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FIELD CROPS AND LIVE STOCK OF CANADA, 1930

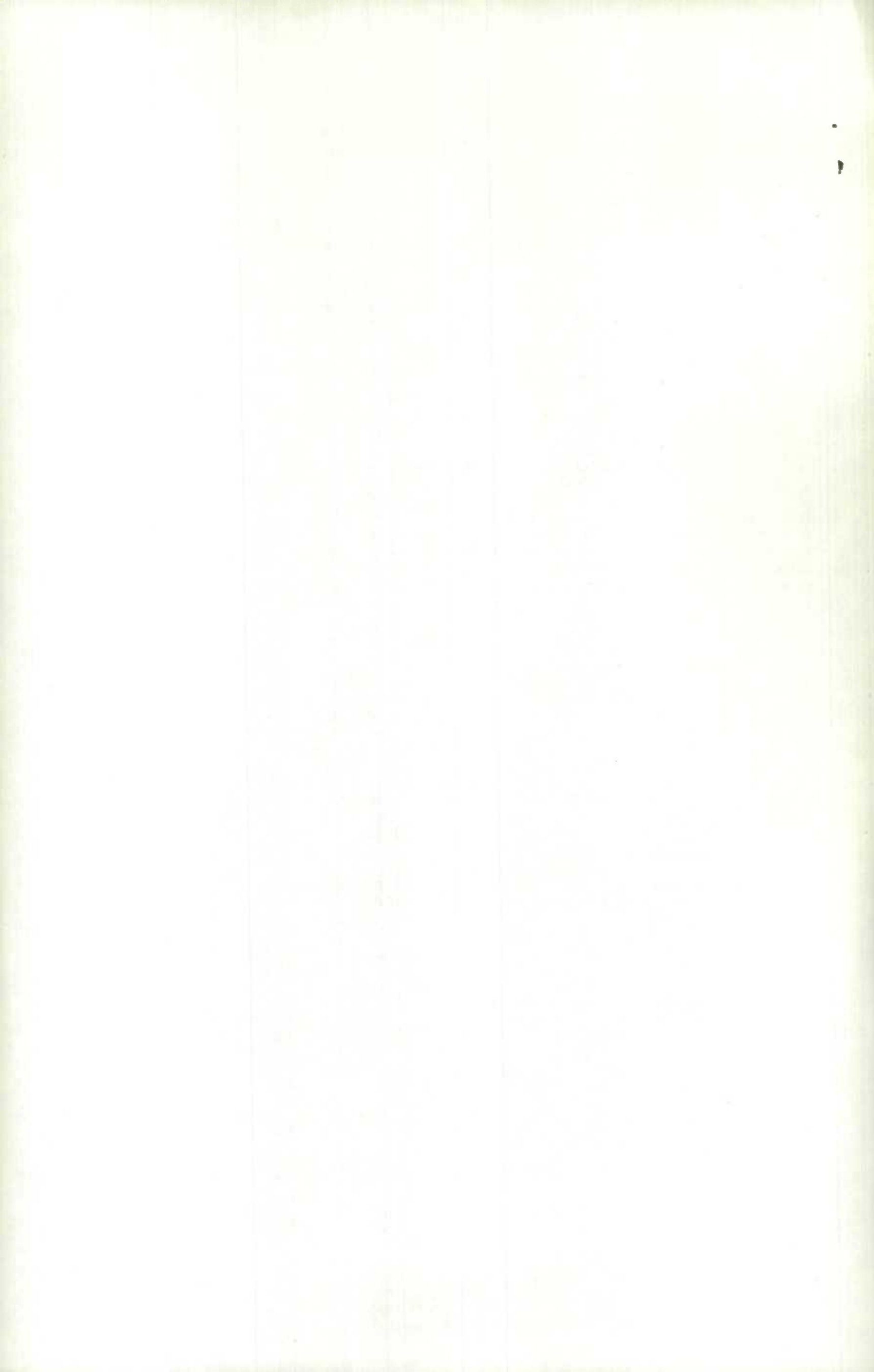
Ottawa, December 6, 1930. The Dominion Bureau of Statistics issued today a bulletin giving for the year 1930 as compared with 1929 estimates of (1) the areas sown to the principal field crops and (2) the numbers of farm live stock. These estimates are made from returns collected in June last through the rural schools in co-operation with the Provincial Departments of Agriculture for the Atlantic Provinces, for Quebec and for the Prairie Provinces. In Ontario and British Columbia the estimates are based upon returns received from individual farmers on schedules issued and collected through the post.

