manitoba.....	—	—	800	3,000
Total.....	37,527	340,471	27,423	237,383
IMPORTS—Total.....				
	3,955	65,997	2,695	44,142
EXPORTS—Total.....				
	29,896	242,915	21,183	165,482

Fluorspar

Fluorspar production from a deposit near Madoc, Ontario, during 1930 amounted to 80 tons valued at \$1,240. In 1929, shipments totalling 17,870 tons worth \$268,120 were made from Ontario and British Columbia deposits.

Imports of fluorspar in 1930 totalled 12,652 tons worth \$160,995 as compared with 12,092 tons worth \$159,798 in the preceding year. Hydrofluosilicic acid amounting to 5 tons valued at \$1,353 was also imported in 1930 as against 36 tons worth \$4,706 in 1929.

Gold

Production of Gold in Canada by Provinces and by Sources, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	Fine ounces	Value	Fine ounces	Value
		\$		\$
NOVA SCOTIA—				
In gold bullion.....	2,687	55,545	1,272	26,294
QUEBEC—				
In blister copper, in gold bullion and in ores exported.....	90,798	1,876,961	141,743	2,930,088
ONTARIO—				
Porcupine area.....	932,732	19,281,281	859,079	17,758,738
Kirkland Lake area.....	679,504	14,046,594	831,503	17,188,602
Sudbury area.....	8,907	184,124	23,803	492,052
Miscellaneous including Northwestern Ontario.....	1,124	23,235	22,470	464,496
Total.....	1,622,267	33,535,234	1,736,855	35,903,978
MANITOBA—				
In gold bullion and in blister copper.....	22,455	464,186	28,197	582,884
ALBERTA.....	5	103		
BRITISH COLUMBIA—				
In alluvial gold.....	5,158	106,625	7,448	153,964
In gold bullion.....	17,609	364,011	29,784	615,690
In blister copper.....	18,405	380,465	25,806	533,457
In base bullion and in ores exported.....	113,032	2,336,579	100,452	2,076,527
Total.....	154,204	3,187,680	163,490	3,379,639
YUKON—				
In alluvial gold.....	35,678	737,530	35,160	726,822
In ores exported.....	214	4,424	356	7,359
Total.....	35,892	741,954	35,516	734,181
Canada.....	1,928,308	39,861,663	2,107,073	43,557,063

Receipts at the Royal Mint, Ottawa, Canada, 1929 and 1930

Source	1929			1930		
	Gross Weight	Precious metal content		Gross Weight	Precious metal content	
		Fine Gold	Fine Silver		Fine Gold	Fine Silver
	Oz.	Oz.	Oz.	Oz.	Oz.	Oz.
Nova Scotia.....	2,927-88	2,686-773	131-67	1,382-63	1,272-052	66-94
New Brunswick.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Quebec.....	15,383-37	13,326-247	842-65	26,264-37	22,905-661	1,936-81
Ontario.....	412,057-63	328,556-127	54,067-83	908,209-45	712,527-229	86,418-76
Manitoba.....	68,923-47	25,309-123	2,948-32	36,373-08	10,118-436	1,841-39
Saskatchewan.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Alberta.....	5-68	5-229	0-37	—	—	—
British Columbia including Dominion of Canada Assay Office, Vancouver.....	67,063-39	54,085-088	7,851-37	116,567-29	94,623-462	14,776-13
Yukon.....	37-05	32-273	3-72	2-72	2-283	0-29
Jewellery and scrap, various sources.....	35,130-59	14,350-362	7,569-50	34,004-48	14,625-742	4,350-94
Foreign.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total.....	601,529-06	438,351-222	73,415-43	1,121,744-02	862,074-863	109,391-26

Gold Bullion Received at Dominion of Canada Assay Office, Vancouver, B.C., 1930

	Calendar Year 1930			
	No. of deposits	Weight before melting and assaying	Weight after melting and assaying	Net value of deposits
		Troy ounces	Troy ounces	\$
Bar, nugget and dust, amalgam, etc.—				
British Columbia.....	538	83,903.22	71,157.44	1,278,657
Yukon Territory.....	290	41,949.03	41,569.75	694,449
Alaska.....	-	-	-	-
Washington.....	-	-	-	-
Alberta.....	-	-	-	-
California.....	-	-	-	-
Dental and jewellery scrap.....	746	7,587.37	6,919.02	57,792
Total.....	1,574	133,439.62	119,646.21	2,030,898

