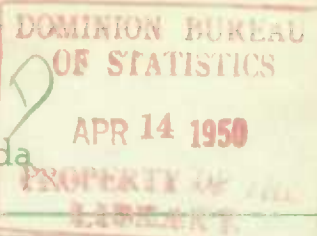


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STOCKS OF DAIRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS APRIL 1950

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STOCKS OF DAIRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS - APRIL 1, 1950

CREAMERY BUTTER

At the opening of business on April 1, 1950 the stocks of creamery butter on hand in Canada amounted to 27,918,000 lb. Cold Storage warehouses had in store 20,998,000 lb. while dairy factories held 6,080,000 lb. Butter in transit amounted to 840,000 lb. The summary total was higher than last year by 15.2 million pounds. The five year average of April 1 stocks is 11,077,000 lb. The March 1950 "out-of-storage" movement was 8.5 million pounds as compared with a similar movement of 6.0 million pounds last year.

CHEESE

The total stocks of cheese were 34,915,000 lb. consisting of 34,578,000 lb. Canadian 71,000 lb. Imported and 266,000 lb. in transit. The summary total was higher than last year by 10.2 million pounds and showed an "out-of-storage" movement of 4.2 million pounds.

CONCENTRATED MILK PRODUCTS

Stocks of evaporated whole milk held by or for manufacturers amounted to 6,555,000 lb. which was a decrease of 8.4 million pounds from last year. The apparent net "out-of-storage" movement of evaporated whole milk for March 1950 was 6.0 million pounds. The chief by-product skim milk powder amounted to 2,641,000 lb. a decrease of 5.1 million pounds from last year and a decrease of 223 thousand pounds from last month. Stocks of frozen cream amounted to 215,000 lb. on April 1, 1950.

EGGS

On April 1, 1950 there were 161,000 cases of cold storage eggs reported, 68,000 cases of fresh eggs and 2,000 cases of shell eggs in transit. Frozen eggs totalled 5,752,000 lb. being 633 thousand pounds lower than the 1949 figure. The net "into-storage" movement for March 1950 was 522 thousand pounds as compared with an opposite movement of 149 thousand pounds during March 1949.

DRESSED POULTRY

The summary total of poultry stocks on April 1, 1950 was higher than last year by 9.2 million pounds. An "out-of-storage" movement of 4.1 million pounds is shown for the month of March 1950. Chickens in stock amounted to 7,314,000 lb. fowl to 4,272,000 lb. and turkeys to 4,403,000 lb. not including estimates. There were 175,000 lb. dressed poultry in transit on April 1, 1950.

STOCKS IN COLD STORAGE AND DAIRY

With Comparative Holdings

	APRIL 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>		March 1, 1950 Revised		April 1, 1949
	Reported	Estimated	Reported	Estimated	
- thousand pounds -					
<u>CANADA</u>					
IN COLD STORAGES	20,954	44	28,217		5,498
IN DAIRY FACTORIES	5,784	296	7,955	50	6,761
TOTAL	26,738	340	36,172		
GRAND TOTAL	27,078		36,222		12,259
<u>Prince Edward Island</u>					
In Cold Storages	0		0		
In Dairy Factories	368	14	425	10	7
TOTAL	368		425		48
		382 /		435 /	55
<u>Nova Scotia</u>					
In Cold Storages	615		790		136
In Dairy Factories	54	6	154	5	157
TOTAL	669		944		293
		675 /		949 /	
<u>New Brunswick</u>					
In Cold Storages	940	2	1,676		178
In Dairy Factories	286	8	427		263
TOTAL	1,226	10	2,103		441
		1,236 /			
<u>Quebec</u>					
In Cold Storages	2,966	10	6,082		2,092
In Dairy Factories	723	200	1,006		1,480
TOTAL	3,689	210	7,088		3,572
		3,899 /			
<u>Ontario</u>					
In Cold Storages	4,711	18	7,269		1,682
In Dairy Factories	1,303	22	2,227	35	2,128
TOTAL	6,014	40	9,496		3,810
		6,054 /		9,531 /	
<u>Manitoba</u>					
In Cold Storages	7,498		7,787		456
In Dairy Factories	548	7	729		765
TOTAL	8,046		8,516		1,221
		8,053 /			

/ Provincial Grand Total

Insufficient reports received but included with dairy factories.

