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STOCKS OF DAIRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS, JANUARY 1, 1939.

CREAMERY BUTTER. The Grand Total of Canadian creamery butter on hand in Canada at the opening of business on January 1, 1939, amounted to 43,784,406 lb., consisting of 42,169,683 lb. actually reported and 1,614,723 lb. estimated for firms that failed to report. Of the grand total, 30,331,062 lb. were held in cold storage warehouses and 13,453,344 lb., or 30.7 per cent in dairy factories.

The grand total stocks are 57.7 per cent more than last year. The net "Out-of-Storage" movement for the month of December 1938 was 9.5 million lb. as compared with a similar movement of 10.3 million lb. for December 1937. This quantity represents withdrawals of 17.8 per cent of last month's revised stock figures.

Carloads of butter in transit by rail and at railway terminals reported by the railway companies, amounted to 845,600 lb.

DAIRY BUTTER. The stocks of this commodity as reported at January 1, 1939 amounted to 455,554 lb. which is an increase of 230.7 per cent over last year.

CHEESE. Warehouses and dairy factories reported 30,481,981 lb. of cheese. Adding 256,208 lb. as the estimate for outstanding firms, a grand total of 30,738,189 lb. is shown.

These figures represent an increase of 2.2 million lb. or 7.6 per cent over last year and a net "Out-of-Storage" movement of 1.5 million lb., which is 1 million lb. greater than the same movement for December 1937 after adjusting for new firms. The current withdrawal is equivalent to 4.6 per cent of last month's revised stock figures.

CONCENTRATED MILK PRODUCTS. Whole Milk products amounted to 17,457,237 lb. Stocks of Evaporated Whole Milk amounted to 14,845,392 lb., which is an increase of 40.9 per cent over last year.

By-Products totalled 7,118,214 lb. Included in this amount are 5,292,291 lb. of Skim Milk Powder, an increase of 346.3 per cent over last year. It will be noticed that this commodity has been sub-classified into Roller Process and Spray Process.

EGGS. Cold Storage eggs amounted to a total of 897,302 dozens.

Fresh eggs are reported to a total of 344,690 dozens.

Total Shell Eggs are 31 per cent less than last year at this time. The figures show a net "Out-of-Storage" movement of 1.6 million doz., as compared with a similar movement of 1.6 million doz. for December 1937.

Shell eggs in transit at January 1, 1939 amounted to 44,190 dozens.

Frozen eggs totalled 2,677,155 lb., being 22 per cent under the 1938 figure. The net "Out-of-Storage" movement was 815 thousand lb. as compared with a like movement of 586 thousand lb. during December 1937.

DRESSED POULTRY. Total stocks of all poultry at January 1, 1939 amounted to 12,265,462 lb., being 14.2 per cent greater than at the same date last year. Chickens in stock amounted to 5,760,598 lb., fowl to 1,438,487 lb., and turkeys to 4,331,893 lb.

The net "Into-Storage" movement of all dressed poultry is 5.4 million lb. as compared with 4.6 million lb. in December 1937.

Poultry in transit at January 1, 1939 amounted to 88,000 lb.

STOCKS IN COLD STORAGE AND DAIRY FACTORIES IN CANADA, JANUARY 1, 1939.

With Comparative Holdings at January 1, 1938 and December 1, 1938.

