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The following report on the fisheries of Canada for the year 1938 is issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, in co-operation with the Department of Fisheries.

PRODUCTION

The product of the Canadian fisheries in 1938 had a total value of \$40,552,179, compared with \$38,976,294 in the preceding year. These amounts represent the value of the fish as marketed, whether sold for consumption fresh, or canned, smoked, dried, etc. To the total value in 1938 the product of the sea fisheries contributed \$33,826,989 or 83 per cent, and the product of the inland fisheries \$6,725,190 or 17 per cent. Of first importance is the salmon fishery, with a value of output of \$15,045,385, of which \$14,544,126, or 97 per cent, is credited to British Columbia. The catch of salmon shows an increase over the preceding year of 42,515 cwt., and the value of product, an increase of \$2,675,166. Salmon is marketed chiefly as canned, although a considerable amount is sold for consumption fresh, and smaller quantities are marketed as mild cured and dry salted. The pack of salmon totalled 1,708,835 cases, valued at \$12,274,863, compared with a pack of 1,509,520 cases and a value of \$9,268,404 in 1937. The lobster fishery is next in importance, with a marketed value of \$3,793,219, and following are cod (\$3,335,231), and herring (\$2,487,231). Other kinds having a marketed value of a million dollars or more, are halibut, whitefish, sardines, haddock, trout and pickerel.

First among the provinces, in order of marketed value of fisheries production, is British Columbia, with a total in 1938 of \$18,725,591, or 46 per cent of the total for the Dominion. For the other provinces, the values in relation to total output are as follows: Nova Scotia, 22 per cent; New Brunswick, 10 per cent; Ontario, 8 per cent; Quebec, 5 per cent; Manitoba, 5 per cent; Prince Edward Island, 2 per cent; Alberta, 1 per cent; Saskatchewan, 1 per cent; and the Yukon Territory, 1/10 of 1 per cent. Compared with the preceding year, increases in value of output are shown for British Columbia, Quebec, Manitoba, Prince Edward Island and Alberta, and decreases for the remaining provinces and the Yukon Territory.

The quantity of fish of all kinds, including shell fish, but excluding seals, belugas, whales, dulse and seaweed, landed during the year amounted to 10,741,340 cwt., with a value at the point of landing of \$22,837,890, compared with a catch of 10,918,048 cwt. and a landed value of \$23,193,087 in 1937.

CAPITAL EQUIPMENT AND EMPLOYEES

In Primary Operations:

Capital. - The capital equipment, consisting of vessels, boats, nets, wharves, etc., used in the primary operations of catching and landing the fish in 1938, recorded a total value of \$26,598,944 (\$21,679,805 for the sea fisheries, and \$4,919,139 for the inland fisheries). Compared with the preceding year the value of the investment for the sea fisheries shows a decrease of \$203,132, and for the inland fisheries, an increase of \$5,697, or a decrease for the two combined of \$197,435.

Employees. - The number of men engaged in fishing in 1938 was 71,380, of which total 57,034 are recorded for the sea fisheries, and 14,346 for the inland fisheries. Compared with the preceding year the total shows an increase of 1,399 - an increase of 1,236 for the number engaged in the sea fisheries, and an increase of 163 for the number employed in the inland fisheries.

In Fish Canning and Curing:

Capital. - The value of the capital investment of the fish canning and curing establishments advanced to \$21,962,498 in 1938 from \$18,130,385 in the preceding year. The totals comprise the value of the land, buildings and machinery; materials and products on hand, stocks in process, etc.; and cash and accounts and bills receivable. Following is the distribution of the total amount in 1938 among the various kinds of establishments: salmon canneries, \$11,615,322, or 53 per cent of the total investment; fish curing establishments, \$5,333,983, or 24 per cent; sardine and miscellaneous fish canneries, \$2,181,350, or 10 per cent; lobster canneries, \$1,220,121, or 6 per cent; reduction plants, \$922,042, or 4 per cent; freezing plants, \$404,971, or 2 per cent; and clam canneries, \$284,709, or 1 per cent. The number of establishments in operation was 561, compared with 597 in 1937.

Employees. - The establishments provided employment during the season of operations for a total of 14,491 persons, compared with 14,044 in 1937.

TABLES

Summaries of the principal statistical data of the fisheries are presented in the following tables.