BUTTERFACTORIES IN CANADA - APRIL 1, 1950

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for last year and last month

	APRIL 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>		March 1, 1950 Revised		April 1, 1949
	Reported	Estimated	Reported	Estimated	
	- thousand pounds -				
<u>Saskatchewan</u>					
In Cold Storages	900		985		11
In Dairy Factories	1,612	7	1,623		970
TOTAL	2,512		2,608		981
	2,519 \neq				
<u>Alberta</u>					
In Cold Storages	2,611		2,438		254
In Dairy Factories	737	31	1,110		665
TOTAL	3,348		3,548		919
	3,379 \neq				
<u>British Columbia</u>					
In Cold Storages	713	14	1,190		682
In Dairy Factories	153	1	254		285
TOTAL	866	15	1,444		967
	881 \neq				
\neq Provincial Grand Total					

CREAMERY BUTTER SUMMARY

IN STORAGE			
Canadian (as above)	27,078	36,222	12,259
Imported	-	-	-
IN TRANSIT (page 14)	840	230	465
TOTAL	<u>27,918</u>	<u>36,452</u>	<u>12,724</u>
5 year average April 1, 1945-49	11,077		

Not Including

STOCKS IN STORAGE WAREHOUSES AND DAIRY

APRIL 1, 1950			March 1, 1950		April 1,
PRELIMINARY			Revised		1949
Reported	Estimated		Reported	Estimated	
			thousand pounds -		
<u>CANADA</u>					
IN COLD STORAGES	32,309	554	37,120		22,522
IN DAIRY FACTORIES	1,629	86	1,460	90	2,043
TOTAL	33,938	640	38,580	90	
GRAND TOTAL		34,578		38,670	24,565
<u>Prince Edward Island</u>					
In Cold Storages	0		1		1
In Dairy Factories	8		10		3
TOTAL	8		10		4
<u>Nova Scotia</u>					
In Cold Storages	48		74		74
<u>New Brunswick</u>					
In Cold Storages	297	6	320		49
In Dairy Factories	19		9		16
TOTAL	316		329		65
		322 /			
<u>Quebec</u>					
In Cold Storages	21,996		24,455		9,892
In Dairy Factories	78	2	41		170
TOTAL	22,074		24,496		10,062
		22,076 /			
<u>Ontario</u>					
In Cold Storages	8,292	510	10,702		9,843
In Dairy Factories	1,075	84	956	90	1,264
TOTAL	9,367	594	11,658		11,107
		9,961 /		11,748 /	
<u>Manitoba</u>					
In Cold Storages	433		414		837
In Dairy Factories	37		21		59
TOTAL	470		435		896

/ Provincial Grand Total

0 Insufficient reports received but included with dairy factories.

CHEESE

5.

"Process" or "Cottage"

FACTORIES IN CANADA - APRIL 1, 1950

	APRIL 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>		March 1, 1950 Revised		April 1, 1949
	Reported	Estimated	Reported	Estimated	
- thousand pounds -					
<u>Saskatchewan</u>					
In Cold Storages	71		81		123
In Dairy Factories	104		133		200
TOTAL	175		214		323
<u>Alberta</u>					
In Cold Storages	763		771		1,108
In Dairy Factories	277		258		313
TOTAL	1,040		1,029		1,421
<u>British Columbia</u>					
In Cold Storages	409	38	303		595
In Dairy Factories	31		32		18
TOTAL	440		335		613
	478 //				
// Provincial Grand Total					

CHEESE SUMMARY

IN STORAGE:

Canadian (as above)	34,578 //	38,670 //	24,565 //
Imported	71	65	27
IN TRANSIT (Page 14)	266	342	152
TOTAL	34,915	39,077	24,744

// DAIRY PRODUCTS BOARD HOLDINGS

INCLUDED	17,417	18,114	not available
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6.

STOCKS OF DAIRY BUTTER, WHEY BUTTER AND FROZEN CREAMIN COLD STORAGES AND DAIRY FACTORIES IN CANADAAPRIL 1, 1950

With Comparative Figures for last year and last month

	APRIL 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	March 1, 1950 Revised	April 1, 1949
	lb.	lb.	lb.
CANADA	521	535	1,391
Maritime Provinces	(x)	(x)	452
Quebec	-	-	417
Ontario	-	-	-
Manitoba	-	-	-
Saskatchewan	-	(x)	33
Alberta	(x)	(x)	489
British Columbia	-	-	-
WHEY BUTTER - CANADA	14,000	17,000	153,000
<u>STOCKS OF FROZEN CREAM</u> (in pounds of cream)			
Quebec	16,000	173,000 ^{1/}	256,000
Ontario	197,000	181,000	278,000
Other Provinces	<u>2,000</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>53,000</u>
ALL CANADA TOTAL	<u>215,000</u>	<u>355,000</u>	<u>587,000</u>

(x) Insufficient reports received but included in Total.