Imports into Canada and Exports of Gold, 1929 and 1930

	1929	1930
	\$	\$
IMPORTS—		
Coins and bullion—		
Coins, British, Canadian and foreign gold coins.....	2,856,947	38,369,019
Gold bullion in bars, blocks, ingots, drops, sheets or plates, unmanufactured.....	889,541	693,090
Total.....	3,746,488	39,062,109
Gold, other—		
Bullion or gold fringe.....	37,401	18,543
Manufactures of gold and silver—		
Leaf.....	124,296	106,116
Sweepings.....	564	1,000
Manufactures, n.o.p.....	78,939	66,669
Electroplated ware.....	1,410,202	1,014,645
Medals of gold, silver or copper and other metallic articles, actually bestowed as trophies or prizes, and received and accepted as honorary distinctions, and cups or other metallic prizes won in bona fide competitions.....	24,016	24,558
Total.....	1,675,418	1,231,531
Exports—		
Coin and bullion—		
Gold coin—		
Canadian.....	25	750
Foreign.....	29,252,140	18,004,160
Gold bullion—		
Canadian.....	409,577	-
Foreign.....	-	-
Total—Canadian.....	409,602	750
Foreign.....	29,252,140	18,004,160
Total coin and fine gold bullion.....	29,661,742	18,004,910
Gold-bearing quartz, dust, nuggets and crude bullion obtained direct from mining operations.....	29,995,983	22,312,605
Jewellers' sweepings (gold, silver and platinum).....	423,642	380,379
Total.....	30,419,625	22,692,954

Graphite

Production, Imports and Exports of Graphite, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	Tons	Value	Tons	Value
		\$		\$
PRODUCTION..... Total	1,461	103,174	1,610	100,322
IMPORTS—				
Crucibles, plumbago.....	-	66,833	-	52,458
Plumbago, not ground or otherwise manufactured.....	-	6,546	-	2,033
Plumbago, ground and manufactures of, n.o.p.	-	82,391	-	61,742
Total.....	-	155,770	-	116,233
EXPORTS—				
Graphite or plumbago, crude or refined..... Total	1,582	88,647	2,417	127,201

Gypsum

Production in Canada, Imports and Exports of Gypsum, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	Tons	Value	Tons	Value
		\$		\$
PRODUCTION—				
Crude—				
Lump or mine run.....	44,848	90,071	56,694	122,963
Crushed.....	964,875	1,147,280	831,490	991,148
Fine ground.....	2,201	17,271	2,276	18,355
Calcined.....	199,765	2,091,065	150,423	1,640,118
Total.....	1,211,689	3,345,696	1,040,883	2,773,584
IMPORTS—				
Gypsum, crude (sulphate of lime).....	1,244	18,671	898	25,882
Plaster of Paris or gypsum ground, not calcined.....	165	5,283	219	5,352
Plaster of Paris, calcined and prepared wall plaster.....	16,356	189,438	16,608	190,832
Total.....	17,765	213,392	17,725	222,066
EXPORTS—				
Gypsum or plaster, crude.....	893,445	1,086,939	719,381	871,567
Plaster of Paris, ground, and prepared wall plaster.....	7,938	137,046	7,281	119,092
Total.....	901,383	1,223,985	726,662	990,659

Iron Ore, Pig Iron, Steel Ingots and Castings

Export shipments of titaniferous iron ore from the Baie St. Paul district, Quebec, during 1930 amounted to 412 tons worth \$1,239 as against 2,748 tons worth \$7,359 in 1929.

No other iron ore production was reported but imports into Canada totalled 1,485,429 short tons valued at \$3,324,190.

Shipments from Wabana mines, Newfoundland, while not included in the mineral production of Canada, are of interest because of the tonnage shipped to Nova Scotia. During 1930 shipments from Wabana mines totalled 1,319,315 tons valued at \$3,200,569. Of this amount 523,918 tons valued at \$1,262,642 were shipped to Canada; 54,623 tons worth \$152,734 were exported to the United States; and 740,774 tons worth \$1,785,193 were exported to Germany.

Production of Pig Iron and Ferro-Alloys in Canada, 1929 and 1930

(Tons of 2,240 lb.)

Item	1929			1930		
	For own use	For sale	Total	For own use	For sale	Total
IN BLAST FURNACE—						
Basic.....	748,415	22,063	770,478	489,686	6,115	495,801
Foundry.....	2,888	218,756	221,644	1,122	189,668	190,790
Malleable.....	2,586	85,452	88,038	—	60,857	60,857
Total.....	753,889	326,271	1,080,160	490,808	256,640	747,448
Ferro-alloys.....	—	89,116	89,116	—	66,494	66,494

Production of Steel Ingots and Castings in Canada, 1929 and 1930

(Tons of 2,240 lb.)

Item	1929			1930		
	For own use	For sale	Total	For own use	For sale	Total
STEEL INGOTS—						
Open-hearth—Basic.....	1,288,810	6,352	1,295,162	918,402	753	919,155
Acid.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Electric.....	14,444	—	14,444	30,041	—	30,041
Other.....	—	—	—	8,234	—	8,234
Total steel ingots.....	1,303,254	6,352	1,309,606	956,677	753	957,430
STEEL CASTINGS—						
Open-hearth—Basic.....	10,154	25,652	35,806	1,858	24,284	26,142
Acid.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bessemer.....	66	2,524	2,590	49	2,189	2,238
Electric.....	150	29,872	30,022	272	25,061	25,333
Total direct steel castings.....	10,370	58,048	68,418	2,179	52,134	54,313
Grand Total.....	1,313,624	64,400	1,378,024	958,856	52,867	1,011,723

Iron Oxides

Iron oxides production from deposits in Quebec and British Columbia amounted to 6,596 tons worth \$83,873 in 1930 as compared with 6,518 tons worth \$115,932 shipped in 1929.