CANADA FISHERIES

1. Quantity and Value of Fish Caught and Marketed, Canada,
1937 and 1938.

Kind of fish	Unit of Measure	Sea Fisheries			
		1937		1938	
		Quantity	Value \$	Quantity	Value \$
Cod, caught and landed	Cwt.	1,523,626	2,079,924	1,702,023	2,135,065
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	113,616	305,571	102,668	264,890
Fresh fillets	Cwt.	85,630	675,881	94,118	797,583
Canned	Cases	4,458	16,320	563	2,477
Green-salted	Cwt.	150,736	430,046	179,215	515,304
Smoked	Cwt.	295	2,670	476	3,658
Smoked fillets	Cwt.	60,602	517,064	55,838	479,765
Dried	Cwt.	189,930	923,496	220,568	942,198
Boneless	Cwt.	23,166	192,114	31,140	252,081
Roe	Cwt.	46	460	-	-
Livers	Cwt.	-	-	150	750
Cod liver meal	ton	2	170	3	160
Cod liver oil, medicinal	Gal.	49,624	30,122	62,614	35,667
Cod oil	Gal.	122,822	46,316	109,120	40,698
Total value marketed		-	3,140,230	-	3,335,231
Haddock, caught and landed	Cwt.	388,823	637,378	393,589	635,514
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	98,956	374,008	106,473	385,893
Fresh fillets	Cwt.	70,756	660,039	67,635	653,370
Canned	Cases	7,196	28,137	+ 22,096	88,824
Green-salted	Cwt.	467	981	1,170	2,252
Smoked	Cwt.	20,379	171,911	24,548	201,360
Smoked fillets	Cwt.	6,752	55,998	2,460	20,006
Dried	Cwt.	1,327	4,602	1,695	4,860
Boneless	Cwt.	53	320	678	3,429
Roe	Cwt.	28	317	185	1,998
Total value marketed		-	1,296,313	-	1,361,992
Hake and Gusk, caught and landed	Cwt.	229,225	109,299	261,898	130,599
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	22,873	23,505	52,521	48,318
Fresh fillets	Cwt.	6,335	39,963	3,751	22,468
Canned	Cases	12,522	53,278	9,119	37,492
Green-salted	Cwt.	42,666	80,589	41,179	76,687
Smoked	Cwt.	-	-	96	480
Smoked fillets	Cwt.	4,611	29,388	3,264	21,463
Dried	Cwt.	21,470	65,264	23,046	62,701
Boneless	Cwt.	1,019	6,291	1,759	9,733
Hake oil	Gal.	1,750	726	2,937	819
Total value marketed		-	299,004	-	280,161

+ Including chicken haddies which contain cod, haddock and hake.

CANADA FISHERIES

1. Quantity and Value of Fish Caught and Marketed, Canada,
1937 and 1938 - Cont'd.

Kind of Fish	Unit of Measure	Sea Fisheries			
		1937		1938	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			\$		\$
Pollock, caught and landed	Cwt.	239,845	99,122	101,334	57,098
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	14,242	16,359	12,429	25,097
Fresh fillets	Cwt.	451	2,861	899	1,121
Green-salted	Cwt.	39,298	71,604	11,344	24,264
Smoked	Cwt.	-	-	4	19
Dried	Cwt.	48,558	130,190	21,142	64,128
Boneless	Cwt.	7	35	23	138
Oil	Gal.	3,125	1,159	1,090	250
Total value marketed		-	222,208	-	115,017
Catfish, caught and landed	Cwt.	3,913	1,885	4,336	1,631
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	628	2,499	1,134	3,306
Fresh fillets	Cwt.	1,095	9,038	1,072	7,859
Total value marketed		-	11,537	-	11,165
Whiting, caught and landed	Cwt.	17	42	20	58
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	17	50	20	62
Halibut, caught and landed	Cwt.	150,583	1,231,715	162,540	1,220,359
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	148,472	1,461,576	152,596	1,402,891
Fresh fillets	Cwt.	663	16,575	6,983	127,209
Canned	Cases	175	1,312	128	822
Livers	Cwt.	2,362	117,290	3,725	182,722
Meal	ton	42	1,269	-	-
Viscera oil	Gal.	-	-	815	57,050
Oil	Gal.	843	168	750	18,750
Total value marketed		-	1,598,190	-	1,789,444
Flounders, Brill, Plaice, caught and landed	Cwt.	13,345	15,521	15,861	21,631
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	7,501	21,151	10,205	32,056
Fresh fillets	Cwt.	1,948	23,292	1,762	26,342
Total value marketed		-	44,443	-	58,398
Skate, (a), caught and landed	Cwt.	18,344	6,115	34,155	9,244
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	2,176	10,330	5,131	7,254

(a) Part used in the production of fish meal and oil.