^{1/} Changes from March 1 preliminary figures due to corrections received from reporting firms.

STOCKS OF CONCENTRATED MILK IN COLD STORAGES, WAREHOUSES

7.

AND DAIRY FACTORIES IN CANADA OWNED AND HELD BY/OR FOR MANUFACTURERS-APRIL 1, 1950

With Comparative figures for last year and last month

	APRIL 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	March 1, 1950 Revised	April 1, 1949
- thousand pounds -			
<u>CONCENTRATED WHOLE MILK</u>			
Condensed Whole Milk	993	890	2,777
Condensed Whole Milk (case)	441	440	2,358
Condensed Whole Milk (bulk)	552	450	419
Evaporated Whole Milk	6,555	12,536	14,987
Whole Milk Powder	906	927	2,706
Spray Process	857 /	806	2,593
Roller Process	49	121	113
<u>CONCENTRATED MILK BY-PRODUCTS</u>			
Skim Milk: Condensed	107 /	140	202
Evaporated	376	274	216
Skimmilk Powder	2,641	2,864	7,700
Human Food:			
Spray Process	1,531 /	1,482	2,534
Roller Process in Bags	167	148	194
Roller Process in Bbls.	873 /	1,136	4,755
Animal Feed	70	98	217
Buttermilk Powder	139	212	297
Casein	104	166	874

There were also on hand 6,956,000 lb. of Evaporated Whole Milk in the hands of Wholesalers, but not included here.

/ Estimates included in these figures are as follows: Whole Milk Powder, Spray Process, 70,000 lb. Condensed Skim Milk 15,000 lb. Skimmilk Powder, Spray Process 200,000 lb. Roller Process in Bbls. 15,000 lb.

8. EGGS IN COLD STORAGES AND DAIRY FACTORIES IN CANADA - APRIL 1, 1950

With Comparative Figures for last year and last month

	APRIL 1, 1950 PRELIMINARY	March 1, 1950 Revised	April 1, 1949
<u>COLD STORAGE</u>			
	-	thousand cases	-
CANADA	161 ⁴	99	296
Maritime Provinces	(x)	-	-
Quebec	6	4	1
Ontario	109	90	199
Manitoba	17	(x)	54
Saskatchewan	(x)	(x)	11
Alberta	14	-	29
British Columbia	9	1	2
<u>FRESH</u>			
CANADA	68 ⁴	48	76
Maritime Provinces	3	1	2
Quebec	10	7	5
Ontario	26	21	27
Manitoba	7	7	9
Saskatchewan	6	2	16
Alberta	10	4	13
British Columbia	4	6	4
TOTAL SHELL EGGS	229 ⁴	147	372
<u>FROZEN</u>			
	-	thousand pounds	-
CANADA	5,752 ⁴	5,230	6,385
Maritime Provinces	126	155	171
Quebec	2,034	1,640	1,438
Ontario	2,879	2,836	2,561
Manitoba	403	338	1,279
Saskatchewan	41	29	299
Alberta	115	110	534
British Columbia	122	122	103
	-	thousand cases	-
<u>EGG SUMMARY</u>			
Shell Eggs	229	147	372
In Transit (page 15)	2	1	3
Frozen Eggs (38.5 lb. per case)	149	136	166
TOTAL	380	284	541

⁴ These figures include estimates of 2,000 cases of Cold Storage Eggs, 2,000 cases Fresh Eggs and 32,000 lb. Frozen Eggs for firms failing to report on time. These estimates are not included in the data of the individual provinces.

STOCKS OF DAIRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS IN 9 CITIES

9.

