

### 37.—Beekeepers and Colonies, Production and Values of Honey and Beeswax, 1938-45

NOTE.—Statistics by provinces are shown in the "Quarterly Bulletin of Agricultural Statistics". Dominion totals for 1924-37 are given at p. 227 of the 1940 Year Book.

Year	Beekeepers	Colonies	Honey			Beeswax		Value of Honey and Wax	
			Average Production per Hive	Total Production	Average Price per Pound to Producers	Total Value	Production		Value
	No.	No.	lb.	lb.	cts.	\$	lb.	\$	
1938....	27,300	394,000	116	45,701,900	7·6	3,487,900	685,528	138,100	3,626,000
1939....	28,000	406,000	85	34,376,100	8·6	2,958,200	515,641	116,300	3,074,500
1940....	27,150	398,540	71	23,215,300	10·3	2,913,600	423,229	121,700	3,035,300
1941....	27,360	409,740	81	33,220,700	11·3	3,755,700	498,310	195,500	3,951,200
1942....	28,430	427,050	66	28,048,700	13·7	3,842,600	420,730	186,300	4,028,900
1943....	34,250	449,650	88	39,492,100	15·4	6,095,000	592,400	276,200	6,371,200
1944....	40,700	508,500	71 <sup>1</sup>	36,264,000 <sup>1</sup>	15·0	5,534,000 <sup>1</sup>	543,900 <sup>1</sup>	250,200 <sup>1</sup>	5,784,200 <sup>1</sup>
1945....	43,300	522,500	63	33,020,000	16·0	5,439,000	487,000	226,000	5,665,000

<sup>1</sup> Revised since the publication of the 1946 Year Book.

### 38.—Honey Production, by Provinces, 1940-45

Province	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
Prince Edward Island.....	18,900	12,200	33,500	32,000	44,000	46,000
Nova Scotia.....	78,200	82,600	80,600	72,500	65,000	83,000
New Brunswick.....	124,000	124,800	225,000	232,200	185,000	104,000
Quebec.....	3,112,300	3,042,600	4,026,900	5,000,000	4,900,000 <sup>1</sup>	4,487,000
Ontario.....	14,044,000	17,733,000	11,760,000	19,212,000	15,022,000	9,095,000
Manitoba.....	3,669,900	4,970,000	3,142,000	4,503,000	5,271,000	4,860,000
Saskatchewan.....	3,682,000	2,966,500	4,947,100	5,364,600	4,376,000	7,328,000
Alberta.....	2,222,000	3,120,000	2,500,000	3,800,000	5,130,000	6,000,000
British Columbia.....	1,264,000	1,169,000	1,333,600	1,275,800	1,271,000	1,017,000
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>28,215,300</b>	<b>33,220,700</b>	<b>28,048,700</b>	<b>39,492,100</b>	<b>36,264,000<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>33,020,000</b>

<sup>1</sup> Revised since the publication of the 1946 Year Book.

### Subsection 9.—Prices of Agricultural Produce

Monthly prices of grain and monthly prices of live stock are shown in the "Quarterly Bulletin of Agricultural Statistics".

### 39.—Yearly Average Cash Prices per Bushel of Canadian Cereals—Basis, in Store at Fort William and Port Arthur—Crop Years Ended July 31, 1937-46

NOTE.—Statistics for 1926-30 are given at p. 228 of the 1940 Year Book, and for 1931-36 at p. 225 of the 1942 edition.

Year Ended July 31—	Averages in Cents and Eighths of a Cent per Bushel				
	Wheat, No. 1 N.	Oats, No. 2 C.W.	Barley, No. 2 C.W.—6 Row	Rye, No. 2 C.W.	Flaxseed, No. 1 C.W.
	cts.	cts.	cts.	cts.	cts.
1937.....	122/5	53/0	77/5	98/5	171/3
1938.....	131/4	50/3	49/3	72/3	164/2
1939.....	62/0	29/0	40/7	40/5	143/4
1940.....	76/4	35/5	35/0	59/7	172/3
1941.....	74/0	34/6	45/5	49/6	144/3
1942.....	76/5	49/1	61/4	60/1	158/1 <sup>1</sup>
1943.....	94/4	49/2	64/2	68/4	225 <sup>2</sup>
1944.....	122/7	51/4	64/6	115/4	250 <sup>2</sup>
1945.....	125 <sup>2</sup>	51/4	64/6	126/2	275 <sup>2</sup>
1946.....	135 <sup>2</sup>	51/4	64/6	223/7	275 <sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Average to Mar. 31, 1942; the Wheat Board thereafter became the sole buyer and seller of flaxseed. Ceiling price \$1·64 per bu. <sup>2</sup> Fixed price to growers. <sup>3</sup> Includes \$1·25 initial payment plus 10 cents retroactive increase announced July 30, 1946.