

At the estimated average wholesale price of 7·3 cents per lb., the total value of the beetroot sugar produced in 1924 is \$6,192,645, as compared with 9½ cents per lb. and \$3,745,200 total value in 1923, and 5½ cents per lb. and \$1,645,885 total value in 1922.

The estimated production of sugar beets in the principal beet-sugar producing countries of the world was, in 1924, 53·3 million short tons from 5,176,700 acres. The production in 1924 of the largest beet-growing countries was, in thousands of tons, as follows:—Germany 11,317; the United States 7,478; Czechoslovakia 8,613; France 5,663; Italy 3,968; Poland 3,539; Belgium 2,476; Holland 2,563; Spain 1,829 and Sweden 1,008.

**Tobacco.**—According to the census, the total Canadian area under tobacco in 1921 was 16,628 acres. Statistics for 1924 show an acreage of 21,317, a decrease from the two previous years. Similar decreases are also shown in the total yield and the yield per acre. The farm value of the crop, however, while falling from \$4,547,851 in 1922 to \$3,518,500 in 1923, showed a marked increase to \$4,358,898 in 1924.

Table 37 summarizes the acreage, the average yield per acre and the total yield of tobacco in Canada, and for the provinces of Quebec and Ontario, for the census years 1900, 1910 and 1911 and continuously from 1913 to 1924. For the years 1911 and 1921 the census figures for acreage alone are also given.

**37.—Area and Yield of Tobacco in Canada and in the Provinces of Quebec and Ontario, 1900, 1910, 1911 and 1913-1924.**

Years.	Quebec.	Ontario.	Canada.	Quebec.	Ontario.	Canada.	Quebec.	Ontario.	Canada.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	000 lb.	000 lb.	000 lb.	lb. per acre.	lb. per acre.	lb. per acre.
1900 <sup>1</sup> .....	8,661	3,144	11,903 <sup>1</sup>	7,656	3,504	11,267 <sup>1</sup>	881	1,114	946 <sup>1</sup>
1910 <sup>1</sup> .....	11,818	7,017	18,928 <sup>1</sup>	10,115	7,499	17,633 <sup>1</sup>	856	1,068	931 <sup>1</sup>
1911 <sup>1</sup> .....	12,134	13,591	25,826 <sup>1</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-
1913.....	5,000	6,000	11,000	4,500	8,000	12,500	900	1,300	1,136
1914.....	4,750	5,000	9,750	5,000	5,000	10,000	950	1,200	1,128
1915.....	4,500	4,500	9,000	4,050	4,950	9,000	900	1,000	1,000
1916.....	2,933	2,958	5,891	3,000	2,943	5,943	1,023	1,000	1,000
1917.....	5,000	2,930	7,930	5,000	3,495	8,495	1,000	1,192	1,071
1918.....	6,903	6,500	13,403	7,732	6,500	14,232	1,120	1,000	1,062
1919.....	22,360	9,226	31,586	16,770	17,000	33,770	750	1,843	1,069
1920 <sup>1</sup> .....	17,252	19,621	36,871 <sup>1</sup>	13,366	19,279	32,660 <sup>1</sup>	775	983	883
1921 <sup>1</sup> .....	9,958	6,663	16,628 <sup>1</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-
1921 <sup>7</sup> .....	5,256	6,553	11,809	6,127	7,122	13,249	1,166	1,091	1,124
1922.....	16,573	9,189	25,762	14,916	11,032	25,948	900	1,201	1,007
1923.....	15,302	8,630	23,932	10,500	10,797	21,297	680	1,251	890
1924.....	8,044	13,273	21,317	6,576	12,135	18,711	817	914	878

<sup>1</sup> Census data. The totals for Canada include other provinces as follows:—1900, 101 acres, 107,000 lb. 1910, 93 acres, 18,820 lb.; 1911, 101 acres; 1920, 18 acres, 15,296 lb.; 1921, 7 acres.