CANADA FISHERIES

1. Quantity and Value of Fish Caught and marketed, Canada,
1937 and 1938 - Cont'd.

Kind of Fish	Unit of Measure	Sea Fisheries			
		1937		1938	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			\$		\$
Soles, caught and landed	Cwt.	27,456	60,796	23,602	68,662
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	12,585	65,874	8,299	43,240
Fresh fillets	Cwt.	4,957	57,524	5,101	64,717
Total value marketed		-	123,398	-	107,957
Herring, caught and landed	Cwt.	3,007,267	930,034	2,477,977	874,221
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	193,346	252,100	186,670	287,369
Canned (round)	Cases	76,739	292,712	79,878	317,375
Canned (kippered)	Cases	4,911	15,129	15,819	69,957
Smoked (round)	Cwt.	28,792	90,104	27,764	72,757
Smoked (boneless)	Cwt.	1,367	10,026	6,077	70,844
Kippered	Cwt.	6,655	49,847	8,545	71,393
Dry-salted	Cwt.	203,401	203,401	149,700	142,115
Pickled	bb1.	24,318	109,622	34,489	150,778
Used as bait	bb1.	215,755	383,831	200,921	349,253
Fertilizer	bb1.	177,456	93,313	189,524	71,506
Meal	ton	14,427	460,139	11,073	420,277
Oil	Gal.	1,313,337	291,241	1,028,376	154,111
Scales	Cwt.	4,194	12,511	2,936	8,034
Total value marketed		-	2,263,976	-	2,185,769
Mackerel, caught and landed	Cwt.	239,163	384,288	285,565	345,369
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	67,010	188,978	62,312	133,511
Fresh fillets	Cwt.	1,777	22,822	263	1,524
Canned	Cases	898	3,696	634	2,598
Smoked	Cwt.	60	300	40	280
Pickled	bb1.	39,381	262,764	43,268	208,477
Fillets (salted)	bb1.	7,312	117,321	8,631	102,628
Used as bait	bb1.	9,344	39,859	28,814	111,698
Total value marketed		-	635,740	-	560,716
Sardines, caught and landed	bb1.	159,481	211,132	184,450	340,760
Marketed -					
Used fresh and salted	bb1.	74,873	67,688	115,624	195,440
Canned	Cases	423,043	1,458,817	349,887	1,197,689
Total value marketed		-	1,526,505	-	1,393,129

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1. Quantity and Value of Fish Caught and Marketed, Canada,
1937 and 1938 - Cont'd.

Kind of Fish	Unit of Measure	Sea Fisheries			
		1937		1938	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			\$		\$
Pilchards, caught and landed	Cwt.	961,485	421,613	1,035,369	452,999
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	33	150	19	50
Canned	Cases	40,975	110,351	69,473	232,311
Used as bait	Bbl.	1,045	1,090	310	620
Meal	Ton	8,483	277,122	8,891	320,467
Oil	Gal.	1,707,276	513,906	2,195,850	313,559
Total value marketed		-	902,619	-	867,007
Alewives, caught and landed	Cwt.	73,854	41,600	103,426	60,521
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	37,864	29,613	52,129	48,028
Smoked	Cwt.	2,987	7,408	2,968	7,082
Salted	Bbl.	11,046	37,832	16,490	59,495
Total value marketed		-	74,853	-	114,605
Bass, caught and landed	Cwt.	158	766	195	1,002
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	158	1,002	195	1,244
Perch, caught and landed	Cwt.	559	3,632	594	3,905
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	559	3,772	549	3,982
Fresh fillets	Cwt.	-	-	15	90
Total value marketed		-	3,772	-	4,072
Rosefish, caught and landed	Cwt.	970	807	4,779	3,137
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	706	1,412	4,357	8,714
Fresh fillets	Cwt.	88	1,094	141	705
Total value marketed		-	2,506	-	9,419
Salmon, caught and landed	Cwt.	1,722,097	5,674,919	1,765,087	6,749,237
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	290,694	2,182,014	244,735	2,063,032
Canned	Cases	1,509,520	9,268,404	1,708,835	12,274,863
Smoked	Cwt.	88	2,217	116	2,150
Kippered	Cwt.	100	1,300	113	1,269
Mild cured	Cwt.	26,238	440,403	19,684	355,554
Dry-salted	Cwt.	108,983	314,853	80,295	223,648
Pickled	Cwt.	248	3,303	1,087	12,305
Roe	Cwt.	9,360	24,982	9,087	20,196
Used as bait	Cwt.	237	564	50	123
Meal	Ton	1,845	58,838	1,229	46,148
Oil	Gal.	169,239	41,590	114,797	22,142
Total value marketed		-	12,338,468	-	15,021,490

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1. Quantity and Value of Fish Caught and Marketed, Canada,
1937 and 1938 - Cont'd.

