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CANADIAN MILLING STATISTICS

July, 1934.

Ottawa, Canada, September 7, 1934.- The Dominion Bureau of Statistics publishes, herewith, preliminary statistics of grains ground and products for July, 1934, with comparisons for the previous year, inventory for the month and wheat flour exports.

The daily capacity reporting for July, 1934 amounted to 97,485 barrels.

SUMMARY

During the month of July, 1934, 4,815,792 bushels of wheat were ground in Canadian mills compared with 5,863,896 bushels for the corresponding month of the previous year. With the exception of mixed grain, other grains were higher than for July, 1933.

Grains ground for the month of July, 1934 are shown in bushels with comparative figures for the same month of the previous year in brackets: Wheat 4,815,792 (5,863,896); Oats 782,307 (746,019); Corn, 225,727 (199,769); Barley, 47,291 (36,870); Buckwheat, 4,208 (1,970); and Mixed Grain, 490,552 (659,023).

Mill stocks of wheat on July 31, 1934 amounted to 8,885,503 bushels, while for the same month in 1933 the amount was 8,916,297 bushels.

Flour production in July, 1934 amounted to 1,072,747 barrels compared with 1,322,923 barrels for the same month last year. Exports of flour in July, 1934 amounted to 408,028 barrels compared with 492,765 barrels in July, 1933.

MILL GRINDINGS

The following table shows the amount of wheat, oats, corn, barley, buckwheat and mixed grain milled for the month of July, 1934, by merchant and custom mills in Canada according to divisions, with comparative totals for the same month last year and stocks on hand at July 31, 1934 (in bushels):-

Grain	Quantities Ground				Stocks on hand, July 31, 1934		
	Merchant Mills	Custom Mills	Total July, 1934	Total July, 1933	Merchant Mills	Custom Mills	Total July 31, 1934.
<u>EASTERN DIVISION</u>							
Wheat	2,302,651	109,467	2,412,118	3,054,745	2,422,886	70,651	2,493,537
Oats	318,751	66,670	385,421	386,436	759,289	26,630	785,919
Corn	66,712	157,233	223,945	192,722	88,006	16,226	104,232
Barley	11,686	19,501	31,187	15,876	64,613	14,162	78,775
Buckwheat	-	4,208	4,208	1,970	738	920	1,658
Mixed Grain	15,112	443,102	458,214	632,379	21,970	3,299	25,269
<u>WESTERN DIVISION</u>							
Wheat	2,309,792	93,882	2,403,674	2,809,151	6,336,521	55,445	6,391,966
Oats	379,683	17,203	396,886	359,583	1,206,870	1,285	1,208,155
Corn	1,762	20	1,782	7,047	18,517	14	18,531
Barley	9,718	6,386	16,104	20,994	57,980	1,002	58,982
Buckwheat	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mixed Grain	9	32,329	32,338	26,644	279	53	332
<u>DOMINION OF CANADA</u>							
Wheat	4,612,443	203,349	4,815,792	5,863,896	8,759,407	126,096	8,885,503
Oats	698,434	83,873	782,307	746,019	1,966,150	27,915	1,994,074
Corn	68,474	157,253	225,727	199,769	106,523	16,240	122,763
Barley	21,404	25,887	47,291	36,870	122,593	15,164	137,757
Buckwheat	-	4,208	4,208	1,970	738	920	1,658
Mixed Grain	15,121	475,431	490,552	659,023	22,249	3,352	25,601

MILLINGS

The following table shows the production from wheat and coarse grains ground in merchant and custom mills in Canada for the month of July, 1934, according to divisions, with comparative totals for the same month last year and stocks on hand at July 31, 1934:-

Products	Unit of Measure	Production from Grindings				Stocks on hand July 31
		Eastern Division	Western Division	Total July, 1934	Total July, 1933	
<u>Wheat Flour</u>						
Manitoba Sp.P. No.1	Barrels	190,097	132,748	322,845	392,806	225,358
Manitoba Sp.P. No.2	"	183,462	175,016	358,478	430,749	160,127
Ontario Winter Straight	"	40,937	-	40,937	77,458	38,730
All Other	"	102,722	200,131	302,853	359,653	425,209
Total Flour	"	517,218	507,895	1,025,113	1,260,665	849,424
<u>Sundry Cereals</u>						
Low Grade or Feed Flour	Barrels	23,911	23,723	47,634	62,258	55,274
Bran	Tons	7,778	8,322	16,100	19,771	6,194
Shorts	"	7,907	8,543	16,450	20,086	4,788
Middlings	"	2,826	1,729	4,555	4,567	3,115
All Other Offal	"	3,877	2,421	6,298	5,349	2,429
Oatmeal	Pounds	267,540	285,661	553,201	378,006	603,781
Rolled Oats	"	4,735,080	5,557,891	10,292,971	10,030,017	6,888,829
Corn Flour and Meal	"	1,748,106	-	1,748,106	1,633,596	574,798
Barley, Pot and Pearl	"	82,213	62,916	145,129	54,537	153,683
Buckwheat Flour	"	68,304	-	68,304	32,020	25
<u>Ground Feed</u>						
Ground Oats	Pounds	3,181,442	1,738,219	4,919,661	5,087,947	1,213,200
Cracked Corn	"	5,809,669	99,792	5,909,461	3,609,190	379,140
Ground Barley	"	1,364,176	619,885	1,984,061	1,645,829	219,500
Mixed Grain	"	20,450,727	1,441,902	21,892,629	29,092,786	184,859

/ Including Coarse Grain Offal.