AREAS SOWN TO PRINCIPAL FIELD CROPS, 1930

The total area estimated to be sown to the principal field crops for 1930 is 60,464,670 acres, as compared with 59,607,034 acres as reported for the same crops in 1929. These totals do not include grain hay, the area of which will be determined later. Wheat occupied 24,897,900 acres, as compared with 25,255,002 acres in 1929. For fall wheat, the area harvested was 215,000 acres, as compared with 834,284 acres in 1929. The area under spring wheat was 24,082,900 acres as against 24,420,718 acres in 1929. Oats occupied 13,258,700 acres, as against 12,479,477 acres in 1929; barley 5,558,700 acres, as against 5,925,542 acres; rye 1,448,050 acres, as against 991,944 acres, and flaxseed 581,800 acres, as against 382,359 acres. For the remaining crops, the acreages for 1930 are estimated as follows, with the figures for 1929 given within brackets: Peas 129,410 (125,194); beans 98,680 (86,290); buckwheat 490,300 (515,976); mixed grains 1,201,400 (1,118,649); corn for husking 161,400 (152,055); potatoes 571,300 (543,727); turnips, mangolds, etc. 225,930 (205,455); hay and clover 10,618,200 (10,560,101); alfalfa 744,000 (798,951); fodder corn 426,400 (422,848); sugar beets 52,500 (43,464).

NUMBERS OF FARM LIVE STOCK, 1930

The total numbers of farm live stock in Canada as in June last are estimated as follows, the corresponding numbers for 1929 being given within brackets: Horses 3,295,028 (3,376,487); milch cows 3,683,453 (3,684,766); other cattle 5,253,680 (5,139,866); total cattle 8,937,133 (8,824,632); sheep 3,696,049 (3,635,923); swine 3,999,934 (4,381,725); hens and chickens 56,247,141 (55,242,787); turkeys 2,399,497 (2,423,029); geese 1,159,867 (1,155,244); ducks 988,664 (1,111,903); total poultry 60,795,169 (59,932,963). It will be noticed that there have been some revisions of the 1929 figures for Prince Edward Island and Quebec.



1.-Areas under Principal Field Crops in Canada, 1929 and 1930.