Kind of Fish	Unit of Measure	Sea Fisheries			
		1937		1938	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Shad, caught and landed	Cwt.	12,393	\$ 32,907	14,810	\$ 39,928
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	12,164	41,332	13,673	46,479
Salted	Bbl.	76	632	379	3,680
Total value marketed		-	41,964	-	50,159
Smelts, caught and landed	Cwt.	66,433	323,266	70,226	342,933
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	66,433	438,823	70,226	480,605
Sturgeon, caught and landed	Cwt.	152	1,973	251	3,215
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	152	2,046	251	3,625
Trout caught and landed	Cwt.	-	-	318	1,908
Marketed canned	Cases	-	-	460	2,902
Black cod, caught and landed	Cwt.	13,410	54,011	8,463	34,444
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	10,328	60,793	5,887	38,672
Smoked	Cwt.	1,633	21,912	1,288	16,854
Livers	Cwt.	298	12,546	397	14,521
Liver oil	Gal.	-	-	50	1,250
Total value marketed		-	95,251	-	71,297
Ling cod, caught and landed	Cwt.	42,858	238,186	46,516	208,508
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	42,750	254,172	46,486	248,895
Smoked	Cwt.	54	729	15	180
Livers	Cwt.	518	20,916	830	33,661
Liver oil	Gal.	-	-	31	775
Total value marketed		-	275,817	-	283,511
Red and rock cod, caught and landed	Cwt.	1,801	5,562	6,874	17,474
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	1,801	7,554	6,806	19,242
Smoked	Cwt.	-	-	34	408
Livers	Cwt.	11	422	26	436
Liver oil	Gal.	-	-	88	2,200
Total value marketed		-	7,976	-	22,286
Tuna, caught and landed	Cwt.	8,978	24,990	5,331	19,212
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	8,496	35,558	5,331	22,081
Canned	Cases	995	5,970	-	-
Livers	Cwt.	23	345	25	375
Total value marketed		-	41,873	-	22,456

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1. Quantity and Value of Fish Caught and Marketed, Canada,
1937 and 1938 - Cont'd.

Kind of Fish	Unit of Measure	Sea Fisheries			
		1937		1938	
		Quantity	Value \$	Quantity	Value \$
Capelin, Launce and Silver- sides, caught and landed	Cwt.	31,876	13,211	35,516	19,448
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	31,876	15,468	35,516	23,732
Eels, caught and landed	Cwt.	2,050	11,310	2,501	14,467
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	2,050	12,745	2,501	16,380
Grayfish, caught and landed	Cwt.	148,913	39,332	197,110	34,431
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	4,420	1,399	49,351	2,980
Livers	Cwt.	1,789	10,702	9,333	49,271
Meal	ton	1,068	38,120	1,874	63,807
Oil	Gal.	134,274	31,017	133,010	20,602
Total value marketed		-	81,238	-	136,660
Octopus, caught and landed	Cwt.	202	866	223	927
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	202	923	223	1,016
Oulachons, caught and landed	Cwt.	120	300	209	716
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	120	337	209	760
Squid, caught and landed	Cwt.	1,308	1,528	2,484	2,543
Used as bait	Cwt.	1,308	1,897	2,484	3,704
Swordfish, caught and landed	Cwt.	15,020	170,198	10,929	101,529
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	15,020	236,095	10,929	132,178
Livers	Cwt.	138	2,070	39	585
Total value marketed		-	238,165	-	132,763
Tom cod, caught and landed	Cwt.	9,264	14,757	14,523	37,259
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	9,264	23,472	14,523	48,454
Mixed fish (a), caught and landed (Not including any kinds mentioned elsewhere)	Cwt.	51,165	54,935	64,649	56,310
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	10,110	50,170	10,499	50,880
Abalone, caught and landed	Bbl.	53	133	-	-
Marketed canned	Cases	53	477	-	-

(a) Part used in the production of fish meal and oil.

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1. Quantity and Value of Fish Caught and Marketed, Canada,
1937 and 1938 - Cont'd.

Kind of Fish	Unit of Measure	Sea Fisheries			
		1937		1938	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			\$		\$
Clams, caught and landed	Cwt.	142,472	114,506	150,528	118,187
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	74,162	64,558	73,773	63,038
Canned	Cases	35,908	168,359	43,292	203,591
Chowder	Cases	1,898	7,267	5,102	18,932
Total value marketed		-	240,184	-	285,561
Crabs, caught and landed	Cwt.	8,696	31,767	9,675	25,824
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	5,448	27,352	5,942	21,657
Canned	Cases	1,564	25,296	2,173	33,704
Total value marketed		-	52,648	-	55,361
Lobsters, caught and landed	Cwt.	309,950	3,749,618	314,385	2,864,070
Marketed -					
In shell	Cwt.	123,553	2,366,529	118,591	1,864,278
Meat	Cwt.	1,858	122,476	2,128	140,851
Canned	Cases	88,581	2,084,120	92,004	1,733,797
Tomalley	Cases	6,132	60,304	6,048	54,293
Total value marketed		-	4,633,429	-	3,793,219
Oysters, caught and landed	Bbl.	24,687	138,751	24,476	127,696
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Bbl.	24,100	174,209	22,862	166,324
Canned	Cases	587	5,870	1,426	9,296
Total value marketed		-	180,079	-	175,620
Quahaugs, caught and landed	Cwt.	4,564	3,401	6,514	4,617
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	1,932	1,310	3,112	3,079
Canned	Cases	1,316	7,907	1,485	8,984
Total value marketed		-	9,217	-	12,063
Scallops, caught and landed	Gal.	183,755	279,014	95,686	124,000
Marketed -					
Shelled	Gal.	183,695	296,409	95,190	139,359
Canned	Cases	15	120	115	1,150
Total value marketed		-	296,529	-	140,509

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1. Quantity and Value of Fish Caught and Marketed, Canada,
1937 and 1938 - Cont'd.