Kaolin

No production of kaolin from Canadian deposits has been reported during the past two years. Experimental shipments were made from the St. Remi d'Amherst deposit in Quebec during 1927 and 1928.

Lead

Production in Canada, Imports and Exports of Lead, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value
PRODUCTION—		\$		\$
Quebec.....	5,358,304	270,616	—	—
Ontario.....	4,789,506	294,431	2,193,856	116,031
British Columbia.....	307,999,153	15,555,189	322,137,792	12,650,351
Yukon.....	8,395,603	424,012	8,736,149	343,069
Total.....	326,522,566	16,544,248	333,067,797	13,100,451
IMPORTS—				
Old and scrap, pig and block.....	1,173,481	68,787	764,305	32,029
Bars and sheets.....	242,862	16,437	1,521,359	95,793
Litharge.....	5,692,200	423,261	2,805,600	213,240
Acetate of lead.....	110,275	10,206	172,387	16,496
Nitrate of lead.....	305,321	22,246	150,904	10,066
Other manufactures.....	—	293,629	—	243,837
Pipe lead.....	62,374	5,138	369,082	23,067
Shots and bullets.....	13,434	1,474	9,043	907
Tea lead.....	13,480	1,350	17,920	1,430
Lead pigments—				
Dry white lead.....	67,585	6,297	47,287	4,099
White lead, ground in oil.....	236,093	19,538	58,662	5,894
Dry red lead and orange mineral.....	1,791,872	134,685	1,352,076	110,075
Total.....	—	1,003,648	—	756,933
EXPORTS—				
Lead, contained in ore.....	15,976,800	1,047,441	26,323,200	1,258,272
Pig lead.....	228,374,100	10,053,402	205,432,600	7,015,308
Total.....	244,350,900	11,100,843	231,755,800	8,273,580

Lime

Production in Canada, Imports and Exports of Lime, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930				Total	
	Total		Quicklime		Hydrated Lime			
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
	Tons	\$	Tons	\$	Tons	\$	Tons	\$
PRODUCTION—								
Nova Scotia.....	42,001	154,187	30,462	106,730	652	6,520	31,114	113,250
New Brunswick.....	15,518	174,553	10,107	107,113	2,574	31,145	12,681	138,258
Quebec.....	166,892	1,264,194	117,775	878,330	10,912	86,214	128,687	964,544
Ontario.....	370,158	3,364,411	216,095	1,727,700	48,708	563,836	264,803	2,291,536
Manitoba.....	32,246	361,104	22,406	155,711	6,511	116,370	28,917	272,081
Alberta.....	7,681	79,569	5,123	49,330	13	195	5,136	49,525
British Columbia.....	39,591	510,592	27,104	251,479	9,413	83,578	36,517	335,057
Total.....	674,087	5,968,610	429,072	3,276,393	78,783	887,858	507,855	4,164,251
IMPORTS—Total.....	4,448	49,395	—	—	—	—	2,096	28,107
EXPORTS—Total.....	24,238	428,209	—	—	—	—	22,364	444,728

Magnesite*Production in Canada, Imports and Exports of Magnesite, 1929 and 1930*

	1929		1930	
	Tons	Value	Tons	Value
PRODUCTION—Calcined or clinkered—Total	18,809	491,170	13,338	336,162
IMPORTS—				
Magnesite pipe covering.....	—	259,080	—	297,513
Magnesite.....	125	4,423	—	—
Magnesite, crude.....	—	—	260	5,187
Magnesite, dead burnt*.....	—	—	267	7,741
Magnesite, caustic*.....	—	—	915	14,328
Magnesite, firebrick.....	—	256,635	—	270,180
Total	—	520,138	—	594,949
EXPORTS—				
Magnesite, calcined— Total	5,270	125,613	1,851	48,536

* For 9 months ended Dec. 31, 1930.

Magnesium Sulphate

There has been no production of magnesium sulphate since 1923 when 121 tons were recovered from a deposit near Ashcroft, B.C. Importation of magnesium sulphate or epsom salts during 1930 reached a total of 2,566 tons valued at \$52,718; in 1929, 2,565 tons valued at \$53,481 were imported.

Manganese

Some activity was noticed in the production of manganese during 1930. Shipments for experimental purposes were made from a property in Lunenburg county, Nova Scotia, and from Birch Island, British Columbia. In addition some 240 tons of manganese ore were shipped to steel works from a mine in Albert county, New Brunswick.

Mercury

There is a small occurrence of cinnabar near Kamloops, British Columbia, but production has been very limited. During 1930 imports into Canada of mercury amounted to 105,755 pounds valued at \$153,837 as against 346,701 pounds worth \$748,048 in 1929.

