

12.—Canadian Grain Handled at Eastern Elevators, Crop Years Ended July 31, 1930-41

NOTE.—Figures for the crop years 1922 to 1929 are shown at p. 626 of the 1931 edition of the Year Book.

Item and Year	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Flaxseed	Rye	Total Grain
	bu.	bu.	bu.	bu.	bu.	bu.
Receipts and Carryover—						
1930.....	132,356,863	15,932,469	8,381,291	658,303	3,226,137	160,555,063
1931.....	178,120,479	20,874,442	37,555,371	1,710,059	6,226,473	244,486,824
1932.....	151,395,023	17,063,934	17,109,737	1,012,939	15,210,866	201,792,499
1933.....	233,419,639	17,367,890	7,797,343	1,116,223	3,921,887	263,622,982
1934 ¹	164,248,854	17,949,649	7,496,255	631,973	837,076	191,163,807
1935 ¹	116,415,429	10,851,457	10,045,694	485,990	933,244	138,731,814
1936 ¹	164,427,961	20,967,752	14,403,239	582,309	2,033,088	202,414,349
1937 ¹	161,828,565	12,273,485	6,247,592	586,734	2,444,583	183,380,959
1938 ¹	118,582,130	7,496,487	27,610,593	482,529	1,400,923	155,572,662
1939 ¹	224,541,409	16,024,099	24,845,946	547,082	891,751	266,850,287
1940 ¹	240,412,659	15,204,169	14,340,317	666,436	2,163,482	272,787,063
1941 ¹	294,736,497	7,958,781	8,937,925	2,206,498	906,154	314,745,855
Shipments—						
1930.....	111,077,966	13,372,999	6,734,676	657,101	1,654,237	133,496,979
1931.....	163,730,531	19,086,592	36,485,055	1,693,439	4,378,874	225,374,541
1932.....	133,610,498	15,706,287	16,807,097	974,649	13,738,895	180,837,426
1933.....	200,254,656	15,662,256	6,929,791	1,027,504	2,836,333	226,710,540
1934.....	166,952,408	16,824,993	6,325,712	720,692	1,204,467	192,028,272
1935.....	105,273,843	13,027,608	11,047,771	485,990	1,306,106	131,141,318
1936.....	184,120,242	19,563,798	14,652,637	582,309	2,103,700	221,022,686
1937.....	178,492,948	13,159,516	6,724,438	586,734	2,811,294	201,774,930
1938.....	119,884,101	7,358,685	27,090,701	482,529	1,180,127	155,996,143
1939.....	188,113,064	13,763,219	24,626,489	547,083	1,045,658	228,095,513
1940.....	221,558,877	17,360,438	14,784,608	613,212	1,927,316	256,244,451
1941.....	289,226,546	8,319,274	9,358,776	2,212,699	1,048,997	310,166,292

¹ Receipts only.

Flour Milling.—In 1940 there were 279 flour and feed mills operating in Canada as compared with 303 in 1939. In the latest year there were also 748 chopping mills. The capacity of the flour mills in barrels per day was 96,868 in 1940 and 101,454 in 1939. Statistics of employees, power installation, value of products, etc., for flour and feed mills for 1939 are given in Table 9 of the Manufactures chapter, p. 368.

Section 3.—Marketing of Live Stock and Live-Stock Products*

The estimated gross value of animals sold for meat in Canada in 1940 was \$194,913,000. In addition, the 1940 shorn wool production was worth \$2,696,000, the farm value of milk produced was \$164,132,000 and the farm value of poultry and eggs \$61,816,000. Live stock makes a very important contribution to farmers' income and also provides the basis for a large slaughtering and meat-packing industry in Canada. Since the First World War, slaughtering and meat packing has been one of the most important single manufacturing industries in Canada.

Live-Stock Marketings, 1940.—The numbers of all classes of live stock marketed in Canada showed increases in 1940 as compared with 1939. Cattle sold numbered 1,209,964 in 1940 and 1,183,305 in 1939, calves 818,670 and 795,402, hogs 5,456,844 and 3,706,179, and sheep and lambs 772,241 and 753,062, respectively.

The interprovincial and export movement of hogs in 1940 showed a very great increase over 1939 but other classes of live stock registered small changes. Total shipments in 1940 with comparative figures for 1939 in parentheses were as follows: cattle 542,159 (546,272); calves 297,181 (287,210); swine 1,156,127 (697,883); and sheep 254,670 (254,931).

* Revised in the Agricultural Branch, Dominion Bureau of Statistics. For more detailed information on this subject, see: Canada Year Book, 1922-23, pp. 594-595; "Live Stock and Animal Products Statistics", published annually by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics; and the "Annual Market Review", published annually by the Live Stock Branch of the Dominion Department of Agriculture. Statistics of live stock and poultry are given at pp. 205-210 of this volume.