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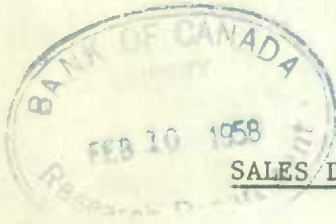


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## CHAIN STORE SALES AND STOCKS

SALES DURING DECEMBER AND STOCKS (at cost) DECEMBER 1, 1956 and 1957

Trade	S a l e s		Change 1957/56	S t o c k s (at cost)		Change 1957/56
	December 1956	December 1957		Dec. 1 1956	Dec. 1 1957	
	\$'000	\$'000	%	\$'000	\$'000	%
TOTAL, ALL TRADES	331,433	336,461	+ 1.5	367,682	391,919	+ 6.6
Grocery & Combination .....	107,545	110,307	+ 2.6	59,340	68,063	+14.7
Variety .....	41,132	43,470	+ 5.7	44,687	50,005	+11.9
Men's Clothing .....	4,436	4,103	- 7.5	8,656	9,037	+ 4.4
Family Clothing .....	4,973	4,884	- 1.8	10,524	10,082	- 4.2
Women's Clothing .....	10,872	10,337	- 4.9	14,999	16,469	+ 9.8
Shoe .....	7,150	7,547	+ 5.6	18,074	18,905	+ 4.6
Hardware .....	4,006	3,969	- 0.9	8,656	9,677	+11.8
Lumber & Bldg. Material .....	5,733	5,719	- 0.2	24,990	24,040	- 3.8
Furniture, Radio & Appliance..	14,196	13,278	- 6.5	22,178	21,379	- 3.6
Drug .....	4,875	5,125	+ 5.1	8,784	9,812	+11.7
Jewellery .....	10,795	10,594	- 1.9	13,998	12,920	- 7.7

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Year	Value	Year	Value
1910	1,000,000	1920	2,000,000
1911	1,100,000	1921	2,200,000
1912	1,200,000	1922	2,400,000
1913	1,300,000	1923	2,600,000
1914	1,400,000	1924	2,800,000
1915	1,500,000	1925	3,000,000
1916	1,600,000	1926	3,200,000
1917	1,700,000	1927	3,400,000
1918	1,800,000	1928	3,600,000
1919	1,900,000	1929	3,800,000
1920	2,000,000	1930	4,000,000

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