Kind of Fish	Unit of Measure	Sea Fisheries			
		1937		1938	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			\$		\$
Shrimps, caught and landed	Cwt.	1,212	13,911	1,504	15,333
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	652	9,670	864	12,431
Canned	Cases	222	5,760	460	6,554
Total value marketed		-	15,430	-	18,985
Tongues and Sounds, pickled or dried	Cwt.	687	4,970	1,137	6,566
Winkles, caught and landed	Cwt.	632	1,169	296	591
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	632	1,169	296	597
Dulse, green	Cwt.	4,471	4,883	3,043	2,777
Marketed dried	Cwt.	677	10,480	453	5,171
Seaweed, green	Cwt.	4,800	530	11,158	1,584
Marketed -					
Dried	Cwt.	60	45	385	3,610
Meal	ton	127	5,080	107	6,920
Fertilizer	ton	25	150	-	-
Total value marketed		-	5,275	-	10,530
Fur Seals, caught and landed	No.	2,671	12,431	1,367	3,076
Skins marketed	No.	2,671	12,431	1,367	3,076
Hair Seals, caught and landed	No.	17,794	34,299	22,831	49,562
Marketed -					
Skins	No.	17,794	30,443	22,831	37,115
Oil	Gal.	75,699	22,978	93,593	16,801
Total value marketed		-	53,421	-	53,916
Belugas, caught and landed	No.	423	6,345	2	15
Marketed -					
Skins	No.	423	2,130	2	20
Oil	Gal.	19,120	4,810	80	24
Total value marketed		-	6,940	-	44
Whales, caught and landed	No.	317	220,251	310	184,074
Marketed -					
Bone meal	ton	268	5,896	273	6,006
Fertilizer	ton	527	17,128	512	15,360
Oil	Gal.	662,355	197,227	543,378	162,708
Total value marketed		-	220,251	-	184,074

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1. Quantity and Value of Fish Caught and Marketed, Canada,
1937 and 1938 - Cont'd.

Kind of Fish	Unit of Measure	Sea Fisheries			
		1937		1938	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Miscellaneous fish products --			\$		\$
Fish oil, n.e.s.	Gal.	4,050	1,479	9,480	2,218
Fish meal, n.e.s.	Ton	6,562	309,639	5,823	294,532
Fish fertilizer, n.e.s.	Ton	159	1,272	192	1,251
Fish offal	Ton	12,678	21,005	14,344	24,886
Fish skins and bones	Cwt.	21,421	24,690	18,635	21,273
Other products		-	59,723	-	162,215
Total Value of Sea Fish --					
Caught and landed		-	17,508,929	-	17,567,670
Marketed		-	31,984,047	-	33,826,939
Kind of Fish	Unit of Measure	Inland Fisheries			
		1937		1938	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Alewives, caught and landed	Cwt.	1,036	1,845	1,094	1,809
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	1,036	1,845	1,094	1,809
Bass, caught and landed	Cwt.	390	4,260	484	4,995
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	390	4,260	484	4,995
Blue pickerel, caught and	Cwt.	94,496	718,170	73,171	453,660
landed	Cwt.	94,496	812,665	73,171	497,564
Marketed fresh					
Carp, caught and landed	Cwt.	17,844	57,074	17,556	46,491
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	17,844	62,508	17,556	51,853
Catfish, caught and landed	Cwt.	11,519	76,856	10,976	60,623
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	11,519	82,448	10,976	65,654
Fresh water Drum, caught	Cwt.	200	564	106	211
and landed	Cwt.	200	836	106	319
Marketed fresh					
Eels, caught and landed	Cwt.	18,930	130,783	19,563	140,292
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	18,930	131,532	19,563	140,818

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1. Quantity and Value of Fish Caught and Marketed, Canada,
1937 and 1938 - Cont'd.

