

12.—Sources and Values of Income of Indians, by Provinces, 1930.

Province.	Value of—			Re- ceived from Land Rentals.	Earned by—			Total Income of Indians. ¹
	Farm Products, including Hay.	Beef Sold or Used for Food.	Wages Earned.		Fishing.	Hunting and Trapping.	Other Indus- tries.	
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
P.E.I.....	2,100	400	1,000	-	750	450	4,200	8,900
Novs Scotia.....	13,110	1,770	44,745	107	2,375	4,495	25,190	93,542
New Brunswick.....	9,700	340	30,100	75	4,700	2,450	7,425	57,533
Quebec.....	63,493	8,407	303,060	12,160	5,423	142,555	82,202	641,279
Ontario.....	506,326	39,500	782,685	27,056	219,523	125,370	242,740	2,365,852
Manitoba.....	154,738	88,256	169,295	1,001	90,995	165,469	44,300	794,235
Saskatchewan.....	278,522	70,679	98,876	3,730	23,892	184,792	43,259	857,733
Alberta.....	236,719	79,184	120,359	19,744	15,130	128,255	48,707	848,227
British Columbia.....	436,112	89,655	742,646	23,770	582,412	242,706	157,715	2,329,273
N.W. Territories.....	-	-	-	-	25,350	117,000	-	142,350
Totals.....	1,760,820	378,191	2,232,766	87,643	969,750	1,113,482	655,738	8,138,489

¹Includes income received from timber, and annuities earned as interest on Indian trust funds.

Subsection 2.—The Eskimos of Canada.¹

Unlike the Indian tribes, which are scattered throughout Canada, the Eskimos are limited to the Northwest Territories, chiefly the northern fringe of the mainland and the Arctic Archipelago. The Eskimo is a nomad but lives for the most part along the Arctic littoral, not wandering far inland, since he depends for his subsistence largely on marine mammals and fish. The administration of this race was carried on along with that of the Indians prior to 1927, but on Aug. 31 of that year the Government transferred the care of the Eskimos to the Northwest Territories and Yukon Branch of the Department of the Interior. This transfer was largely influenced by the fact that the administration of the Territories and natural resources (which had long been under the Department of the Interior) and of the Eskimo inhabitants were closely allied and could be more efficiently carried on together.

Officers of the Northwest Territories and Yukon Branch and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police made a careful estimate in 1927 of the numbers and locations of all Eskimos in Canada. The result placed the total at 7,103, located as follows: Baffin island, 1,513; vicinity of Hudson bay and strait, 3,202; Central Arctic, 438; Western Arctic, 1,650; Yukon Territory, 300.

The Department of the Interior has accomplished much in the way of providing medical care and regular inspection of the Eskimos, the setting aside of wild-life preserves for native use, and the establishment of permanent stations in the Arctic Archipelago from which regular patrols are made by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

Section 5.—Pensions and other Provisions for the Welfare of War Veterans.²

Pensions Division.—In previous issues of the Year Book, a full description has been given of the work of the Pensions Division of the Department of Pensions and National Health.

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