

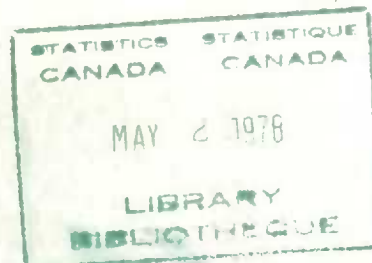
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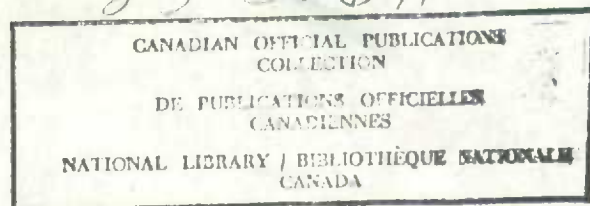
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Data for this report are collected by mail questionnaires from dairy factories, concentrated milk manufacturers, public and semi public cold storages, meat packers, wholesale grocers' warehouses and central warehouses of chain grocery stores.

Inventories are taken at manufacturers and wholesale level and firms are required to report all stocks held in their own establishments or in specially rented rooms elsewhere as at the opening of the first business day of the month.

Stocks of butter and cheddar cheese in dairy factories are obtained with the co-operation of the provincial governments.

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STOCKS OF DAIRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS - OCTOBER 1, 1954

1.

CREAMERY BUTTER

At the opening of business on October 1, 1954 the stocks of creamery butter on hand in Canada amounted to 114,331,000 lb. Cold Storage warehouses had in store 91,870,000 lb. while dairy factories held 22,321,000 lb. The summary total was higher than last year by 19.0 million pounds. The five year average of October 1 stocks is 76,275,000 lb. The September 1954 "into-storage" movement was 7.9 million pounds as compared with a similar movement of 5.2 million pounds last year.

CHEDDAR CHEESE

The total stocks of cheddar cheese were 48,787,000 lb. consisting of 48,633,000 lb. Canadian, 2,000 lb. imported and 152,000 lb. in transit on October 1, 1954. The summary total was higher than last year by 942 thousand pounds and showed an "into-storage" movement of 4.0 million pounds for September 1954.

CONCENTRATED MILK PRODUCTS

Stocks of evaporated whole milk held by or for manufacturers amounted to 64,947,000 lb. which was a decrease of 2.7 million pounds from last year. The "out-of-storage" movement of evaporated whole milk for September 1954 was 1.6 million pounds. The chief by-product skim-milk powder amounted to 18,944,000 lb. an increase of 2.1 million pounds over last year and an increase of 451 thousand pounds over last month. Ice cream stocks amounted to 1,092,000 gallons as compared with 1,042,000 gallons on October 1, 1953. Stocks of frozen cream amounted to 611,000 lb. on October 1, 1954, last year they amounted to 900,000 lb.

EGGS

The October 1, 1954 report shows 135,000 cases of cold storage eggs, 40,000 cases of fresh eggs and 1,000 cases of shell eggs in transit. Frozen eggs totalled 7,829,000 lb. being 630 thousand pounds higher than the 1953 figures. The "out-of-storage" movement for September 1954 was 16 thousand pounds as compared with a similar movement of 668 thousand pounds during September 1953.

DRESSED POULTRY

The summary total of poultry stocks on October 1, 1954 was higher than last year by 2.2 million pounds. An "into-storage" movement of 2.1 million pounds is shown for the month of September 1954. Chickens in stock amounted to 4,317,000 lb., fowl to 5,687,000 lb. and turkeys to 2,716,000 lb., not including estimates. There were no dressed poultry in transit on October 1, 1954.

