

15.—Estimated Production and Value of Farm Eggs in Canada, 1930-39, and by Provinces, 1940 and 1941—concluded

Year and Province	Laying Hens	Average Production Per Hen	Total Egg Production	Price Per Dozen	Total Value
	No.	No.	doz.	cts.	\$
1940					
Prince Edward Island.....	415,000	93	3,216,000	22.6	727,000
Nova Scotia.....	610,000	94	4,778,000	27.0	1,290,000
New Brunswick.....	586,000	94	4,590,000	24.0	1,102,000
Quebec.....	3,709,000	116	35,854,000	23.3	8,354,000
Ontario.....	7,946,000	119	78,798,000	23.4	18,439,000
Manitoba.....	2,460,000	104	21,320,000	14.0	2,985,000
Saskatchewan.....	4,741,000	102	40,299,000	12.6	5,078,000
Alberta.....	3,103,000	101	26,117,000	14.5	3,787,000
British Columbia.....	1,850,000	132	20,350,000	20.5	4,172,000
Totals, 1940.....	25,420,000	111	235,322,000	19.5	45,934,000
1941					
Prince Edward Island.....	447,000	95	3,539,000	24.0	849,000
Nova Scotia.....	632,000	96	5,056,000	28.0	1,416,000
New Brunswick.....	594,000	95	4,703,000	26.0	1,223,000
Quebec.....	3,716,000	116	35,921,000	25.0	8,980,000
Ontario.....	8,069,000	120	80,690,000	24.3	19,608,000
Manitoba.....	2,597,000	104	22,507,000	17.0	3,826,000
Saskatchewan.....	4,931,000	104	42,735,000	15.7	6,709,000
Alberta.....	3,218,000	105	28,158,000	15.5	4,364,000
British Columbia.....	1,895,000	132	20,845,000	24.5	5,107,000
Totals, 1941.....	26,099,000	112	244,154,000	21.3	52,082,000

16.—Domestic Disappearance of Eggs and Poultry in Canada, 1938-41

Item	Eggs ¹	Poultry				Total
		Hens and Chickens	Turkeys	Geese	Ducks	
	doz.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Total Supply²—						
1938.....	239,145,946	184,142,411	22,618,534	6,686,219	3,129,916	216,577,130
1939.....	246,799,087	199,726,782	26,899,211	6,622,598	3,328,754	236,577,345
1940.....	261,122,700	206,678,434	27,552,264	6,673,762	3,390,831	244,295,291
1941.....	269,549,197	211,886,795	27,233,044	6,671,354	3,232,186	249,023,379
Domestic Disappearance³—						
1938.....	233,469,525	173,758,374	17,658,731	6,511,878	2,804,837	200,733,820
1939.....	240,844,596	188,107,745	20,958,846	6,510,185	2,888,397	218,465,173
1940.....	245,560,935	196,671,586	23,155,349	6,517,935	3,232,774	229,577,644
1941.....	247,964,000	198,296,596	19,655,561	6,315,336	3,037,168	227,304,661
Disappearance Per Capita—						
1938.....	20.83	15.50	1.58	0.58	0.25	17.91
1939.....	21.29	16.62	1.85	0.58	0.26	19.31
1940.....	21.50	17.22	2.03	0.57	0.28	20.10
1941.....	21.71	17.36	1.72	0.55	0.27	19.90

¹ The production of eggs used in calculating the domestic disappearance includes 20,500,000 doz. to cover the estimated production in urban communities. ² Total supply includes production and imports during the year, plus stocks at Jan. 1. ³ Domestic disappearance is obtained by deducting from the total supply, the exports during the year and stocks on hand at the end of the year.

Wool Production.—Shorn-wool production in Canada for 1941 totalled 14,511,000 lb. with a value of \$3,244,000. This was the highest production ever established and the increase in price due to the War resulted in a total value higher than any other on record. Pulled-wool production amounted to 4,689,000 lb., making total wool production in Canada 19,200,000 lb.