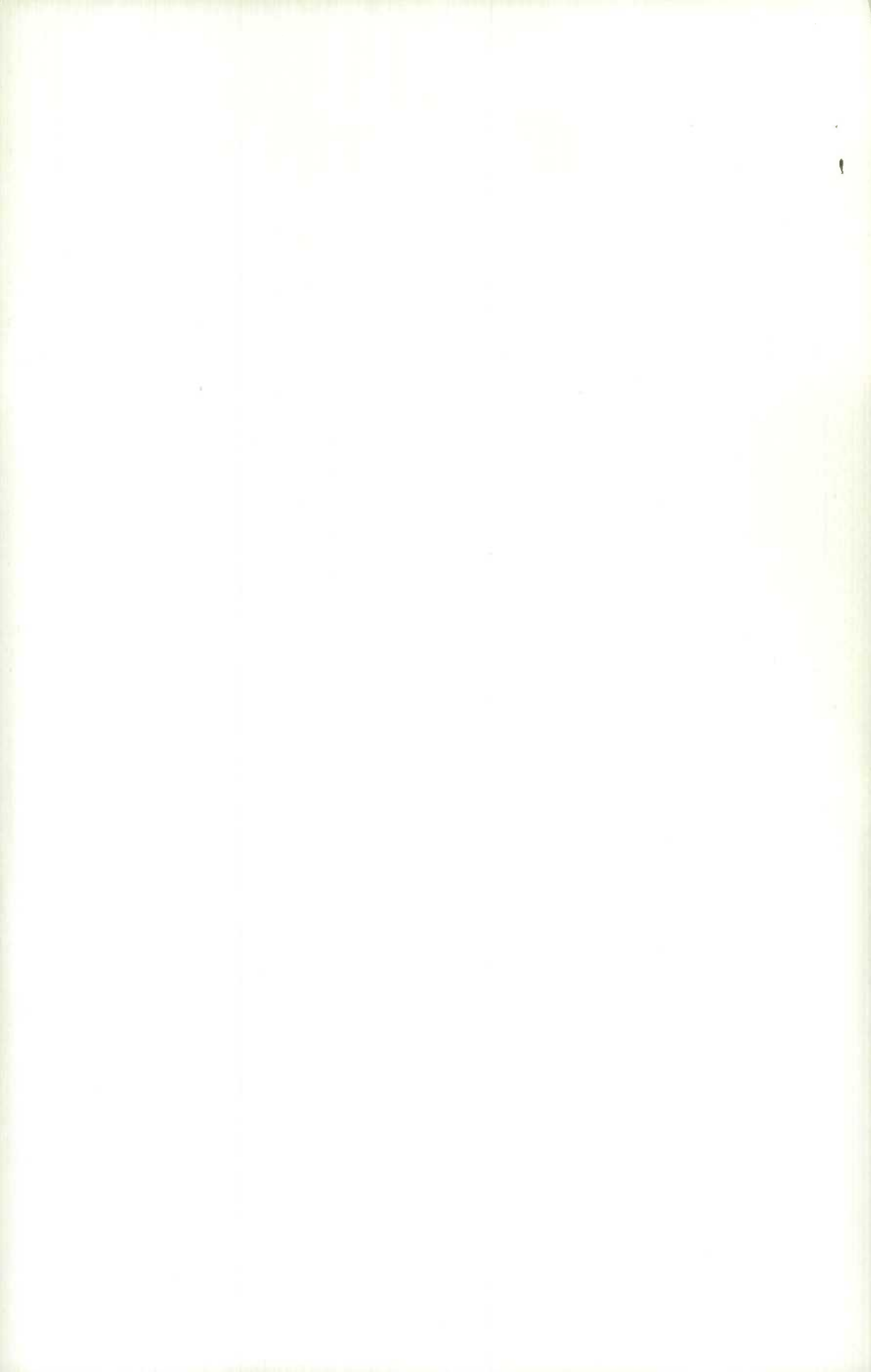
Field Crops	1929 Acres	1930 Acres	Field Crops	1929 Acres	1930 Acres
CANADA -			QUEBEC -		
Fall wheat	834,224	815,000	Spring wheat	58,266	58,700
Spring wheat	24,420,718	24,082,900	Oats	1,826,042	1,899,800
All wheat	25,255,002	24,897,900	Barley	154,016	156,700
Oats	12,479,477	13,258,700	Spring rye	10,954	17,500
Barley	5,925,542	5,558,700	Peas	34,806	38,200
Fall rye	664,193	1,091,000	Beans	16,731	24,100
Spring rye	327,751	357,050	Buckwheat	159,707	156,900
All rye	991,944	1,448,050	Mixed grains	134,500	143,700
Peas	125,194	129,410	Flaxseed	2,996	5,300
Beans	86,290	98,680	Corn for husking	32,055	31,400
Buckwheat	515,976	490,300	Potatoes	162,411	165,800
Mixed grains	1,118,649	1,201,400	Turnips, etc.	40,437	59,300
Flaxseed	382,359	581,800	Hay & clover	4,306,727	4,500,000
Corn for husking	152,055	161,400	Alfalfa	24,078	14,200
Potatoes	543,727	571,300	Fodder corn	87,879	70,800
Turnips, etc.	205,455	225,930	ONTARIO -		
Hay and clover	10,560,101	10,618,200	Fall wheat	691,662	677,000
Alfalfa	798,951	744,000	Spring wheat	106,610	99,000
Fodder corn	422,848	426,400	All wheat	798,272	776,000
Sugar beets	43,464	52,500	Oats	2,335,310	2,469,000
P. E. ISLAND -			Barley	622,063	610,000
Spring wheat	27,057	26,500	Fall rye	52,023	53,000
Oats	170,105	174,700	Peas	79,523	80,000
Barley	5,870	5,400	Beans	63,732	68,000
Peas	211	280	Buckwheat	294,388	275,000
Buckwheat	3,091	2,700	Mixed grains	892,897	958,000
Mixed grains	28,045	30,600	Flaxseed	5,492	5,200
Potatoes	42,500	45,700	Corn for husking	120,000	130,000
Turnips, etc.	11,116	13,500	Potatoes	148,435	159,000
Hay & clover	257,188	267,000	Turnips, etc.	104,674	105,000
Fodder corn	580	800	Hay & clover	3,493,175	3,329,000
NOVA SCOTIA -			Alfalfa	685,880	642,000
Spring wheat	6,056	5,800	Fodder corn	287,566	312,000
Oats	109,836	115,200	Sugar beets	36,864	38,000
Barley	10,868	10,800	MANITOBA -		
Spring rye	172	200	Spring wheat	2,300,615	2,470,000
Peas	774	800	Oats	1,558,404	1,590,000
Beans	2,461	2,600	Barley	2,181,895	1,991,000
Buckwheat	8,221	7,600	Fall rye	60,171	83,000
Mixed grains	4,800	4,700	Spring rye	24,869	30,000
Potatoes	30,783	31,200	All rye	85,040	113,000
Turnips, etc.	15,516	15,800	Peas	1,476	1,300
Hay & clover	540,841	540,000	Buckwheat	6,036	2,900
Fodder corn	1,026	1,200	Mixed grains	11,569	14,500
NEW BRUNSWICK -			Flaxseed	62,474	112,000
Spring wheat	8,916	9,900	Potatoes	30,436	31,700
Oats	216,530	223,000	Turnips, etc.	4,642	4,800
Barley	9,448	10,800	Hay & clover	420,978	437,300
Spring rye	565	350	Alfalfa	11,229	12,200
Peas	1,753	1,880	Fodder corn	12,369	14,000
Beans	1,515	1,860	SASKATCHEWAN -		
Buckwheat	44,533	45,200	Spring wheat	14,445,286	14,326,000
Mixed grains	4,055	4,000	Oats	4,255,789	4,531,000
Potatoes	45,215	48,000	Barley	2,228,604	2,016,000
Turnips, etc.	13,790	13,600	Fall rye	452,194	818,000
Hay & clover	559,203	549,200	Spring rye	189,444	192,000
Fodder corn	3,136	3,700	All rye	641,638	1,010,000
			Peas	1,503	1,650

