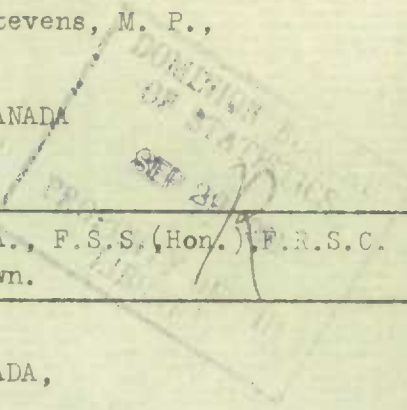


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REPORT ON CONCENTRATED MILK PRODUCTION, CANADA,
AUGUST, 1931.

Number of Factories.- Statistics of the production of concentrated milk in Canada in August, 1931, are based on the returns of the 30 firms whose factories manufactured during the month any of the various items included under the general head of "concentrated milk".

Production.- The combined total of all items made during August, 1931, amounted to 7,703,867 pounds, compared with 10,272,742 pounds in the preceding month and 10,972,960 pounds in August, 1930. Compared with production of a year ago, condensed milk shows a decrease of 62 per cent, evaporated milk a decrease of 16 per cent, and skim milk powder a decrease of 27 per cent. The only items showing increased production over August, 1930, are whole milk powder and condensed buttermilk.

Cumulative Production.- The production of all items included under the classification of "concentrated milk products" in the eight months ended August 31, 1931, amounted to 65,657,608 pounds, compared with 81,868,584 pounds in the corresponding period of 1930. Production during the eight months was greater than in the eight months of 1930 for whole milk powder, buttermilk powder, condensed buttermilk and sugar of milk, and less for all other items.

Imports and Exports.- The trade tables specify four items of concentrated milk, viz., condensed milk, evaporated milk, milk powder and casein. The exports of the first three items in August, 1931, were greater than in the preceding month while the first two were less than in the month of August, 1930. Milk powder shows a slight increase over August, 1930. There were no exports of casein in any one of the three months. Small quantities of condensed milk, milk powder and casein are imported each month, the total of the three items in August, 1931, amounting to 69,872 pounds.

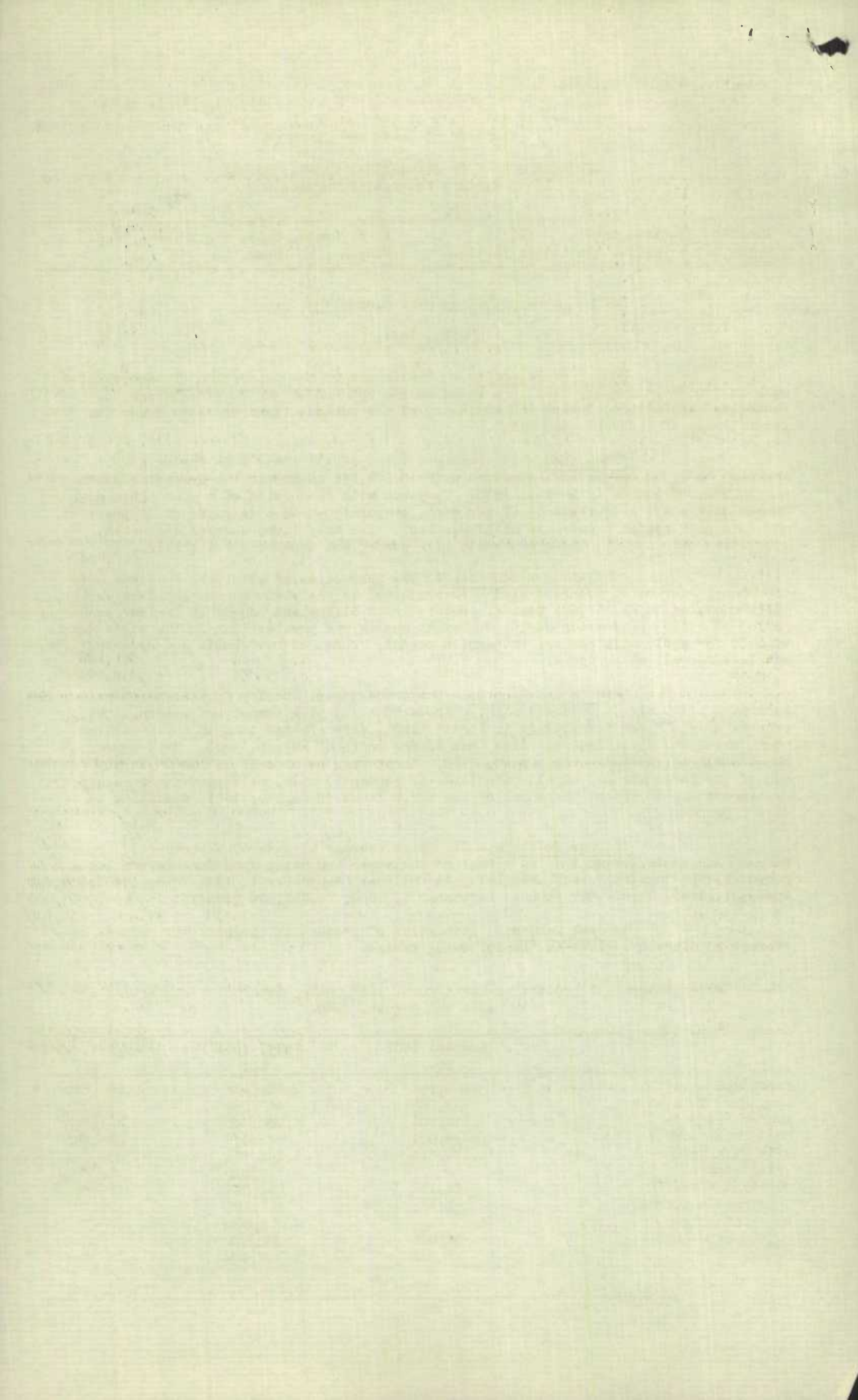
Storage Holdings.- Stocks in storage at date of September 1, 1931, were on the whole larger than at either of the other two dates used for comparative purposes, the totals at each date being as follows: September 1, 1931, 22,869,780 pounds; August 1, 1931, 19,608,038 pounds; September 1, 1930, 20,597,630 pounds.

