

41.—Composition of Canadian Gold Reserves, Dec. 31, 1905-1925.

Years.	British Coin.	American Coin.	Canadian Coin.	Bullion.
	\$	\$	\$	\$
1905.....	3,990,717	29,494,298	-	-
1906.....	7,375,857	31,040,149	-	-
1907.....	5,366,478	33,529,889	-	-
1908.....	6,261,715	54,909,076	-	-
1909.....	6,537,227	62,988,474	-	-
1910.....	6,304,524	68,261,279	-	222,934
1911.....	6,900,095	93,507,764	-	222,934
1912.....	4,554,691	93,648,736	650,185	222,934
1913.....	6,391,375	106,642,969	2,118,210	222,934
1914.....	4,482,524	86,382,620	3,440,150	320,345
1915.....	29,606,990	86,516,595	3,436,095	775,201
1916.....	29,333,111	86,034,920	3,426,760	803,002
1917.....	27,476,790	77,899,494	3,413,465	11,352,856
1918.....	27,362,255	75,785,665	3,411,465	14,701,439
1919.....	27,661,192	60,988,110	3,408,310	27,154,222
1920.....	26,728,016	35,896,485	3,387,125	35,090,344
1921.....	26,729,501	35,896,305	3,385,690	18,558,557
1922.....	26,730,576	67,941,550	3,340,650	34,572,504
1923.....	27,212,790	41,090,395	3,336,490	46,026,852
1924.....	26,342,019	77,173,105	3,327,125	34,905,387
1925.....	29,891,943	67,135,310	3,315,730	37,512,195

Token Currency.—Canadian silver dollars weighing 360 grains, 37-40 fine, are provided for by the Currency Act of 1910, but no silver dollars have ever been struck by the Mint. Fifty, twenty-five, ten and five-cent pieces of weight proportionate to their respective fractions of the dollar, and of the same fineness, are in circulation, but, by c. 9 of the Statutes of 1920, the standard of fineness was reduced to 8-10ths. In 1921 the coinage of a nickel five-cent piece weighing 70 grains was authorized, and a number of these coins have appeared.¹ Silver coins are legal tender only up to ten dollars, nickel coins to five dollars, and bronze coins to twenty-five cents.

42.—Circulation in Canada of Silver and Bronze Coin, Dec. 31, 1901-1925.

Years.	Net Amount of Silver Coin Issued.		Amount per Head.		Net amount of Bronze Coin Issued.		Amount per Head.	
	A.	B.	Col.	Col.	C.	D.	Col.	Col.
	During the Year.	Since 1858.	A.	B.	During the Year.	Since 1858.	C.	D.
	\$	\$	cts.	\$	\$	\$	cts.	cts.
1901.....	420,000	8,279,924	7·8	1·53	41,000	676,429	0·8	11·0
1902.....	774,000	9,053,924	14·0	1·64	30,000	706,429	0·5	12·8
1903.....	633,850	9,687,774	11·1	1·70	40,000	746,429	0·7	13·1
1904.....	350,000	10,037,774	5·9	1·71	25,000	771,429	0·4	13·1
1905.....	450,000	10,487,774	7·4	1·72	20,000	791,429	0·3	13·0
1906.....	807,461	11,295,235	12·8	1·79	41,000	832,429	0·6	13·2
1907.....	1,194,000	12,489,235	17·9	1·88	32,000	864,429	0·5	13·0
1908.....	38,541	12,527,776	0·6	1·80	21,604	886,033	0·3	12·8
1909.....	648,700	13,176,476	9·0	1·83	39,300	925,333	0·5	12·9
1910.....	1,151,186	14,327,662	15·4	1·91	42,020	967,353	0·6	12·9
1911.....	1,343,001	15,670,663	18·6	2·18	54,275	1,021,628	0·8	14·2
1912.....	1,303,237	16,973,900	17·7	2·30	49,977	1,071,605	0·7	14·5
1913.....	927,131	17,901,031	12·3	2·38	55,572	1,127,177	0·7	15·0
1914.....	626,198	18,527,229	8·1	2·41	35,057	1,162,234	0·4	15·1
1915.....	61,344	18,588,573	0·8	2·36	50,354	1,212,588	0·6	15·4
1916.....	1,179,516	19,768,089	14·7	2·46	110,646	1,323,234	1·4	16·5
1917.....	1,790,941	21,559,030	21·9	2·64	116,800	1,440,034	1·4	17·6
1918.....	2,329,091	23,888,121	28·0	2·87	131,777	1,571,811	1·6	18·9
1919.....	3,196,027	27,084,148	37·7	3·19	115,011	1,686,822	1·4	19·9
1920.....	1,300,702	28,384,850	15·1	3·29	208,961	1,895,783	2·4	22·0
1921.....	40,191	28,344,659	0·5	3·22	60,543	1,956,326	0·7	22·0
1922.....	-	28,151,444 ²	0·0	3·15	11,742	1,968,068	0·1	21·9
1923.....	-	28,052,347 ²	0·0	3·09	19,118	1,987,186	0·2	21·7
1924.....	-	27,863,502 ²	0·0	3·02	11,430	1,998,616	0·1	21·6
1925.....	-	27,713,019 ²	0·0	2·97	21,854	2,020,470	0·2	21·6

¹ Nickel coinage issued in 1922-1925, was \$69,000, \$127,000, \$74,488 and \$125,983 respectively, a total of \$396,471 on Dec. 31, 1925 (4·2 cts. per capita).

² The decrease shown in recent years is due to the withdrawal of worn and mutilated silver coins from circulation.