SASKATCHEWAN - (Con.)		Acres	Acres	ALBERTA - (Con.)		Acres	Acres
Beans		824	1,020	Potatoes		27,822	30,100
Mixed grains		22,607	23,000	Turnips, etc.		4,858	3,100
Flaxseed		292,302	431,000	Hay & clover		343,752	351,800
Potatoes		41,637	41,800	Alfalfa		38,072	33,200
Turnips, etc.		3,196	3,830	Fodder corn		13,500	7,200
Hay & clover		460,437	460,900	Sugar beets		6,600	14,500
Alfalfa		10,344	11,400				
Fodder corn		10,065	10,700				
ALBERTA -				BRITISH COLUMBIA -			
Fall wheat		128,253	124,000	Fall wheat		14,369	14,000
Spring wheat		7,422,952	7,040,000	Spring wheat		44,950	47,000
All wheat		7,551,215	7,164,000	All wheat		59,319	61,000
Oats		1,917,744	2,165,000	Oats		89,717	91,000
Barley		703,704	748,000	Barley		9,074	10,000
Fall rye		99,805	137,000	Spring rye		6,013	7,000
Spring rye		95,734	110,000	Peas		3,665	4,000
All rye		195,539	247,000	Beans		650	800
Peas		1,483	1,300	Mixed grains		4,886	5,000
Beans		377	300	Flaxseed		456	300
Mixed grains		15,290	17,900	Potatoes		14,488	18,000
Flaxseed		12,639	28,000	Turnips, etc.		7,226	7,000
				Hay & clover		177,800	183,000
				Alfalfa		29,348	31,000
				Fodder corn		6,727	6,000