CANADA	January 1, 1938	JANUARY 1, 1939 PRELIMINARY	December 1, 1938 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
Total Stocks Reported		42,169,683	53,167,236
Total Stocks Estimated		1,614,723	77,000
GRAND TOTAL	27,769,429	43,784,406	53,244,236
In Cold Storages			
Stocks Reported			
Stocks Estimated			
TOTAL	18,254,794	30,331,062	37,483,961
In Dairy Factories			
Stocks Reported		11,838,621	15,683,275
Stocks Estimated		1,614,723	77,000
TOTAL	9,514,635	13,453,344	15,760,275
Province		Reported Estimate	Reported Estimate
		lb. lb.	lb. lb.
Prince Edward Island			
In cold storages	227,544	387,957	586,347
In dairy factories	28,641	32,445	110,066
TOTAL	256,185	420,402	696,413
Nova Scotia			
In cold storages	210,928	497,244	583,742
In dairy factories	188,146	206,299 68,718	324,917
TOTAL	399,074	703,543	908,659
		772,261*	
New Brunswick			
In cold storages	170,818	621,261	315,274
In dairy factories	191,097	213,218 17,927	263,378 27,000
TOTAL	361,915	834,479	1,078,652
		852,406*	1,105,652*
Quebec			
In cold storages	8,814,939	14,397,184	16,917,228
In dairy factories	1,729,846	1,598,614 600,000	2,599,144
TOTAL	10,544,785	15,995,798	19,516,372
		16,595,798*	
Ontario			
In cold storages	3,049,152	5,292,631	6,734,938
In dairy factories	3,124,533	4,043,774 543,052	4,930,705 50,000
TOTAL	6,173,685	9,336,405	10,665,643
		9,879,457*	11,715,643*
Manitoba			
In cold storages	2,403,175	5,342,189	7,179,300
In dairy factories	866,230	1,307,484 35,026	1,702,191
TOTAL	3,269,405	6,649,673	8,881,491
		6,684,699*	
Saskatchewan			
In cold storages	195,022	296,522	404,811
In dairy factories	1,184,931	2,287,470	2,711,711
TOTAL	1,379,953	2,583,992	3,116,522
Alberta			
In cold storages	1,490,312	2,042,598	2,441,568
In dairy factories	1,768,206	1,890,981 200,000	2,566,233
TOTAL	3,258,518	3,933,579	5,007,801
		4,133,579*	
British Columbia			
In cold storages	1,692,904	1,453,476	1,820,753
In dairy factories	433,005	258,336 150,000	474,930
TOTAL	2,125,909	1,711,812	2,295,683
		1,861,812*	

*Provincial Grand Total.

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(Made in Canada - Not including "Process" or "Cottage")

STOCKS IN STORAGE WAREHOUSES AND DAIRY FACTORIES IN CANADA, JANUARY 1, 1939.

With Comparative Holdings at January 1, 1938 and December 1, 1938.

CANADA	January 1, 1938	JANUARY 1, 1939 PRELIMINARY	December 1, 1938 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
Total Stocks Reported		30,481,981	32,156,391
Total Stocks Estimated		256,208	50,000
GRAND TOTAL	28,559,446	30,738,189	32,206,391
In Storages			
Stocks reported			
Stocks estimated			
TOTAL	27,137,395	28,802,046	29,772,881
In Dairy Factories			
Stocks Reported		1,679,935	2,383,510
Stocks Estimated		256,208	50,000
TOTAL	1,422,051	1,936,143	2,433,510
Provinces		Reported Estimate	Reported Estimate
		lb. lb.	lb. lb.
<u>Prince Edward Island</u>			
In storages	51,110	26,046	32,292
In dairy factories		-	7,500
TOTAL		26,046	39,792
<u>Nova Scotia</u>			
In storages	48,991	38,003	40,025
<u>New Brunswick</u>			
In storages	21,548	16,904	16,069
<u>Quebec</u>			
In storages	12,764,908	14,002,604	14,572,168
In dairy factories	135,548	156,619 10,261	249,534
TOTAL	12,900,456	14,159,223	14,821,702
		14,169,484*	
<u>Ontario</u>			
In storages	12,917,116	12,908,475	13,305,935
In dairy factories	762,879	810,993 239,925	1,445,837
TOTAL	13,679,995	13,719,468	14,751,772
		13,959,393*	14,801,772*
<u>Manitoba</u>			
In storages	394,318	616,424	677,869
In dairy factories	46,456	63,375 5,832	73,801
TOTAL	440,774	679,799	751,670
		685,631*	
<u>Saskatchewan</u>			
In storages	71,876	155,949	152,121
In dairy factories	94,265	87,630 190	100,000
TOTAL	166,141	243,579	252,121
		243,769*	
<u>Alberta</u>			
In storages	485,964	505,819	461,598
In dairy factories	337,836	493,813	459,308
TOTAL	823,800	999,632	920,906
<u>British Columbia</u>			
In storages	381,564	531,822	514,804
In dairy factories	45,067	67,505	47,530
TOTAL	426,631	599,327	562,334

* Provincial Grand Total.

DAIRY BUTTER AND CONCENTRATED MILK

DAIRY BUTTER STOCKS IN COLD STORAGES AND DAIRY FACTORIES IN CANADA

JANUARY 1, 1939

With Comparative Figures for January 1, 1938 and December 1, 1938.

