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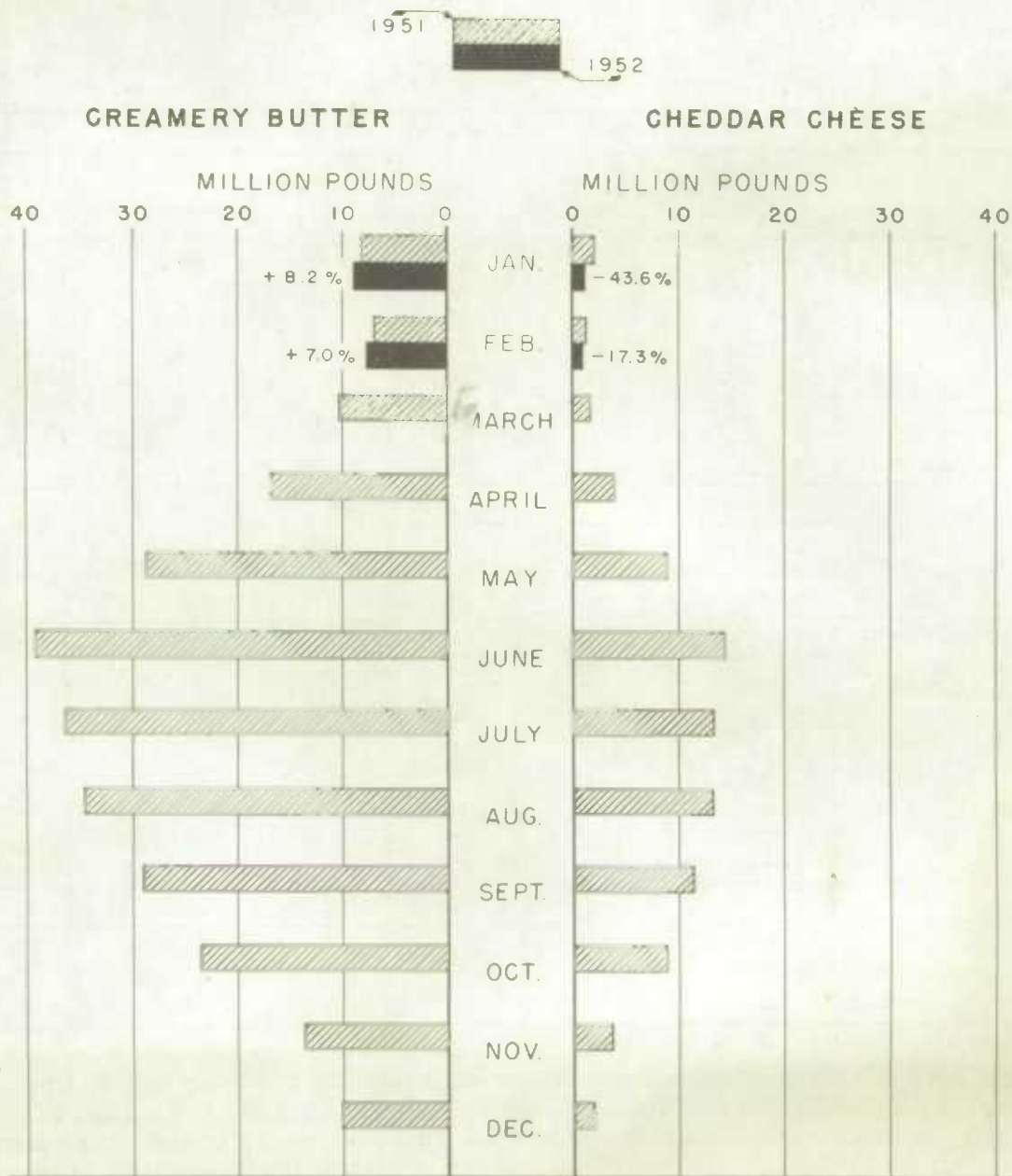


Table 1 - CREAMERY BUTTER, CHEDDAR CHEESE AND ICE CREAM PRODUCTION BY PROVINCES
February and January to February, 1952 Compared with 1951

