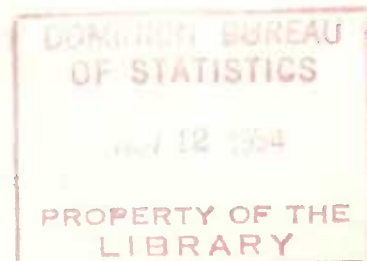


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Inventories are taken at manufacturers and wholesale level and firms are required to report all stocks held in their own establishments or in specially rented rooms elsewhere as at the opening of the first business day of the month.

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

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STOCKS OF DAIRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS - NOVEMBER 1, 1954 1.

CREAMERY BUTTER

At the opening of business on November 1, 1954 the stocks of creamery butter on hand in Canada amounted to 114,058,000 lb. Cold Storage warehouses had in store 92,869,000 lb. while dairy factories held 20,864,000 lb. The summary total was higher than last year by 22.2 million pounds. The five year average of November 1 stocks is 74,423,000 lb. The October 1954 "out-of-storage" movement was 1.2 million pounds as compared with a similar movement of 2.4 million pounds last year.

CHEDDAR CHEESE

The total stocks of cheddar cheese were 48,387,000 lb. consisting of 47,966,000 lb. Canadian, 3,000 lb. imported and 418,000 lb. in transit on November 1, 1954. The summary total was higher than last year by 2.8 million pounds and showed an "out-of-storage" movement of 530 thousand pounds for October 1954.

CONCENTRATED MILK PRODUCTS

Stocks of evaporated whole milk held by or for manufacturers amounted to 59,758,000 lb. which was a decrease of 1.6 million pounds from last year. The "out-of-storage" movement of evaporated whole milk for October 1954 was 5.2 million pounds. The chief by-product skim-milk powder amounted to 17,180,000 lb. an increase of 2.3 million pounds over last year and a decrease of 1.7 million pounds from last month. Ice cream stocks amounted to 908,000 gallons as compared with 841,000 gallons on November 1, 1953. Stocks of frozen cream amounted to 483,000 lb. on November 1, 1954, last year they amounted to 785,000 lb.

EGGS

The November 1, 1954 report shows 117,000 cases of cold storage eggs, 32,000 cases of fresh eggs and 1,000 cases of shell eggs in transit. Frozen eggs totalled 6,589,000 lb. being 709 thousand pounds higher than the 1953 figures. The "out-of-storage" movement for October 1954 was 1.1 million pounds as compared with a similar movement of 1.3 million pounds during October 1953.

DRESSED POULTRY

The summary total of poultry stocks on November 1, 1954 was lower than last year by 1.9 million pounds. An "into-storage" movement of 1.8 million pounds is shown for the month of October 1954. Chickens in stock amounted to 4,989,000 lb., fowl to 6,686,000 lb. and turkeys to 3,555,000 lb., not including estimates. There were no dressed poultry in transit on November 1, 1954.

STOCKS OF BUTTER

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

		Nov. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Oct. 1, 1954 Revised	Nov. 1, 1953
		- thousand pounds -		
<u>CANADA</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>114,058</u>	<u>115,306</u>	<u>91,878</u>
In Cold Storages		92,869	92,259	71,091
In Dairy Factories		20,864	22,907	20,752
In Transit		325	140	35
<u>Prince Edward Island</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>1,251</u>	<u>1,408</u>	<u>1,480</u>
In Cold Storages		931	997	1,048
In Dairy Factories		320	411	432
<u>Nova Scotia</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>1,345</u>	<u>1,200</u>	<u>588</u>
In Cold Storages		1,210	985	360
In Dairy Factories		135	215	228
<u>New Brunswick</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>4,429</u>	<u>4,578</u>	<u>1,788</u>
In Cold Storages		3,846	3,805	986
In Dairy Factories		583	773	802
<u>Quebec</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>49,919</u>	<u>49,576</u>	<u>42,617</u>
In Cold Storages		43,444	42,465	36,711
In Dairy Factories		6,475	7,111	5,906
<u>Ontario</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>28,745</u>	<u>29,426</u>	<u>22,404</u>
In Cold Storages		22,674	22,802	16,344
In Dairy Factories		6,071	6,624	6,060
<u>Manitoba</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>15,983</u>	<u>15,793</u>	<u>11,262</u>
In Cold Storages		14,631	14,433	9,780
In Dairy Factories		1,352	1,360	1,482
<u>Saskatchewan</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>5,050</u>	<u>5,393</u>	<u>4,480</u>
In Cold Storages		2,042	2,151	1,306
In Dairy Factories		3,008	3,242	3,174
<u>Alberta</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>5,198</u>	<u>5,830</u>	<u>5,190</u>
In Cold Storages		2,675	3,097	2,924
In Dairy Factories		2,523	2,733	2,266
<u>British Columbia</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>1,813</u>	<u>1,962</u>	<u>2,034</u>
In Cold Storages		1,416	1,524	1,632
In Dairy Factories		397	438	402
5 year average 1949-53		74,423		
DAIRY BUTTER	lb.	-	-	435
WHEY BUTTER	lb.	257,000	295,000	179,000

