

The Mines Department at Ottawa has had many enquiries as to Canada's ability to furnish mineral products formerly-obtained from Germany or Austria-Hungary. Among tungsten, potash salts and the salts these are magnetite, molybdenum, of strontium, barium and antimony. There is a big demand for magnetite, and if it can be found where transportation is available a valuable industry should develop. In Baltimore and Trenton, N. J., the manufacture of potash from felspar is being undertaken since the German supply is cut off. It is only a question of manufacturing at a sufficiently low cost, for there are ample supplies of felspar in central Ontario and Quebec. Strontium is found in Renfrew County and near Brockville.