| | February | | | January-February | | |
|------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------------|-----------|-----------|
| | 1952 | 1951 | % of 1951 | 1952 | 1952 | % of 1951 |
| CREAMERY BUTTER | | | | | | |
| | '000 lb. | '000 lb. | % | '000 lb. | '000 lb. | % |
| CANADA | 7,567 | 7,070 | 107 | 16,397 | 15,228 | 108 |
| Prince Edward Island | 156 | 139 | 112 | 376 | 334 | 113 |
| Nova Scotia | 243 | 280 | 87 | 586 | 612 | 96 |
| New Brunswick | 158 | 161 | 98 | 371 | 377 | 98 |
| Quebec | 718 | 600 | 120 | 2,338 | 1,877 | 125 |
| Ontario | 3,025 | 2,663 | 114 | 6,262 | 5,677 | 110 |
| Manitoba | 954 | 742 | 129 | 1,809 | 1,461 | 124 |
| Saskatchewan | 1,077 | 1,074 | 100 | 2,025 | 2,051 | 99 |
| Alberta | 1,117 | 1,228 | 91 | 2,191 | 2,436 | 90 |
| British Columbia | 119 | 183 | 65 | 439 | 403 | 109 |
| CHEDDAR CHEESE | | | | | | |
| | '000 lb. | '000 lb. | % | '000 lb. | '000 lb. | % |
| CANADA | 1,037 | 1,254 | 83 | 2,167 | 3,256 | 67 |
| Prince Edward Island | 1) | 4 | - | - | 11 | - |
| New Brunswick | 20 | 32 | 62 | 41 | 76 | 54 |
| Quebec | 100 | 200 | 50 | 265 | 801 | 33 |
| Ontario | 741 | 849 | 87 | 1,533 | 2,024 | 76 |
| Manitoba | 53 | 10 | 530 | 90 | 20 | 450 |
| Saskatchewan | 6 | 12 | 50 | 14 | 22 | 64 |
| Alberta | 82 | 111 | 74 | 157 | 231 | 68 |
| British Columbia | 35 | 36 | 97 | 67 | 71 | 94 |
| ICE CREAM | | | | | | |
| | '000 gal. | '000 gal. | % | '000 gal. | '000 gal. | % |
| CANADA | 1,330 | 1,115 | 119 | 2,459 | 2,241 | 110 |
| Prince Edward Island | 7 | 8 | 88 | 13 | 14 | 93 |
| Nova Scotia | 77 | 76 | 101 | 144 | 151 | 95 |
| New Brunswick | 35 | 38 | 92 | 66 | 73 | 90 |
| Quebec | 224 | 164 | 137 | 415 | 333 | 125 |
| Ontario | 484 | 416 | 116 | 912 | 859 | 106 |
| Manitoba | 109 | 88 | 124 | 202 | 191 | 106 |
| Saskatchewan | 96 | 80 | 120 | 194 | 150 | 129 |
| Alberta | 132 | 118 | 112 | 237 | 222 | 107 |
| British Columbia | 166 | 127 | 131 | 276 | 248 | 111 |
| DOMESTIC DISAPPEARANCE - CANADA 2) | | | | | | |
| Product | '000 | '000 | % | '000 | '000 | % |
| Creamery Butter - lb. | 20,264* | 20,232 | 100 | 39,759 | 41,945 | 95 |
| Ice Cream - gal. | 1,309 | 1,068 | 123 | 2,446 | 2,234 | 109 |

1) No cheese made during February. 2) Based on preliminary data.

* Domestic Disappearance of creamery butter adjusted to a 28-day month in February, 1952, would reduce this amount to 19,568,000 lb., a decline of 3.3% from last year; and ice cream disappearance on an adjusted basis would amount to 1,264,000 lb., an increase of 18.35%. Note: Domestic Disappearance Data are based on production, stocks and imports only. February imports amounted to 2½ million lbs. making a total of 4½ million lbs. since January, 1952.

Table 11 - PRODUCTION OF CONCENTRATED MILK PRODUCTS IN CANADA

February and January-February, 1952 Compared with 1951

| Products | February | | | January-February | | |
|--|----------|----------|-----------|------------------|----------|-----------|
| | 1952 | 1951 | % of 1951 | 1952 | 1951 | % of 1951 |
| | '000 lb. | '000 lb. | % | '000 lb. | '000 lb. | % |
| TOTAL ALL PRODUCTS | 16,918 | 15,313 | 110 | 34,631 | 32,436 | 107 |
| WHOLE MILK PRODUCTS ¹ | 13,405 | 12,396 | 108 | 26,794 | 25,725 | 104 |
| Condensed Milk | 973 | 824 | 118 | 2,028 | 1,739 | 117 |
| Case | 502 | 467 | 107 | 1,162 | 1,101 | 106 |
| Bulk | 471 | 357 | 132 | 866 | 638 | 136 |
| Evaporated Milk | 11,859 | 10,778 | 110 | 23,231 | 21,888 | 106 |
| Case | 11,342 | 10,598 | 107 | 22,085 | 21,445 | 103 |
| Bulk | 517 | 180 | 287 | 1,146 | 443 | 259 |
| Whole Milk Powder | 416 | 496 | 84 | 950 | 1,225 | 78 |
| Spray | 346 | 454 | 76 | 812 | 1,124 | 72 |
| Roller | 70 | 42 | 167 | 138 | 101 | 137 |
| Unclassified Products of Variable Fat Content | 115 | 261 | 44 | 494 | 789 | 63 |
| MILK BY-PRODUCTS ¹ | 3,513 | 2,917 | 120 | 7,837 | 6,711 | 117 |
| Condensed Skim Milk | 229 | 274 | 84 | 464 | 506 | 92 |
| Evaporated Skim Milk | 686 | 696 | 99 | 1,458 | 1,422 | 103 |
| Skim Milk Powder | 1,924 | 1,399 | 138 | 4,385 | 3,391 | 129 |
| Spray | 1,204 | 790 | 152 | 2,779 | 1,900 | 146 |
| Roller | 688 | 592 | 116 | 1,492 | 1,442 | 103 |
| Feed | 32 | 17 | 188 | 114 | 49 | 233 |
| Condensed Buttermilk | (*) | 228 | - | (*) | 579 | - |
| Powdered Buttermilk | 185 | 174 | 106 | 371 | 348 | 107 |
| Whey Powder | 62 | 72 | 86 | 160 | 281 | 57 |
| Casein | 127 | 74 | 172 | 295 | 184 | 160 |