STOCKS OF CHEDDAR CHEESE

3.

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

		Nov. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Oct. 1, 1954 Revised	Nov. 1, 1953
		- thousand pounds -		
<u>CANADA</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>48,387</u>	<u>48,917</u>	<u>45,539</u>
In Cold Storages		43,834	43,998	42,217
In Dairy Factories		4,135	4,767	3,208
In Transit		418	152	114
<u>Prince Edward Island</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>498</u>	<u>485</u>	<u>225</u>
In Cold Storages		1/	1/	175
In Dairy Factories		498	485	50
<u>Nova Scotia</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>59</u>	<u>65</u>	<u>65</u>
In Cold Storages		59	65	65
<u>New Brunswick</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>102</u>	<u>109</u>	<u>99</u>
In Cold Storages		79	70	67
In Dairy Factories		23	39	32
<u>Quebec</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>20,248</u>	<u>20,229</u>	<u>13,601</u>
In Cold Storages		19,797	19,567	13,338
In Dairy Factories		451	662	263
<u>Ontario</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>23,759</u>	<u>23,961</u>	<u>27,619</u>
In Cold Storages		21,189	21,060	25,454
In Dairy Factories		2,570	2,901	2,165
<u>Manitoba</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>599</u>	<u>801</u>	<u>650</u>
In Cold Storages		532	728	620
In Dairy Factories		67	73	30
<u>Saskatchewan</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>310</u>	<u>296</u>	<u>415</u>
In Cold Storages		205	198	260
In Dairy Factories		105	98	155
<u>Alberta</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>1,475</u>	<u>1,600</u>	<u>1,725</u>
In Cold Storages		1,214	1,271	1,306
In Dairy Factories		261	329	419
<u>British Columbia</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>919</u>	<u>1,219</u>	<u>1,026</u>
In Cold Storages		759	1,039	932
In Dairy Factories		160	180	94
<u>IMPORTED CHEESE</u>				
(included in above figures)		3	2	1

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 - NOVEMBER 1, 1954

	Nov. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Oct. 1, 1954 Revised	Nov. 1, 1953
<u>STOCKS OF ICE CREAM (000 gal.)</u> (or mix equivalent)			
<u>C A N A D A</u>	<u>908</u>	<u>1,092</u>	<u>841</u>
Prince Edward Island	5	5	3
Nova Scotia	41	45	37
New Brunswick	15	18	14
Quebec	221	278	212
Ontario	354	441	324
Manitoba	58	64	54
Saskatchewan	57	68	57
Alberta	62	71	59
British Columbia	95	102	81
<u>STOCKS OF FROZEN CREAM (000 lb.)</u> (in pounds of cream)			
Quebec	451	573	540
Ontario	1/	1/	231
Other Provinces	32	42	14
<u>ALL CANADA TOTAL</u>	<u>483</u>	<u>615</u>	<u>785</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
NOVEMBER 1, 1954
with comparative figures for last year and last month

5.