Kind of Fish	Unit of Measure	Inland Fisheries			
		1937		1938	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			\$		\$
Goldeyes, caught and landed	Cwt.	5,535	31,050	4,530	33,874
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	2,066	14,243	968	7,366
Smoked	Cwt.	2,168	44,609	2,282	53,380
Total value marketed		-	58,852	-	60,746
Herring, caught and landed	Cwt.	50,236	218,144	55,700	207,401
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	50,236	292,907	55,700	301,462
Ling, caught and landed	Cwt.	3,524	3,558	3,603	3,179
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	3,524	3,664	3,603	3,665
Maskinonge, caught and landed	Cwt.	-	-	535	5,740
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	-	-	535	5,740
Mixed fish, caught and landed (graylings, bull-heads, ouananiche, etc.)	Cwt.	47,960	244,386	52,118	306,081
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	47,960	273,469	52,118	337,324
Mulletts, caught and landed	Cwt.	20	20	3	3
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	20	20	3	5
Perch, caught and landed	Cwt.	34,672	239,083	43,067	283,913
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	34,672	273,448	43,067	331,491
Pickrel, caught and landed	Cwt.	143,020	795,929	128,812	713,228
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	143,020	1,043,532	128,812	1,031,868
Pike, caught and landed	Cwt.	51,320	164,124	62,283	173,335
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	51,320	215,306	62,283	233,929
Salmon, caught and landed	Cwt.	2,116	31,751	1,641	23,895
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	2,116	31,751	1,641	23,895
Saugers, caught and landed	Cwt.	82,676	325,802	95,007	408,963
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	82,676	377,884	95,007	488,786

CANADA FISHERIES

1. Quantity and Value of Fish Caught and Marketed, Canada,
1937 and 1938 - concluded

Kind of Fish	Unit of Measure	Inland Fisheries			
		1937		1938	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
			\$		\$
Shad, caught and landed	Cwt.	5,132	23,621	4,680	20,763
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	4,382	21,371	4,080	18,963
Salted	Bbl.	250	2,250	200	1,800
Total value marketed		-	23,621	-	20,763
Smelts, caught and landed	Cwt.	910	5,650	1,030	5,880
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	910	5,650	1,030	5,880
Sturgeon, caught and landed	Cwt.	6,194	62,229	7,326	70,479
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	6,194	67,344	7,326	83,770
Caviar	Lb.	3,181	3,256	4,203	4,333
Total value marketed		-	70,600	-	88,103
Suckers, caught and landed	Cwt.	13,693	15,531	23,121	23,488
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	13,693	21,532	23,121	33,383
Tom cod, caught and landed	Cwt.	-	-	4,290	21,450
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	-	-	4,290	21,450
Trout, caught and landed	Cwt.	70,588	887,440	72,745	856,314
Marketed fresh	Cwt.	70,588	1,031,740	72,745	1,034,840
Tullibee, caught and landed	Cwt.	55,966	224,764	57,932	215,187
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	53,015	271,899	54,850	269,160
Smoked	Cwt.	1,844	12,389	1,926	14,676
Total value marketed		-	284,288	-	283,836
Whitefish, caught and landed	Cwt.	173,675	1,421,524	154,244	1,188,966
Marketed -					
Used fresh	Cwt.	173,653	1,887,615	154,225	1,654,302
Smoked	Cwt.	14	274	12	210
Total value marketed		-	1,887,889	-	1,654,512
Total Value of Inland Fish -					
Caught and landed		-	5,684,158	-	5,270,220
Marketed		-	6,992,247	-	6,725,190
Total Value of All Fish -					
Caught and landed		-	23,193,087	-	22,837,890
Marketed		-	38,976,294	-	40,552,179

CANADA FISHERIES

2. Quantity (a) and Value (b) of Chief Commercial Fishes, Canada, 1935 to 1938.

Kind of Fish		1935	1936	1937	1938	Increase or decrease 1938 compared with 1937 Increase (+) Decrease (-)
Salmon	Cwt. \$	1,824,205 12,540,307	2,029,704 13,867,513	1,724,213 12,370,219	1,766,728 15,045,385	+ 42,515 + 2,675,166
Lobsters	Cwt. \$	319,969 4,378,742	283,273 4,383,428	309,950 4,633,429	314,385 3,793,219	+ 4,435 - 840,210
Cod	Cwt. \$	1,539,150 2,758,140	1,699,974 3,331,750	1,523,626 3,140,230	1,702,023 3,335,231	+ 178,397 + 195,001
Herring	Cwt. \$	2,060,320 1,817,540	2,852,381 2,576,533	3,057,503 2,556,883	2,533,677 2,487,231	- 523,826 - 69,652
Halibut	Cwt. \$	132,130 1,285,587	138,468 1,441,310	150,583 1,598,190	162,540 1,789,444	+ 11,957 + 191,254
Whitefish	Cwt. \$	147,456 1,432,072	144,603 1,525,700	173,675 1,887,889	154,244 1,654,512	- 19,431 - 233,377
Sardines	Bbl. \$	187,666 1,335,798	247,238 1,598,562	159,481 1,526,505	184,450 1,393,129	+ 24,969 - 133,376
Haddock	Cwt. \$	368,426 1,129,695	403,010 1,291,905	388,823 1,296,313	393,589 1,361,992	+ 4,766 + 65,679
Trout	Cwt. \$	66,325 768,568	72,973 842,738	70,588 1,031,740	73,063 1,037,742	+ 2,475 + 6,002
Pickarel	Cwt. \$	109,548 801,822	145,635 1,109,397	143,020 1,043,532	128,812 1,031,868	- 14,208 - 11,664
Pilchards	Cwt. \$	911,411 670,328	889,037 667,313	961,485 902,619	1,035,369 867,007	+ 73,884 - 35,612
Mackerel	Cwt. \$	160,495 308,721	227,638 461,866	239,163 635,740	285,565 560,716	+ 46,402 - 75,024
Blue pickerel	Cwt. \$	51,230 302,259	68,995 614,055	94,496 812,665	73,171 497,564	- 21,325 - 315,101
Saugers	Cwt. \$	35,044 155,975	47,711 263,579	82,676 377,884	95,007 488,786	+ 12,331 + 110,902
Smelts	Cwt. \$	79,409 588,333	94,868 655,656	67,343 444,473	71,256 486,485	+ 3,913 + 42,012

