

**World's Production of Gold and Silver.**—Table 93, which is taken from the Annual Report for 1919 of the Director of the United States Mint, gives by countries the quantity and value of the world's production of gold and silver for the calendar years 1918 and 1919. For 1919 the total production of gold amounted to 17,664,507 fine oz., of the value of \$365,157,151, as compared with 18,416,386 oz., of the value of \$380,700,489, in 1918. By countries, the Transvaal, Cape Colony and Natal lead with a total production of 8,331,651 oz., the United States being second with 2,918,628 oz., followed by Australia third with 1,069,677 oz., Canada fourth with 766,764 oz., Mexico fifth with 737,650 oz., and Rhodesia sixth with 593,439 oz. The world's total production of silver in 1919 was 174,862,937 fine oz., of the value of \$195,844,020, as compared with 198,168,408 oz., of the value of \$194,730,904, in 1918. By countries the lead in silver production is taken by Mexico with 62,681,987 oz. in 1919, followed by the United States with 56,682,445 oz. and Canada with 16,020,657 oz.

**93.—Quantity and Value of the World's Production of Gold and Silver for the Calendar Years 1918 and 1919.**

(From the Annual Report of the Director of the United States Mint.)

Countries.	1918.				1919.			
	Gold.		Silver.		Gold.		Silver.	
	fine oz.	\$	fine oz.	\$	fine oz.	\$	fine oz.	\$
North America—								
Canada.....	699,681	14,463,689	21,383,979	20,693,704	766,764	15,850,423	16,020,657	17,802,474
United States....	3,320,784	68,646,700	67,810,100	66,756,331	2,918,628	60,333,400	56,682,445	63,533,652
Mexico.....	813,895	16,824,700	62,517,000	61,545,486	737,650	15,248,575	62,681,987	70,258,359
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>4,834,360</b>	<b>99,935,089</b>	<b>151,711,079</b>	<b>148,995,521</b>	<b>4,423,042</b>	<b>91,432,398</b>	<b>135,385,089</b>	<b>151,594,485</b>
Central American States and West Indies.....	164,475	3,400,000	2,900,000	2,854,934	159,638	3,300,000	2,800,000	3,138,436
South America—								
Argentina.....	193	4,000	25,000	24,612	193	4,000	25,000	28,022
Bolivia.....	242	5,000	2,435,000	2,397,160	242	5,000	2,435,000	2,729,318
Brazil.....	135,450	2,800,000	25,000	24,612	135,450	2,800,000	25,000	28,022
Chile.....	37,007	765,000	1,900,000	1,870,474	37,007	765,000	1,900,000	2,129,653
Colombia.....	290,250	6,000,000	494,331	486,650	290,251	6,000,000	494,331	554,080
Ecuador.....	38,700	800,000	40,000	39,378	38,700	800,000	40,000	44,835
Peru.....	57,645	1,191,628	9,781,734	9,629,276	57,637	1,191,463	9,781,734	10,964,052
Uruguay.....	484	10,000	-	-	484	10,000	-	-
Guiana—								
British.....	24,546	507,411	-	-	24,546	507,411	-	-
Dutch.....	18,851	389,675	8,000	7,876	15,936	329,431	8,000	8,967
French.....	57,741	1,193,612	-	-	53,212	1,100,000	-	-
Venezuela.....	22,891	473,200	3,000	2,953	29,025	600,000	4,100	4,596
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>684,000</b>	<b>14,139,526</b>	<b>14,712,065</b>	<b>14,483,441</b>	<b>682,683</b>	<b>14,112,305</b>	<b>14,713,165</b>	<b>16,491,545</b>
Europe—								
Austria Hungary	8,708	180,000	1,750,000	1,722,805	-	-	-	-
France.....	24,187	500,000	40,000	39,378	7,300	150,904	12,000	13,450
Czecho-Slovakia	-	-	554,780	546,159	6,076	125,602	580,918	651,134
Great Britain....	-	-	79,636	78,398	-	-	75,000	84,065
Greece.....	316	6,532	175,015	172,295	24,187	500,000	160,000	179,339
Italy.....	1,103	22,800	500,000	492,230	726	15,000	350,000	392,305
Norway.....	-	-	270,200	266,001	-	-	270,200	302,859
Russia.....	580,500	12,000,000	400,000	393,784	580,500	12,000,000	400,000	448,348
Serbia.....	-	-	20,000	19,689	-	-	20,000	22,417
Spain.....	-	-	3,182,464	3,133,009	-	-	2,900,000	3,250,523
Sweden.....	484	10,000	31,500	31,010	484	10,000	31,500	35,308
Turkey.....	-	-	400,000	393,784	-	-	100,000	112,078
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>615,298</b>	<b>12,719,332</b>	<b>7,403,595</b>	<b>7,288,542</b>	<b>619,273</b>	<b>12,801,506</b>	<b>4,899,618</b>	<b>5,491,835</b>