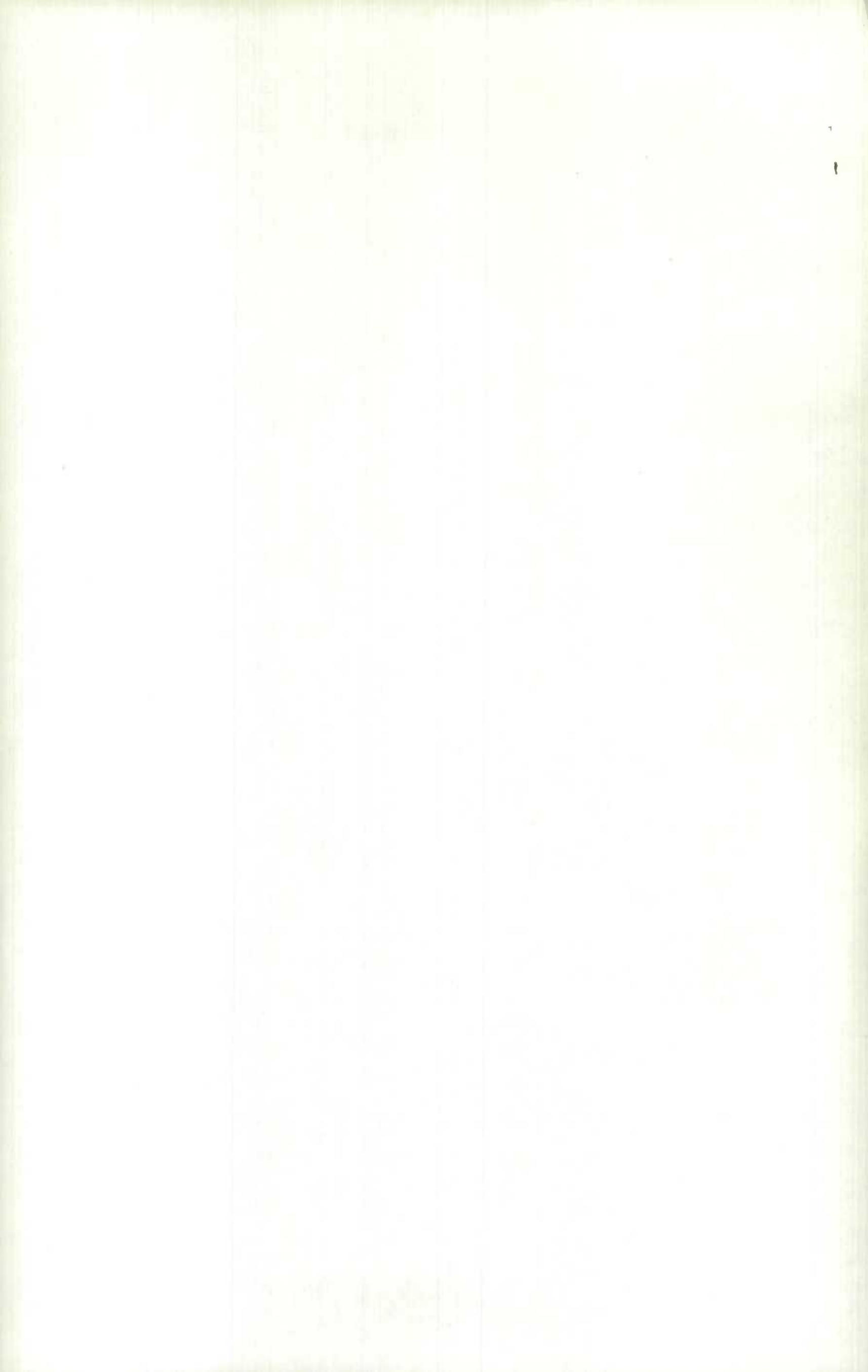
11.- Numbers of Farm Live Stock in Canada, 1929 and 1930.

