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PEELER LOGS, VENEERS AND PLYWOODS

		(Thousand feet)					
		BOIS D'OEUVRE STATISTIQUE CANADA			BOIS D'OEUVRE STATISTIQUE CANADA		
PEELER LOGS:		Delivered to mill	Con- sumption	Stocks at end of month	Delivered to mill	Con- sumption	Stocks at end of month
Domestic Softwoods:		Douglas Fir			Hemlock and Other Softwoods		
May, 1958		32,456	29,392	65,249	1,091	890	6,076
May, 1957		27,981	33,654	42,287	1,929	1,392	5,433
April, 1958		30,513	29,333	62,185	1,515	927	5,875
April, 1957		28,658	27,304	45,716	772	1,427	5,023
5 Months, 1958		146,441	139,053	65,249	7,454	4,563	6,076
5 Months, 1957		120,932	131,061	42,287	6,381	5,767	5,433
Domestic Hardwoods:		Birch (yellow and white)			Maple		
May, 1958		2,959	5,849	17,682	98	230	1,382
May, 1957		4,017	6,683	29,317	219	507	3,541
April, 1958		3,279	5,097	20,572	39	252	1,539
April, 1957		3,834	6,910	32,341	476	451	3,914
5 Months, 1958		38,094	27,503	17,682	1,270	1,200	1,382
5 Months, 1957		50,421	33,096	29,317	3,315	2,837	3,541
		Elm			Poplar (Incl. Aspen & Cottonwood)		
May, 1958		14	108	1,456	973	4,278	7,230
May, 1957		237	323	2,608	Included in Other Hardwoods		
April, 1958		53	151	1,550	2,311	4,815	12,471
April, 1957		219	176	2,757	Included in Other Hardwoods		
5 Months, 1958		569	615	1,456	28,519	23,053	7,230
5 Months, 1957		1,623	914	2,608	Included in Other Hardwoods		
		Basswood			Other Hardwoods		
May, 1958		75	215	1,121	41	81	602
May, 1957		209	325	1,468	1,562	4,032	13,568
April, 1958		154	169	1,261	125	59	642
April, 1957		374	352	1,597	2,555	3,060	16,043
5 Months, 1958		1,408	982	1,121	302	287	602
5 Months, 1957		2,461	1,353	1,468	23,169	16,393	13,568
Imported Woods:		Mahogany, Oak, Walnut, etc.					
May, 1958		33	49	205			
May, 1957		100	67	523			
April, 1958		228	53	221			
April, 1957		65	57	470			
5 Months, 1958		364	350	205			
5 Months, 1957		384	403	523			

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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 Softwoods:		Douglas Fir							
May, 1958		-	-	-	-	1,921	1,927	-	133
May, 1957		744	744	-	-	8,824	379	8,374	1,367
April, 1958		-	-	-	-	4,724	4,091	494	139
April, 1957		1,056	780	276	-	9,124	183	8,539	1,296
5 Months, 1958		-	-	-	-	17,079	15,698	1,248	133
5 Months, 1957		2,538	2,151	387	-	44,941	1,182	43,730	1,367
		Other Domestic Softwoods							
May, 1958		902	839	63	-	3,703	372	3,309	1,224
May, 1957						Included in Douglas Fir			
April, 1958		1,282	528	754	-	5,982	550	5,720	1,202
April, 1957						Included in Douglas Fir			
5 Months, 1958		4,395	2,716	1,679	-	35,047	1,028	34,236	1,224
5 Months, 1957						Included in Douglas Fir			
Domestic Hardwoods:		High Density							
		Birch (yellow and white)							
May, 1958		43,863	12,612	32,175	48,028	1,401	938	713	693
May, 1957		38,510	13,111	24,527	41,896	3,419	2,516	705	3,321
April, 1958		40,704	13,842	25,121	48,501	2,683	2,824	321	1,078
April, 1957		36,593	8,507	23,430	40,861	2,423	1,981	647	3,620
5 Months, 1958		225,832	64,744	148,251	48,028	10,544	8,873	2,392	693
5 Months, 1957		211,262	63,254	135,527	41,896	15,009	11,696	2,967	3,321
		Maple							
May, 1958		777	547	282	869	310	434	-	65
May, 1957		562	261	270	264	1,373	1,186	180	35
April, 1958		298	187	-	921	1,205	1,050	195	-
April, 1957		343	340	-	233	1,149	940	218	28
5 Months, 1958		2,932	2,063	282	869	4,307	3,125	1,339	65
5 Months, 1957		1,883	1,503	320	264	7,262	6,262	1,045	35
		Other High Density Hardwoods 1/							
May, 1958		157	125	-	290	145	145	-	-
May, 1957		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
April, 1958		329	283	-	258	160	160	-	-
April, 1957		144	144	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 Months, 1958		716	472	-	290	430	430	-	-
5 Months, 1957		353	353	-	-	-	-	-	-
Low Density		Poplar (Including Aspen and Cottonwood)							
May, 1958		-	-	-	-	487	581	-	273
May, 1957						Included in Basswood and Other Low Density Hardwoods			
April, 1958		-	-	-	-	761	639	-	367
April, 1957						Included in Basswood and Other Low Density Hardwoods			
5 Months, 1958		-	-	-	-	2,820	2,789	-	273
5 Months, 1957						Included in Basswood and Other Low Density Hardwoods			

