

16.—Grading of the Live Stock from Several Provinces of Canada, Marketed at the Stockyards, calendar year 1933—concluded.

Live Stock and Grade	Maritime Provinces.	Quebec.	Ontario.	Manitoba.	Saskatchewan.	Alberta.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Cows—							
Good and choice.....	1	792	13,621	2,327	3,407	3,911	24,059
Medium.....	1	2,441	13,865	5,710	4,198	1,359	27,574
Common.....	1	3,366	13,295	2,829	1,728	1,043	22,262
Canners and Cutters.....	-	4,900	14,977	1,928	1,035	941	23,781
Bulls—							
Good.....	-	173	3,378	514	662	352	5,073
Common.....	-	3,241	7,882	987	734	646	13,490
Stocker and Feeder Steers—							
Good.....	-	79	5,121	3,444	6,366	6,374	21,384
Common.....	-	782	15,361	6,215	7,038	5,865	35,261
Stock Cows and Heifers—							
Good.....	-	-	17	787	1,487	1,916	4,207
Common.....	-	-	19	1,537	1,541	1,054	4,151
Milkers and Springers.....	-	1,197	4,037	756	230	164	6,384
Unclassified.....	-	22	698	219	2,695	1,167	4,801
Totals.....	71	24,614	289,167	77,398	111,824	85,042	588,116
2. Calves—							
Veal—							
Good and choice.....	8	4,206	35,099	8,332	10,032	5,334	63,011
Common and medium..	36	45,005	104,449	17,792	17,870	7,875	193,027
Grass.....	496	40,218	10,415	1,378	2,190	494	55,191
Totals.....	540	89,429	149,963	27,502	30,092	13,703	311,229
3. Hogs—							
Select bacon.....	22	3,536	85,923	18,446	34,108	26,425	168,460
Bacon.....	121	13,432	175,349	46,388	88,588	106,680	430,558
Butchers.....	179	17,096	66,091	15,984	72,045	152,023	323,418
Heavies.....	23	1,280	4,721	4,417	10,755	7,428	28,624
Extra heavies.....	9	508	1,513	2,220	5,403	2,068	11,721
Lights and feeders.....	175	7,359	31,003	28,941	61,238	37,597	166,313
Sows No. 1.....	1	339	1,612	2,724	7,996	5,128	17,800
Sows No. 2.....	40	605	8,148	2,648	4,686	6,356	22,483
Roughs.....	-	56	577	207	582	316	1,738
Stags.....	-	59	510	200	353	300	1,422
Totals.....	570	44,270	375,447	122,175	285,754	344,321	1,172,537
4. Lambs and Sheep—							
Lambs—							
Good handyweights.....	2,546	66,614	130,642	25,913	25,990	42,065	293,770
Good heavies.....	90	1,864	4,192	476	5,704	2,988	15,314
Common, all weights.....	1,738	35,222	27,375	11,210	11,270	8,220	95,035
Bucks.....	312	12,011	4,321	98	151	976	17,869
Sheep—							
Good heavies.....	6	504	2,011	91	2,989	650	6,251
Good handyweights.....	56	3,043	10,681	1,451	1,870	3,748	20,849
Common.....	195	4,895	5,069	1,227	1,203	1,645	14,234
Unclassified.....	-	65	52	177	5,039	8,274	13,607
Totals.....	4,943	124,218	184,343	40,643	54,216	68,566	476,929

Slaughtering and Meat Packing.—This industry has become one of the most important branches of manufacturing in Canada. Its growth, shown by the statistics of Table 17, has been accompanied by a concentration of the major part of the production of the industry into a comparatively small number of large establishments, thereby facilitating the utilization of by-products and greater efficiency of operation. In 1931, 1932 and 1933, the large increase in the number of establishments is due to the inclusion of wholesale butchers operating small plants engaged in slaughtering only. The addition of these small establishments does not affect