	Nov. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Oct. 1, 1954 Revised	Nov. 1, 1953
- thousand pounds -			
<u>CONCENTRATED WHOLE MILK</u>			
<u>Condensed Whole Milk</u>	<u>1,290</u>	<u>1,095</u>	<u>2,004</u>
Case	1,016	822	1,679
Bulk	274	273	325
<u>Evaporated Whole Milk</u>	<u>59,758</u>	<u>64,947 1/</u>	<u>61,351</u>
<u>Whole Milk Powder</u>	<u>1,786</u>	<u>1,931</u>	<u>2,166</u>
Spray Process	1,601	1,843	2,103
Roller Process	185	88	63
<u>CONCENTRATED MILK BY-PRODUCTS</u>			
<u>Skim-milk</u>	<u>3,902</u>	<u>3,489</u>	<u>2,819</u>
Condensed	99	89	155
Evaporated	3,803	3,400	2,664
<u>Skim-milk Powder</u>	<u>17,180</u>	<u>18,922</u>	<u>14,833</u>
Human Food:			
Spray Process	13,084	14,556	10,643
Roller Process in bags	3,106	3,280	1,547
" " " bbls.	823	899	2,310
Animal Feed	167	187	333
<u>Buttermilk Powder</u>	<u>703</u>	<u>764</u>	<u>1,005</u>
<u>Casein</u>	<u>955</u>	<u>933</u>	<u>1,498</u>
<u>Whey Powder</u>	<u>3,307</u>	<u>2,999</u>	<u>4,132</u>

1/ There were also on hand 7,030,000 lb. of Evaporated Whole Milk in the hand of Whole-salers, but not included here.

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

	Nov. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Oct. 1, 1954 Revised	Nov. 1, 1953	Nov. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Oct. 1, 1954 Revised	Nov. 1, 1953
	<u>COLD STORAGE</u>			<u>FRESH</u>		
<u>CANADA</u> (000 cases)	<u>117 1/</u>	<u>134</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>32 1/</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>41</u>
Maritimes	-	-	-	1	2	2
Quebec	5	6	1	9	9	9
Ontario	34	40	-	11	14	17
Manitoba	32	35	-	2	3	3
Saskatchewan	23	22	-	2	3	2
Alberta	14	20	-	2	5	5
British Columbia	8	11	-	3	5	3

	November 1, 1954 Preliminary				Oct. 1, 1954 Revised	Nov. 1, 1953
<u>FROZEN</u>	<u>WHOLE</u>	<u>YOLK</u>	<u>WHITES</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
<u>CANADA</u> (000 lb.)	<u>4,473 1/</u>	<u>1,269</u>	<u>847 1/</u>	<u>6,589</u>	<u>7,725</u>	<u>5,880</u>
Maritimes	138	2	6	146	193	152
Quebec	960	258	200	1,418	2,073	1,066
Ontario	1,018	297	250	1,565	2,093	1,820
Manitoba	1,282	552	300	2,134	2,267	1,547
Saskatchewan	109	1	1	111	171	358
Alberta	293	15	52	360	450	547
British Columbia	323	144	24	491	478	390

<u>EGG SUMMARY</u> (000 cases)	Nov. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Oct. 1, 1954 Revised	Nov. 1, 1953
Shell Eggs	149	175	42
In Transit (page 13)	1	1	2
Frozen Eggs (38.5 lb. per case)	171	201	153
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>321</u>	<u>377</u>	<u>197</u>

1/ These figures include estimates of 1,000 cases of Cold Storage Eggs, 2,000 cases Fresh Eggs and Frozen Eggs, Whole 350,000 lb. and Whites 14,000 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
NOVEMBER 1, 1954

7.

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

	<u>BUTTER</u>		<u>CHEESE 1/</u>		<u>EGGS (000 cases)</u>		
	<u>Creamery (000 lb.)</u>		<u>Cheddar (000 lb.)</u>		<u>Cold Storage</u>		<u>Fresh</u>
	Nov. 1, 1954	Nov. 1, 1953	Nov. 1, 1954	Nov. 1, 1953	Nov. 1, 1954	Nov. 1, 1953	Nov. 1, 1954
Quebec	4,001	4,527	126	294	2/	-	2
Montreal	34,733	29,855	18,986	12,943	2/	1	6
Toronto	11,669	12,784	2,055	2,246	-	-	6
Winnipeg	14,923	10,103	565	683	2/	-	1
Regina	1,380	1,121	138	197	2/	-	-
Saskatoon	463	324	77	65	4	-	1
Edmonton	2,345	2,546	724	661	9	-	1
Calgary	919	890	509	664	-	-	-
Vancouver 3/	1,449	1,610	710	847	8	-	3
TOTAL 9 CITIES	71,882	63,760	23,890	18,600	58	1	20
Oct. 1, 1954 (revised)	71,986		23,659		72		27

