

2.—Mineral Production of Canada, calendar years 1927 and 1928—concluded.

Items.	1927.		1928.		P.c. increase (+) or decrease (-)	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
<b>CLAY PRODUCTS AND OTHER STRUCTURAL MATERIALS.</b>		\$		\$	p.c.	p.c.
<i>Clay Products.</i>						
Brick—						
Soft and process—						
{Face..... M	15,764	325,966	17,532	349,847	+	8.2
{Common..... M	66,357	1,091,274	93,280	1,328,981	+	32.2
Stiff mud process— (wire cut)						
{Face..... M	95,480	2,024,064	101,717	2,247,472	+	6.5
{Common..... M	150,222	2,239,180	144,404	2,182,307	-	3.8
Dry press—						
{Face..... M	39,753	833,570	36,587	748,301	-	7.9
{Common..... M	14,617	187,062	24,294	337,096	+	66.2
Fancy or ornamental brick..... M	620	29,372	599	28,763	-	3.4
Sewer brick..... M	10,997	210,643	2,888	59,010	-	73.8
Paving brick..... M	50	2,106	338	4,464	+	576.0
Firebrick..... M	5,388	246,266	4,940	234,460	-	8.3
Fire clay..... tons	5,094	36,081	5,148	35,409	+	1.0
Fire clay blocks and shapes.	-	100,659	-	105,091	-	+
Hollow blocks..... tons	151,307	1,431,141	205,257	1,930,152	+	35.6
Roofing tile..... No.	2,000	140	72,930	6,435	-	-
Floor tile (quarries)...sq. ft.	135,285	32,559	171,520	45,729	+	26.7
Drain tile..... M	22,259	598,098	22,629	656,054	+	1.6
Sewer pipe, copings, flue linings, etc..... tons	77,262	1,475,875	-	1,723,644	-	+
Pottery, glazed and unglazed	-	307,057	-	356,093	-	+
Other clay products.....	-	2,076	-	2,410	-	+
<b>Total Clay Products...</b>	-	<b>11,173,189</b>	-	<b>12,381,718</b>	-	<b>+ 10.8</b>
<i>Other Structural Materials.</i>						
Cement..... bri.	10,065,865	14,391,937	11,023,928	16,739,163	+	9.5
Lime..... bush.	12,707,221	3,923,388	14,539,686 <sup>1</sup>	4,534,568	+	14.4
Sand and gravel..... tons	22,952,819	6,055,601	28,102,917	5,809,431	+	22.4
Stone..... "	7,306,436	9,265,304	8,253,934	10,272,301	+	13.0
<b>Total Other Structural Materials.....</b>	-	<b>33,636,230</b>	-	<b>37,355,463</b>	-	<b>+ 11.1</b>
<b>Total Clay Products and Other Struct- ural Materials.....</b>	-	<b>44,809,419</b>	-	<b>49,737,181</b>	-	<b>+ 11.0</b>
<b>Grand Total.....</b>	-	<b>247,356,695</b>	-	<b>274,959,487</b>	-	<b>+ 11.2</b>

<sup>1</sup>Equivalent to 508,889 tons.

3.—Mineral Production of Canada, compared as to Quantity and Value, calendar years 1927 and 1928 ("000" omitted).

Items.	Actual value 1928.	Value at prices of 1927.	Actual value 1927.	Increase (+) or decrease (-).	Due to higher (+) or lower (-) prices.	Due to larger (+) or smaller (-) quantities.
<b>METALLIC.</b>						
Arsenic.....	\$ 193	\$ 185	\$ 212	- \$ 19	+ \$ 8	- \$ 27
Cadmium.....	341	341	-	+ 341	-	+ 341
Cobalt.....	1,672	1,916	1,764	- 92	+ 244	+ 152
Copper.....	28,598	24,890	17,195	+ 11,403	+ 3,708	+ 7,695
Gold.....	39,082	39,082	38,300	+ 782	-	+ 782
Lead.....	15,553	17,718	16,477	- 924	- 2,165	+ 1,241
Nickel.....	22,319	22,210	15,262	+ 7,057	+ 109	+ 6,948
Palladium, rhodium, etc....	628	653	554	+ 74	+ 25	+ 99
Platinum.....	709	673	718	- 9	+ 36	- 45
Silver.....	12,762	12,365	12,817	- 55	+ 397	- 452
Zinc.....	10,143	11,442	10,251	- 108	+ 1,299	+ 1,191
Other metallics.....	12	17	11	+ 1	- 5	+ 6
<b>Total Metallic Minerals</b>	<b>132,012</b>	<b>131,492</b>	<b>113,561</b>	<b>+ 18,451</b>	<b>+ 520</b>	<b>+ 17,931</b>