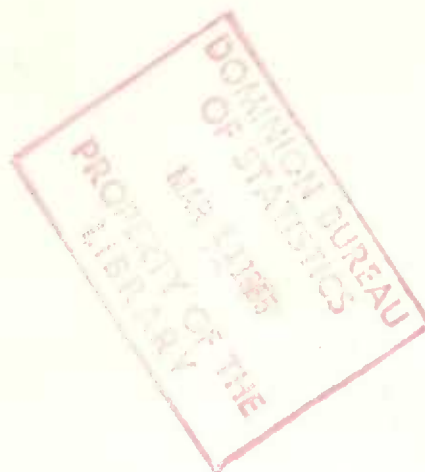


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Inventories are taken at manufacturers and wholesale level and firms are required to report all stocks held in their own establishments or in specially rented rooms elsewhere as at the opening of the first business day of the month.

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 - MARCH 1, 1955 1.

CREAMERY BUTTER

At the opening of business on March 1, 1955 the stocks of creamery butter on hand in Canada amounted to 69,068,000 lb. Cold Storage warehouses had in store 57,866,000 lb. while dairy factories held 11,062,000 lb. The summary total was higher than last year by 18.4 million pounds. The five year average of March 1 stocks is 32,744,000 lb. The February 1955 "out-of-storage" movement was 11.2 million pounds as compared with a similar movement of 10.5 million pounds last year.

CHEDDAR CHEESE

The total stocks of cheddar cheese were 35,664,000 lb. consisting of 33,849,000 lb. Canadian, 1,587,000 lb. imported and 228,000 lb. in transit on March 1, 1955. The summary total was higher than last year by 9.7 million pounds and showed an "out-of-storage" movement of 4.5 million pounds for February 1955.

CONCENTRATED MILK PRODUCTS

Stocks of evaporated whole milk held by or for manufacturers amounted to 19,258,000 lb. which was a decrease of 2.4 million pounds from last year. The "out-of-storage" movement of evaporated whole milk for February 1955 was 6.9 million pounds. The chief by-product skim-milk powder amounted to 6,192,000 lb. a decrease of 1.9 million pounds from last year and a decrease of 3.2 million pounds from last month. Ice cream stocks amounted to 874,000 gallons as compared with 840,000 gallons on March 1, 1954. Stocks of frozen cream amounted to 65,000 lb. on March 1, 1955, last year they amounted to 171,000 lb.

EGGS

The March 1, 1955 report shows 204,000 cases of cold storage eggs, 48,000 cases of fresh eggs and 3,000 cases of shell eggs in transit. Frozen eggs totalled 7,805,000 lb. being 3.8 million pounds higher than the 1954 figures. The "into-storage" movement for February 1955 was 2.2 million pounds as compared with a similar movement of 195 thousand pounds during February 1954.

POULTRY

The summary total of poultry stocks on March 1, 1955 was lower than last year by 5.9 million pounds. An "out-of-storage" movement of 4.2 million pounds is shown for the month of February 1955. By kinds, with reported eviscerated quantity in brackets, these stocks include: Chicken 4,429,000 lb. (861,000) lb., Fowl 3,325,000 lb. (1,060,000) lb. and turkey 6,790,000 lb. (1,593,000) lb. These figures do not include estimates for firms whose reports were not received in time. There were 75,000 lb. dressed poultry in transit on March 1, 1955.

