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CONCRETE BUILDING BLOCKS AND CEMENT PIPE

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Beginning with January 1946 the Dominion Eureau of Statistics has compiled figures on the production in Canada, shipments and stocks of certain concrete products, including brick, hollow building blocks, and pipe. The survey covers 50 selected firms which normally account for about 85 per cent of the total output for the Dominion under these headings. For these concerns the output in January was as follows: concrete brick and solid blocks, 668,310 pieces; concrete hollow blocks 476,516 pieces; cinder blocks 327,707 pieces, and cement pipe 5,857 tons.

PRODUCTION IN CANADA, FACTORY SHIPMENTS AND FACTORY STOCKS OF SPECIFIED CONCRETE PRODUCTS, JANUARY 1946

Note: Figures given in this table cover the production of 50 firms which normally account for the following percentages of the total output in Canada of these items: concrete bricks and solid blocks 100 per cent; concrete hollow blocks 80 per cent; cinder blocks 100 per cent; cement pipe 92 per cent.

			Stocks at beginning of month	Quantity made dur- ing month	Quantity shipped dur- ing month	Stocks at end of month
1.	Concrete bricks and solid blocks	No.	79,590	668,310	34 2, 209	405,691
Ĉ.	Concrete hollow blocks	No.	226,300	476,516	359,930	34%,886
3.	Cinder blocks	No.	185,440	327,707	228,439	284,708
4.	Cement drain pipe, sewer pipe, water pipe and culvert tile	tons	7,606	5, 8 5 7	3 ,5 15	9,948

