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PEELER LOGS, VENEERS AND PLYWOODS

(Thousand feet board measure)

	Stocks			Stocks		
	Delivered to mill	Con- sumption	at end of month	Delivered to mill	Con- sumption	at end of month
Domestic Softwoods:						
	Douglas Fir			Hemlock and Other Softwoods		
December, 1958	32,832	30,726	65,779	1,522	1,127	2,126
December, 1957	21,815	19,745	56,975	1,420	668	6,890
November, 1958	31,480	30,753	63,673	1,247	2,180	1,731
November, 1957	24,251	20,676	54,952	1,960	912	6,138
12 Months, 1958	359,896	351,564	65,779	19,803	18,016	2,126
12 Months, 1957	317,543	313,290	56,975	13,085	10,422	6,890
Domestic Hardwoods:						
	Birch (yellow and white)			Maple		
December, 1958	6,959	5,569	6,632	700	428	836
December, 1957	4,428	5,388	9,977	103	707	1,417
November, 1958	3,092	5,204	5,242	187	293	564
November, 1957	2,185	5,950	11,097	43	156	2,151
12 Months, 1958	64,439	64,444	6,632	3,628	3,890	836
12 Months, 1957	73,285	74,497	9,977	3,820	5,351	1,417
	Elm			Poplar (Inc. Aspen and Cottonwood)		
December, 1958	82	135	738	4,997	4,217	4,249
December, 1957	96	142	1,509	Included in Other Hardwoods		
November, 1958	43	177	791	2,984	3,327	3,469
November, 1957	67	255	1,555	Included in Other Hardwoods		
12 Months, 1958	781	1,507	738	58,540	54,814	4,249
12 Months, 1957	2,749	3,139	1,509	Included in Other Hardwoods		
	Basswood			Other Hardwoods		
December, 1958	247	219	637	14	35	306
December, 1957	122	141	719	5,303	4,764	5,868
November, 1958	120	172	609	25	47	368
November, 1957	74	210	768	3,492	4,741	5,388
12 Months, 1958	2,216	2,273	637	484	712	306
12 Months, 1957	3,741	3,352	719	45,972	46,175	5,868
Imported Woods:						
	Mahogany, Oak, Walnut, etc.					
December, 1958	391	125	503			
December, 1957	33	201	192			
November, 1958	17	133	237			
November, 1957	22	54	360			
12 Months, 1958	1,491	1,145	503			
12 Months, 1957	521	871	192			

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(Thousand square feet)

	Not over 1/20" thick				Over 1/20" thick			
	Produc- tion	Shipments		Stocks	Produc- tion	Shipments		Stocks
		Domestic	Export	end of Month		Domestic	Export	end of Month
Domestic Softwoods:								
Douglas Fir								
December, 1958	-	-	-	-	4,222	4,117	244	62
December, 1957	451	175	276	-	15,581	4,740	10,967	1,442
November, 1958	-	-	-	-	5,487	4,995	343	201
November, 1957	427	427	-	-	13,368	6,295	7,743	1,568
12 Months, 1958	-	-	-	-	45,458	43,465	1,931	62
12 Months, 1957	5,587	4,569	1,018	-	108,740	13,193	95,443	1,442
Other Domestic Softwoods								
December, 1958	732	161	371	-	1,371	94	1,246	502
December, 1957	Included in Douglas Fir							
November, 1958	311	277	34	-	1,420	59	1,269	471
November, 1957	Included in Douglas Fir							
12 Months, 1958	7,013	4,528	2,485	-	35,648	1,363	52,563	502
12 Months, 1957	Included in Douglas Fir							
Domestic Hardwoods:								
High Density								
*Brich (yellow and white)								
December, 1958	46,238	13,305	31,865	21,209	2,443	1,918	582	576
December, 1957	37,320	11,833	23,048	31,899	3,029	2,872	185	1,419
November, 1958	45,507	17,963	30,485	20,056	1,205	1,019	284	633
November, 1957	37,593	15,920	28,595	30,129	1,680	1,480	1	1,447
12 Months, 1958	532,731	162,120	374,588	21,209	24,562	19,495	5,580	576
12 Months, 1957	454,032	157,930	292,555	31,899	30,270	26,365	5,444	1,419
Maple								
December, 1958	1,639	1,130	-	1,194	1,312	669	655	6
December, 1957	207	227	-	284	2,027	813	1,214	-
November, 1958	759	464	460	511	690	681	9	18
November, 1957	370	171	126	304	466	466	-	-
12 Months, 1958	8,322	5,798	1,710	1,194	11,091	6,724	4,518	6
12 Months, 1957	4,956	2,846	1,822	284	12,678	9,328	3,423	-
Other High Density Hardwoods 1/								
December, 1958	477	149	-	547	241	244	-	-
December, 1957	40	40	-	-	-	-	-	-
November, 1958	97	165	-	219	253	250	-	3
November, 1957	140	140	-	-	30	30	-	-
12 Months, 1958	2,975	2,427	47	547	1,938	1,938	-	-
12 Months, 1957	705	622	83	-	404	404	-	-
Poplar (Including Aspen and Cottonwood)								
December, 1958	-	-	-	-	2,018	1,853	-	345
December, 1957	Included in Basswood and Other Low Density Hardwoods							
November, 1958	-	-	-	-	1,510	1,482	-	180
November, 1957	Included in Basswood and Other Low Density Hardwoods							
12 Months, 1958	-	-	-	-	10,265	10,162	-	345
12 Months, 1957	Included in Basswood and Other Low Density Hardwoods							

veneers (For sale as such):
(Concluded)

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(Thousand square feet)

