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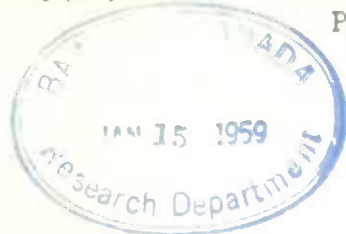
CHAIN STORE SALES AND STOCKS

SALES DURING NOVEMBER AND STOCKS (at cost) NOVEMBER 1, 1957 and 1958

Trade	Sales		Change 1958/57 %	Stocks (at cost)		Change 1958/57 %
	Nov. 1957 \$'000	Nov. 1958 \$'000		Nov. 1 1957 \$'000	Nov. 1 1958 \$'000	
TOTAL, ALL TRADES	257,480	263,645	+ 2.4	366,084	391,588	+ 7.0
Grocery & Combination	111,910	113,818	+ 1.7	64,824	72,603	+12.0
Variety	23,246	23,998	+ 3.2	50,071	53,576	+ 7.0
Men's Clothing	3,149	2,980	- 5.4	8,202	8,046	- 1.9
Family Clothing	3,893	4,214	+ 8.2	10,576	11,803	+11.6
Women's Clothing	6,005	6,358	+ 5.9	14,650	18,327	+25.1
Shoe	5,382	6,370	+18.4	19,173	20,055	+ 4.6
Hardware	3,598	4,136	+15.0	11,156	12,339	+10.6
Lumber & Building Material ..	9,035	9,676	+ 7.1	25,814	23,026	-10.8
Furniture, Radio & Appliance.	11,825	11,654	- 1.4	22,885	21,306	- 6.9
Drug	3,523	3,521	- 0.1	9,362	10,242	+ 9.4
Jewellery	4,495	4,631	+ 3.0	12,385	13,029	+ 5.2

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