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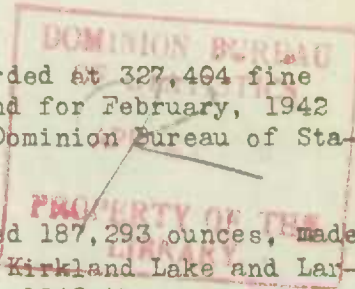
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MONTHLY REPORT

GOLD PRODUCTION IN CANADA - FEBRUARY, 1943

Gold production in Canada during February, 1943 was recorded at 327,404 fine ounces; for January, 1943 the production was 334,510 fine ounces and for February, 1942 was 375,630 fine ounces, according to a report just issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa.



In Ontario the gold production for February, 1943 totalled 187,293 ounces, made up of 89,032 ounces from the Porcupine Camp, 57,550 ounces from the Kirkland Lake and Larder Lake areas and 40,711 ounces from other sources. For February, 1942 the output was 213,674 ounces, made up of 109,433 ounces from the Porcupine Camp, 48,154 ounces from the Kirkland Lake and Larder Lake areas and 56,087 ounces from other sources.

Quebec production during February, 1943 was 84,280 ounces as against 76,594 ounces for January, 1943 and 90,502 ounces for February, 1942.

British Columbia produced 25,218 ounces in February compared with 23,802 ounces for January, 1943 and 42,809 ounces for February, 1942.

Manitoba and Saskatchewan produced 23,477 ounces in February, 1943 compared with 22,138 ounces for February, 1942.

Production for the Yukon amounted to 602 ounces for February as against an output of 150 ounces for February, 1942.

In the Northwest Territories production amounted to 5,945 ounces for February, 1943 and 5,874 ounces for the same month a year ago.

Nova Scotia shipments to the Royal Canadian Mint amounted to 589 ounces and for February, 1942 the shipments totalled 483 ounces.

PRODUCTION OF GOLD IN CANADA

Month	1943		1942		1941	
	Output (a)	Total value (a) \$	Output (a)	Total value (a) \$	Output	Total value
January .....	334,510	12,878,635	405,664	15,618,064	435,633	16,771,870
February .....	327,404	12,605,054	375,630	14,461,755	414,035	15,940,347
March .....			439,203	16,909,316	447,943	17,245,805
April .....			420,795	16,200,608	440,947	16,976,460
May .....			425,160	16,368,660	450,607	17,348,370
June .....			424,351	16,337,514	455,424	17,533,824
July .....			424,689	16,350,527	458,096	17,636,696
August .....			402,867	15,510,380	468,704	18,045,104
September .....			377,473	14,532,711	446,493	17,189,981
October .....			381,843	14,700,956	442,629	17,811,217
November .....			362,652	13,962,102	444,239	17,103,202
December .....			359,903	13,856,265	420,429	16,186,516
TOTAL -						
Calendar Year			4,800,230	184,808,859	5,345,179	205,789,392
TOTAL--Two						
Months ending						
February.....	661,914	25,483,689	781,294	30,079,819	849,668	32,712,217

(a) Subject to revision.



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The following table shows the number of persons in the total population of Canada, by age group and sex, for the years 1951 to 1975. The population is shown in thousands, rounded to the nearest thousand. The population is shown for the total population, males, and females, and is shown for the total population, males, and females, and is shown for the total population, males, and females.

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Year	Total population	Males	Females
1951	13,281	6,377	6,904
1955	14,313	6,977	7,336
1960	15,653	7,745	7,908
1965	17,153	8,541	8,612
1970	18,817	9,399	9,418
1975	20,329	10,156	10,173