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(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:		Basswood and Other Low Density Hardwoods							
<u>Low Density</u>									
May,	1958	137	114	-	131	302	158	123	52
May,	1957	564	387	-	311	283	308	-	1
April,	1958	119	137	-	108	338	325	-	31
April,	1957	161	176	-	134	484	465	-	26
5 Months,	1958	775	672	-	131	1,561	1,319	123	52
5 Months,	1957	1,292	1,305	-	311	2,082	2,178	-	1
Figured Hardwoods:		Cherry, Oak, Walnut, Etc.							
May,	1958	37	99	-	367	-	-	-	-
May,	1957				Not Available				
April,	1958	294	-	-	429	2	2	-	-
April,	1957				Not Available				
5 Months,	1958	428	184	-	367	2	2	-	-
5 Months,	1957				Not Available				
Imported Woods		Mahogany, Oak, Walnut, Etc.							
<u>Figured Hardwoods</u>									
May,	1958	2,305	1,414	-	8,666	373	373	-	-
May,	1957	2,547	2,154	-	8,008	188	188	-	-
April,	1958	1,966	1,697	-	7,775	91	91	-	-
April,	1957	1,980	1,864	-	7,800	74	74	-	-
5 Months,	1958	12,321	9,664	-	8,666	891	891	-	-
5 Months,	1957	13,924	13,124	-	8,008	361	361	-	-

PLYWOODS (For sale as such)

(Thousand square feet 1/4" thickness basis)
(Classified by the type of wood on the best face)

		Production	Shipments		Stocks end of month	Production	Shipments		Stocks end of month
			Domestic	Export			Domestic	Export	
Domestic Softwoods:		Douglas Fir				Other Domestic Softwoods			
May,	1958	106,494	122,283	3,633	68,020	248	233	-	356
May,	1957	120,231	135,027	5,848	55,575	19	20	-	22
April,	1958	106,069	126,285	5,806	87,094	33	33	-	341
April,	1957	91,727	100,513	3,899	74,843	38	50	-	23
5 Months,	1958	500,833	499,890	25,906	68,020	395	383	-	356
5 Months,	1957	450,543	438,833	21,256	55,575	168	197	-	22
Domestic Hardwoods:		Birch (yellow and white)				Other Hardwoods 2/			
<u>High Density</u>									
May,	1958	7,230	4,191	3,131	12,654	55	57	-	133
May,	1957	10,444	5,166	4,349	12,948	103	80	20	38
April,	1958	7,542	4,855	2,047	12,746	52	53	-	135
April,	1957	9,833	4,952	4,816	11,547	162	144	-	53
5 Months,	1958	33,478	22,031	11,618	12,654	297	321	-	133
5 Months,	1957	44,202	24,226	20,141	12,948	463	390	45	38



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	Production	Shipments		Stocks end of month	Production	Shipments		Stocks end of month	
		Domestic	Export			Domestic	Export		
Domestic Hardwoods:									
<u>Low Density</u>									
<u>Poplar(Incl. Aspen and Cottonwood)</u>									
May, 1958	13,334	13,210	-	11,951	55	77	2	172	
May, 1957	Included in Basswood and Other			10,286	10,065	-	11,874		
April, 1958	12,798	12,185	-	11,827	80	72	1	196	
April, 1957	Included in Basswood and Other			8,460	8,826	-	11,615		
5 Months, 1958	59,666	58,095	14	11,951	323	345	3	172	
5 Months, 1957	Included in Basswood and Other			46,533	43,895	80	11,874		
<u>Basswood and Other</u>									
Figured Hardwoods									
<u>Cherry, Oak, Walnut, Etc.</u>									
May, 1958	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
May, 1957	Not Available			-	-	-	-		
April, 1958	37	37	-	-	-	-	-		
April, 1957	Not Available			-	-	-	-		
5 Months, 1958	137	137	-	-	-	-	-		
5 Months, 1957	Not Available			-	-	-	-		
Imported Woods:									
<u>Low Density Hardwoods</u>									
<u>All Species 3/</u>									
May, 1958	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	
May, 1957	Not Available			-	-	-	-		
April, 1958	8	8	-	-	-	-	-		
April, 1957	Not Available			-	-	-	-		
5 Months, 1958	412	412	-	-	-	-	-		
5 Months, 1957	Not Available			-	-	-	-		
Figured Hardwoods									
<u>Mahogany</u>									
May, 1958	141	143	-	328	185	140	-	245	
May, 1957	191	229	-	379	208	217	-	246	
April, 1958	151	150	-	330	149	147	-	200	
April, 1957	249	231	-	417	275	312	-	255	
5 Months, 1958	1,004	1,001	-	328	959	924	-	245	
5 Months, 1957	1,039	1,091	-	379	1,005	1,057	-	246	
<u>Oak</u>									
<u>Walnut</u>									
May, 1958	161	142	-	120	19	22	-	9	
May, 1957	249	239	-	122	95	94	-	10	
April, 1958	183	198	-	101	11	11	-	12	
April, 1957	260	280	-	112	88	88	-	28	
5 Months, 1958	1,122	1,047	-	120	94	95	-	9	
5 Months, 1957	1,242	1,240	-	122	464	464	-	10	
<u>Other</u>									

1/ Includes Ash, Elm, Beech and Other.

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

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