

Section 4.—Cold Storage.

Cold Storage Warehouses.—Under the Cold Storage Act, 1907 (6-7 Edw. VII, c. 6), now consolidated as c. 25, R.S.C., 1927, subsidies have been granted by the Dominion Government toward the construction and equipment of cold storage warehouses open to the public, the Act and regulations made thereunder being administered by the Department of Agriculture. Table 20 shows for 1934 and 1935 the number of cold storage warehouses in Canada, with the refrigerated space.

20.—Cold Storage Warehouses in Canada, by Provinces, 1934 and 1935.

NOTE.—The figures in this table are supplied through the courtesy of J. F. Singleton, Dairy and Cold Storage Commissioner, Dominion Department of Agriculture.

Province.	Subsidized Public Warehouses.				Total Warehouses.	
	Num-ber.	Refriger-ated Space.	Cost.	Total Subsidy.	Num-ber.	Refriger-ated Space.
		cu. ft.	\$	\$		cu. ft.
1934.						
Prince Edward Island.....	2	212,358	66,970	20,091	7	276,662
Nova Scotia.....	10	2,387,147	2,738,807	821,642	26	3,047,856
New Brunswick.....	2	781,161	192,577	57,773	24	1,083,216
Quebec.....	8	367,474	333,787	100,136	91	11,550,186
Ontario.....	28	3,892,706	1,820,452	546,136	203	17,396,661
Manitoba.....	1	27,500	32,000	9,600	50	5,512,374
Saskatchewan.....	4	437,596	268,707	80,612	49	2,020,417
Alberta.....	2	351,059	242,000	72,600	30	4,263,418
British Columbia.....	9	2,856,549	1,923,974	577,192	81	8,872,545
Yukon.....	-	-	-	-	1	44,900
Totals.....	66	11,313,550	7,619,274	2,285,782	562	54,068,235
1935. ¹						
Prince Edward Island.....	2	212,358	66,970	20,091	7	276,662
Nova Scotia.....	10	2,387,147	2,738,807	821,642	26	3,047,856
New Brunswick.....	2	781,161	192,577	57,773	24	1,083,216
Quebec.....	8	367,474	333,787	100,136	91	11,550,186
Ontario.....	33	4,331,406	1,987,257	596,177	208	17,835,361
Manitoba.....	1	27,500	32,000	9,600	50	5,512,374
Saskatchewan.....	4	437,596	268,707	80,612	49	2,020,417
Alberta.....	2	351,059	242,000	72,600	30	4,263,418
British Columbia.....	14	3,855,039	2,094,674	628,402	86	9,871,035
Yukon.....	-	-	-	-	1	44,900
Totals.....	76	12,750,740	7,956,779	2,387,933	572	55,505,425

¹ To Oct. 31.

Cold Storage Stocks.—Statistics of the stocks of food in the cold storage warehouses of Canada are collected and published monthly by the Agricultural Branch of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. A summary of the cold storage data is included in the report on "Live Stock and Animal Products Statistics", published annually. In Table 21 are included statistics by months, for 1934 and 1935, of the stocks of food in cold storage and in process of cure for various important commodities.