	January 1, 1938	JANUARY 1, 1939 PRELIMINARY	December 1, 1938 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
CANADA	137,772	455,554	475,789
Maritime Provinces	58,619	160,662	183,862
Quebec	24,608	29,846	34,753
Ontario	1,149	674	1,111
Manitoba	513	26,453	27,862
Saskatchewan	11,641	69,460	62,752
Alberta	31,810	168,459	153,123
British Columbia	9,432	(x)	12,326

*STOCKS OF CONCENTRATED MILK IN COLD STORAGES, WAREHOUSES, AND DAIRY FACTORIES
IN CANADA, JANUARY 1, 1939.

With Comparative Figures for January 1, 1938 and December 1, 1938.

	January 1, 1938	JANUARY 1, 1939 PRELIMINARY	December 1, 1938 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
Concentrated Whole Milk Products			
Condensed Whole Milk	521,623	1,223,998	1,130,250
Evaporated Whole Milk	10,534,182	14,845,392	15,375,267
Whole Milk Powder:			
Spray Process	(455,604	1,357,482	(1,478,777
Roller Process	(22,505	(
Cream Powder	4,644	7,860	6,222
Total Whole Milk Products	11,516,053	17,457,237	17,990,516
Condensed Skim Milk	141,178	439,207	352,610
Evaporated Skim Milk	2,936	8,797	8,314
Skim Milk Powder:			
Spray Process	(3,314,447	(
Roller Process in bags	(1,185,902	1,132,239	(6,740,077
" " in bbl.	(845,605	(
Buttermilk Powder	227,651	1,079,816	1,286,541
Casein	164,846	298,103	502,059
Total Milk By Products	1,722,513	7,118,214	8,889,601

* Owned and held by and/or for manufacturers.

STOCKS IN COLD STORAGES, AND DAIRY FACTORIES IN CANADA.JANUARY 1, 1939

With Comparative Figures for January 1, 1938 and December 1, 1938.

COLD STORAGE

	January 1, 1938	JANUARY 1, 1939 PRELIMINARY	December 1, 1938 Revised
	doz.	doz.	doz.
CANADA	1,338,680	897,302	2,529,195
Maritime Provinces	32,005	56,063	119,191
Quebec	349,078	244,975	599,552
Ontario	397,078	89,397	489,952
Manitoba	214,344	210,805	636,515
Saskatchewan	130,781	119,751	303,757
Alberta	185,228	171,946	342,309
British Columbia	30,166	4,365	37,919

FRESH

	January 1, 1938	JANUARY 1, 1939 PRELIMINARY	December 1, 1938 Revised
	doz.	doz.	doz.
CANADA	462,502	344,690	295,926
Maritime Provinces	18,209	2,714	15,131
Quebec	92,567	76,503	100,181
Ontario	185,805	145,657	125,582
Manitoba	13,475	29,808	14,875
Saskatchewan	3,832	5,801	3,153
Alberta	19,858	26,440	5,299
British Columbia	128,756	57,767	31,705

FROZEN

	January 1, 1938	JANUARY 1, 1939 PRELIMINARY	December 1, 1938 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
CANADA	3,431,244	2,677,155	3,491,822
Maritime Provinces	98,658	126,514	154,499
Quebec	416,197	578,284	690,668
Ontario	1,888,135	945,971	1,392,580
Manitoba	881,699	796,657	1,015,776
Saskatchewan	31,277	58,501	64,247
Alberta	51,020	91,552	71,603
British Columbia	64,258	80,676	102,449

STOCKS IN COLD STORAGES, KILLING PLANTS AND DAIRY FACTORIES IN CANADA.

JANUARY 1, 1939.

With Comparative Figures for January 1, 1938 and December 1, 1938.

