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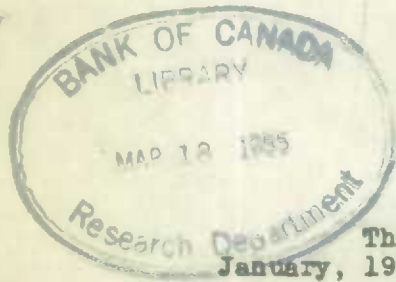
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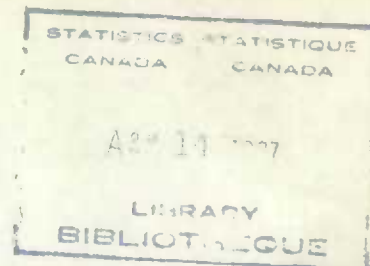
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PRODUCTION OF EGGS

January, 1955



The estimated production of eggs in Canada^{1/} during January, 1955 was 38.6 million dozen as compared with revised estimates of 39.3 million dozen in December, 1954 and 36.2 million dozen in January, 1954.

Average egg production per layer during January was 14.8 eggs as compared with 14.5 during December.

Producers sold 32.8 million dozen eggs for market during January, 1955 compared with 30.7 million dozen eggs during the previous month. The estimated consumption of eggs by producers during January was 4.1 million dozen.

FROZEN EGGS: Processing to frozen egg during January, 1955 in all plants under inspection reporting to the Department of Agriculture and in uninspected plants reporting to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics was 1,525,384 pounds as compared with 757,541 pounds in January, 1954.

NOTE: Revised estimates of numbers of layers and of egg production for the months June to December, 1954 are included on pages 4 and 5 of this report. This revision makes these estimates comparable to the revised estimates for the months January to May as published in the July issue. Revision of egg disposition for all months of 1954 will be published in the annual report "Production of Poultry and Eggs, 1954".

^{1/} Exclusive of Newfoundland.

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EGG PRODUCTION, BY PROVINCES, JANUARY, 1955

Province	Average No. of Layers on Farms ^{1/}	Eggs per 100 Layers	Net Production		
			Farm	Other ^{2/}	Total
	'000	No.		'000 doz.	
Prince Edward Island	587	1,452	707	9	716
Nova Scotia	983	1,718	1,401	112	1,513
New Brunswick	848	1,426	1,002	41	1,043
Quebec	4,284	1,479	5,248	147	5,395
Ontario	11,990	1,608	15,967	287	16,254
Manitoba	2,890	1,408	3,362	47	3,409
Saskatchewan	3,080	1,139	2,900	55	2,955
Alberta	4,010	1,337	4,432	66	4,498
British Columbia	2,094	1,473	2,556	294	2,850
CANADA	30,766	1,475	37,575	1,058	38,633

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			Farm	Other ^{2/}	Total
	'000	No.		'000 doz.	
Prince Edward Island	531	1,338	590	8	598
Nova Scotia	950	1,626	1,283	103	1,386
New Brunswick	708	1,372	806	33	839
Quebec	4,619	1,527	5,845	164	6,009
Ontario	11,951	1,539	15,227	274	15,501
Manitoba	2,674	1,387	3,072	43	3,115
Saskatchewan	2,912	942	2,268	43	2,311
Alberta	3,560	1,275	3,752	56	3,808
British Columbia	1,973	1,419	2,319	267	2,586
CANADA	29,878	1,421	35,162	991	36,153

^{1/} Layers at December 31 plus layers at January 31 divided by 2.

^{2/} Elsewhere than on farms.

EGG DISPOSITION, JANUARY, 1955

Farm and Other

Province	Sold for Market				Used for Food by Producers			
	Farm		Other ^{2/}		Farm		Other ^{2/}	
	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	\$
	'000 doz.	'000 \$	'000 doz.	'000 \$	'000 doz.	'000 \$	'000 doz.	'000 \$
Pr. Edward Island	632	179	8	2	72	20	1	-
Nova Scotia	1,252	462	100	39	123	46	10	4
New Brunswick	848	342	35	14	134	53	5	2
Quebec	4,094	1,425	115	40	929	314	26	9
Ontario	14,002	4,537	252	82	1,155	363	21	7
Manitoba	3,036	874	43	12	290	81	4	1
Saskatchewan	2,292	653	44	12	533	147	10	3
Alberta	3,544	1,028	53	15	641	179	10	3
British Columbia	2,176	818	250	94	155	57	18	7
CANADA	31,876	10,338	900	310	4,032	1,260	105	36

Total

Province	Sold for Market		Used for Food by Producers	
	'000 doz.	\$'000	'000 doz.	\$'000
Pr. Edward Island	640	181	73	20
Nova Scotia	1,352	521	133	50
New Brunswick	883	356	139	55
Quebec	4,209	1,465	955	323
Ontario	14,254	4,619	1,176	370
Manitoba	3,079	886	294	82
Saskatchewan	2,336	665	543	150
Alberta	3,597	1,043	651	182
British Columbia	2,426	912	173	64
CANADA	32,776	10,648	4,137	1,296

^{2/} Elsewhere than on farms.

