## MONTHLY REPORT

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\text { GOLD PRODICTIION IN CANADA - JANUARY, } 1937 .
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Canada produced 323,545 ounces of gold in January as compared with 330,130 ounces in the preceding month and 277,554 ounces in January, 1936, according to a statement just issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottava.

Production from Ontario sources amounted to 208,943 ounces, consisting of 90,268 ounces fron the Porcupine camp, 84,519 ounces from the Kirkland Lake area, and 34,158 ounces from other sources. During December, the Porcupine cam produced 92,832 ounces, the Kirkland Lake area, 88,092 ounces, and other sources, 35,151 ounces.

Quebec operators reported an output of 61,173 ounces; in December, 53,640 ounces were produced whlle in January, a year ago, 45,242 ounces were produced.

Gold output in British Columbia in Januery totalled 38,132 ounces as against 39,706 ounces in December and 35,130 ounces in January, 1936.

An advance of 6.7 per cent was recorded in the production from Manitoba and Saskatchewan sources; the January total was 18,707 ounces and the preceding month's, 17,532 ounces.

Nova Scotia's output of gold in January amounted to 1,367 ounces as compared with 1,264 ounces in December.

Alluvial gold production in the Yukon was reported at 223 ounces in January; a year ago, 74 ounces were produced.

During January, gold averaged $\$ 35.01$ per ounce on the New York market in Canadian funds as compared with the December average of $\$ 34.98$ per ounce. Based on these prices the January output in Canada was worth $\$ 11,502,360$ and the December, \$11,547,947.

Receipts of jewellery and scrap at the Royal Canadian Mint in January contained 2,435 ounces of gold.

The estimated world production of gold in January was 2,946,000 ounces; the December output whs estimated at 2, 390,000 ounces. Production from South African sources totalled 980,000 ounces as compared with 970,000 ounces in December. The United States, including the Philipoines, produced 328,083 ounces in January, made up of 193,079 ounces received at the United States Mint, 134,679 ounces received at pritrate smelters and refiners, and 325 ounces contained in ore and base bullion exported

| Nonth | 1937 (a) | 1936(a) | 1935 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Ounces | Ounces | Ounces |
| January | 328,545 | 277,554 | 238,974 |
| February |  | 266,422 | 229,637 |
| April. |  | 299,102 | 243,665 |
| May .. |  | 308,492 | 245,963 |
| June. |  | 316,670 | 286,093 |
| July .... |  | 319,505 | 285,763 |
| August .... |  | 328,697 | 295,896 |
| October .. |  | 330,820 334,080 | $281,533$ |
| November . |  | 334,080 319,265 | $\begin{array}{r} 300,866 \\ 293,317 \end{array}$ |
| December |  | 330,130 | 307,588 |
| TOTAL - CALENDAR YEAR |  | 730,006 | 3,284,890 |

(a) Subject to revision.

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| Month | 1937 ( $\varepsilon$ ) | 1930(a) | 1935 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Ounces | Ounces | Ounces |
| January ................................ | 328,545 | 277,554 | 238,874 |
| February . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 310,074 | 266.422 | 228,637 |
| March . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . |  | 299,102 | 249,665 |
| Apri1 . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . |  | 298,268 | 245,863 |
| May |  | 308,492 | 269,595 |
| June |  | 316,670 | 286,093 |
| July |  | 319,505 | 285,763 |
| August . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . |  | 328,697 | 295,896 |
| September |  | 330,820 | 281,533 |
| October |  | 334,080 | 300,868 |
| November |  | 319,265 | 293,317 |
| December |  | 330, 130 | 307,588 |
| TOTAL - CALENDAR YEAR |  | 3,730, 006 | 3,284, 890 |
| Totel - Two Monthe ending February | 628,618 | 543,976 | 468,611 |

(a) Subfoct to revicion.