Metals of the Platinum Group*Production of Platinum Group Metals, Canada, 1929 and 1930*

	1929		1930	
	Platinum	Palladium, Rhodium, etc.	Platinum	Palladium, Rhodium, etc.
Produced from Canadian Ores.....	Oz. 12,491	17,318	34,001	34,063
Recovered from alluvial sands.....	\$ 845,057	809,289	1,542,217	895,040
	Oz. 28	—	12	—
	\$ 1,699	—	544	—
Total	Oz. 12,519	17,318	34,013	34,063
	\$ 846,756	809,289	1,542,761	895,040

Imports into Canada and Exports of Platinum, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	Oz.	Value	Oz.	Value
		\$		\$
IMPORTS—				
Platinum retorts.....	—	41,113	—	23,135
Platinum wire, and in bars, strips, etc.....	—	157,774	—	87,467
Platinum crucibles.....	—	13,019	—	12,249
Total.....	—	211,906	—	122,851
EXPORTS—				
Platinum, etc., contained in concentrates.....	2,798	220,200	19,835	1,610,945
Platinum, old and scrap.....	112	5,319	285	15,653
Total.....	—	225,519	—	1,626,598

Mica

Production of Mica in Canada, 1929 and 1930

Grade	1929			1930		
	Quantity	Value, f.o.b. shipping point	Price per pound	Quantity	Value, f.o.b. shipping point	Price per pound
	Lb.	\$	\$	Lb.	\$	\$
Rough cobbled.....	—	—	—	44,330	1,140	0.26
Thumb trimmed.....	97,331	17,131	0.18	10,146	8,445	0.83
Splittings.....	22,750	13,732	0.60	77,530	35,601	0.46
Scrap.....	7,986,878	87,686	0.01	2,391,022	51,970	0.02
Total.....	8,106,959	118,549	0.015	2,523,028	97,156	0.038

Imports into Canada and Exports of Mica, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	Tons	Value	Tons	Value
		\$		\$
IMPORTS—				
Mica and manufactures of, n.o.p.— Total.....	—	169,618	—	192,775
EXPORTS—				
Rough cobbled and thumb trimmed.....	2	1,342	2	1,461
Mica splittings.....	91	96,726	39	35,351
Mica, scrap and waste.....	4,789	112,905	1,039	48,436
Mica, plate and manufactures of (micanite).....	—	2,088	—	1,289
Total.....	—	213,059	—	86,537

Mineral Waters

Mineral springs and wells in Canada produced 224,741 imperial gallons valued at \$10,078 during 1930. In the preceding year the sales amounted to 321,905 imperial gallons worth \$16,139. Production was from Ontario and Quebec wells.

Molybdenum

No production of molybdenum was reported for 1930. In 1929 considerable work was done on a property in northwestern Quebec and 17 tons of molybdenite concentrates, averaging 85 per cent MoS₂ were produced, of which 9½ tons were shipped in that year.

Natural Gas

Production in Canada and Imports of Natural Gas, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	M cu. ft.	Value	M cu. ft.	Value
PRODUCTION—		\$		\$
New Brunswick.....	678,456	333,002	661,975	325,740
Ontario.....	8,586,475	4,959,695	7,901,137	4,503,650
Manitoba.....	600	180	600	180
Alberta.....	19,112,931	4,684,247	20,540,858	4,806,125
Total.....	28,378,462	9,977,124	29,104,570	9,635,704
IMPORTS—				
Gas for cooking, heating or illuminating, imported by pipe line.....				
Total.....	132,942	85,338	151,671	96,763

Nickel

Production in Canada, Imports and Exports of Nickel, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
PRODUCTION—	Lb.	\$	Lb.	\$
Nickel in matte and speiss exported (a).....	28,172,633	5,071,074	41,959,927	7,552,574
Refined and electrolytic nickel produced.....	70,704,762	18,639,814	57,478,651	15,485,381
Nickel in oxides and salts sold.....	11,398,517	3,404,573	4,330,279	1,417,178
Total.....	110,275,912	27,115,461	103,768,857	24,455,133
IMPORTS—				
Nickel, nickel silver and German silver in ingots or blocks, n.o.p.....	31,006	8,492	37,462	9,250
Nickel in bars and rods, strips, sheets and plates.....	1,243,865	388,296	1,120,122	347,461
Nickel silver and German silver, in bars, rods, strips, sheets, plates or anodes.....	258,445	94,827	180,122	69,664
Nickel chromium in bars or rods, etc.....	71,938	72,790	44,344	44,434
German, Nevada and nickel silver, manufactures of, not plated.....	—	606,236	—	471,036
Nickel-plated household hollow-ware.....	—	94,796	—	18,401
Nickel kitchenware.....	—	—	—	2,261
Nickel-plated ware, n.o.p.....	—	3,224,828	—	2,064,398
Total nickel and its products.....	—	4,490,265	—	2,966,905
EXPORTS—				
Nickel, fine.....	68,408,200	17,544,513	43,122,500	11,262,512
Nickel contained in matte.....	29,630,700	4,501,389	44,890,400	8,142,794
Nickel in oxide.....	11,600,900	3,489,782	3,733,000	1,100,016
Total.....	109,639,800	25,535,684	91,745,900	20,505,324

(a) Nickel in matte and speiss exported valued at 18 cents per pound.