STOCKS OF BUTTER

in cold storages and dairy factories in Canada - March 1, 1955

		Mar. 1, 1955 Preliminary	Feb. 1, 1955 Revised	Mar. 1, 1954
		- thousand pounds -		
<u>CANADA</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>69,068</u>	<u>80,285</u>	<u>50,676</u>
In Cold Storages		57,866	67,356	41,256
In Dairy Factories		11,062	12,929	9,395
In Transit		140	-	35
<u>Prince Edward Island</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>109</u>	<u>304</u>	<u>1,045</u>
In Cold Storages		7	238	809
In Dairy Factories		109	66	236
<u>Nova Scotia</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>893</u>	<u>1,066</u>	<u>378</u>
In Cold Storages		722	893	223
In Dairy Factories		171	173	155
<u>New Brunswick</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>2,394</u>	<u>3,030</u>	<u>1,024</u>
In Cold Storages		2,153	2,779	643
In Dairy Factories		241	251	381
<u>Quebec</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>29,553</u>	<u>35,526</u>	<u>23,837</u>
In Cold Storages		25,577	31,033	21,357
In Dairy Factories		3,976	4,493	2,500
<u>Ontario</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>19,455</u>	<u>21,573</u>	<u>12,524</u>
In Cold Storages		16,389	17,886	9,716
In Dairy Factories		3,066	3,687	2,808
<u>Manitoba</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>10,831</u>	<u>11,675</u>	<u>7,326</u>
In Cold Storages		9,736	10,428	6,246
In Dairy Factories		1,095	1,247	1,080
<u>Saskatchewan</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>2,929</u>	<u>3,252</u>	<u>1,432</u>
In Cold Storages		1,529	1,620	450
In Dairy Factories		1,400	1,632	982
<u>Alberta</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>1,311</u>	<u>2,065</u>	<u>1,546</u>
In Cold Storages		547	1,000	610
In Dairy Factories		764	1,065	936
<u>British Columbia</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>1,453</u>	<u>1,794</u>	<u>1,529</u>
In Cold Storages		1,213	1,479	1,222
In Dairy Factories		240	315	307
5 year average 1950-54		32,744		
DAIRY BUTTER	lb.	-	-	-
WHEY	lb.	64,000	85,000	54,000

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

STOCKS OF CHEDDAR CHEESE

3.

in cold storages and dairy factories in Canada - March 1, 1955

		Mar. 1, 1955 Preliminary	Feb. 1, 1955 Revised	Mar. 1, 1954
		- thousand pounds -		
<u>CANADA</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>35,664</u>	<u>40,121</u>	<u>25,982</u>
In Cold Storages		33,909	38,186	24,015
In Dairy Factories		1,527	1,821	1,741
In Transit		228	114	228
<u>Prince Edward Island</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>99</u>	<u>199</u>	<u>48</u>
In Cold Storages		1	1	35
In Dairy Factories		99	199	13
<u>Nova Scotia</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>66</u>	<u>99</u>	<u>85</u>
In Cold Storages		66	99	85
<u>New Brunswick</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>157</u>	<u>143</u>	<u>114</u>
In Cold Storages		142	124	100
In Dairy Factories		15	19	14
<u>Quebec</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>15,855</u>	<u>18,300</u>	<u>9,930</u>
In Cold Storages		15,763	18,162	9,854
In Dairy Factories		92	138	76
<u>Ontario</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>16,987</u>	<u>18,688</u>	<u>12,632</u>
In Cold Storages		16,127	17,698	11,671
In Dairy Factories		860	990	961
<u>Manitoba</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>350</u>	<u>400</u>	<u>420</u>
In Cold Storages		337	386	392
In Dairy Factories		13	14	28
<u>Saskatchewan</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>188</u>	<u>233</u>	<u>234</u>
In Cold Storages		119	145	114
In Dairy Factories		69	88	120
<u>Alberta</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>1,051</u>	<u>1,208</u>	<u>1,425</u>
In Cold Storages		802	968	1,007
In Dairy Factories		249	240	418
<u>British Columbia</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>683</u>	<u>737</u>	<u>868</u>
In Cold Storages		553	604	757
In Dairy Factories		130	133	111
<u>IMPORTED CHEESE</u>				
(included in above figures)		1,587	1,982	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 - MARCH 1, 1955

	Mar. 1, 1955 Preliminary	Feb. 1, 1955 Revised	Mar. 1, 1954
- thousand pounds -			
<u>STOCKS OF ICE CREAM (000 gal.)</u> (or mix equivalent)			
<u>C A N A D A</u>	<u>874</u>	<u>925</u>	<u>840</u>
Prince Edward Island	3	4	3
Nova Scotia	32	33	32
New Brunswick	14	15	14
Quebec	222	235	203
Ontario	357	387	343
Manitoba	51	57	60
Saskatchewan	48	50	43
Alberta	60	58	60
British Columbia	87	86	82
<u>STOCKS OF FROZEN CREAM (000 lb.)</u> (in pounds of cream)			
Quebec	37	130	100
Ontario	28	61	66
Other Provinces	-	-	5
<u>ALL CANADA TOTAL</u>	<u>65</u>	<u>191</u>	<u>171</u>