STOCKS OF BUTTER

in cold storages and dairy factories in Canada - October 1, 1954

		Oct. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Sept. 1, 1954 Revised	Oct. 1, 1953
		- thousand pounds -		
<u>CANADA</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>114,331</u>	<u>106,427</u>	<u>94,309</u>
In Cold Storages		91,870	84,890	72,988
In Dairy Factories		22,321	21,397	21,216
In Transit		140	140	105
<u>Prince Edward Island</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>1,412</u>	<u>1,506</u>	<u>1,488</u>
In Cold Storages		1,015	1,005	1,071
In Dairy Factories		397	501	417
<u>Nova Scotia</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>1,108</u>	<u>844</u>	<u>597</u>
In Cold Storages		889	614	380
In Dairy Factories		219	230	217
<u>New Brunswick</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>4,539</u>	<u>4,206</u>	<u>1,842</u>
In Cold Storages		3,803	3,471	968
In Dairy Factories		736	735	874
<u>Quebec</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>49,134</u>	<u>45,370</u>	<u>43,228</u>
In Cold Storages		42,473	39,009	37,621
In Dairy Factories		6,661	6,361	5,607
<u>Ontario</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>29,352</u>	<u>27,439</u>	<u>23,062</u>
In Cold Storages		22,812	21,526	16,676
In Dairy Factories		6,540	5,913	6,386
<u>Manitoba</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>15,813</u>	<u>14,611</u>	<u>11,379</u>
In Cold Storages		14,433	13,109	9,912
In Dairy Factories		1,380	1,502	1,467
<u>Saskatchewan</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>5,390</u>	<u>5,114</u>	<u>4,840</u>
In Cold Storages		2,148	1,944	1,514
In Dairy Factories		3,242	3,170	3,326
<u>Alberta</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>5,805</u>	<u>5,578</u>	<u>5,622</u>
In Cold Storages		3,097	2,921	3,096
In Dairy Factories		2,708	2,657	2,526
<u>British Columbia</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>1,638</u>	<u>1,619</u>	<u>2,146</u>
In Cold Storages		1,200	1,291	1,750
In Dairy Factories		438	328	396
5 year average 1949-53		76,275		
DAIRY BUTTER	lb.	-	-	413
WHEY BUTTER	lb.	279,000	276,000	238,000

STOCKS OF CHEDDAR CHEESE

3.

in cold storages and dairy factories in Canada - October 1, 1954

		Oct. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Sept. 1, 1954 Revised	Oct. 1, 1953
		- thousand pounds -		
<u>CANADA</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>48,787</u>	<u>44,785</u>	<u>47,845</u>
In Cold Storages		44,070	39,420	43,618
In Dairy Factories		4,565	5,365	4,037
In Transit		152	-	190
<u>Prince Edward Island</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>487</u>	<u>412</u>	<u>239</u>
In Cold Storages		1/	1/	170
In Dairy Factories		487	412	69
<u>Nova Scotia</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>59</u>	<u>72</u>	<u>71</u>
In Cold Storages		59	72	71
<u>New Brunswick</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>77</u>	<u>63</u>	<u>114</u>
In Cold Storages		38	28	72
In Dairy Factories		39	35	42
<u>Quebec</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>20,298</u>	<u>17,216</u>	<u>14,533</u>
In Cold Storages		19,679	16,451	14,124
In Dairy Factories		619	765	409
<u>Ontario</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>23,788</u>	<u>23,258</u>	<u>28,865</u>
In Cold Storages		21,059	19,872	26,165
In Dairy Factories		2,729	3,386	2,700
<u>Manitoba</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>797</u>	<u>836</u>	<u>748</u>
In Cold Storages		727	747	704
In Dairy Factories		70	89	44
<u>Saskatchewan</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>307</u>	<u>332</u>	<u>360</u>
In Cold Storages		195	204	181
In Dairy Factories		112	128	179
<u>Alberta</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>1,589</u>	<u>1,517</u>	<u>1,732</u>
In Cold Storages		1,260	1,162	1,248
In Dairy Factories		329	355	484
<u>British Columbia</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>1,233</u>	<u>1,079</u>	<u>993</u>
In Cold Storages		1,053	884	883
In Dairy Factories		180	195	110

IMPORTED CHEESE

(included in above figures)

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1/ Less than three firms reporting this item. The figures therefore cannot be shown separately but are included with dairy factories.

4.

STOCKS OF ICE CREAM AND FROZEN CREAM IN COLD STORAGES

AND DAIRY FACTORIES IN CANADA - OCTOBER 1, 1954

	Oct. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Sept. 1, 1954 Revised	Oct. 1, 1953
<u>STOCKS OF ICE CREAM (000 gal.)</u> (or mix equivalent)			
<u>C A N A D A</u>	<u>1,092</u>	<u>1,236</u>	<u>1,042</u>
Prince Edward Island	5	6	3
Nova Scotia	46	46	42
New Brunswick	16	22	26
Quebec	281	315	241
Ontario	425	521	448
Manitoba	71	74	56
Saskatchewan	69	73	58
Alberta	72	72	68
British Columbia	107	107	100
<u>STOCKS OF FROZEN CREAM (000 lb.)</u> (in pounds of cream)			
Quebec	569	547	671
Ontario	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	223
Other Provinces	42	42	6
<u>ALL CANADA TOTAL</u>	<u>611</u>	<u>589</u>	<u>900</u>

1/ Less than three firms reporting this item. The figures therefore cannot be shown separately but are included with Other Provinces.

