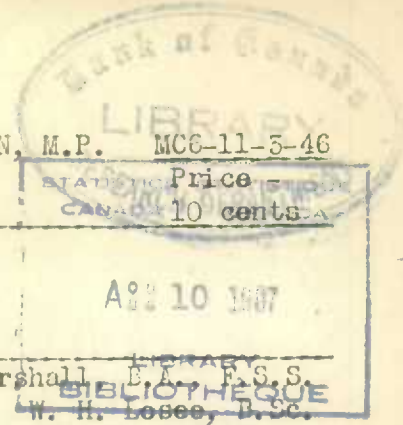


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ROCK WOOL

JANUARY, 1946

Rock wool production in Canada during the month of January 1946 included 59,570 square feet of four-inch batts; 777,780 square feet of three-inch batts; 2,062,840 square feet of two-inch batts; 384,400 square feet of one-inch batts; 502,322 cubic feet of granulated wool; 50,731 cubic feet of bulk or loose wool and 763 cubic feet of industrial wool.

Imports of rock wool into Canada during January totalled 1,829,082 pounds valued at \$61,204, and imports of glass wool were valued at \$59,087.

Table 1 - PRODUCTION IN CANADA, FACTORY SHIPMENTS AND FACTORY STOCKS OF ROCK WOOL
JANUARY, 1946

		Stocks on hand at beginning of month	Made during month	Shipped during month	Stocks on hand at end of month
Four-inch batts	sq.ft.	120	59,570	51,700	7,990
Three-inch batts	sq.ft.	25,780	777,780	724,450	79,110
Two-inch batts	sq.ft.	38,395	2,062,840	2,013,550	87,685
One-inch batts	sq.ft.	13,220	384,400	394,680	2,940
Granulated wool	cu.ft.	25,855	502,322	514,672	13,505
Bulk or loose wool	cu.ft.	8,658	50,731	46,999	12,390
Industrial wool (both loose and granulated together) ..	cu.ft.	763	44,181	40,319	4,625

Table 2 - IMPORTS INTO CANADA OF ROCK WOOL AND GLASS WOOL, JANUARY 1946

	Pounds	\$
Rock wool	1,829,082	61,204
Glass wool	59,087

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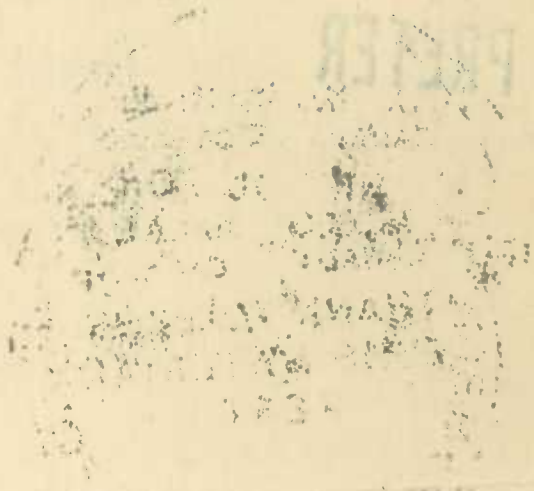
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