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MONTHLY REPORT

GOLD PRODUCTION IN CANADA - JANUARY, 1942

Gold production in Canada during January, 1942 was recorded at 405,664 ounces compared with 421,316 ounces in December, 1941 and 434,259 ounces in January, 1941, according to a report just issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa.

Ontario produced 223,912 ounces of gold in January, 1942 made up of 118,282 ounces from the Porcupine Camp, 47,293 ounces from the Kirkland Lake field and 58,337 ounces from other sources. During January, 1941 Ontario's output was 267,668 ounces, consisting of 120,403 ounces from the Porcupine Camp, 79,987 ounces from the Kirkland Lake field and 67,278 ounces from other sources.

Quebec reports an output of 99,825 ounces or 11.1 per cent above the January, 1941 total of 89,660 ounces, and 1.0 per cent above the December, 1941 total of 97,594.

British Columbia produced 46,375 ounces compared with 47,898 ounces in December and 47,496 ounces in January, 1941.

Manitoba and Saskatchewan produced 24,976 ounces in January; this represented an increase of 1.2 per cent over the January, 1941 total of 21,790 ounces.

Yukon production for January totalled 15 ounces as against 708 for the corresponding month of 1941.

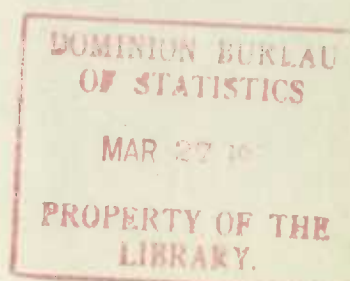
In the Northwest Territories production amounted to 8,023 ounces in January, 1942 and 4,580 ounces for the same month a year ago.

Nova Scotia shipments to the Royal Canadian Mint amounted to 2,538 ounces and in January, 1941 the shipments totalled 2,352 ounces.

PRODUCTION OF GOLD IN CANADA

Month	1 9 4 2		1 9 4 1		1 9 4 0	
	Output (a)	Total value (a)	Output (a)	Total value (a)	Output	Total value
January.....	405,664	\$ 15,613,064	434,259	\$ 16,718,971	425,034	16,363,809
February.....			412,730	15,890,105	405,982	15,630,307
March.....			446,529	17,191,367	430,519	16,574,982
April.....			439,556	16,922,906	419,282	16,142,357
May.....			449,185	17,293,622	443,199	17,063,161
June.....			453,987	17,478,500	451,964	17,400,614
July.....			456,650	17,581,025	457,330	17,607,205
August.....			467,224	17,988,124	466,946	17,977,421
September.....			445,085	17,535,773	441,145	16,984,082
October.....			461,168	17,754,968	468,170	18,024,545
November.....			442,837	17,049,225	450,712	17,352,412
December.....			419,104	16,135,504	450,862	17,358,187
TOTAL - Calendar Year.....			5,328,314	205,540,090	5,311,145	204,479,082

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