General Tables.- Statistics of production, imports and exports and storage holdings are given in the following tables.

1. Concentrated Milk Production for August, 1931, with comparative statistics for July, 1931 and August, 1930.

	August, 1931 Lb.	July, 1931 Lb.	August, 1930 Lb.
Condensed Milk	956,552	1,354,486	2,501,279
Condensed Skim milk	237,627	408,864	751,771
Evaporated Milk	4,561,801	6,286,320	5,454,763
Whole Milk powder	349,004	332,056	285,083
Skim Milk powder	1,194,675	1,345,138	1,625,963
Cream powder	-	1,209	4,447
Buttermilk powder	189,122	253,049	229,046
Condensed buttermilk	153,418	156,123	26,677
Sugar of milk	-	8,004	-
Malted milk powder	34,085	80,515	-
Casein	27,583	46,978	33,931
Total.....	7,703,867	10,272,742	10,972,960

Statistics not available.



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Cumulative Production of Concentrated Milk for the eight months ended August 31, 1931,
with comparative statistics for the eight months ended August 31, 1930.

	1 9 3 1 Lbs.	1 9 3 0 Lbs.
Condensed milk.....	10,401,718	14,882,351
Condensed skim milk.....	2,669,318	6,349,285
Evaporated milk.....	35,834,721	43,984,864
Evaporated skim milk.....	265,109	288,551
Whole milk powder.....	2,340,729	2,074,834
Skim milk powder.....	10,373,344	11,561,003
Cream powder.....	39,058	84,005
Buttermilk powder.....	1,546,585	1,088,248
Condensed buttermilk.....	1,143,935	571,569
Sugar of milk.....	112,031	93,419
Malted milk.....	254,733	-
Casein.....	676,327	890,455
T O T A L.....	65,657,608	81,868,584

3. Production by months of the Three Principal Items, viz., Condensed Milk, Evaporated Milk and Skim Milk Powder, for the period January to August, 1931.

	Condensed Milk Lb.	Evaporated Milk Lb.	Skim Milk Powder Lb.
January	880,885	1,757,323	893,144
February	801,263	1,825,740	947,133
March	1,261,039	2,538,051	1,157,730
April	1,522,699	4,259,870	1,377,918
May	1,909,252	6,465,431	1,756,571
June	1,715,542	8,140,185	1,701,035
July	1,354,486	6,286,320	1,345,138
August	956,552	4,561,801	1,194,675

4. Imports and Exports of Concentrated Milk Products, August, 1931, with comparative statistics for July, 1931, and August, 1930.

	Quantity Imported			Quantity Exported		
	Aug. 1931 Lb.	July, 1931 Lb.	Aug. 1930 Lb.	Aug. 1931 Lb.	July 1931 Lb.	Aug. 1930 Lb.
Condensed milk	515	1,567	9,261	912,300	669,700	1,188,500
Evaporated milk	-	-	-	676,200	650,200	1,298,500
Milk powder	66,336	2,661	-	247,700	241,800	242,900
Casein	3,021	19,850	4,673	-	-	-

5. Concentrated Milk Products in Cold Storage Warehouses, September 1, 1931, with comparative statistics for August 1, 1931 and Sept. 1, 1930.

	September 1, 1931 Lb.	August 1, 1931 Lb.	September 1, 1930 Lb.
Condensed whole milk	1,375,029	1,220,527	2,546,032
Evaporated whole milk	14,424,136	11,598,902	14,516,684
Evaporated skim milk	807,703	-	-
Whole milk powder	1,757,490	1,544,693	1,263,849
Skim milk powder	3,899,057	4,529,916	2,271,035
Casein	616,365	714,000	-

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