CLASSIFICATION.- Horses: Stallions, mares and geldings 2 years old and over; colts and fillies under 2 years. Cattle: Bulls, 1 year old and over; milch cows (cows kept mainly for milk purposes); beef cows (cows kept for beef purposes); milk yearlings (yearlings being raised mainly for milk purposes); beef yearlings (yearlings being raised for beef purposes); calves under 1 year; all other horned cattle. Swine: Brood sows that have produced or will produce young in 1930; all other swine.

Description	1929	1930	Description	1929	1930
	No.	No.		No.	No.
CANADA -			CANADA (Con.)		
<u>Horses</u> :			<u>Poultry</u> :		
Stallions	20,561	20,073	Hens	55,242,787	56,247,141
Mares	1,605,825	1,556,260	Turkeys	2,423,029	2,399,497
Geldings	1,447,239	1,406,666	Geese	1,155,244	1,159,867
Colts and fillies	302,862	312,029	Ducks	1,111,903	988,664
Total	3,375,487	3,295,028	Total	59,932,963	60,795,169
Mules	5,587	5,704	Rabbits	53,053	56,410
<u>Cattle</u> :			P. E. ISLAND -		
Bulls	264,630	285,907	<u>Horses</u> :		
Milch cows	3,684,766	3,683,453	Stallions	81	66
Calves	1,990,007	1,935,091	Mares	17,521	17,889
Other cattle	2,885,229	3,032,682	Geldings	12,996	14,165
Total	8,824,632	8,937,133	Colts and fillies	2,643	3,353
			Total	33,241	35,473
Sheep	1,885,439	2,014,786	<u>Cattle</u> :		
Lambs	1,750,484	1,681,263	Bulls	2,887	3,055
Total	3,635,923	3,696,049	Milch cows	44,728	43,263
Goats not milking	7,980	7,966	Beef cows	4,563	4,553
Goats in milking	4,764	5,062	Milk yearlings	13,643	14,221
Total	12,744	13,028	Beef yearlings	7,042	9,119
			Calves	21,334	21,561
<u>Swine</u> :			Other cattle	2,412	3,735
Brood sows	537,253	506,865	Total	96,609	99,917
Other live pigs	3,844,472	3,493,069	Sheep	53,285	47,741
Total	4,381,725	3,999,934	Lambs	44,082	39,273
			Total	97,367	87,000