<u>FROZEN EGGS (000 lb.)</u>	<u>November 1, 1954</u>				<u>Nov. 1, 1953</u>
	<u>WHOLE</u>	<u>YOLK</u>	<u>WHITES</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
Quebec	458	29	25	512	275
Montreal	486	224	175	885	787
Toronto	660	232	192	1,084	1,002
Winnipeg	1,274	552	300	2,126	1,541
Regina	((((120
Saskatoon	85	1	1	87	68
Edmonton	167	11	46	224	366
Calgary	74	4	6	84	181
Vancouver 3/	320	144	22	486	372
TOTAL 9 CITIES	3,524	1,197	767	5,488	4,712
Oct. 1, 1954 (revised)	4,065	1,400	903	6,368	

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

CREAMERY BUTTER 63.2 % CHEESE 49.8 % SHELL EGGS 52.3 % FROZEN EGGS 83.3 %

1/ There were no stocks of imported cheese on hand on November 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

	Nov. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Oct. 1, 1954 Revised	Nov. 1, 1953	Nov. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Oct. 1, 1954 Revised	Nov. 1, 1953
	- thousand pounds -					
	<u>TOTAL</u>			<u>BROILERS</u>		
<u>C A N A D A</u>	<u>16,850 1/</u>	<u>15,085</u>	<u>18,706</u>	<u>499</u>	<u>460</u>	<u>611</u>
Maritimes	683	674	832	23	19	16
Quebec	4,247	4,085	4,523	203	209	278
Ontario	5,573	5,536	6,944	147	98	133
Manitoba	2,031	1,490	2,631	26	25	14
Saskatchewan	986	698	1,070	-	1	-
Alberta	1,512	1,483	1,529	71	75	85
British Columbia	1,218	1,119	1,177	29	33	85
	<u>CHICKENS</u>			<u>FOWL</u>		
<u>C A N A D A</u>	<u>4,989</u>	<u>4,743</u>	<u>6,762</u>	<u>6,686</u>	<u>6,338</u>	<u>8,175</u>
Maritimes	303	359	491	250	180	207
Quebec	1,711	1,833	2,423	893	918	944
Ontario	1,510	1,375	1,846	3,353	3,037	4,119
Manitoba	609	398	944	744	780	1,381
Saskatchewan	270	191	371	340	363	497
Alberta	436	420	484	721	716	747
British Columbia	150	167	203	385	344	280
	<u>DUCKS</u>			<u>GEESE</u>		
<u>C A N A D A</u>	<u>175</u>	<u>234</u>	<u>479</u>	<u>57</u>	<u>62</u>	<u>33</u>
Maritimes	5	13	12	2	2	7
Quebec	55	95	77	7	9	6
Ontario	24	51	256	8	5	1
Manitoba	19	7	36	26	26	1
Saskatchewan	-	-	-	1	1	-
Alberta	14	8	17	7	8	4
British Columbia	58	60	81	6	11	14

for last year and last month

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

- thousand pounds -

	<u>TURKEYS</u>			<u>UNCLASSIFIED</u>		
<u>C A N A D A</u>	<u>3,555</u>	<u>2,959</u>	<u>2,362</u>	<u>289</u>	<u>289</u>	<u>284</u>
Maritimes	90	83	87	10	18	12
Quebec	1,373	1,013	775	5	8	20
Ontario	462	850	511	69	120	78
Manitoba	550	227	211	57	27	44
Saskatchewan	321	117	154	54	25	48
Alberta	257	244	181	6	12	11
British Columbia	502	425	443	88	79	71

POULTRY SUMMARY

	Nov. 1, 1954 <u>Preliminary</u>	Oct. 1, 1954 <u>Revised</u>	Nov. 1, 1953
Canadian (as above)	16,850 <u>1/</u>	15,085	18,706
In Transit (page 13)	-	-	-
<u>T O T A L</u>	<u>16,850</u>	<u>15,085</u>	<u>18,706</u>

1/ These figures include 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 Provinces.