APRIL 1, 1950

With Comparative Figures for last year and Revised Totals for last month

	BUTTER		CHEESE		- EGGS -				
	Creamery		Cheddar		Cold Storage		Fresh	Frozen	
	APR. 1, 1950	Apr. 1, 1949	APR. 1, 1950	Apr. 1, 1949	APR. 1, 1950	Apr. 1, 1949	APR. 1, 1950	APR. 1, 1950	Apr. 1, 1949
	(000 lb.)		(000 lb.)		-	000 cases	-	(000 lb.)	
Quebec	304	652	32	239	(x)	-	1	263	191
Montreal	2,736	1,539	21,966	9,658	(x)	-	6	1,352	1,194
Toronto	5,009	1,663	1,023	3,131	4	1	10	1,960	1,635
Winnipeg	7,620	771	445	846	(x)	54	6	403	1,279
Regina	553	122	24	20	(x)	3	1	27	80
Saskatoon	178	173	57	110	-	2	1		45
Edmonton	2,190	353	417	868	7	21	6	68	461
Calgary	574	171	368	316	5	7	3	47	73
Vancouver /	766	741	381	473	9	2	4	118	81
TOTAL	19,930	6,185	24,713	15,661	48	90	38	4,238	5,039
March 1, 1950 (revised)	25,875		27,294		12		27	3,795	

Note: Of the preliminary totals for Canada at April 1, 1950 the above cities' stocks were:

Creamery Butter 73.6% Cheese 71.5% Shell Eggs 37.6% Frozen Eggs 73.7%

(x) Insufficient reports received included in Total.

/ Including New Westminster.

DRESSED POULTRYSTOCKS IN COLD STORAGE, KILLING PLANTS

With Comparative Figures

	APRIL 1, 1950 PRELIMINARY	March 1, 1950 Revised	April 1, 1949	APRIL 1, 1950 PRELIMINARY	March 1, 1950 Revised	April 1, 1949
	- thousand pounds -			- thousand pounds -		
	<u>TOTAL</u>			<u>BROILERS</u>		
CANADA	17,041 /	21,190	7,891	234	230	225
Maritimes	528	771	348	4	4	6
Quebec	4,673	4,868	2,161	66	86	79
Ontario	4,286	6,050	2,038	75	62	53
Manitoba	4,278	5,502	1,712	40	29	8
Saskatchewan	384	1,084	245	-	-	-
Alberta	1,678	2,016	745	26	24	21
Br. Columbia	882	899	642	23	25	58
	<u>CHICKENS</u>			<u>FOWL</u>		
CANADA	7,314	9,075	2,825	4,272	6,613	2,017
Maritimes	250	364	154	75	165	93
Quebec	2,282	2,388	918	811	946	351
Ontario	2,073	3,010	702	1,239	1,962	789
Manitoba	1,754	1,944	599	1,391	2,227	385
Saskatchewan	166	477	56	84	365	63
Alberta	523	635	172	427	668	257
Br. Columbia	261	257	224	245	280	79
	<u>DUCKS</u>			<u>GEESE</u>		
CANADA	108	130	35	72	81	24
Maritimes	4	5	2	4	4	4
Quebec	52	62	18	3	3	-
Ontario	30	36	7	33	41	1
Manitoba	11	12	1	20	21	2
Saskatchewan	1	2	-	1	1	1
Alberta	5	6	2	10	10	8
Br. Columbia	5	7	5	1	1	8

APRIL 1, 1950

11.

AND DAIRY FACTORIES IN CANADA

for last year and last month

	APRIL 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	March 1, 1950 Revised	April 1, 1949	APRIL 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	March 1, 1950 Revised	April 1, 1949
	- thousand pounds -			- thousand pounds -		
	<u>TURKEYS</u>			<u>UNCLASSIFIED</u>		
CANADA	4,403	4,679	2,602	306	382	163
Maritimes	180	217	79	11	12	10
Quebec	1,435	1,342	773	24	41	22
Ontario	685	784	456	146	155	30
Manitoba	954	1,129	662	108	140	55
Saskatchewan	131	231	95	1	8	30
Alberta	686	672	279	1	1	6
Br. Columbia	332	304	258	15	25	10

POULTRY SUMMARY

	APRIL 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	March 1, 1950 Revised	April 1, 1950
	- thousand pounds -		
Canadian (as above)	17,041 /	21,190	7,891
Imported	-	-	-
IN TRANSIT (page 15)	<u>175</u>	<u>125</u>	<u>100</u>
TOTAL	17,216	21,315	7,991

/ These figures include an estimate of 332,000 lb. for firms failing to report on time. This estimate is not included in the various classifications or in the specific Provinces.