P.E. ISLAND (Con.)		No.	No.	QUEBEC -		No.	No.
Swine:				Horses:			
Brood sows		8,141	7,102	Stallions		3,074	2,299
Other live pigs		45,144	46,879	Mares		181,247	172,357
Total		54,285	53,981	Geldings		156,609	154,409
Poultry -				Colts and fillies		28,130	32,185
Hens		871,983	917,010	Cattle: Total		369,060	367,250
Turkeys		10,609	13,689	Bulls		98,038	113,404
Geese		31,450	38,412	Milch cows		1,055,770	1,023,770
Ducks		10,210	10,705	Calves		479,470	403,179
Total		924,252	979,816	Other cattle		376,119	473,380
NOVA SCOTIA -				Total		2,009,397	2,018,733
Horses:				Sheep		380,025	479,501
Stallions		546	688	Lambs		484,975	391,272
Mares		27,958	27,309	Total		865,000	870,773
Geldings		21,688	21,293	Swine:			
Colts and fillies		1,912	2,211	Brood sows		92,366	96,496
Total		52,104	51,530	Other live pigs		711,278	606,260
Cattle:				Total		803,644	702,756
Bulls		6,485	6,309	Poultry:			
Milch cows		141,207	140,000	Hens		8,058,000	8,208,504
Beef cows		5,115	5,605	Turkeys		190,000	194,154
Milk yearlings		35,520	35,907	Geese		105,000	105,043
Beef yearlings		18,029	19,070	Ducks		72,000	72,628
Calves		56,427	54,625	Total		8,425,000	8,580,329
Other cattle		23,623	23,484	ONTARIO-			
Total		286,406	285,000	Horses:			
Sheep:		152,886	156,027	Stallions		3,396	3,362
Lambs		124,875	133,594	Mares		310,856	308,328
Total		277,761	289,621	Geldings		240,893	242,972
Swine:				Colts and fillies		51,360	52,057
Brood sows		6,635	5,864	Total		606,505	606,719
Other live pigs		40,823	37,729	Cattle:			
Total		47,458	43,593	Bulls		64,323	64,935
Poultry:				Milch cows		1,237,248	1,222,603
Hens		1,070,097	1,100,000	Beef cows		69,685	72,252
Turkeys		15,618	16,663	Milk yearlings		271,668	278,037
Geese		19,350	19,527	Beef yearlings		265,359	266,766
Ducks		9,106	9,763	Calves		575,522	577,446
Total		1,114,171	1,145,953	Other cattle		187,789	193,449
NEW BRUNSWICK -				Total		2,671,594	2,675,488
Horses:				Sheep		585,881	588,601
Stallions		893	1,100	Lambs		544,514	545,856
Mares		25,500	24,930	Total		1,130,395	1,134,457
Geldings		21,429	21,435	Swine:			
Colts and fillies		2,377	2,348	Brood sows		172,739	172,251
Total		50,199	49,822	Other live pigs		1,508,524	1,489,305
Cattle:				Total		1,681,263	1,661,556
Bulls		8,751	9,667	Poultry:			
Milch cows		105,667	107,338	Hens		20,357,205	20,901,424
Beef cows		4,735	4,811	Turkeys		510,054	521,794
Milk yearlings		27,602	33,096	Geese		587,222	570,924
Beef yearlings		11,914	14,144	Ducks		590,610	566,118
Calves		48,075	48,925	Total		22,045,091	22,560,260
Other cattle		8,842	10,983	MANITOBA -			
Total		215,586	228,964	Horses:			
Sheep		84,164	84,640	Stallions		2,388	2,319
Lambs		67,093	68,675	Mares		168,255	169,936
Total		151,257	153,315	Geldings		152,804	148,143
Swine:				Colts and fillies		37,664	39,545
Brood sows		10,904	11,163	Total		361,111	359,943
Other live pigs		55,563	56,155	Cattle:			
Total		66,467	67,318	Bulls		18,084	22,159
Poultry:				Milch cows		222,672	251,511
Hens		942,775	1,018,142	Calves		179,293	192,753
Turkeys		36,182	43,277	Other cattle		264,405	269,123
Geese		17,445	18,290	Total		684,454	735,546
Ducks		8,992	7,636	Sheep		94,277	121,429
Total		1,005,394	1,087,345	Lambs		87,963	102,018
				Total		182,240	223,447



MANITOBA (Con.)	No.	No.
Swine:		
Brood sows	42,254	37,358
Spring pigs	186,965	166,883
Other live pigs	66,111	57,412
Total	295,330	271,653

Poultry:		
Hens	4,941,076	5,034,934
Turkeys	438,235	434,728
Geese	113,696	113,737
Ducks	91,076	75,259
Total	5,584,083	5,658,658

SASKATCHEWAN -

Horses:		
Stallions	4,577	5,109
Mares	513,743	494,317
Geldings	494,278	470,581
Colts and fillies	1,104,464	1,011,724
Total	1,117,362	1,071,727
Mules	5,395	5,507

Cattle:		
Bulls	32,153	32,468
Milch cows	420,004	429,062
Beef cows	84,852	89,842
Milk yearlings	120,098	129,197
Beef yearlings	122,100	134,233
Calves	295,249	302,367
Other cattle	92,457	97,616
Total	1,166,913	1,214,785

