

MINERAL PRODUCTION.

18.—Mineral Production of Canada in the Calendar Years, 1911 and 1912.

Minerals.	1911.		1912 ¹ .	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Actinolite..... ton.	67	\$ 736	92	\$ 1,000
Arsenic..... "	2,097	76,237	2,045	88,726
Asbestos..... "	101,393	2,922,062	106,520	2,959,677
Asbestic..... "	26,021	21,046	24,740	19,707
Barytes..... "	50	400	464	5,104
Bricks, common..... M.	645,550,517	5,420,890		
Bricks, pressed..... "	87,350,539	1,094,582		
Bricks, paving..... "	5,220,400	79,444		7,601,380
Bricks, other..... "	605,643	11,281		
Cement, Portland..... bbl.	5,692,915	7,644,537	7,120,787	9,083,216
Chromite..... ton.	157	2,587	-	-
Coal..... "	11,323,388	26,467,646	14,699,953	36,349,299
Cobalt..... lb.	1,415,006	221,690	-	319,785
Copper..... "	55,648,011	6,886,998	77,775,600	12,709,311
Corundum..... ton.	1,472	161,873	1,960	239,091
Felspar..... "	17,723	51,939	12,233	25,416
Fire clay and fire clay products \$	-	89,130		
Fire-proofing and architectural terra-cotta..... "	3	-	-	854,140 ²
Fluorspar..... ton.	34	409,585	40	240
Gold..... oz.	473,159	9,781,077	607,609	12,559,443
Graphite..... ton.	1,269	69,576	2,060	117,122
Grindstones..... "	4,566	52,942	2,912	44,290
Gypsum..... "	518,383	993,394	576,498	1,320,883
Iron ore (exports)..... "	40,137	88,570	118,129	382,005
Kaolin..... "	-	-	20	160
Lead..... lb.	23,784,969	827,717	35,763,476	1,597,554
Lime..... bush.	7,533,525	1,517,599	7,992,234	1,717,771
Manganese..... ton.	5½	300	75	1,875
Magnesite..... "	991	5,531	1,714	9,645
Mica..... \$	-	128,677	-	104,393
Mineral water..... "	-	223,758	-	169,467
Natural gas..... "	-	1,917,678	-	2,311,126
Nickel..... lb.	34,098,744	10,229,623	44,841,542	13,452,463
Ochres..... ton.	3,622	28,333	5,654	30,410
Peat..... "	1,463	3,817	700	2,900
Petroleum..... bbl.	291,092	357,073	243,336	345,050
Phosphate..... ton.	621	5,206	-	-
Pig iron from Canadian ore..... "	42,186	613,404	36,355	450,886
Pottery..... \$	-	102,493	-	-
Pyrites..... ton.	82,666	365,820	79,702	348,026
Quartz..... "	60,526	83,865	100,242	195,216
Salt..... "	91,582	443,004	95,053	459,582
Sand and gravel (exports)..... "	573,494	408,110	-	1,066,326
Sand lime-brick..... no.	51,535,243	442,427	-	882,469
Sewer pipes..... \$	-	812,716	-	887,641
Silver..... oz.	32,559,044	17,355,272	31,931,710	19,425,656
Slate..... squares.	1,833	8,248	1,894	8,939
Granite..... \$	-	1,119,865	-	1,257,770
Limestone..... "	-	2,594,926	-	2,820,832
Marble..... "	-	162,783	-	272,236
Sandstone..... "	-	451,183	-	325,013
Talc..... ton.	7,300	22,100	8,270	23,132
Tiles, drain..... \$	-	339,812	-	-
Tripolite..... ton.	20	122	38	230
Zinc ore..... "	2,590	101,072	6,723	280,886
Totals.....	-	103,220,994	-	133,127,489

¹Subject to revision. ²Includes value of drain tiles and pottery, etc. ³Included with value of fire clay, etc.