¹ Malted Milk and Cream Powder not shown separately in this statement, are included in total whole milk products, while Sugar of Milk is included in Milk By-Products.

(*) Less than three firms reported.

Table 111 - WHEY BUTTER PRODUCTION BY PROVINCES

February and January to February, 1952, with Comparisons for 1951

| Month | Year | Canada | Quebec | Ontario | Manitoba | Alberta | B.C. |
|------------------|------|--------|--------|---------|----------|---------|------|
| | lb. | lb. | lb. | lb. | lb. | lb. | lb. |
| February | 1952 | 28,200 | 3,000 | 22,600 | 1,200 | 1,000 | 400 |
| | 1951 | 40,100 | 5,000 | 33,000 | 300 | 1,400 | 400 |
| January-February | 1952 | 92,100 | 8,000 | 78,600 | 2,200 | 2,400 | 900 |
| | 1951 | 94,300 | 19,000 | 71,000 | 900 | 2,600 | 800 |

Table IV - WHOLE MILK EQUIVALENTS OF DAIRY FACTORY PRODUCTS

In Thousands of Pounds February, 1952 and 1951

| Year | Total | Creamery Butter | Cheddar Cheese | Concentrated Products | Ice Cream |
|------|---------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------------|-----------|
| 1952 | 245,237 | 177,295 | 11,552 | 32,450 | 23,940 |
| 1951 | 230,189 | 165,650 | 13,970 | 30,499 | 20,070 |

Table V. - APPROXIMATE WHOLESALE PRICES OF DAIRY PRODUCTS F.C.B. MONTREAL

| Month | A - Creamery Butter 1/ | | | B - Cheddar Cheese 2/ | | |
|----------|------------------------|------------------|---------|-----------------------|------------------|------------------|
| | 1951-52 | 1950-51 | 1949-50 | 1951-52 | 1950-51 | 1949-50 |
| | ¢ | ¢ | ¢ | ¢ | ¢ | ¢ |
| December | 66 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 57 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 61 | 37 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 39 | 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| January | 67 5/8 | 57 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 61 | 37 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 38 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 30 3/8 |
| February | 67 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 57 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 61 | 37 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 38 $\frac{1}{4}$ | 28 1/8 |

C - PRICES OF CONCENTRATED MILK PRODUCTS AT MONTREAL 3/

February, 1952

| | | |
|--|-----------|-----------------------------|
| Condensed Whole Milk (48-15's - 9 per cent fat) - | per case | \$9.75 - \$10.60 x |
| Evaporated Whole Milk (48-16's) - | per case | \$6.85 x |
| Whole Milk Powder (Spray) - 26 per cent fat in | | |
| barrels - ... | per pound | 39 - 41 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢ |
| Whole Milk Powder (Spray) - 12-1's - 28 per cent fat | per case | \$7.00 - \$7.86 |
| Whole Milk Powder (Roller) - 26 percent fat in | | |
| barrels - ... | per pound | 31 - 35 ¢ |
| Skim Milk Powder (Spray) - first grade in barrels - | per pound | 17 ¢ x |
| Skim Milk Powder (Roller) - barrels | per pound | 12 - 15 ¢ |
| Skim Milk Powder (Feed) - bags | per pound | .09 $\frac{3}{4}$ - 11 ¢ |
| Buttermilk Powder - bags | per pound | .08 $\frac{1}{2}$ - 11 ¢ |
| Whey Powder - bags | per pound | .07 - .07 $\frac{1}{4}$ ¢ x |
| Casein (Acid) - 30 mesh grind in bags | per pound | 25 - 30 ¢ |

1/ First Grade Solids. 2/ Prices are quotations for First Grade Ontario Coloured, except those for 1949 and 1950, which are based on sales of white cheese.

3/ L.C.L. Shipments only, unless otherwise specified. x In car lots.