

## Subsection 6.—Poultry and Eggs

Statistics of production and consumption of poultry meat and eggs are given in Tables 27 to 29.

## 27.—Numbers and Values of Poultry on Farms by Province as at June 1, 1952-54 and Totals for 1950-54

Province and Year	Hens and Chickens		Turkeys		Geese		Ducks		Totals	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
	'000	\$'000	'000	\$'000	'000	\$'000	'000	\$'000	'000	\$'000
Newfoundland <sup>1</sup> .....1951	74	202	2	12	--	3	--	2	76	219
P. E. Island.....1952	925	1,107	18	56	21	51	15	18	979	1,232
1953	870	959	17	63	20	42	15	21	922	1,085
1954	970	1,099	15	42	20	47	15	20	1,020	1,208
Nova Scotia.....1952	1,480	2,200	28	88	4	12	3	4	1,515	2,304
1953	1,530	2,358	25	88	4	12	3	5	1,562	2,463
1954	1,670	2,447	30	92	4	10	3	4	1,707	2,553
New Brunswick.....1952	1,145	1,602	44	166	5	18	5	8	1,199	1,794
1953	1,090	1,500	50	150	6	15	5	7	1,151	1,672
1954	1,330	1,794	55	167	6	16	5	7	1,396	1,984
Quebec.....1952	9,875	13,657	440	1,471	13	33	49	66	10,377	15,227
1953	9,800	13,164	375	1,078	14	36	53	92	10,242	14,370
1954	10,859	13,767	460	1,312	15	43	56	90	11,390	15,212
Ontario.....1952	20,700	25,817	692	2,229	137	349	166	231	21,695	28,626
1953	23,400	32,092	568	1,490	147	359	168	224	24,283	34,165
1954	24,000	25,375	655	1,785	135	278	150	173	24,940	27,611
Manitoba.....1952	6,667	5,501	418	874	62	120	65	63	7,212	6,558
1953	6,190	5,410	355	941	59	120	63	67	6,667	6,538
1954	7,300	5,864	500	1,048	60	127	65	64	7,925	7,103
Saskatchewan.....1952	8,680	7,083	587	1,390	43	88	74	82	9,384	8,643
1953	7,900	6,319	470	1,057	45	97	63	81	8,478	7,554
1954	8,000	6,229	600	1,237	42	104	62	76	8,704	7,646
Alberta.....1952	8,420	7,886	640	1,776	80	186	95	133	9,235	9,981
1953	8,280	7,323	530	1,215	78	177	91	104	8,979	8,819
1954	9,350	8,035	650	1,561	70	154	110	126	10,180	9,876
British Columbia.....1952	3,840	5,584	300	875	21	66	25	42	4,186	6,567
1953	3,900	5,213	225	802	15	40	27	43	4,167	6,098
1954	4,130	5,539	265	846	14	41	24	34	4,433	6,460
<b>Totals.....1950</b>	<b>61,469</b>	<b>67,767</b>	<b>2,559</b>	<b>8,385</b>	<b>369</b>	<b>964</b>	<b>489</b>	<b>689</b>	<b>64,886</b>	<b>77,805</b>
<b>1951</b>	<b>64,615</b>	<b>77,942</b>	<b>2,529</b>	<b>7,607</b>	<b>353</b>	<b>997</b>	<b>437</b>	<b>616</b>	<b>67,934</b>	<b>80,162</b>
<b>1952</b>	<b>61,732</b>	<b>70,437</b>	<b>3,167</b>	<b>8,925</b>	<b>386</b>	<b>923</b>	<b>497</b>	<b>647</b>	<b>65,782</b>	<b>80,932</b>
<b>1953</b>	<b>62,960</b>	<b>74,338</b>	<b>2,615</b>	<b>6,884</b>	<b>388</b>	<b>898</b>	<b>488</b>	<b>644</b>	<b>66,451</b>	<b>82,764</b>
<b>1954</b>	<b>67,609</b>	<b>70,149</b>	<b>3,230</b>	<b>8,090</b>	<b>366</b>	<b>820</b>	<b>490</b>	<b>594</b>	<b>71,695</b>	<b>79,653</b>

<sup>1</sup> Census data; annual estimates are not available.

## 28.—Production, Utilization and Value of Farm Eggs by Province 1954

Province	Average Number of Layers <sup>1</sup>	Average Production per 100 Layers	Net Eggs Laid <sup>2</sup>	Sold <sup>3</sup>	Used on Farms <sup>3</sup>	Value per Dozen <sup>4</sup>	Total Value Sold and Used
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Newfoundland.....	505	17,948	7,430	6,495	935	32.0	2,381
Prince Edward Island.....	904	20,146	14,947	13,388	1,559	42.9	6,411
Nova Scotia.....	660	17,809	9,442	7,682	1,760	45.1	4,254
New Brunswick.....	4,310	17,502	62,071	49,916	12,155	41.3	25,605
Quebec.....	10,448	17,896	153,619	140,013	13,606	38.4	59,027
Ontario.....	2,463	15,906	32,066	28,320	3,746	32.5	10,426
Manitoba.....	2,719	14,515	32,193	25,188	7,005	30.9	9,933
Saskatchewan.....	3,251	15,805	41,886	33,695	8,191	33.7	14,100
Alberta.....	1,896	17,855	27,694	25,611	2,083	41.8	11,568
British Columbia.....							
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>27,156</b>	<b>17,264</b>	<b>381,348</b>	<b>330,308</b>	<b>51,040</b>	<b>37.7</b>	<b>143,705</b>

<sup>1</sup> Hens and pullets over six months old.

<sup>2</sup> Total laid less loss.

<sup>3</sup> Includes eggs used for hatching.

<sup>4</sup> Average value at farms for all purposes.