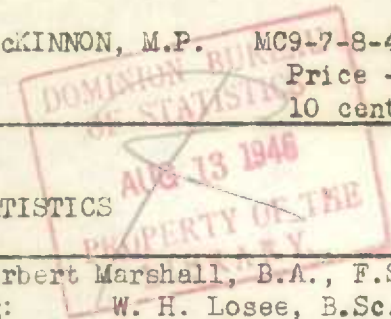


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CONCRETE BUILDING BLOCKS AND CEMENT PIPE

MAY, 1946

This report on concrete building materials covers production by 50 of the principal manufacturers which normally account for 85 per cent of the totals for Canada. Output in May included the following items: - brick, 749,693 pieces; hollow blocks, 1,230,147 pieces; cinder blocks, 552,686 pieces; and pipe, 7,405 tons.

PRODUCTION IN CANADA AND FACTORY SHIPMENTS OF SPECIFIED CONCRETE PRODUCTS, MAY AND YEAR UP TO DATE, 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.

	Quantity made during period	Quantity shipped during period
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May, 1946.

1. Concrete brick .....	No. 749,693	1,206,179
2. Concrete blocks - Solid .....	No. ...	10
3.                   Hollow .....	No. 1,230,147	1,181,175
4.                   Cinder .....	No. 552,686	567,452
5. Cement drain pipe, sewer pipe, water pipe and culvert tile .....	Tons 7,405	7,720

Five Months Ended May, 1946.

1. Concrete brick .....	No. 4,846,402	4,136,663
2. Concrete blocks - Solid .....	No. 5,790	3,163
3.                   Hollow .....	No. 3,763,879	3,600,356
4.                   Cinder .....	No. 1,917,127	1,871,523
5. Cement drain pipe, sewer pipe, water pipe and culvert tile .....	Tons 30,591	26,728



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