

17.—Total and Per Capita Consumption of Meats and Live-Stock Products in Canada, calendar years 1925-1929—concluded.

Item.	1925.	1926.	1927.	1928.	1929.
CHEESE.					
On hand, Jan. 1..... lb.	14,509,236	22,410,962	23,302,293	20,844,826	18,464,126
Production—Factory..... "	177,139,113	171,731,631	138,056,908	144,584,619	118,746,286
Home-made..... "	500,000	500,000	500,000	500,000	490,000
Imports..... "	10,274,338	1,218,626	1,720,797	1,778,761	2,103,724
Exports..... "	202,482,687	195,861,219	163,579,998	167,708,206	139,804,135
..... "	150,742,900	134,656,000	110,533,000	114,152,500	92,946,100
On hand, Dec. 31..... "	51,739,787	61,205,219	53,046,998	53,555,706	46,858,036
..... "	22,410,962	23,302,293	20,844,826	18,464,126	12,076,024
Totals, consumption..... "	29,328,825	37,902,926	32,202,172	35,091,580	34,782,012
Consumption per capita..... "	3.13	4.04	3.38	3.63	3.55

EGGS.

Production—Farm..... doz.	224,778,867	237,080,399	253,277,227	268,456,058	274,317,872
Other..... "	25,000,000	25,000,000	25,000,000	25,000,000	25,000,000
Imports..... "	3,726,311	4,479,815	4,576,671	3,016,702	1,086,664
Exports..... "	263,505,178	266,560,214	282,853,898	296,472,755	300,404,536
..... "	2,466,270	1,776,559	448,206	988,484	1,147,829
Totals, consumption..... "	251,038,908	284,783,655	282,405,692	295,484,271	299,256,707
Consumption per capita..... "	26.81	33.20	29.67	30.59	30.75

POULTRY.

Poultry—On farms..... No.	48,133,969	50,108,516	50,178,485	53,779,539	59,982,963
Elsewhere..... "	7,082,000	7,082,000	7,082,000	7,082,000	7,082,000
Totals..... "	55,215,969	57,190,516	57,260,485	60,861,539	67,014,963
Marketings..... "	16,198,919	16,524,252	16,497,025	17,470,580	19,246,899
Estimated dressed weight..... lb.	96,718,924	97,681,758	96,782,064	102,409,964	113,105,085
Exports..... "	7,584,987	7,398,974	4,557,045	4,618,298	4,431,849
Totals, consumption..... "	89,153,937	90,282,784	92,225,019	97,791,666	108,673,236
Consumption per capita..... "	9.51	9.61	9.69	10.12	11.09

Interprovincial and International Trade in Meats.—Ontario was the largest shipper of meats, moving a total of 77,443,937 pounds out of the province during the year 1929. Beef handled amounted to 30,206,323 pounds, veal 1,157,352 pounds, mutton and lamb 885,800 pounds, fresh pork 1,616,060 pounds, cured pork 22,601,132 pounds, pure lard 5,838,877 pounds, lard compound 1,529,070 pounds, and miscellaneous meat products 13,609,318 pounds. Manitoba shipped 72,950,629 pounds, the principal items including 25,035,879 pounds of beef, 1,362,895 pounds of veal, 411,729 pounds of mutton and lamb, 4,079,736 pounds of fresh pork, 7,662,773 pounds of cured pork, 2,336,914 pounds of pure lard, 692,063 pounds of lard compound, and 31,368,640 pounds of miscellaneous products. Shipments from Quebec totalled 35,507,122 pounds, 7,885,734 pounds being beef, 2,515,438 pounds veal, 365,931 pounds mutton and lamb, 1,381,511 pounds fresh pork, 2,870,932 pounds cured pork, 590,120 pounds pure lard, 754,768 pounds lard compound, and 19,142,688 pounds miscellaneous products. Alberta shipments aggregated 10,864,913 pounds made up of 1,365,711 pounds of beef, 205,859 pounds of veal, 44,258 pounds of mutton and lamb, 1,234,414 pounds of fresh pork, 4,338,067 pounds of cured pork, 745,958 pounds of pure lard, 1,898 pounds of