

tobacco in Ontario for 1920 at 21,688,500 lb. from 20,114 acres an average yield per acre of 1,078 lb. This too is the largest crop of tobacco ever grown in Ontario. The production in Ontario of flue-cured or bright tobacco was 2,259,100 lb. from 3,009 acres and of White Burley and All-air cured 19,429,400 lb. from 17,105 acres.

Placing together the results for the two provinces of Quebec and Ontario, and comparing them with the final estimates for the two previous years, the totals are as shown in Table 38.

38.—Area and Yield of Tobacco in Canada, 1918-20.

Province.	1918.	1919.	1920.	1918.	1919.	1920.	1918.	1919.	1920.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb. per acre.	lb. per acre.	lb. per acre.
Ontario.....	6,500	9,226	20,114	6,500,000	17,000,000	21,688,500	1,000	1,843	1,078
Quebec.....	6,903	22,360	33,000	7,732,000	16,770,000	26,400,000	1,120	750	800
Totals and averages	13,403	31,586	53,114	14,232,000	33,770,000	48,088,500	1,062	1,069	905

Estimating the average price of tobacco in Ontario at 30 cents and in Quebec at 25 cents per lb., the total estimated value of the crop of 1920 in Ontario is \$6,506,550, as compared with \$8,840,000 in 1919, and in Quebec it is \$6,600,000, as compared with \$6,780,000, the total for Canada being thus \$13,106,550 for 1920, as against \$15,548,000 for 1919.

Wool Production of Canada, 1915-20.—There are no definite statistics of the annual wool clip of Canada, except as regards wool sold through the co-operative associations. For the years 1915, 1916 and 1917, the wool clip was roughly estimated at 12,000,000 lb., the total values, at the rate of 28 cents per lb. in 1915, 37 cents in 1916 and 59 cents in 1917, being for 1915 \$3,360,000, for 1916 \$4,440,000 and for 1917 \$7,000,000. It is usually estimated that the average weight of wool per sheep is 6.5 lb. The rise in the price of wool during recent years has stimulated production, and the quantity of wool produced is now much higher than it was a few years ago. Applying the average of 6.5 lb. to the number of sheep in Canada in 1918 (3,052,748) and 1919 (3,421,958), the result is an estimated total production of 19,842,862 lb. for 1918 and 22,247,727 lb. for 1919. Assuming 20 million lb. of wool to be the production for each of the two years, and taking the average price per lb. at 60 cents, the estimated value of the Canadian wool clip for each of the two years 1918 and 1919 is \$12,000,000. For 1920, with sheep numbering 3,720,783, the wool clip may be placed at about 24,000,000 lb.; and as the average price per lb. fell to 22 cents, the total value amounts to \$5,280,000. The figures for the years 1915 to 1920 stand therefore as in Table 39.