Output from Nickel-Copper Mines and Smelters, 1928-1930

	Unit	1928	1929	1930
Ore mined.....	ton	1,457,910	1,991,910	2,127,043
Ore shipped.....	ton	1,457,910	1,991,910	2,115,139
Content of ores, etc., shipped—				
Copper.....	pound	67,485,937	103,457,449	142,948,534
Nickel.....	pound	100,420,842	128,901,304	122,195,531
Ore and concentrates treated at smelters.....	ton	1,476,704	2,033,457	2,357,154
Matte produced.....	ton	91,313	132,030	166,703
Content of matte—				
Copper.....	pound	59,408,538	92,630,143	141,600,753
Nickel.....	pound	86,788,830	116,190,232	122,224,692
Matte shipped to Canadian refineries.....	ton	66,463	115,599	137,364
Matte exported from Canadian smelters and refineries.....	ton	39,310	25,086	34,550

Peat

Shipments of peat during 1930 totalled 2,847 tons valued at \$10,932, made up of 2,219 tons from Quebec and 628 tons from Ontario.

Petroleum

Production of Crude Petroleum in Canada, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	Barrels	Total value	Barrels	Total value
		\$		\$
NEW BRUNSWICK—Total.....	7,409	19,909	6,758	17,379
ONTARIO—				
Petrolia and Enniskillen.....	56,284	135,140	55,130	109,750
Oil Springs.....	30,789	76,403	29,160	60,038
Moore Township.....	1,230	2,973	1,576	3,135
Sarnia Township.....	749	1,807	1,149	2,285
Plympton Township.....	315	757	296	589
Bothwell.....	23,236	56,026	21,176	42,115
West Dover.....	715	1,724	457	909
Tilbury East.....	139	335	149	296
Onondaga.....	311	1,192	231	762
Moza Township.....	6,851	16,226	7,166	14,252
Thamesville.....	427	1,029	447	889
Dunwich.....	148	358	365	726
Total for Ontario.....	121,194	293,068	117,302	235,740
ALBERTA—Total.....	992,000	3,476,620	1,368,411	4,700,760
Canada.....	1,120,693	3,790,497	1,492,171	4,953,885

Imports into Canada and Exports of Petroleum and Its Products, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Imports—		\$		\$
Crude petroleum in the natural state, 0.7000 specific gravity or heavier at 60 degrees temperature, when imported by oil refiners to be refined in their own factories..... gal.	1,060,000,971	48,154,347	1,012,029,544	38,241,270
Crude petroleum, gas oils other than naphtha, benzine and gasoline lighter than 0.8235 but not less than 0.775 specific gravity at 60 degrees..... gal.	182,035	19,599	539,045	58,593
Petroleum (not including crude petroleum imported to be refined or illuminating or lubricating oils) 0.8235 specific gravity or heavier at 60 degrees temperature..... gal.	63,264,841	2,444,259	65,733,147	2,406,223
Petroleum, and other oils imported by minors or mining companies or concerns, for use in the concentration of ores of metals in their own concentrating establishments..... gal.	144,890	81,691	134,001	55,242
Petroleum, crude, not in its natural state, 0.725 specific gravity or heavier, but not heavier than 0.770 specific gravity, at 60 degrees temperature when imported by oil refiners to be refined in their own factories..... gal.	5,726,147	376,001	8,460,369	600,899
KEROSENE, FUEL AND ILLUMINATING OILS				
Coal oil and kerosene, distilled, purified or refined, n.o.p..... gal.	4,506,255	398,010	4,911,647	360,518
Illuminating oils, composed wholly or in part of the products of petroleum, coal, shale or lignite, costing more than 30 cents per gallon..... gal.	9,486	3,910	10,687	4,660
Coal oil and kerosene, distilled, known as "engine distillate," when 0.725 specific gravity and heavier, but not heavier than 0.770 specific gravity at 60 degrees temperature..... gal.	17,092	1,714	64,757	9,856
Fuel oil, ex-warehouse for ships' stores..... gal.	32,302,642	868,925	31,560,548	821,313
LUBRICATING OILS				
Lubricating oils, composed wholly or in part of petroleum, and costing less than 25 cents per gallon..... gal.	7,369,099	1,289,594	8,018,755	1,477,630
Lubricating oils, n.o.p..... gal.	10,035,005	4,155,353	8,261,051	3,540,113
GASOLINE AND OTHER OILS				
Gasoline under 0.725 specific gravity at 60 degrees temperature..... gal.	135,558,609	15,096,277	94,038,951	9,497,472
Gasoline, 0.725 specific gravity and heavier, but not heavier than 0.770 specific gravity at 60 degrees temperature..... gal.	39,551,756	4,702,487	49,953,335	5,712,502
Gasoline, natural casinghead (from September, 1930)..... gal.	-	-	8,953,792	775,243
Gasoline, n.o.p..... gal.	41,115	5,322	10,530,479	1,129,284
All other oils, n.o.p..... gal.	194,794	137,337	308,019	131,324
OTHER PRODUCTS OF PETROLEUM				
Grease, axle..... lb.	7,010,528	383,513	5,341,098	288,994
Paraffine wax..... lb.	3,299,236	135,169	3,494,085	126,770
Paraffine wax candles..... lb.	393,158	83,543	383,043	79,766
Vaseline, and all similar preparations of petroleum for toilet, medicinal or other purposes..... gal.	-	250,753	-	230,800
Petroleum, products of, n.o.p..... gal.	1,828,536	297,126	1,667,160	251,743
Total	-	76,896,938	-	65,800,221
Exports—				
Oil, petroleum, crude..... gal.	28,177,495	1,548,288	19,250,585	881,452
Oil, coal and kerosene, refined..... gal.	1,307,241	137,160	1,460,676	138,455
Oil, gasoline and naphtha..... gal.	4,669,078	875,027	7,256,557	1,226,561
Oil, mineral, n.o.p..... gal.	433,634	105,426	315,779	120,231
Wax, mineral..... cwt.	11,586	62,171	16,958	74,933
Total	-	2,723,072	-	2,441,632