(a) Quantity caught. (b) Value marketed.

CANADA FISHERIES

Quantity (a) and Value (b) of Chief Commercial Fishes, Canada, 1935 to 1938.
(Concl'd.)

Kind of Fish		1935	1936	1937	1938	Increase or Decrease 1938 compared with 1937	
						Increase (+)	Decrease (-)
Perch	Cwt.	72,001	32,258	35,231	43,661	+	8,430
	\$	401,034	268,653	277,220	335,563	+	58,343
Clams	Cwt.	137,944	143,274	142,472	150,528	+	8,056
	\$	173,626	192,910	240,184	285,561	+	45,377
Tullibee	Cwt.	39,721	59,265	55,966	57,932	+	1,966
	\$	225,808	276,464	284,288	283,836	-	452
Ling cod	Cwt.	62,841	68,932	42,858	46,516	+	3,658
	\$	326,029	332,147	275,817	283,511	+	7,694
Hake and Cusk	Cwt.	189,756	228,047	229,225	261,898	+	32,673
	\$	221,341	316,200	299,004	280,161	-	18,843
Pike	Cwt.	44,761	54,370	51,320	62,283	+	10,963
	\$	181,263	225,589	215,306	233,929	+	18,623
Oysters	Bbl.	27,113	26,965	24,687	24,476	-	211
	\$	178,126	189,922	180,079	175,620	-	4,459
Eels	Cwt.	25,091	23,440	20,980	22,064	+	1,084
	\$	162,370	153,495	144,277	157,198	+	12,921
Scallops	Gal.	133,225	170,762	183,755	95,686	-	88,069
	\$	207,641	334,424	296,529	140,509	-	156,020
Grayfish	Cwt.	107,400	145,701	148,913	197,110	+	48,197
	\$	58,079	86,783	81,238	136,660	+	55,422
Swordfish	Cwt.	22,339	17,853	15,020	10,929	-	4,091
	\$	264,097	230,798	238,165	132,763	-	105,402
Alewives	Cwt.	83,086	88,860	74,890	104,520	+	29,630
	\$	98,244	93,628	76,698	116,414	+	39,716
Pollock	Cwt.	82,048	126,345	239,845	101,334	-	138,511
	\$	82,745	114,200	222,208	115,017	-	107,191
Soles	Cwt.	16,578	24,301	27,456	23,602	-	3,854
	\$	79,246	108,409	123,398	107,957	-	15,441

(a) Quantity caught. (b) Value marketed.

CANADA FISHERIES

3. Value of the Canadian Fisheries, by Provinces, 1935 to 1938.

Province	1935	1936	1937	1938	Increase or decrease 1938 compared with 1937 Increase (+) Decrease (-)
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
British Columbia	15,169,529	17,231,534	16,155,439	18,725,591	+ 2,570,152
Nova Scotia	7,852,899	8,905,268	9,229,834	8,804,231	- 425,603
New Brunswick	3,949,615	4,399,735	4,447,688	3,996,064	- 451,624
Ontario	2,852,007	3,209,422	3,615,666	3,353,775	- 261,891
Quebec	1,947,259	2,108,404	1,892,036	1,958,629	+ 66,593
Manitoba	1,258,335	1,667,371	1,796,012	1,811,124	+ 15,112
Prince Edward Island	899,685	953,029	870,299	930,874	+ 60,575
Alberta	225,741	309,882	433,354	492,943	+ 59,589
Saskatchewan	252,059	367,025	527,199	473,658	- 53,541
Yukon Territory	20,725	13,385	8,767	5,290	- 3,477
Total	34,427,854	39,165,055	38,976,294	40,552,179	+ 1,575,885

