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MONTHLY REPORT

GOLD PRODUCTION IN CANADA - JULY, 1941

The Canadian output of gold in July totalled 456,650 ounces; in the preceding month, 453,987 ounces were produced while in July, 1940 the production was 457,330 ounces, according to a report just issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa. During the first seven months of the current year, Canada produced 3,092,896 ounces or 2 per cent above the output a year ago.

Ontario's output in July amounted to 270,464 ounces and consisted of 116,672 ounces from the Porcupine camp, 90,122 ounces from the Kirkland Lake field and 63,670 ounces from other sources. In July, 1940 Ontario produced 279,973 ounces, made up of 122,153 ounces from the Porcupine Camp, 89,331 ounces from the Kirkland Lake area and 68,489 ounces from other sources.

A 13.4 per cent increase was recorded in Quebec's production in July compared with the output for the corresponding month of 1940; the totals were 91,440 ounces and 80,646 ounces, respectively.

British Columbia produced 52,177 ounces as against 55,047 ounces in the preceding month and 58,475 ounces in July, 1940.

Operators in Manitoba and Saskatchewan reported an output of 22,908 ounces during the month under review; this represented an increase of 5.9 per cent over the total of 21,630 ounces in July, 1940.

Production in the Northwest Territories during July totalled 6,369 ounces or 51.5 per cent above the output a year ago of 4,534 ounces.

Yukon produced 11,104 ounces of alluvial gold in July compared with 9,932 ounces in the corresponding month of 1940.

Shipments from Nova Scotia mines to the Royal Canadian Mint in July contained 1,662 ounces of gold as against 2,111 ounces in July, 1940.

The gold content of jewellery and scrap receipts at the Royal Canadian Mint in July amounted to 736 ounces or 5.4 per cent above the total for the corresponding month a year ago.

PRODUCTION OF GOLD IN CANADA

Month	1941		1940		1939		Average value per ounce in Canadian funds	Total value
	Output	Total value (a)	Output	Total value	Output	Total value		
	Ounces	\$	Ounces	\$	Ounces	\$	\$	\$
January .....	434,252	16,718,971	425,034	16,363,809	410,803	35,298	14,500,524	
February .....	412,730	15,890,105	405,982	15,630,307	391,040	35,194	13,762,262	
March .....	446,529	17,191,367	430,519	16,574,982	413,483	35,129	14,525,244	
April .....	439,556	16,922,906	412,282	16,142,357	406,445	35,155	14,288,574	
May .....	449,185	17,293,622	443,199	17,063,161	431,660	35,134	15,165,942	
June .....	453,987	17,478,500	451,964	17,400,614	436,538	35,068	15,308,515	
July .....	456,650	17,581,025	457,330	17,607,205	439,925	35,064	15,425,530	
August .....			466,946	17,977,421	443,474	35,009	15,735,635	
September ...			441,145	16,984,082	422,392	37,208	15,716,362	
October .....			468,170	18,024,545	433,086	38,431	16,643,928	
November .....			450,712	17,352,412	424,987	38,500	16,361,999	
December .....			450,862	17,358,187	434,546	38,500	16,730,021	
TOTAL -								
Calendar Year			5,311,145	204,479,082	5,094,379	...	184,164,536	
TOTAL - SEVEN months ending								
JULY .....	3,092,896	119,076,496	3,053,310	116,782,435	2,929,894	...	102,976,591	

(a) Subject to revision. NOTE: Average value per ounce, in Canadian funds, January 1, 1940 to July 31, 1941, \$38.50.

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