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GOLD PRODUCTION IN CANADA, APRIL, 1933.

Canadian gold production in April totalled 237,017 ounces, according to a report issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa. During March, 260,154 ounces were produced and in April, 1932, the output was 246,359 ounces. Production during the first four months of 1933 reached a total of 958,851 ounces, a decrease of 0.3 per cent from the output in the corresponding period of 1932.

Ontario mines produced 181,584 ounces in April made up of 83,695 ounces from the Kirkland Lake area, 86,050 ounces from the Porcupine camp, and 11,839 ounces from other sources. Buffalo-Ankerite, Coniaurum, Minto, Parkhill, Teck-Hughes and Vipond reported increased outputs in April. The Barry-Hollinger mill was closed down during April.

Quebec's output amounted to 28,083 ounces; in March, 28,719 ounces were produced and in April, a year ago, the production was 35,998 ounces. The first shipment of gold bullion from the Mathews mine is included in the Quebec April output.

British Columbia produced 16,130 ounces of gold in April as compared with 18,306 ounces in the preceding month. The April production includes the Cariboo Gold Quartz Mining Company's first shipment to the Royal Canadian Mint.

The production from Manitoba mines in April was reported at 10,533 ounces; in the previous month 14,120 ounces were produced.

Operations in Nova Scotia and the Yukon yielded 687 ounces.

The world gold output in April was estimated at 1,919,000 ounces; in the preceding month the total was 2,044,000 ounces. Production from Transvaal mines was recorded at 895,000 ounces as compared with 947,000 ounces in March. The United States output declined to 189,000 ounces from the March total of 252,000 ounces. According to the American Bureau of Metal Statistics the unseasonable rise in the United States gold production (receipts), was due to the inclusion of an item of 74,000 ounces of a probably non-recurring nature which may have been associated with the new governmental regulations.

PRODUCTION OF GOLD IN CANADA

Months	1933	1932	1931	1930	1929
	Ounces	Ounces	Ounces	Ounces	Ounces
January	233,456	233,826	203,227	154,506	150,554
February	228,224	225,891	195,961	145,806	145,981
March	260,154	255,675	204,872	164,187	155,932
April	237,017	246,359	222,866	169,596	153,470
May		268,543	216,597	168,695	165,139
June		270,526	229,478	175,927	170,450
July		250,394	228,878	170,697	159,346
August		265,090	229,216	170,052	164,522
September ...		261,538	243,109	178,291	161,543
October		253,503	239,691	186,844	182,148
November		252,517	238,354	197,688	150,497
December		266,719	241,643	219,779	168,726
TOTAL		3,050,581	2,695,892	2,102,068	1,928,308