January 1, 1938		JANUARY 1, 1939 PRELIMINARY	December 1, 1938 Revised	January 1, 1938	JANUARY 1, 1939 PRELIMINARY	December 1, 1938 Revised
lb.		lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
T O T A L			B R O I L E R S			
CANADA	10,740,004	12,265,462	6,872,471	112,440	151,917	195,911
Maritimes	374,447	311,266	168,382	2,782	1,297	(x)
Quebec	1,695,929	2,327,606	981,931	17,349	37,885	45,186
Ontario	2,482,908	3,257,120	1,709,324	33,120	50,267	77,210
Manitoba	3,298,026	3,572,808	2,478,959	23,086	20,477	26,496
Saskatchewan	977,986	895,525	484,881	903	(x)	(x)
Alberta	1,203,724	1,229,362	709,269	15,582	14,893	11,761
Br. Columbia	706,984	671,775	339,725	19,618	27,098	35,253
CHICKENS			FOWL			
CANADA	3,974,356	5,760,598	3,325,344	2,036,815	1,438,487	1,332,830
Maritimes	117,637	144,185	70,499	36,628	44,123	36,075
Quebec	638,787	1,062,068	505,284	164,844	125,777	84,115
Ontario	1,418,597	2,190,234	1,076,774	454,523	336,011	331,709
Manitoba	943,319	1,359,996	994,325	598,940	437,906	518,800
Saskatchewan	314,690	342,910	143,105	273,291	182,284	108,692
Alberta	467,720	534,723	430,410	425,027	243,976	191,161
Br. Columbia	73,606	126,482	104,947	83,562	68,410	62,278
DUCKS			GEESE			
CANADA	94,796	255,730	251,791	70,219	91,842	244,003
Maritimes	1,171	3,532	3,367	7,143	2,390	2,398
Quebec	32,750	183,599	186,786	3,250	15,661	4,621
Ontario	31,324	48,079	30,524	15,489	38,158	44,223
Manitoba	13,775	7,920	21,601	12,711	2,378	178,555
Saskatchewan	813	(x)	321	3,489	(x)	4,258
Alberta	1,403	2,950	2,924	2,239	9,804	8,845
Br. Columbia	13,560	9,650	6,268	25,898	23,451	1,033
TURKEYS			UNCLASSIFIED			
CANADA	4,118,184	4,331,893	1,375,922	333,194	234,995	146,670
Maritimes	80,431	44,612	12,144	128,655	71,127	43,899
Quebec	820,251	863,363	132,992	18,698	39,253	22,877
Ontario	417,464	506,415	110,262	112,391	87,956	38,622
Manitoba	1,685,727	1,740,078	731,592	20,468	4,053	7,590
Saskatchewan	369,297	347,669	216,745	15,503	22,662	11,760
Alberta	256,166	417,276	49,637	35,587	5,740	14,531
Br. Columbia	488,848	412,480	122,550	1,892	4,204	7,391

(x) Less than three reports received, included in "Unclassified".

CARLOADS

CARLOADS OF BUTTER, EGGS AND POULTRY IN TRANSIT, IN CANADA.

January 1, 1939.

With Comparative Figures for January 1, 1938 and December 1, 1938.

	January 1, 1938	JANUARY 1, 1939 PRELIMINARY	December 1, 1938 Revised
IN TRANSIT.	<u>B U T T E R</u>		
	lb.	lb.	lb.
CANADA	588,000	845,600	392,000
Maritime Provinces	-	44,800	-
Quebec	28,000	156,800	-
Ontario	280,000	236,000	196,000
Manitoba	28,000	112,000	112,000
Saskatchewan	140,000	-	-
Alberta	84,000	28,000	28,000
British Columbia	28,000	168,000	56,000

At Principal Railway Terminals.*

Montreal -	28,000	28,000	-
Toronto -	84,000	140,000	-

IN TRANSIT.	<u>E G G S</u>		
	doz.	doz.	doz.
CANADA	-	44,190	29,460
Ontario	-	29,460	29,460
Manitoba	-	14,730	-
At Principal Railway Terminals.*	NIL	NIL	NIL

IN TRANSIT.	<u>D R E S S E D P O U L T R Y</u>		
	lb.	lb.	lb.
CANADA	88,000	88,000	320,000
Maritime Provinces	-	-	119,000
Quebec	-	-	25,000
Ontario	44,000	44,000	22,000
Manitoba	44,000	22,000	154,000
Alberta	-	22,000	-

At Principal Railway Terminals.*

Winnipeg	-	-	66,000
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* Figures for "Terminals" included in "In Transit".

<u>Average Net Weights per Carload.</u>	<u>Butter</u>	<u>Eggs</u>	<u>Poultry</u>
Domestic	28,000	14,730	22,000
Export	44,800	14,730	25,000

STOCKS OF BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS IN THE PRINCIPAL CITIES OF CANADA

JANUARY 1, 1939.

With Comparative Figures for January 1, 1938, and Revised Totals for December 1, 1938.