Phosphate

Imports of phosphate into Canada totalled 47,206 tons worth \$297,522 as against 18,192 tons worth \$114,741 in 1929. The Canadian production during 1930 was obtained from Quebec and amounted to 40 tons worth \$760. Some experimental shipments of phosphate were made by the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company from a deposit near Fernie, B.C., during 1927, 1928 and 1929.

Pyrites*

Production in Canada, Imports and Exports of Pyrites, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	Sulphur content	Value	Sulphur content	Value
	tons	\$	tons	\$
PRODUCTION—				
Quebec.....	9,926	73,119	12,653	93,038
Ontario.....	4,579	31,510	7,275	73,835
British Columbia.....	28,276	226,268	17,044	141,904
Total.....	42,781	330,843	36,972	368,777
IMPORTS—				
Brimstone, or sulphur, crude or in roll or flour.....	234,926	3,789,243	179,728	3,177,492
EXPORTS—				
Pyrites.....	31,987	246,771	26,502	159,866

*Sulphur.—It has been the practice of the Bureau in past years to report export shipments of pyrites in terms of the sulphur content of the pyrites. In view of the fact that there is now an important production of sulphur in the form of sulphuric acid made from waste bessemer gases, it has been decided to modify the method of reporting production so as to show the total sulphur content of pyrites shipped and of bessemer gases used in the manufacture of sulphuric acid.

Quartz

Production in Canada and Imports of Quartz, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	Tons	Value	Tons	Value
		\$		\$
PRODUCTION—				
Nova Scotia.....	11,845	31,388	8,057	18,494
Quebec.....	46,444	132,532	42,947	124,006
Ontario.....	187,973	316,050	207,231	297,638
Manitoba.....	10,045	35,610	—	—
British Columbia.....	9,642	45,947	6,497	35,485
Total.....	265,949	561,527	264,732	475,623
IMPORTS—				
Siliceous or crystallized quartz, ground or unground.....	3,095	79,053	5,040	111,473
Flint.....	3,595	39,272	3,878	37,811
Total.....	7,590	118,325	8,918	149,284

Salt

Production of Salt in Canada, by Grades, 1929 and 1930

Grade	1929			1930		
	Manu- factured	Sold	Value of salt sold (not including packages)	Manu- factured	Sold	Value of salt sold (not including packages)
	tons	tons	\$	tons	tons	\$
Table and dairy.....	54,618	54,138	785,559	49,050	49,467	868,396
Common fine.....	49,538	49,869	235,335	51,443	52,004	289,594
Common coarse.....	50,399	50,383	322,600	44,560	44,074	325,844
Land salt.....	1,407	1,919	7,209	—	281	1,414
Other grades.....	5,875	5,628	58,697	7,557	7,088	80,025
Brine for chemical works (salt equivalent sold or used).....	168,327	168,327	168,776	114,737	114,737	115,944
Total.....	330,164	330,264	1,578,086	267,628	268,551	1,681,217
Value of packages.....	—	—	543,022	—	—	499,740
Total.....	330,164	330,264	2,121,108	267,628	268,551	2,180,957

Imports into Canada and Exports of Salt, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	Tons	Value	Tons	Value
IMPORTS—		\$		\$
Salt, for use of the sea or gulf fisheries.....	82,530	370,211	56,134	195,760
Salt, in bulk, n.o.p.....	54,997	208,130	40,909	169,948
Salt, n.o.p., in bags, barrels, etc.....	38,794	342,302	31,273	273,448
Salt, table, made by an admixture of other ingredients, when containing not less than 90 per cent of pure salt.....	245	16,177	69	21,747
Total.....	176,566	936,820	128,385	660,903
EXPORTS—				
Total.....	9,359	70,762	8,758	74,397

Sand-Lime Brick

Preliminary figures on the production of sand-lime brick in Canada give the total as 52,301 thousand valued at \$559,838 as compared with 78,361 thousand worth \$953,726 in 1929. The active plants were located in Quebec, Ontario and Manitoba.