STOCKS OF CONCENTRATED MILK IN COLD STORAGES, WAREHOUSES
AND DAIRY FACTORIES IN CANADA OWNED AND HELD BY/OR FOR MANUFACTURERS

5.

OCTOBER 1, 1954

with comparative figures for last year and last month

	Oct. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Sept. 1, 1954 Revised	Oct. 1, 1953
- thousand pounds -			
<u>CONCENTRATED WHOLE MILK</u>			
<u>Condensed Whole Milk</u>	<u>1,091</u>	<u>952</u>	<u>1,614</u>
Case	818	649	1,349
Bulk	273	303	265
<u>Evaporated Whole Milk</u>	<u>64,947</u>	<u>66,528 1/</u>	<u>67,685</u>
<u>Whole Milk Powder</u>	<u>1,929</u>	<u>1,723</u>	<u>1,751</u>
Spray Process	1,841	1,652	1,654
Roller Process	88	71	97
<u>CONCENTRATED MILK BY-PRODUCTS</u>			
<u>Skim-milk</u>	<u>3,489</u>	<u>2,314</u>	<u>2,340</u>
Condensed	89	59	150
Evaporated	3,400	2,255	2,190
<u>Skim-milk Powder</u>	<u>18,944</u>	<u>18,493</u>	<u>16,858</u>
Human Food:			
Spray Process	14,555	14,017	12,253
Roller Process in bags	3,295 2/	3,274	1,871
" " " bbls.	899	980	2,411
Animal Feed	195 2/	222	323
<u>Buttermilk Powder</u>	<u>731</u>	<u>816</u>	<u>1,125</u>
<u>Casein</u>	<u>933</u>	<u>1,002</u>	<u>1,634</u>
<u>Whey Powder</u>	<u>2,987</u>	<u>2,693</u>	<u>4,356</u>

1/ There were also on hand 7,272,000 lb. of Evaporated Whole Milk in the hands of Whole-salers, but not included here.

2/ Estimates included in these figures are as follows: Skim Milk Powder; Roller Process in bags 60,000 lb. Animal Feed 30,000 lb.

6.

EGGS IN COLD STORAGES AND EGG STATIONS IN CANADA - OCTOBER 1, 1954
with comparative figures for last year and for last month

	Oct. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Sept. 1, 1954 Revised	Oct. 1, 1953	Oct. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Sept. 1, 1954 Revised	Oct. 1, 1953
	<u>COLD STORAGE</u>			<u>FRESH</u>		
C A N A D A (000 cases)	135 1/	147	18	40 1/	36	38
Maritimes	-	-	-	1	1	3
Quebec	6	6	2	8	7	6
Ontario	40	45	3	15	14	16
Manitoba	35	36	8	3	3	3
Saskatchewan	22	22	1	2	3	3
Alberta	20	25	2	5	4	4
British Columbia	11	13	2	4	4	3

	October 1, 1954 Preliminary				Sept. 1, 1954 Revised	Oct. 1, 1953
FROZEN	WHOLE	YOLK	WHITES	TOTAL	TOTAL	TOTAL
C A N A D A (000 lb.)	5,335 1/	1,484	1,010	7,829	7,845	7,199
Maritimes	178	2	7	187	177	126
Quebec	1,476	323	271	2,070	2,009	1,201
Ontario	1,398	373	310	2,081	2,384	2,264
Manitoba	1,322	612	333	2,267	1,998	1,922
Saskatchewan	152	1	2	155	194	525
Alberta	369	18	63	450	589	689
British Columbia	390	155	24	569	494	472

E G G S U M M A R Y (000 cases)	Oct. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Sept. 1, 1954 Revised	Oct. 1, 1953
Shell Eggs	175	183	56
In Transit (page 13)	1	1	2
Frozen Eggs (38.5 lb. per case)	203	204	187
T O T A L	379	388	245

1/ These figures include estimates of 1,000 cases of Cold Storage Eggs, 2,000 cases Fresh Eggs and Frozen Eggs, Whole 50,000 lb. 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
OCTOBER 1, 1954

7.

