

Monthly Bulletin of Agricultural Statistics.—Originally established in 1908 as the "Census and Statistics Monthly", but changed to its present title in April, 1917, this publication is now in its twenty-sixth year. It is the official organ, not only for the monthly crop reports and annual statistics previously described, but also for statistics of dairying, fur farming, fruit, hives and honey, hops, tobacco, maple products, sugar beets, beet sugar, flax fibre, clover and grass seeds, exports, visible supplies, prices, values, foreign agriculture and other subjects in considerable variety.

Presentation of Agricultural Statistics.—In the current edition of the Year Book, statistics of agriculture are presented under the following headings: (1) Agricultural revenue and wealth; (2) Acreage, yield and value of principal field crops, distribution of the wheat and oat crops, etc.; (3) Farm live stock and poultry; (4) Fur farming; (5) Dairying; (6) Fruit production; (7) Special agricultural crops; (8) Farm labour and wages; (9) Prices of agricultural produce; (10) Agricultural statistics of the census; (11) Miscellaneous agricultural statistics; (12) Principal agricultural statistics of the world.

Subsection 1.—Agricultural Revenue and Wealth.

Revenue.—Table 1 shows under principal headings the gross agricultural revenue of Canada, by provinces, for the years 1928 to 1932. It is important to note that the figures represent gross values, as no distinction is made between crops used as materials for other kinds of production, such as the feeding of live stock, and no allowance is made for the costs of production.

1.—Estimated Gross Annual Agricultural Revenue of Canada, Itemized by Provinces, 1928-32. ("000" omitted.)

Item.	1928.	1929.	1930.	1931.	1932.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Canada—					
Field crops	1,125,903	948,981	662,641	432,199	416,587
Farm animals.....	197,880	207,317	166,630	96,778	69,033
Wool.....	5,099	4,470	2,311	1,644	1,093
Dairy products.....	297,625	291,743	269,844	161,244	131,623
Fruits and vegetables.....	48,756	46,398	49,417	39,692	30,245
Poultry and eggs.....	106,653	107,664	95,227	65,178	48,824
Fur farming.....	6,106	6,791	4,925	3,557	2,732
Maple products.....	5,583	6,119	5,251	3,538	2,747
Tobacco.....	6,834	6,276	7,058	7,178	6,088
Flax fibre.....	509	393	371	179	170
Clover and grass seed.....	2,957	2,123	2,482	1,497	962
Honey.....	3,015	2,806	2,584	2,246	1,651
Totals	1,806,670	1,631,081	1,268,141	814,936	711,898
Prince Edward Island—					
Field crops	12,444	16,940	10,973	6,829	6,303
Farm animals.....	2,353	2,405	2,212	1,005	753
Wool.....	146	122	50	35	24
Dairy products.....	3,804	2,955	2,500	1,933	1,501
Fruits and vegetables.....	253	253	149	118	98
Poultry and eggs.....	1,637	1,523	1,461	992	701
Fur farming.....	1,641	1,741	1,070	779	598
Clover and grass seed.....	18	35	43	4	9
Honey.....	1	2	1	1	1
Totals.....	22,297	25,976	18,399	11,696	10,078