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## GOLD PRODUCTION IN CANADA, JUNE, 1932.

Gold production in Canada continues to increase; in June the Canadian output of 270,525 ounces set up a new high monthly record according to a report issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa. In May, 268,543 ounces were produced and in June, 1931, the total was 228,593 ounces. The cumulative total for the first six months of 1932 was 1,500,820 ounces, an advance of 18.4% over the output during the corresponding period of 1931.

Ontario's production in June was 203,722 ounces, made up of 103,900 ounces from the Kirkland Lake field, 90,152 ounces from the Porcupine camp and 9,670 ounces from other sources. Ankerite, Hollinger, Lake Shore, Moss, Parkhill and Teck-Hughes reported increased outputs over May.

Production in Quebec recorded a 15.5% falling off to 35,341 ounces as compared with the May total of 41,802 ounces.

British Columbia mines produced 18,686 ounces of gold in June as against 17,234 ounces in the preceding month.

Manitoba's output amounted to 8,053 ounces or 7.9% below the May total. Central Manitoba, Cryderman, Flin Flon and San Antonio mines were in operation during the month.

The Yukon production recorded the usual seasonal advance in June to 4,704 ounces.

Gold production in the Transvaal, the world's leading gold producing area, totalled 959,011 ounces, an advance of 6.8% over the June 1931 output of 897,750 ounces. During the first six months of 1932 production in the Transvaal amounted to 5.685,282 ounces as compared with 5,355,877 ounces in the corresponding period of 1931.

## PRODUCTION OF GOLD IN CAMADA.

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