Sheep	116,223	119,077
Lambs	91,328	90,811
Total	207,551	209,888

Swine -		
Brood sows	91,159	84,197
Other live pigs	508,750	413,730
Total	599,909	497,927

Poultry:		
Hens	8,458,029	8,720,734
Turkeys	528,979	513,317
Geese	153,249	155,867
Ducks	162,195	117,100
Total	9,302,452	9,507,018

ALBERTA -

Horses:		
Stallions	4,221	4,647
Mares	337,166	317,500
Geldings	321,487	308,694
Colts and fillies	69,659	67,854
Total	733,133	698,695

Cattle:		
Bulls	26,042	25,604
Milch cows	345,566	343,297
Beef cows	190,339	186,286
Milk yearlings	177,883	177,612
Beef yearlings	209,303	212,561
Calves	268,463	265,690
Other cattle	72,404	72,060
Total	1,290,000	1,238,110

Sheep	308,596	315,000
Lambs	211,404	215,000
Total	520,000	530,000

ALBERTA (Con.)	No.	No.
Swine:		
Brood sows	105,129	84,434
Other live pigs	665,104	551,968
Total	770,233	636,402

Poultry:		
Hens	6,697,998	6,784,024
Turkeys	649,004	614,102
Geese	116,935	127,939
Ducks	133,942	99,295
Total	7,597,879	7,625,360

BRITISH COLUMBIA -

Horses:		
Stallions	485	483
Mares	23,579	23,689
Geldings	25,055	24,974
Colts and fillies	4,653	4,723
Total	53,772	53,869

Mules	192	197
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Cattle:		
Bulls	7,867	8,306
Milch cows	111,904	117,609
Beef cows	92,088	86,162
Milk yearlings	25,025	26,050
Beef yearlings	55,205	50,691
Calves	66,174	63,545
Other cattle	45,410	38,637
Total	403,673	391,000

Sheep	110,102	102,784
Lambs	94,250	94,764
Total	204,352	197,548

Goats in milking	4,764	5,062
Goats not milking	7,980	7,966
Total	12,744	13,028

Swine -		
Brood sows	7,926	8,000
Other live pigs	55,210	56,748
Total	63,136	64,748

Poultry -		
Hens	3,845,624	3,562,369
Turkeys	44,348	47,773
Geese	10,897	10,128
Ducks	33,772	30,160
Total	3,934,641	3,650,430

Rabbits	53,053	56,419
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Agricultural Statistics of the Indian Reserves, 1930

For the eighth successive year returns of the areas sown to field crops and the number of farm live stock in June on the Indian Reserves have been collected from the Indian Agents in co-operation with the Department of Indian Affairs. Subject to final correction for the year 1930, the total results for the principal crops and the numbers of live stock for the whole of the Indian reserves of Canada are as follows:

1. - Areas under Field Crops on Indian Reserves, 1927 - 1930

Crops	1927	1928	1929	1930
	acres	acres	acres	acres
Wheat	42,802	40,045	42,319	42,420
Oats	41,414	37,337	41,406	35,894
Barley	8,321	6,538	8,947	7,838
Rye	1,459	1,734	2,603	2,949
Peas	724	686	702	746
Beans	851	716	717	748
Buckwheat	1,042	818	992	911
Mixed grains	1,567	1,848	1,849	1,028
Corn for husking	1,224	855	954	1,082
Potatoes	5,896	5,450	5,322	5,188
Turnips, etc.	1,038	771	1,135	811
Land for Hay	29,392	28,454	30,058	31,716
Alfalfa	5,682	2,732	2,219	1,751
Grain Hay	643	863	856	1,411
Pasture	36,601	39,202	47,237	39,879
Fodder corn	515	460	403	330

11. - Numbers of Farm Live Stock on Indian Reserves, 1927 - 1930.

	No.	No.	No.	No.
Horses	38,492	36,172	39,821	36,636
Cattle	47,515	43,689	43,345	45,485
Sheep	3,021	3,204	3,049	2,804
Swine	11,452	9,704	13,970	10,476
Poultry	141,621	129,617	170,543	143,729

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