Flour production for the month of July, 1934 amounted to 1,072,747 barrels, a decrease from the previous month as well as from the same month in 1933 when 1,322,923 barrels were manufactured. Wheat offal declined in comparison with the corresponding month last year, with bran 16,100 (19,771) tons, shorts 16,450 (20,086) tons, and middlings 4,555 (4,567) tons. Cereal production for July, 1934 was as follows with figures for the same month last year in brackets and the quantities in pounds: Oatmeal, 553,201 (378,006); Rolled Oats, 10,292,971 (10,030,017); Corn Flour and Meal, 1,748,106 (1,633,596); Pot and Pearl Barley, 145,129 (54,537); and Buckwheat Flour, 68,304 (32,020). The quantities of animal feed products were as follows: Ground Oats, 4,919,661 (5,087,947) pounds; Cracked Corn, 5,909,461, (3,609,190) pounds; Ground Barley, 1,984,061 (1,645,829) pounds; and Mixed Grain, 21,892,629 (29,092,786) pounds. Total flour stocks for the month of July, 1934 were 904,698 barrels compared with 898,383 barrels for the same month last year and 1,023,604 barrels for the previous month.

SUMMARY OF MILL GRINDINGS

The following table summarizes the mill grind of wheat, oats, corn, barley and mixed grain for the present crop year, with comparative figures for 1932-33:-

Months		Wheat	Oats	Corn	Barley	Mixed Grain
		(bushels)				
August	1933	6,401,501	854,309	200,995	40,304	753,304
September	"	6,179,626	900,766	151,413	62,141	1,127,286
October	"	7,345,792	1,153,701	153,862	74,011	1,353,584
November	"	8,158,446	1,262,294	168,662	81,383	1,588,189
December	"	4,327,524	631,497	124,216	59,925	1,501,845
January	1934	4,676,474	844,482	143,794	78,195	1,259,577
February	"	4,887,102	786,180	157,303	99,837	1,379,894
March	"	4,740,844	694,721	156,800	80,562	1,154,072
April	"	4,866,537	618,909	152,057	62,432	1,092,036
May	"	5,258,707	578,306	144,344	47,978	726,298
June	"	5,066,622	713,298	189,875	43,865	552,371
July	"	4,815,792	782,307	225,727	47,291	490,552
T O T A L		66,724,967	9,820,770	1,969,048	777,924	12,978,608
TOTAL LAST YEAR		66,265,288	10,588,219	1,975,554	740,935	15,288,563

SUMMARY OF MILL PRODUCTION

The following table summarizes the production of wheat flour, oatmeal, rolled oats and corn flour and meal for the present crop year, including percentage of operation and wheat flour exports, with comparative figures for 1932-33:-

Months		Wheat Flour		Oatmeal Pounds	Rolled Oats Pounds	Corn Flour and Meal Pounds	Wheat Flour Exported Barrels
		Percentage of operation	Quantity Barrels				
August	1933	50.6	1,443,692	648,373	11,258,685	1,514,590	480,288
September	"	50.6	1,392,683	598,044	12,093,243	1,320,404	552,556
October	"	62.2	1,650,557	751,566	15,676,287	2,153,041	514,368
November	"	68.8	1,827,340	937,171	16,416,025	2,109,060	547,602
December	"	37.7	967,284	441,557	7,468,493	1,347,928	418,183
January, 1934		39.5	1,042,505	803,504	10,261,459	1,428,968	448,498
February	"	47.0	1,102,043	558,853	9,338,950	1,447,127	328,376
March	"	42.4	1,064,428	569,533	7,866,835	881,990	493,327
April	"	47.4	1,088,785	629,032	6,397,869	1,141,966	340,621
May	"	47.9	1,175,433	614,693	6,132,154	1,398,166	481,725
June	"	47.7	1,127,477	319,089	9,556,820	1,728,506	441,064
July	"	45.1	1,072,747	553,201	10,292,971	1,748,106	408,028
T O T A L			14,954,974	7,424,616	122,759,791	18,217,852	5,454,636
TOTAL LAST YEAR			14,896,069	7,925,787	126,531,611	18,769,215	5,370,613

^ The operating capacity of flour mills reporting in February, 1934 was 97,730 barrels compared with 101,448 barrels in January, 1934 and 109,593 barrels in February, 1933.



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