4. Value of the Fisheries, Canada, 1921 to 1938.

Year	Value	Year	Value
	\$		\$
1921	34,931,935	1930	47,804,216
1922	41,800,210	1931	30,517,306
1923	42,565,545	1932	25,957,109
1924	44,534,235	1933	27,496,946
1925	47,942,131	1934	34,022,323
1926	56,360,633	1935	34,427,854
1927	49,123,609	1936	39,165,055
1928	55,050,973	1937	38,976,294
1929	53,518,521	1938	40,552,179

5. Capital Equipment of the Fisheries, Canada, 1937 and 1938.

Kind	Sea Fisheries			
	1937		1938	
	Number	Value \$	Number	Value \$
Steam trawlers	3	75,000	3	69,000
Steam fishing vessels	6	150,000	6	150,000
Sailing, gasoline and diesel vessels	999	4,337,314	1,133	3,960,120
Boats, gasoline and diesel	19,880	7,610,194	19,875	7,486,346
Boats, sail and row	13,695	384,626	14,518	390,424
Collecting vessels and scows	456	690,274	425	882,274
Gill nets	69,410	855,658	69,584	857,589
Salmon drift nets	12,543	1,043,442	13,511	1,323,470
Salmon trap nets	959	391,480	987	397,490
Trap nets, other	509	263,620	639	281,170
Smelt nets	15,725	357,650	15,974	366,638

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5. Capital Equipment of the Fisheries, Canada, 1937 and 1938. Cont'd.

Kind	Sea Fisheries			
	1937		1938	
	Number	Value	Number	Value
		\$		\$
Pound nets	51	7,650	49	7,350
Oulachon nets	27	810	28	840
Shrimp nets	28	2,350	23	1,975
Salmon purse seines	208	259,200	262	301,200
Salmon drag seines	21	10,750	9	5,350
Small draggers	-	-	15	6,850
Seines, other	882	257,675	888	241,425
Weirs	393	319,695	490	380,025
Skates of gear	3,654	66,044	3,034	58,475
Tubs of trawl	21,770	293,383	22,828	307,172
Other trawl	13	2,150	-	-
Hand lines	70,197	174,415	70,629	175,343
Crab traps	8,741	33,272	6,778	26,545
Eel traps	625	5,898	782	1,112
Lobster traps	2,210,517	2,580,096	2,094,070	2,315,970
Lobster pounds	52	67,280	33	35,275
Oyster rakes	1,873	5,803	1,879	5,852
Scallop drags	1,025	23,362	662	20,799
Quahaug rakes	170	583	277	896
Fishing piers and wharves	1,753	594,310	1,721	573,675
Freezers and ice houses	715	256,880	727	251,945
Small fish and smoke houses	7,405	699,358	7,443	699,473
Other gear	-	62,215	-	67,737
Total Value	-	21,882,937	-	21,679,805

Kind	Inland Fisheries			
	1937		1938	
	Number	Value	Number	Value
		\$		\$
Fish carriers	27	126,700	27	124,850
Tugs	91	609,633	101	685,010
Gasoline boats	1,575	900,418	1,629	903,126
Skiffs and canoes	3,753	109,871	3,602	109,179
Gill nets	-	1,791,202	-	1,793,774
Pounds nets	1,094	555,927	1,112	534,580
Trap nets	1	700	1	800
Hoop nets	1,136	27,283	1,462	30,969
Dip and roll nets	93	1,184	68	298
Nets, other	767	22,940	-	-
Seines	344	26,986	317	23,319
Lines	1,250	8,377	1,849	13,263
Weirs	512	89,290	342	67,500
Eel traps	187	1,000	260	1,100
Spears	86	603	325	1,396
Fish wheels	10	850	8	680
Fishing piers and wharves	500	152,373	578	155,252
Freezers and ice houses	855	432,195	940	412,753
Small fish and smoke houses	157	55,910	195	61,290
Total Value	-	4,913,442	-	4,919,139

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5. Capital Equipment of the Fisheries, Canada, 1937
and 1938 - Concl'd.

Kind	1937		1938	
	Number	Value	Number	Value
		\$		\$
Lobster canneries	277	1,660,901	215	1,220,121
Salmon canneries	72	8,399,825	102	11,615,322
Clam canneries	21	206,056	25	284,709
Sardine and other fish canneries	12	1,837,321	11	2,181,350
Fish curing establishments	178	4,500,166	172	5,333,983
Freezing plants	19	412,557	18	404,971
Reduction plants	18	1,113,559	18	922,042
Total	597	18,130,385	561	21,962,498

6. Number of Employees in the Fisheries,
Canada, 1937 and 1938.

	1937			1938		
	Sea	Inland	Total	Sea	Inland	Total
	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number	Number
Men employed on vessels, boats, etc.	55,798	14,183	69,981	57,034	14,346	71,380
Persons employed in fish canning and curing establishments	14,044	-	14,044	14,491	-	14,491
Total	69,842	14,183	84,025	71,525	14,346	85,871

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