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MONTHLY REPORT

GOLD PRODUCTION IN CANADA - JULY, 1937.

Gold production in Canada during July advanced to 347,474 ounces from the preceding month's total of 344,395 ounces and the July, 1936, output of 321,107 ounces, according to a statement just issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa. Production during the first seven months of 1937 aggregated 2,320,725 ounces as compared with 2,096,815 ounces, a year ago.

Ontario's output during July totalled 219,934 ounces and consisted of 95,237 ounces from the Porcupine camp, 35,517 ounces from the Kirkland Lake area and 39,180 ounces from other sources. In June, the Porcupine camp produced 92,454 ounces, the Kirkland Lake area, 33,783 ounces, and other sources, 42,313 ounces.

Quebec operators reported an output of 58,785 ounces; in June, 55,111 ounces were produced. Production in this province during the seven months ending July increased 6.3 per cent over the output for the corresponding months of 1936; the totals were 392,251 ounces and 375,692 ounces, respectively.

A 3.5 per cent decline was recorded in British Columbia's output; the July total was 40,739 ounces and the June total, 42,201 ounces.

Manitoba and Saskatchewan produced 20,141 ounces of gold; in the previous month 20,752 ounces were produced.

Alluvial and lode gold production in the Yukon amounted to 6,417 ounces in July as against 6,620 ounces in June and 7,513 ounces in July, 1936.

The Royal Canadian Mint received 1,453 ounces of gold from Nova Scotia producers in July as against 1,639 ounces in June and 1,380 ounces in July, a year ago.

Gold averaged \$35.05 per ounce, in Canadian funds, on the New York market in July; at this price the month's production was worth \$12,178,964. The June average price was \$35.02 and the value of the month's output was \$12,078,223.

The gold content of receipts of jewellery and scrap at the Royal Canadian Mint in July was 1,720 ounces as compared with 2,024 ounces in the preceding month.

The American Bureau of Metal Statistics estimates the world output of gold in July at 3,151,000 ounces or 2.9 per cent above the June production. South Africa produced 997,000 ounces in July as against 975,000 ounces in the previous month. Output in the United States advanced 14.1 per cent to 424,868 ounces and consisted of Mint receipts, 216,321 ounces, receipts at private smelters and refiners, 202,572 ounces, and the gold content of exports of ore and base bullion, 5,875 ounces.

CHICAGO, ILL.,

DEAR SIR,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th inst. in relation to the matter of the

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PRODUCTION OF GOLD IN CANADA

Month	1937(a)	1936	1935
	Ounces	Ounces	Ounces
January .....	328,545	273,975	238,974
February .....	310,074	267,639	220,637
March .....	326,275	300,496	249,665
April .....	323,537	300,616	245,263
May .....	340,125	309,330	269,595
June .....	344,395	318,032	286,093
July .....	347,474	321,107	295,763
August .....		330,502	295,895
September .....		332,456	281,538
October .....		335,635	300,366
November .....		320,835	293,317
December .....		331,753	307,538
TOTAL - Calendar Year .....		3,748,023	3,284,890
TOTAL - SEVEN MONTHS ending JULY .	2,320,725	2,096,815	1,805,690

(a) Subject to revision.

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