Because of its association with other building materials, data regarding the production of sand-lime brick are included in this report. Statistics relating to sand-lime brick are not included in the totals for structural materials industries as both the sand and lime used have been so recorded; production of sand-lime brick is regarded as a manufacturing operation and therefore is shown in the report on the *Manufacture of the Non-Metallic Minerals*, issued annually by the Bureau.

Sand and Gravel

Sand and gravel production in Canada during 1930 totalled 29,006,338 tons with a valuation of \$7,302,424 as compared with 27,846,945 tons valued at \$7,317,814 shipped in 1929.

Imports of sand and gravel into Canada during 1930 amounted to 185,362 tons worth \$167,642, while silica sand imported for the manufacture of glass and carborundum and for use in foundries amounted to 164,349 tons valued at \$352,796. Corresponding data in 1929 showed 269,426 tons worth \$216,918 and silica sand 233,963 tons at \$490,558. Exports of sand and gravel in 1930 totalled 2,589,431 tons appraised at \$468,380 as against a total of 1,903,312 tons worth \$441,798 exported in 1929.

Silver

Production, Imports and Exports of Silver, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
	fine oss.	\$	fine oss.	\$
NOVA SCOTIA—				
In gold bullion— Total	132	70	67	36
QUEBEC—				
In gold ores, in blister copper and in copper and silver-lead-zinc ores exported— Total	813,821	431,269	571,603	218,089
ONTARIO—				
In silver bullion and nuggets.....	7,345,561	3,892,633	8,159,811	3,113,294
In gold bullion.....	256,885	136,131	299,536	114,285
In matte, blister copper and in silver ores, concentrates and residues exported.....	1,288,280	682,698	1,745,663	666,040
Total	8,890,726	4,711,462	10,205,010	3,893,619
MANITOBA—				
In gold bullion and in blister copper— Total	2,644	1,401	93,428	35,647
BRITISH COLUMBIA—				
In alluvial gold.....	1,160	615	1,676	640
In gold bullion.....	1,363	722	2,465	940
In blister copper.....	667,052	353,491	1,101,066	420,101
In base bullion and in ores exported.....	9,486,833	5,027,357	10,731,425	4,094,468
Total	10,156,408	5,382,185	11,836,632	4,516,149
YUKON—				
In alluvial gold.....	8,028	4,254	7,911	3,018
In ores exported.....	3,271,502	1,733,667	3,721,284	1,419,819
Total	3,279,530	1,737,921	3,729,195	1,422,837
Canada	23,143,261	12,261,308	26,435,935	10,096,267
IMPORTS—				
Silver in bars, etc., unmanufactured.....	-	958,312	-	610,634
Silver manufactures of n.o.p., and articles consisting wholly or in part of sterling or other silver.....	-	400,125	-	199,123
Silver coin.....	-	-	-	-
Total	-	1,358,437	-	809,757
EXPORTS—				
Silver contained in ore, concentrates, etc.....	7,058,275	3,736,204	8,473,189	3,401,340
Silver bullion.....	14,879,770	8,022,917	15,778,755	6,180,412
Total	21,938,045	11,759,121	24,251,944	9,581,752
Silver coin, Foreign.....	-	2,603,704	-	2,417,822
" " Canadian.....	-	-	-	30

Slate

Slate shipments during 1930 amounted to 150 tons valued at \$3,000. This production was obtained from a deposit in the Victoria Mining Division of British Columbia.

Imports into Canada during the year under review were, roofing slate 4,349 squares valued at \$59,411; slate pencils valued at \$6,506; school writing slates worth \$91,355; slate mantles and other manufactures of slates valued at \$48,706.

Sodium Carbonate

The output of sodium carbonate crystals in 1930 amounted to 364 tons worth \$4,550 as compared with shipments of 600 tons at \$8,100 in the preceding year.

Soda ash is manufactured from salt brine at Amherstburg, Ontario, by the Brunner Mond Canada, Limited.

Sodium Sulphate

Shipments of natural sodium sulphate from deposits in Saskatchewan during 1930 amounted to 31,571 tons valued at \$293,847 as against 5,018 tons worth \$64,112 in 1929. The large increase was due in the main part to the demand for this material by a Canadian chemical company for the manufacture of nitre cake at Coppercliff, Ontario, to be used in the smelting of nickel-copper ores.