with comparative figures for last year and revised totals for last month

	BUTTER		CHEESE ^{1/}		EGGS (000 cases)		
	Creamery (000 lb.)		Cheddar (000 lb.)		Cold Storage		Fresh
	Oct. 1, 1954	Oct. 1, 1953	Oct. 1, 1954	Oct. 1, 1953	Oct. 1, 1954	Oct. 1, 1953	Oct. 1, 1954
Quebec	4,126	5,016	116	252	2/	-	2
Montreal	33,716	30,278	18,890	13,822	2	2	6
Toronto	12,084	12,874	1,519	2,146	-	-	7
Winnipeg	14,773	10,273	752	706	2/	8	3
Regina	1,491	1,208	128	133	2/	-	1
Saskatoon	500	504	82	58	4	-	-
Edmonton	2,828	2,712	772	632	14	2	3
Calgary	923	902	508	636	2/	-	1
Vancouver ^{3/}	1,205	1,820	969	802	11	2	4
TOTAL 9 CITIES	71,646	65,587	23,736	19,187	72	14	27
Sept. 1, 1954 (revised)	66,569		20,143		81		22

FROZEN EGGS (000 lb.)	October 1, 1954				Oct. 1, 1953
	WHOLE	YOLK	WHITES	TOTAL	TOTAL
Quebec	557	34	25	616	256
Montreal	515	289	229	1,033	911
Toronto	993	291	230	1,514	1,321
Winnipeg	1,311	612	333	2,256	1,914
Regina	(79	(1	(2	(82	134
Saskatoon	(79	(1	(2	(82	167
Edmonton	226	(18	(63	(401	375
Calgary	94	(18	(63	(401	266
Vancouver ^{3/}	382	155	21	558	450
TOTAL 9 CITIES	4,157	1,400	903	6,460	5,794
Sept. 1, 1954 (revised)	3,942	1,477	937	6,356	

Note: Of the preliminary totals for Canada at October 1, 1954 the above cities' stocks were:

CREAMERY BUTTER 63.3 % CHEESE 48.8 % SHELL EGGS 56.6 % FROZEN EGGS 82.5 %

^{1/} There were no stocks of imported cheese on hand on October 1, 1954

^{2/} Less than three firms reporting this item. The figures therefore cannot be shown separately but are included in "Total."

^{3/} Including New Westminster.

with comparative figures

	Oct. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Sept. 1, 1954 Revised	Oct. 1, 1953	Oct. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Sept. 1, 1954 Revised	Oct. 1, 1953
	- thousand pounds -					
	<u>TOTAL</u>			<u>BROILERS</u>		
<u>C A N A D A</u>	<u>14,940 1/</u>	<u>12,800</u>	<u>12,701</u>	<u>407</u>	<u>545</u>	<u>548</u>
Maritimes	537	572	689	13	13	19
Quebec	3,828	4,050	2,947	185	252	201
Ontario	5,102	4,197	4,783	82	141	147
Manitoba	1,490	1,446	1,585	25	36	8
Saskatchewan	549	468	511	-	-	-
Alberta	1,139	1,136	1,099	75	71	90
British Columbia	1,045	931	1,087	27	32	83
	<u>CHICKENS</u>			<u>FOWL</u>		
<u>C A N A D A</u>	<u>4,317</u>	<u>4,991</u>	<u>4,016</u>	<u>5,687</u>	<u>4,448</u>	<u>5,948</u>
Maritimes	246	294	400	167	161	185
Quebec	1,692	1,957	1,561	872	776	683
Ontario	1,331	1,573	969	2,727	1,894	3,098
Manitoba	398	509	471	780	639	940
Saskatchewan	157	170	128	301	214	338
Alberta	340	325	303	525	502	493
British Columbia	153	163	184	315	262	211
	<u>DUCKS</u>			<u>GEESE</u>		
<u>C A N A D A</u>	<u>226</u>	<u>247</u>	<u>280</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>66</u>	<u>25</u>
Maritimes	13	9	10	2	2	6
Quebec	93	116	90	9	11	6
Ontario	46	61	102	5	6	1
Manitoba	7	7	4	26	24	1
Saskatchewan	-	-	-	1	1	-
Alberta	8	7	6	6	10	-
British Columbia	59	47	68	9	12	11

for last year and last month

	Oct. 1, 1954	Sept. 1, 1954	Oct. 1, 1953	Oct. 1, 1954	Sept. 1, 1954	Oct. 1, 1953
	Preliminary	Revised		Preliminary	Revised	

- thousand pounds -

	<u>TURKEYS</u>			<u>UNCLASSIFIED</u>		
<u>C A N A D A</u>	<u>2,716</u>	<u>2,254</u>	<u>1,663</u>	<u>279</u>	<u>249</u>	<u>221</u>
Maritimes	78	81	57	18	12	12
Quebec	969	931	394	8	7	12
Ontario	792	402	424	119	120	42
Manitoba	227	209	126	27	22	35
Saskatchewan	65	68	29	25	15	16
Alberta	182	208	179	3	13	28
British Columbia	403	355	454	79	60	76

POULTRY SUMMARY

	Oct. 1, 1954 <u>Preliminary</u>	Sept. 1, 1954 <u>Revised</u>	Oct. 1, 1953
Canadian (as above)	14,940 ^{1/}	12,800	12,701
In Transit (page 13)	-	-	-
<u>T O T A L</u>	<u>14,940</u>	<u>12,800</u>	<u>12,701</u>

^{1/} These figures include an estimate of 1,250,000 lb. for firms failing to report on time. This estimate is not included in the various classifications or in the specific Provinces.

