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GOLD PRODUCTION IN CANADA - JUNE, 1935

Canada's gold production in June reached record heights according to a statement just issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa. The output during the month amounted to 285,772 ounces as compared with 269,238 ounces in May and 240,279 ounces in June 1934. Production during the first six months of 1935 totalled 1,518,177 ounces, an increase of 5.6% over the output in the corresponding period of 1934.

The June output of gold from Ontario sources amounted to 195,191 ounces, made up of 84,039 ounces from the Kirkland Lake area, 82,256 ounces from the Porcupine camp and 28,896 ounces from other sources. During May the Porcupine camp produced 84,717 ounces, the Kirkland Lake area 80,007 ounces and other sources, 24,269 ounces.

Quebec's gold production advanced to 40,650 ounces in June from the May total of 36,166 ounces. In June, 1934 the Quebec output totalled 29,196 ounces.

Production from British Columbia sources in June rose 7.4% to 31,210 ounces from the May output of 29,050 ounces. The Sheep Creek Gold Mines Limited reported production for the first time in June.

Manitoba and Saskatchewan producers reported an output of 13,541 ounces of gold; during May 13,853 ounces were produced.

Alluvial gold production in the Yukon during June amounted to 4,298 ounces; the May output was recorded at 727 ounces.

Shipments of gold from Nova Scotia sources to the Royal Canadian Mint amounted to 882 ounces as compared with 449 ounces in May.

In addition to the new gold received at the Royal Canadian Mint receipts of jewellery and scrap in June contained 4,492 ounces of gold. During the first half of the current year, 24,053 ounces of gold were contained in the Mint receipts of jewellery and scrap.

Gold quotations in June averaged \$35.05 per ounce in Canadian funds: valued at this price the Canadian output during the month was worth \$10,016,309. The May average price was \$34.949 per ounce and the computed value of the month's output was \$9,409,599.

PRODUCTION OF GOLD IN CANADA

Month	1935(a)	1934	1933
	Ounces	Ounces	Ounces
January .....	238,651	231,804	234,359
February .....	229,340	223,753	229,145
March .....	249,479	250,653	261,197
April .....	245,697	229,735	237,970
May .....	269,238	261,125	238,603
June .....	285,772	240,279	262,460
July .....		246,145	256,663
August .....		265,560	257,607
September .....		244,777	236,526
October .....		265,709	244,212
November .....		250,596	241,928
December .....		261,938	248,639
TOTAL - Calendar Year .....		2,972,074	2,949,309
TOTAL - Six months ending June .	1,518,177	1,437,349	1,463,734

(a) Subject to revision.

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