

11.—Quantity and Value of Silver Produced in Canada during the calendar years 1887-1928.

Years.	Quantity.	Value.	Years.	Quantity.	Value.	Years.	Quantity.	Value.
	oz.	\$		oz.	\$		oz.	\$
1887.....	355,088	347,271	1901.....	5,539,192	3,265,354	1915.....	26,625,960	13,228,842
1888.....	437,232	410,998	1902.....	4,291,317	2,238,351	1916.....	25,459,741	16,717,121
1889.....	383,318	358,783	1903.....	3,198,581	1,709,642	1917.....	22,221,274	18,091,895
1890.....	400,687	419,118	1904.....	3,677,526	2,047,095	1918.....	21,383,979	20,693,704
1891.....	414,523	409,549	1905.....	6,000,028	3,621,133	1919.....	16,020,657	17,802,474
1892.....	310,651	272,130	1906.....	8,473,379	5,659,455	1920.....	13,330,557	13,450,330
1893.....	-	330,128	1907.....	12,799,799	8,348,659	1921.....	13,543,198	8,485,355
1894.....	847,697	534,049	1908.....	22,106,233	11,686,239	1922.....	18,626,433	12,576,758
1895.....	1,578,275	1,030,299	1909.....	27,529,473	14,178,504	1923.....	18,601,744	12,067,509
1896.....	3,205,343	2,149,503	1910.....	32,899,264	17,580,455	1924.....	19,736,323	13,180,113
1897.....	5,555,456	3,323,395	1911.....	32,559,044	17,355,272	1925.....	20,228,988	13,971,150
1898.....	4,452,333	2,593,929	1912.....	31,955,580	19,440,185	1926.....	22,371,924	13,894,531
1899.....	3,411,044	2,032,658	1913.....	31,845,803	19,040,924	1927.....	22,736,698	12,816,677
1900.....	4,468,225	2,740,362	1914.....	28,449,821	15,593,631	1928 ¹	21,922,795	12,753,805

¹ Preliminary figures.

12.—Quantity and Value of Silver Produced in Canada, by Provinces, during the calendar years 1911-1928.

NOTE.—For the years 1887 to 1910, see Canada Year Book, 1916-1917, p. 271. Nova Scotia, Manitoba and Alberta have also shown a small production in recent years.

Years.	Ontario.		Quebec.		British Columbia.		Yukon Territory.	
	oz.	\$	oz.	\$	oz.	\$	oz.	\$
1911.....	30,640,754	16,279,443	18,435	9,827	1,887,147	1,005,024	112,708	60,078
1912.....	29,214,025	17,772,352	9,465	5,758	2,651,002	1,812,737	81,068	49,318
1913.....	28,411,261	16,987,377	34,573	20,672	3,312,343	1,980,453	87,626	52,393
1914.....	35,139,214	13,779,055	57,737	31,646	3,159,897	1,731,071	92,973	50,959
1915.....	22,748,609	11,302,419	63,450	31,524	3,565,852	1,771,658	248,048	123,241
1916.....	21,608,158	14,188,183	98,610	64,748	3,392,872	2,227,794	360,101	236,446
1917.....	19,361,835	15,714,875	136,194	110,885	2,655,994	2,162,430	119,605	97,379
1918.....	17,198,737	16,643,562	178,675	172,907	3,921,336	3,794,755	71,915	69,594
1919.....	12,117,878	13,465,628	140,926	156,006	3,713,537	4,126,556	27,556	30,621
1920.....	9,907,626	9,996,795	61,003	61,552	3,327,028	3,256,971	19,190	19,363
1921.....	9,761,607	6,116,037	38,084	23,861	3,350,357	2,099,133	393,092	246,288
1922.....	10,811,908	7,300,305	-	-	7,150,937	4,828,394	663,493	447,997
1923.....	10,540,943	6,838,226	33,006	21,412	6,113,327	3,965,809	1,914,438	1,241,958
1924.....	11,272,597	7,527,933	83,814	55,972	8,153,003	5,444,657	226,755	151,429
1925.....	10,529,151	7,271,944	214,943	148,451	8,379,458	5,925,403	904,893	624,964
1926.....	9,274,985	5,760,402	375,986	233,513	10,625,816	6,559,376	2,695,027	1,301,159
1927.....	9,307,953	5,246,893	740,364	417,625	11,040,445	6,223,499	1,647,235	928,580
1928 ¹	7,234,414	4,208,893	910,364	529,613	10,943,502	6,366,492	2,532,668	1,647,933

¹ Preliminary figures.

Subsection 3.—Copper.

The copper-mining industry has developed at a very rapid rate. A production of 3,505,000 lb. in 1886 had doubled 6 years later. In 1913, the output had increased over twenty-one fold, amounting to 76,976,925 lb. The extraordinary demand for war requirements resulted in an average production from 1916 to 1918 of 115,048,931 lb. In the post-war depression production dropped to less than 43,000,000 lb. in 1922, but recovered rapidly and in 1927 reached the record of 140,147,440 lb., while the preliminary estimate for 1928 indicates a further increase of 44 p.c. in that year to 201,940,172 lb.