	Not over 1/20" thick				Over 1/20" thick			
	Production	Shipments		Stocks end of month	Production	Shipments		Stocks end of month
		Domestic	Export			Domestic	Export	
Domestic Hardwoods:								
Low Density Basswood and Other Low Density Hardwoods								
December, 1958	543	537	-	240	586	743	-	43
December, 1957	579	518	-	211	1,267	1,214	9	251
November, 1958	239	271	-	234	433	338	-	200
November, 1957	333	313	-	150	805	815	-	207
12 Months, 1958	2,777	2,565	-	240	3,942	3,709	123	43
12 Months, 1957	3,531	3,642	-	211	9,975	9,397	390	251

Figured Hardwoods:								
Cherry, Oak, Walnut, Etc.								
December, 1958	-	55	-	448	-	-	-	-
December, 1957				Not Available				
November, 1958	124	169	105	503	-	-	-	-
November, 1957				Not Available				
12 Months, 1958	1,358	928	105	448	2	2	-	-
12 Months, 1957				Not Available				

Imported Woods								
Figured Hardwoods Mahogany, Oak, Walnut, Etc.								
December, 1958	2,688	2,271	-	8,599	661	661	-	-
December, 1957	2,177	3,037	-	6,236	265	265	-	-
November, 1958	4,084	3,937	-	8,182	-	-	-	-
November, 1957	2,775	2,033	30	7,096	-	-	-	-
12 Months, 1958	30,102	27,512	-	8,599	3,476	3,476	-	-
12 Months, 1957	29,884	30,826	30	6,236	839	839	-	-

PLYWOODS (For sale as such)

(Thousand square feet 1/4" thickness basis)

(Classified by the type of wood on the best face)

	Shipments				Stocks end of month	Shipments		Stocks end of month
	Production	Shipments		Production		Shipments		
		Domestic	Export		Domestic	Export		
Domestic Softwoods:								
Douglas Fir Other Domestic Softwoods								
December, 1958	103,054	75,994	10,822	56,315	94	235	-	746
December, 1957	68,629	59,817	6,199	93,704	95	79	2	69
November, 1958	102,596	97,606	4,718	39,890	2,558	2,968	-	887
November, 1957	73,316	67,687	6,779	91,091	47	42	-	55
12 Months, 1958	1,183,763	1,151,736	65,226	56,315	20,026	20,573	-	746
12 Months, 1957	1,091,058	1,001,889	64,213	93,704	622	602	2	69

Domestic Hardwoods:								
High Density Birch (Yellow and white) Other Hardwoods 2/								
December, 1958	7,695	4,504	2,327	8,126	77	44	2	319
December, 1957	7,024	3,282	2,828	13,125	87	73	-	3
November, 1958	6,809	4,888	2,145	7,262	80	67	-	288
November, 1957	8,619	4,911	3,642	12,459	38	38	20	3
12 Months, 1958	85,449	57,750	30,181	8,126	937	765	10	319
12 Months, 1957	103,793	57,263	46,065	13,125	852	794	65	3



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(Concluded)

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	Shipments			Stocks end of month	Shipments			Stocks end of month
	Produc- tion	Domestic	Export		Produc- tion	Domestic	Export	
Domestic Hardwoods:								
<u>Low Density</u>	<u>Poplar (Incl. Aspen and Cottonwood)</u>				<u>Basswood and Other</u>			
December, 1958	14,611	11,276	-	10,027	130	166	-	211
December, 1957	Included in Basswood and Other				8,601	7,300	-	10,792
November, 1958	14,110	14,565	-	6,692	164	123	-	247
November, 1957	Included in Basswood and Other				11,013	11,387	1	9,499
12 Months, 1958	156,466	156,797	36	10,027	1,095	1,077	4	211
12 Months, 1957	Included in Basswood and Other				116,742	115,374	85	10,792
Figured Hardwoods:								
	<u>Cherry, Oak, Walnut, etc.</u>							
December, 1958	113	111	-	48				
December, 1957		Not Available						
November, 1958	52	54	-	46				
November, 1957		Not Available						
12 Months, 1958	702	654	-	48				
12 Months, 1957		Not Available						
Imported Woods:								
<u>Low Density Hard- woods</u>	<u>All Species ^{3/}</u>							
December, 1958	27	27	-	1				
December, 1957		Not Available						
November, 1958	38	38	-	1				
November, 1957		Not Available						
12 Months, 1958	488	487	-	1				
12 Months, 1957		Not Available						
Figured Hardwoods:								
	<u>Mahogany</u>				<u>Oak</u>			
December, 1958	1,090	814	-	1,014	148	161	-	238
December, 1957	296	313	-	308	174	192	-	189
November, 1958	810	652	-	738	131	138	-	251
November, 1957	182	170	-	325	225	209	-	207
12 Months, 1958	5,737	5,048	-	1,014	2,197	2,169	-	238
12 Months, 1957	2,347	2,470	-	308	2,390	2,499	-	189
	<u>Walnut</u>				<u>Other</u>			
December, 1958	334	327	-	93	62	62	-	9
December, 1957	193	201	-	36	16	15	-	9
November, 1958	290	291	-	86	51	50	-	9
November, 1957	205	207	-	44	30	31	-	8
12 Months, 1958	3,419	3,371	-	93	466	467	-	9
12 Months, 1957	2,722	2,811	-	36	859	862	-	9

1/ Includes Ash, Elm, Beech and Other.

2/ Includes Maple, Ash, Elm, Beech and Other.

3/ Includes Aspen, Poplar, Cottonwood, Basswood and Other.

* Cumulative totals for birch veneers revised.