10.

STOCKS OF DRESSED POULTRY IN

with comparative figures for last

	Oct. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Oct. 1, 1953	Oct. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Oct. 1, 1953
- thousand pounds -				
	<u>TOTAL</u>		<u>BROILERS</u>	
Quebec	387	469	18	38
Montreal	3,274	2,139	136	106
Toronto	3,893	3,140	36	72
Winnipeg	1,473	1,578	25	8
Regina & Saskatoon	221	230	-	-
Edmonton	594	662	29	13
Calgary	395	400	46	77
Vancouver ^{1/}	976	1,042	20	76
TOTAL 9 CITIES	<u>11,813 ^{2/}</u>	<u>9,660</u>	<u>310</u>	<u>390</u>
Sept. 1, 1954 (revised)	10,206		337	
	<u>CHICKENS</u>		<u>FOWL</u>	
Quebec	221	217	77	169
Montreal	1,393	1,181	775	458
Toronto	994	546	2,193	2,110
Winnipeg	392	469	773	935
Regina & Saskatoon	59	41	98	161
Edmonton	195	204	295	335
Calgary	117	89	119	131
Vancouver ^{1/}	150	177	303	193
TOTAL 9 CITIES	<u>3,521</u>	<u>2,924</u>	<u>4,633</u>	<u>4,492</u>
Sept. 1, 1954 (revised)	4,074		3,470	

^{1/} Including New Westminster.^{2/} This total includes an estimate of 600,000 lb. for firms failing to report on time. This estimate is not included in the various classifications or in the specific cities.

year and comparative totals for last month

	Oct. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Oct. 1, 1953	Oct. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Oct. 1, 1953
- thousand pounds -				
<u>DUCKS</u>		<u>GEESE</u>		
Quebec	8	5	1	-
Montreal	85	84	8	4
Toronto	41	96	-	-
Winnipeg	7	4	26	1
Regina & Saskatoon	-	-	1	-
Edmonton	2	2	4	1
Calgary	5	4	1	-
Vancouver ^{1/}	57	67	7	11
TOTAL 9 CITIES	205	262	48	17
Sept. 1, 1954 (revised)		227		55
<u>TURKEYS</u>		<u>UNCLASSIFIED</u>		
Quebec	62	40	-	-
Montreal	870	300	7	6
Toronto	579	298	50	18
Winnipeg	223	126	27	35
Regina & Saskatoon	38	12	25	16
Edmonton	68	86	1	21
Calgary	105	92	2	7
Vancouver ^{1/}	360	442	79	76
TOTAL 9 CITIES	2,305	1,396	191	179
Sept. 1, 1954 (revised)		1,887		156

^{1/} Including New Westminster.

BUTTER, CHEESE, EGGS AND

Reported by

with comparative figures

	Oct. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Sept. 1, 1954	Oct. 1, 1953
IN TRANSIT		<u>BUTTER</u>	
		- thousand pounds -	
CANADA	140	140	105
Ontario	35	-	35
Manitoba	70	105	-
Saskatchewan	-	35	-
Alberta	-	-	70
British Columbia	35	-	-
At Principal Railway Terminals <u>1/</u>			
Winnipeg	-	70	-
IN TRANSIT		<u>CHEESE</u>	
		- thousand pounds -	
CANADA	152	-	190
Maritime Provinces	-	-	38
Manitoba	114	-	38
British Columbia	38	-	114
At Principal Railway Terminals <u>1/</u>	NIL	NIL	NIL

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

OCTOBER 1, 1954

13.

POULTRY IN TRANSIT IN CANADA

Railway Companies

for last year and last month

	Oct. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Sept. 1, 1954	Oct. 1, 1953
IN TRANSIT		<u>EGGS</u>	
CANADA	cases 600	cases 1,200	cases 1,800
Maritime Provinces	-	600	-
Quebec	-	-	600
Ontario	600	600	600
Saskatchewan	-	-	600

At Principal Railway Terminals ^{1/}

Montreal	-	-	600
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IN TRANSIT		<u>POULTRY</u>	
		- thousand pounds -	
CANADA	-	-	-

^{1/} 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 TCO4F.

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