Stone

Production in Canada, Imports and Exports of Stone, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	Tons	Value	Tons	Value
		\$		\$
PRODUCTION—				
Nova Scotia.....	264,706	376,222	163,354	292,195
New Brunswick.....	27,352	204,970	92,369	256,598
Quebec.....	3,484,471	5,317,850	3,946,531	5,758,108
Ontario.....	5,239,672	4,736,263	5,178,010	4,709,269
Manitoba.....	192,109	896,017	129,608	873,412
Alberta.....	5,183	24,546	7,903	21,736
British Columbia.....	408,931	511,855	360,331	450,585
Canada.....	9,622,424	12,066,532	9,878,106	12,410,993
IMPORTS—				
Building stone, other than marble or granite, sawn on more than two sides, but not sawn on more than four sides.....	471	6,285	139	2,029
Building stone other than marble or granite, planed, turned, cut or further manufactured than sawn on four sides.....	1,820	77,685	1,492	78,904
Flagstone, sandstone, and all building stone, not hammered, sawn or chiselled.....	-	372,049	-	309,930
Flagstone and building stone, other than marble or granite sawn on not more than two sides.....	-	233,084	-	107,783
Granite, sawn only.....	-	22,799	-	8,999
Granite, manufactures of, n.o.p.....	-	44,857	-	42,158
Granite monuments.....	-	137,359	-	132,622
Granite, rough, not hammered or chiselled.....	-	67,597	-	78,283
Paving blocks.....	-	-	-	2,876
Marble, rough, not hammered or chiselled.....	-	237,680	-	243,621
Marble, sawn or sand rubbed, not polished.....	-	267,497	-	204,869
Marble, manufactures of, n.o.p.....	-	187,717	-	170,001
Refuse stone.....	645,768	405,077	303,462	233,182
Manufactures of stone, n.o.p.....	-	76,364	-	65,301
Total.....	-	2,136,050	-	1,740,558
EXPORTS—				
Crushed stone.....	116,950	200,000	136,837	235,406
Granite and marble, unwrought.....	2,467	23,189	1,768	21,913
Freestone, limestone, and other building stone, unwrought.....	661	8,867	2,149	15,829
Dressed stone.....	-	5,065	-	4,110
Total.....	-	237,121	-	277,258

Production of Stone in Canada by Kinds and by Provinces, 1930

	Granite		Limestone		Marble		Sandstone	
	Tons	\$	Tons	\$	Tons	\$	Tons	\$
Nova Scotia.....	56,540	59,715	74,842	77,602	-	-	31,972	154,878
New Brunswick.....	46,518	141,672	35,710	78,360	-	-	10,141	36,666
Quebec.....	640,044	2,019,017	2,995,652	2,822,975	8,356	698,592	302,479	215,524
Ontario.....	926,889	970,568	4,241,791	3,744,570	-	-	0,330	54,131
Manitoba.....	-	-	128,853	863,834	755	9,578	-	-
Alberta.....	-	-	7,786	17,236	-	-	117	4,500
British Columbia.....	269,877	319,797	87,628	102,463	190	5,282	2,030	23,043
Total for Canada.....	1,839,868	3,510,769	7,673,362	7,707,040	9,307	713,452	356,669	489,442

Talc and Soapstone

Production in Canada, Imports and Exports of Talc and Soapstone, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	Tons	Value	Tons	Value
PRODUCTION—		\$		\$
Soapstone.....	-	47,986	-	50,168
Talc.....	15,509	181,212	11,841	130,048
Total.....	-	229,198	-	180,216
IMPORTS—				
Talc or soapstone, ground or unground— Total	5,516	109,675	4,799	85,779
EXPORTS—				
Talc— Total	11,399	139,096	8,512	98,855

Zinc

Production in Canada, Imports and Exports of Zinc, 1929 and 1930

	1929		1930	
	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value
PRODUCTION—		\$		\$
Quebec.....	19,653,440	1,058,731	9,754,180	351,150
Ontario.....	5,510,806	297,190	3,527,894	127,004
Manitoba.....	-	-	3,306,707	119,041
British Columbia.....	172,006,841	9,270,857	251,076,718	9,038,762
Total.....	197,267,087	10,626,778	267,665,479	9,635,957
IMPORTS—				
Zinc dust.....	483,192	38,891	506,670	37,853
Zinc in blocks, pigs and sheets.....	10,631,343	787,432	8,013,820	534,595
Zinc spelter.....	2,658,483	165,566	1,800,270	90,270
Zinc white.....	19,052,472	1,248,668	14,575,729	895,580
Zinc, sulphate and chloride of.....	3,123,840	125,742	2,685,180	96,242
Zinc, manufactures of, n.o.p.....	-	167,795	-	161,683
Lithopone.....	19,408,436	852,079	16,051,513	722,341
Total.....	-	3,386,173	-	2,528,464
EXPORTS—				
Zinc in ore.....	25,738,900	1,415,725	46,964,100	1,014,915
Zinc scrap, dross and ashes.....	7,638,200	262,719	4,808,900	92,051
Zinc spelter.....	135,085,700	7,031,645	150,964,100	5,146,215
Total.....	-	8,710,089	-	6,253,781



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