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ELECTRIC REFRIGERATORS, 1934

Production of electric refrigerators in Canada during 1934 numbered 30,175 units compared with 16,649 in 1933. Fifteen concerns reported a production in 1934: 13 were in Ontario and 2 in Quebec.

Factory sales of electric refrigerators were reported at 27,097 units valued at \$3,505,535. Of these 23,198 at \$2,915,053 were of the individual domestic type, 988 at \$246,748 were of the individual commercial type and 2,911 at \$343,734 were of other types such as ice cream cabinets, beer dispensers, etc.

Factory inventories at the end of 1934 were reported at 8,734 units.

Imports of electric refrigerators into Canada during the calendar year 1934 totalled 1,760 units worth \$135,220 compared with 1,427 units at \$100,242 in 1933 and 5,363 units at \$388,634 in 1932. Of the 1934 imports, 1,755 machines at \$134,747 came from United States and 5 machines at \$473 from the United Kingdom.

Table 1- PRODUCTION AND FACTORY SALES OF ELECTRIC REFRIGERATORS, 1934 AND FACTORY INVENTORIES AT END OF 1934.

Types	Number made 1934 No.	Factory inventories on Dec. 31, 1934 No.	Factory sales, 1934. Income from sales \$	
			Number	
Individual domestic type	27,817	7,677	23,198	2,915,053
Individual commercial type for use in stores, etc.	1,020	111	988	246,748
All other types, including com- pressors only, ice cream cabinets, etc.	1,338	946	2,911	343,734
TOTAL	30,175	8,734	27,097	3,505,535

Note - Figures for 1934 are preliminary and subject to revision on further examination of final reports received from the producers.

Table 2 - PRODUCTION OF ELECTRIC REFRIGERATORS IN CANADA, 1929 - 1933.

	Number	Selling value at works \$
1929	4,687	1,608,304
1930	6,302	1,607,784
1931 -		
Individual domestic type	9,879	1,708,327
All other types	4,314	1,088,590
Total for 1931	14,193	2,796,917
1932 -		
Individual domestic type	19,454	2,218,798
All other types	914,455
Total for 1932	3,133,253
1933 -		
Individual domestic type	15,059	1,896,033
Individual commercial type for use in stores, etc.	574	107,855
All other types (compressors only, ice cream cabinets, etc.)	1,016	197,833
Total for 1933	16,649	2,201,721

Table 3 - IMPORTS INTO CANADA OF ELECTRIC REFRIGERATORS, 1930 - 1934.

	UNITED STATES		UNITED KINGDOM		T O T A L	
	Selling value		Selling value		Selling value	
	Number	at works	Number	at works	Number	at works
Refrigerators, gas or electric operated, and parts -						
1930(x)	9,961	1,617,346	1	97	9,962	1,617,443
1931	18,011	2,553,764	1	171	18,012	2,553,935
Refrigerators, electric, domestic or store, completely equipped or not-						
1932	5,351	385,501	10	2,923	5,363	388,634
1933	1,425	100,190	2	52	1,427	100,242
1934	1,755	134,747	5	473	1,760	135,220

(x) From April 1 to December 31, 1930.

LIST OF MANUFACTURERS OF ELECTRIC REFRIGERATORS IN CANADA,
1934

<u>Names of Firms</u>	<u>Location of Plants</u>
Beach Foundry Ltd.	Hinton Ave., Ottawa
Canadian General Electric Co. Ltd.	Peterborough, Ont.
Canadian Westinghouse Co. Ltd.	Sanford Ave., Hamilton, Ont.
Dominion Refrigeration Co. Ltd.	457 King St. W., Toronto, Ont.
Engineering Products of Canada, Ltd.	6259 Notre Dame St. E., Montreal, P. Q.
Frigidaire Sales Corp.	Fraser Ave., Toronto, Ont.
Gilson Manufacturing Co. Ltd.	Guelph, Ont.
Igloo Refrigeration Co. Ltd.	103 Bathurst St., Toronto, Ont.
Kelvinator of Canada Ltd.	1152 Dundas St., London, Ont.
Moffats Limited	Weston, Ont.
Robert Mitchell Co. Ltd.	730 Belair Ave., Montreal, P.Q.
Rogers-Majestic Corporation Ltd.	Fleet and Bathurst Sts., Toronto, Ont.
Service Station Equipment Co. Ltd.	101 Hanson St., Toronto, Ont.
Sparton of Canada, Ltd.	London, Ont.
Universal Cooler Co. of Canada, Ltd.	Brantford, Ont.

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