

HORSES, CATTLE, SHEEP AND SWINE IN CANADA, 1881 AND 1891—*Con.*

SHEEP AND SWINE.

| Provinces. | SHEEP. | | Increase or Decrease. | SWINE. | | Increase or Decrease. |
|------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------------------------|
| | 1881. | 1891. | | 1881. | 1891. | |
| Ontario..... | 1,359,178 | 1,021,769 | —337,409 | 700,922 | 1,121,396 | +420,474 |
| Quebec..... | 839,333 | 730,286 | —159,547 | 329,199 | 369,608 | + 40,409 |
| Nova Scotia..... | 377,801 | 331,492 | — 46,309 | 47,256 | 48,048 | + 792 |
| New Brunswick.. | 221,163 | 182,941 | — 38,222 | 53,087 | 50,945 | — 2,142 |
| Manitoba..... | 6,073 | 35,838 | + 29,765 | 17,358 | 54,177 | + 36,819 |
| British Columbia..... | 27,788 | 49,163 | + 21,375 | 16,841 | 30,764 | + 13,923 |
| Prince Edward Island.. | 166,496 | 147,372 | — 19,124 | 40,181 | 42,629 | + 2,448 |
| The Territories..... | 346 | 64,920 | + 64,574 | 2,775 | 16,283 | + 13,508 |
| Canada..... | 3,048,678 | 2,563,781 | —484,897 | 1,207,619 | 1,733,850 | +526,231 |

Down to the present time the provinces collect the only available annual statistics relating to agriculture, and not all of them do so.

The province of Ontario, according to the returns of the Bureau of Industries, possessed in 1895–1901 live stock as under :

LIVE STOCK IN ONTARIO ON 1ST JULY IN EACH OF THE YEARS 1895–1901.

| Year. | HORSES. | | | | HORSES SOLD. |
|-----------|--------------------|--------------------|------------------|---------|-----------------|
| | Working Horses. | Breeding Mares. | Other Horses. | Total. | Number. |
| 1895..... | 423,673 | 72,156 | 151,867 | 647,696 | 40,346 |
| 1896..... | 434,384 | 66,883 | 123,482 | 624,749 | 44,458 |
| 1897..... | 436,921 | 69,940 | 108,809 | 615,670 | 43,511 |
| 1898..... | 430,504 | 77,886 | 102,851 | 611,241 | 44,404 |
| 1899..... | 418,490 | 86,614 | 110,420 | 615,524 | 45,367 |
| 1900..... | 405,883 | 90,136 | 121,290 | 617,309 | 47,926 |
| 1901..... | 398,358 | 90,148 | 133,379 | 621,885 | 50,755 |

| Year. | CATTLE. | | | | CATTLE SOLD OR SLAUGHTERED. |
|-----------|----------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------|-----------------------------------|
| | Milch Cows. | Store Cattle. | Other Cattle | Total | Number. |
| 1895..... | 888,228 | 365,644 | 896,231 | 2,150,103 | 418,131 |
| 1896..... | 920,346 | 370,409 | 891,203 | 2,181,958 | 436,451 |
| 1897..... | 940,236 | 365,406 | 876,684 | 2,182,326 | 503,007 |
| 1898..... | 965,021 | 345,695 | 905,227 | 2,215,943 | 552,485 |
| 1899..... | 974,474 | 356,505 | 987,376 | 2,318,355 | 555,583 |
| 1900..... | 976,124 | 392,665 | 1,060,541 | 2,429,330 | 560,893 |
| 1901..... | 984,012 | 445,868 | 1,077,740 | 2,507,620 | 610,920 |