STOCKS OF DRESSED POULTRY IN NINE

With Comparative Figures for last year and

	APRIL 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	April 1, 1949	APRIL 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	April 1, 1949
	- thousand pounds -		- thousand pounds -	
	<u>TOTAL</u>		<u>BROILERS</u>	
Quebec	466	189	8	9
Montreal	4,024	1,854	51	30
Toronto	2,974	1,313	48	33
Winnipeg	4,268	1,695	39	8
Regina & Saskatoon	70	182	-	-
Edmonton	1,075	534	23	19
Calgary	577	163	(x)	3
Vancouver /	748	515	14	51
TOTAL 9 CITIES	14,297	6,445	183	153
March 1, 1950 (revised)	17,182		161	
	<u>CHICKENS</u>		<u>FOWL</u>	
Quebec	218	84	66	14
Montreal	1,955	811	702	325
Toronto	1,336	442	982	549
Winnipeg	1,749	594	1,390	381
Regina & Saskatoon	22	48	16	62
Edmonton	396	130	298	213
Calgary	123	38	122	34
Vancouver /	238	180	229	58
TOTAL 9 CITIES	6,037	2,327	3,805	1,636
March 1, 1950 (revised)	7,036		5,607	

This total includes an estimate of 95,000 lb. for firms failing to report on time. This estimate is not included in the various classifications or in the specific cities.

/ Including New Westminster.

CITIES OF CANADA - APRIL 1, 1950

13.

Comparative Totals for last month

	APRIL 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	April 1, 1949	APRIL 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	April 1, 1949
	- thousand pounds -		- thousand pounds -	
	<u>DUCKS</u>		<u>GEESE</u>	
Quebec	4	3	-	-
Montreal	47	11	3	-
Toronto	24	6	27	1
Winnipeg	11	1	20	2
Regina & Saskatoon	-	-	-	1
Edmonton	1	1	5	2
Calgary	(x)	1	5	5
Vancouver /	3	3	-	8
TOTAL 9 CITIES	90	26	60	19
March 1, 1950 (revised)	112		68	

	<u>TURKEYS</u>		<u>UNCLASSIFIED</u>	
Quebec	170	78	-	1
Montréal	1,242	664	24	13
Toronto	531	269	26	13
Winnipeg	953	655	106	54
Regina & Saskatoon	32	42	-	29
Edmonton	351	167	1	2
Calgary	321	78	6	4
Vancouver /	249	205	15	10
TOTAL 9 CITIES	3,849	2,158	178	126
March 1, 1950 (revised)	3,957		241	

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

/ Including New Westminster.

BUTTER, CHEESE, EGGS AND

Reported by

With Comparative Figures

	APRIL 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	March 1, 1950	April 1, 1949
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IN TRANSITBUTTER

- thousand pounds -

CANADA	840	230	465
Maritime Provinces	-	45	-
Ontario	490	150	115
Manitoba	210	-	105
Saskatchewan	70	-	-
Alberta	-	-	70
British Columbia	-	35	175

At Principal Railway Terminals /

Toronto	-	45	45
Winnipeg	70	-	35
Vancouver	-	-	70

IN TRANSITCHEESE

- thousand pounds -

CANADA	266	342	152
Ontario	114	114	76
Manitoba	152	190	38
Saskatchewan	-	38	-
British Columbia	-	-	38

At Principal Railway Terminals /

Toronto	38	-	-
Vancouver	-	-	38

/ Figures for "Terminals" included with "In Transit".

APRIL 1, 1950

15.

POULTRY IN TRANSIT IN CANADA

Railway Companies

for last year and last month

	APRIL 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	March 1, 1950	April 1, 1949
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IN TRANSIT

EGGS

	cases	cases	cases
CANADA	2,400	1,200	3,000
Maritime Provinces	-	-	600
Quebec	600	600	-
Ontario	600	-	2,400
Manitoba	-	600	-
British Columbia	1,200	-	-

At Principal Railway Terminals /

Montreal	600	-	-
Toronto	600	-	1,800

IN TRANSIT

P O U L T R Y

- thousand pounds -

CANADA	175	125	100
Quebec	25	25	-
Ontario	125	75	100
Alberta	25	25	-

At Principal Railway Terminals /

Montreal	25	25	-
Toronto	-	-	25

/ Figures for "Terminals" included with "In Transit".

Average Net Weights per Carloads

	<u>Butter</u> lb.	<u>Cheese</u> lb.	<u>Eggs</u> cases	<u>Poultry</u> lb.
Domestic	35,000	38,000	600	25,000
Export	44,800	38,000	600	25,000

These average weights are in accordance with order of Transport Controller TC04F.

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