	CREAMERY BUTTER		DAIRY BUTTER		CHEESE
	JANUARY 1, 1939	January 1, 1938	JANUARY 1, 1939	JANUARY 1, 1939	January 1, 1938
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
Quebec	3,606,735	1,577,376	(x)	216,112	152,044
Montreal	11,131,584	7,642,857	16,377	13,853,280	12,652,503
Toronto	3,356,240	2,217,246	674	4,970,511	4,604,323
Winnipeg	5,931,791	2,887,602	24,578	634,008	406,001
Regina) Saskatoon)	1,080,894	480,609	45,364	127,791	89,750
Calgary	1,506,626	1,234,942	60,250	404,652	376,952
Edmonton	2,001,359	1,620,583	107,230	411,915	286,083
Vancouver	1,324,263	1,656,097	(x)	518,066	330,994
TOTAL					
9 CITIES	29,939,492	19,317,312	279,944	21,136,335	18,898,650
December 1, 1938					
Revised	36,709,753		269,953	21,855,551	

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	COLD STORAGE		FRESH	FROZEN	
	JANUARY 1, 1939	January 1, 1938	JANUARY 1, 1939	JANUARY 1, 1939	January 1, 1938
	doz.	doz.	doz.	lb.	lb.
Quebec	14,047	19,402	6,434	29,246	28,630
Montreal	230,748	329,286	64,139	548,638	387,567
Toronto	45,065	179,934	87,165	706,541	829,100
Winnipeg	195,851	204,197	27,642	796,657	881,266
Regina) Saskatoon)	52,497	98,809	1,902	22,293	20,703
Calgary	47,109	35,270	7,432	19,110	19,796
Edmonton	123,783	141,949	14,649	72,442	31,224
Vancouver	2,760	27,105	55,046	78,381	63,622
TOTAL					
9 CITIES	711,860	1,035,952	264,409	2,273,308	2,261,908
December 1, 1938					
Revised	1,863,436		218,526	2,695,823	

(x) Less than three reports received, included in Total.

STOCKS OF DRESSED POULTRY IN THE PRINCIPAL CITIES OF CANADA

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January 1, 1939

With Comparative Figures for January 1, 1938 and Comparative Totals for December 1, 1938

	JANUARY 1, 1939	January 1, 1938	JANUARY 1, 1939	January 1, 1938
	PRELIMINARY lb.	lb.	PRELIMINARY lb.	lb.
	T O T A L		BROILERS	
Quebec	129,960	133,724	(X)	1,212
Montreal	2,175,371	1,547,445	36,166	16,137
Toronto	2,174,300	1,391,136	35,903	21,464
Winnipeg	3,523,465	3,296,587	20,477	22,992
Regina & Saskatoon	557,713	407,732	-	360
Calgary	496,703	385,773	4,454	761
Edmonton	725,104	811,255	10,439	14,821
Vancouver	566,751	637,718	26,301	14,216
TOTAL 9 CITIES	10,349,367	8,611,370	133,740	91,963
December 1, 1938 (Revised)	5,620,119		178,801	

	CHICKENS		FOWL	
Quebec	71,309	57,806	20,340	4,655
Montreal	983,517	573,006	104,717	158,909
Toronto	1,519,851	723,962	208,087	275,142
Winnipeg	1,332,812	943,119	417,036	598,940
Regina & Saskatoon	222,336	85,520	123,723	118,463
Calgary	189,518	123,362	96,556	126,970
Edmonton	344,685	342,958	147,420	298,022
Vancouver	119,736	57,523	55,711	79,147
TOTAL 9 CITIES	4,783,764	2,907,256	1,173,590	1,660,248
December 1, 1938 (Revised)	2,634,792		1,055,305	

	DUCKS		GEESE	
Quebec	2,190	3,020	953	-
Montreal	180,389	29,500	14,708	3,198
Toronto	34,455	25,230	26,008	12,976
Winnipeg	7,861	13,775	2,378	12,431
Regina & Saskatoon	-	60	-	57
Calgary	1,389	901	4,415	1,121
Edmonton	1,561	490	5,389	408
Vancouver	8,338	13,026	18,998	7,331
TOTAL 9 CITIES	236,183	86,002	72,849	37,522
December 1, 1938 (Revised)	242,638		223,279	

	TURKEYS		UNCLASSIFIED	
Quebec	30,278	57,331	4,890	9,700
Montreal	828,170	762,068	27,704	4,627
Toronto	303,024	276,898	36,972	55,464
Winnipeg	1,739,202	1,684,862	3,699	20,468
Regina & Saskatoon	194,423	188,451	17,231	14,821
Calgary	197,860	101,410	2,511	31,248
Edmonton	212,381	150,217	3,229	4,339
Vancouver	333,463	464,713	4,204	1,762
TOTAL 9 CITIES	3,848,801	3,685,950	100,440	142,429
December 1, 1938 (Revised)	1,210,949		74,355	

(X) Less than three reports received; included in "Unclassified".



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