

17.—Live Stock on Farms, by Province, at June 1, 1951 and 1952—concluded

Province and Item	1951	1952	Territory and Item	1951	1952
	No.	No.		No.	No.
Alberta—			Yukon Territory—		
Horses.....	261,133	239,700	Horses.....	5	..
Milk cows ¹	277,598	280,000	Milk cows ¹	5	..
Other cattle.....	1,285,421	1,474,000	Other cattle.....	10	..
Sheep.....	330,503	387,000	Sheep.....	—	..
Swine.....	930,714	1,170,000	Swine.....	—	..
British Columbia—			Totals—		
Horses.....	36,054	34,100	Horses.....	1,306,639	1,180,400
Milk cows ¹	82,924	84,000	Milk cows ¹	2,907,854	2,968,000
Other cattle.....	238,334	254,200	Other cattle.....	5,463,152	6,204,700
Sheep.....	67,474	76,500	Sheep.....	1,478,737	1,588,200
Swine.....	49,441	66,000	Swine.....	4,915,987	5,741,000

¹ Cows and heifers, two years or over, kept for milk purposes.

18.—Average Value per Head of Farm Live Stock, by Province, 1951 and 1952

Province and Item	1951	1952	Province and Item	1951	1952	Province and Item	1951	1952
	\$	\$		\$	\$		\$	\$
Newfoundland—			Quebec—			Alberta—		
Horses.....	216	..	Horses.....	125	142	Horses.....	44	50
All cattle.....	259	..	All cattle.....	152	136	All cattle.....	202	164
Milk cows ¹	350	..	Milk cows ¹	202	188	Milk cows ¹	272	235
Other cattle.....	164	..	Other cattle.....	91	80	Other cattle.....	187	150
Sheep.....	33	..	Sheep.....	21	20	Sheep.....	27	20
Swine.....	52	..	Swine.....	36	26	Swine.....	39	26
P. E. Island—			Ontario—			British Columbia—		
Horses.....	89	102	Horses.....	86	98	Horses.....	79	84
All cattle.....	161	134	All cattle.....	219	167	All cattle.....	181	150
Milk cows ¹	226	190	Milk cows ¹	296	228	Milk cows ¹	231	205
Other cattle.....	118	98	Other cattle.....	173	134	Other cattle.....	164	132
Sheep.....	24	22	Sheep.....	34	28	Sheep.....	26	25
Swine.....	45	27	Swine.....	40	28	Swine.....	42	29
Nova Scotia—			Manitoba—			Yukon Territory—		
Horses.....	116	131	Horses.....	53	56	Horses.....	80	..
All cattle.....	142	140	All cattle.....	190	153	All cattle.....	154	..
Milk cows ¹	191	200	Milk cows ¹	255	214	Milk cows ¹	227	..
Other cattle.....	98	92	Other cattle.....	159	127	Other cattle.....	118	..
Sheep.....	19	20	Sheep.....	23	19	Sheep.....	—	..
Swine.....	37	28	Swine.....	35	25	Swine.....	—	..
New Brunswick—			Saskatchewan—			Totals—		
Horses.....	117	129	Horses.....	42	43	Horses.....	73	80
All cattle.....	139	121	All cattle.....	189	158	All cattle.....	191	156
Milk cows ¹	189	172	Milk cows ¹	258	216	Milk cows ¹	249	210
Other cattle.....	87	74	Other cattle.....	167	142	Other cattle.....	160	129
Sheep.....	19	20	Sheep.....	25	19	Sheep.....	26	22
Swine.....	38	26	Swine.....	33	24	Swine.....	38	27

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The Federal Department of Agriculture inspects all live stock in plants designated as inspected establishments under the Meat and Canned Foods Act. A statistical record is kept of these inspections and the figures appear in Table 19. A local wholesale butchering and such slaughtering as are carried out by retail butchers and by farmers for their own use are not included. Actually, the slaughtering and meat-packing industry is concentrated into a comparatively small number of large establishments to facilitate greater efficiency and utilization of products. Thus, the figures of Table 19 are fairly inclusive. The slaughtering