MONTHLY EGG PRODUCTION, JUNE TO DECEMBER, 1954, REVISED 1/

		Average No. of Layers on farms	Eggs per 100 Layers	NET PRODUCTION		
				Farm	Other 2/	Total
		000	No.	- - - - - 000 Doz. - - - - -		
P. E. I.	June	455	1,767	667	9	676
	July	456	1,600	604	8	612
	Aug.	474	1,453	570	7	577
	Sept.	510	1,355	572	7	579
	Oct.	526	1,056	461	6	467
	Nov.	548	886	403	5	408
	Dec.	579	1,323	636	8	644
N. S.	June	728	1,741	1,051	84	1,135
	July	722	1,663	996	80	1,076
	Aug.	850	1,540	1,085	87	1,172
	Sept.	1,040	1,506	1,299	104	1,403
	Oct.	1,106	1,540	1,414	113	1,527
	Nov.	1,099	1,492	1,359	109	1,468
	Dec.	1,058	1,618	1,420	114	1,534
N. B.	June	482	1,678	668	27	695
	July	520	1,516	652	27	679
	Aug.	609	1,381	694	28	722
	Sept.	710	1,204	705	29	734
	Oct.	810	1,122	751	31	782
	Nov.	876	1,159	842	35	877
	Dec.	882	1,327	969	40	1,009
Que.	June	3,860	1,563	4,981	139	5,120
	July	3,846	1,435	4,553	127	4,680
	Aug.	4,164	1,288	4,431	124	4,555
	Sept.	4,672	1,132	4,376	123	4,499
	Oct.	4,756	1,210	4,768	134	4,902
	Nov.	4,618	1,311	5,016	140	5,156
	Dec.	4,464	1,461	5,401	151	5,552
Ont.	June	8,002	1,500	9,904	178	10,082
	July	8,695	1,445	10,377	187	10,564
	Aug.	9,946	1,352	11,095	200	11,295
	Sept.	11,280	1,242	11,586	209	11,795
	Oct.	12,202	1,285	12,985	234	13,219
	Nov.	12,678	1,413	14,848	267	15,115
	Dec.	12,520	1,598	16,576	298	16,874

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MONTHLY EGG PRODUCTION, JUNE TO DECEMBER, 1954, REVISED 1/ (CONTINUED)

		Average No. of Layers on farms	Eggs per 100 Layers	NET PRODUCTION		
				Farm	Other <u>2/</u>	Total
		000	No.	- - - - -	000 Doz. - - - - -	
Man.	June	1,990	1,411	2,318	32	2,350
	July	1,881	1,357	2,104	29	2,133
	Aug.	2,142	1,124	1,979	28	2,007
	Sept.	2,628	880	1,906	27	1,933
	Oct.	2,872	990	2,350	33	2,383
	Nov.	3,002	1,201	2,986	42	3,028
	Dec.	2,992	1,395	3,452	48	3,500
Sask.	June	2,428	1,442	2,886	55	2,941
	July	2,276	1,335	2,504	48	2,552
	Aug.	2,302	1,111	2,106	40	2,146
	Sept.	2,592	891	1,908	36	1,944
	Oct.	2,972	816	2,004	38	2,042
	Nov.	3,172	892	2,340	44	2,384
	Dec.	3,149	1,066	2,778	53	2,831
Alta.	June	2,612	1,465	3,144	47	3,191
	July	2,413	1,375	2,730	41	2,771
	Aug.	2,703	1,097	2,432	36	2,468
	Sept.	3,442	963	2,728	41	2,769
	Oct.	3,845	1,042	3,312	50	3,362
	Nov.	4,018	1,158	3,848	58	3,906
	Dec.	4,087	1,320	4,458	67	4,525
B. C.	June	1,582	1,662	2,177	250	2,427
	July	1,680	1,507	2,093	241	2,334
	Aug.	1,876	1,462	2,270	261	2,531
	Sept.	2,104	1,247	2,172	250	2,422
	Oct.	2,192	1,230	2,236	257	2,493
	Nov.	2,178	1,294	2,337	269	2,606
	Dec.	2,140	1,440	2,556	294	2,850
CANADA	June	22,139	1,521	27,796	821	28,617
	July	22,489	1,434	26,613	788	27,401
	Aug.	25,066	1,289	26,662	811	27,473
	Sept.	28,978	1,138	27,252	826	28,078
	Oct.	31,281	1,169	30,281	896	31,177
	Nov.	32,189	1,274	33,979	969	34,948
	Dec.	31,871	1,449	38,246	1,073	39,319

1/ Revised in relation to the December 1, 1954 Survey of numbers of birds on farms. (See text, page 1.)

2/ Elsewhere than on farms.

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