STOCKS OF DRESSED POULTRY IN
with comparative figures for last

	Nov. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Nov. 1, 1953	Nov. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Nov. 1, 1953
	- thousand pounds -			
	<u>TOTAL</u>		<u>BROILERS</u>	
Quebec	455	597	7	27
Montreal	3,676	3,419	146	143
Toronto	3,686	4,399	56	69
Winnipeg	2,010	2,610	26	14
Regina & Saskatoon	367	445	-	-
Edmonton	1,093	1,045	25	20
Calgary	347	417	46	65
Vancouver ^{1/}	1,128	1,126	21	76
TOTAL 9 CITIES	13,112 ^{2/}	14,058	327	414
Oct. 1, 1954 (revised)	11,837		319	
	<u>CHICKENS</u>		<u>FOWL</u>	
Quebec	246	385	96	130
Montreal	1,431	1,894	786	736
Toronto	1,073	992	2,255	2,651
Winnipeg	598	933	740	1,372
Regina & Saskatoon	107	145	130	231
Edmonton	312	354	558	534
Calgary	102	111	113	168
Vancouver ^{1/}	142	193	366	267
TOTAL 9 CITIES	4,011	5,007	5,044	6,089
Oct. 1, 1954 (revised)	3,720		4,890	

^{1/} Including New Westminster.

^{2/} This total includes an estimate of 350,000 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

	Nov. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Nov. 1, 1953	Nov. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Nov. 1, 1953
- thousand pounds -				
	<u>DUCKS</u>		<u>GEESE</u>	
Quebec	7	4	-	-
Montreal	47	72	7	4
Toronto	21	250	5	-
Winnipeg	19	36	26	1
Regina & Saskatoon	-	-	1	-
Edmonton	1	5	6	1
Calgary	13	12	1	3
Vancouver 1/	57	80	4	13
TOTAL 9 CITIES	165	459	50	22
Oct. 1, 1954 (revised)		212		53
	<u>TURKEYS</u>		<u>UNCLASSIFIED</u>	
Quebec	99	50	-	1
Montreal	1,254	563	5	7
Toronto	223	376	53	61
Winnipeg	544	210	57	44
Regina & Saskatoon	76	27	53	42
Edmonton	188	121	3	10
Calgary	69	57	3	1
Vancouver 1/	450	426	88	71
TOTAL 9 CITIES	2,903	1,830	262	237
Oct. 1, 1954 (revised)		2,443		200

1/ Including New Westminster.

BUTTER, CHEESE, EGGS AND

Reported by

with comparative figures

Nov. 1, 1954
Preliminary

Oct. 1, 1954

Nov. 1, 1953

IN TRANSIT

BUTTER

	- thousand pounds -		
CANADA	325	140	35
Maritime Provinces	35	-	-
Quebec	70	-	-
Ontario	150	35	-
Manitoba	70	70	-
British Columbia	-	35	35
At Principal Railway Terminals 1/	NIL	NIL	NIL

IN TRANSIT

CHEESE

	- thousand pounds -		
CANADA	418	152	114
Ontario	152	-	-
Manitoba	76	114	114
Saskatchewan	152	-	-
British Columbia	38	38	-
At Principal Railway Terminals 1/			
Winnipeg	76	-	-

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

NOVEMBER 1, 1954

13.

POULTRY IN TRANSIT IN CANADA

Railway Companies

for last year and last month

	Nov. 1, 1954 Preliminary	Oct. 1, 1954	Nov. 1, 1953
IN TRANSIT		<u>EGGS</u>	
CANADA	cases 1,200	cases 600	cases 2,400
Maritime Provinces	1,200	-	-
Ontario	-	600	600
Manitoba	-	-	600
Saskatchewan	-	-	600
Alberta	-	-	600
At Principal Railway Terminals ^{1/}	NIL	NIL	NIL
IN TRANSIT		<u>POULTRY</u>	
CANADA	NIL	- thousand pounds - NIL	NIL

^{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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