STOCKS OF CONCENTRATED MILK IN COLD STORAGES, WAREHOUSES
AND DAIRY FACTORIES IN CANADA OWNED AND HELD BY/OR FOR MANUFACTURERS
MARCH 1, 1955
with comparative figures for last year and last month

5.

	Mar. 1, 1955 Preliminary	Feb. 1, 1955 Revised	Mar. 1, 1954
- thousand pounds -			
<u>CONCENTRATED WHOLE MILK</u>			
<u>Condensed Whole Milk</u>	<u>1,190</u>	<u>1,213</u>	<u>1,157</u>
Case	838	1,025	888
Bulk	352	188	269
<u>Evaporated Whole Milk</u>	<u>19,258</u>	<u>26,196</u> 1/	<u>21,613</u>
<u>Whole Milk Powder</u>	<u>1,114</u>	<u>1,241</u>	<u>1,361</u>
Spray Process	987	1,164	1,268
Roller Process	127	77	93
<u>Partly Skimmed Evaporated Milk</u>	<u>1,665</u>	<u>2,036</u>	-
<u>CONCENTRATED MILK BY-PRODUCTS</u>			
<u>Skim-milk</u>	<u>78</u>	<u>115</u>	<u>1,207</u>
Evaporated	19	15	1,078
Condensed	59	100	129
<u>Skim-milk Powder</u>	<u>6,192</u>	<u>9,411</u>	<u>8,117</u>
Human Food:			
Spray Process	5,139	7,339	6,329
Roller Process	946 2/	1,938	1,631
Animal Feed	107	134	157
<u>Buttermilk Powder</u>	<u>337</u>	<u>429</u>	<u>282</u>
<u>Casein</u>	<u>537</u>	<u>772</u>	<u>1,013</u>
<u>Whey Powder</u>	<u>1,743</u>	<u>2,287</u>	<u>2,801</u>

1/ There were also on hand 7,483,000 lb. of Evaporated Whole Milk in the hands of Wholesalers, but not included here.

2/ Includes an estimate of 80,000 lb.

EGGS IN COLD STORAGES AND EGG STATIONS IN CANADA - MARCH 1, 1955
with comparative figures for last year and for last month

	Mar. 1, 1955 Preliminary	Feb. 1, 1955 Revised	Mar. 1, 1954	Mar. 1, 1955 Preliminary	Feb. 1, 1955 Revised	Mar. 1, 1954
	<u>COLD STORAGE</u>			<u>FRESH</u>		
C A N A D A (000 cases)	<u>204 1/</u>	<u>230</u>	<u>90</u>	<u>48 1/</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>60</u>
Maritimes	-	-	-	-	3	1
Quebec	2	6	6	5	8	8
Ontario	64	102	27	16	26	22
Manitoba	51	56	29	4	11	11
Saskatchewan	23	22	7	7	7	6
Alberta	50	35	10	9	13	7
British Columbia	13	9	11	4	6	5

	March 1, 1955 Preliminary				Feb. 1, 1955 Revised	Mar. 1, 1954
FROZEN	<u>WHOLE</u>	<u>YOLK</u>	<u>WHITES</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
C A N A D A (000 lb.)	<u>6,284 1/</u>	<u>848</u>	<u>673</u>	<u>7,805</u>	<u>5,590</u>	<u>4,052</u>
Maritimes	109	1	6	116	117	153
Quebec	1,156	141	182	1,479	1,440	1,078
Ontario	2,081	192	240	2,513	1,969	1,572
Manitoba	1,589	412	209	2,210	1,419	740
Saskatchewan	706	1	1	708	233	133
Alberta	216	27	23	266	82	185
British Columbia	237	74	12	323	330	191

E G G S U M M A R Y (000 cases)	Mar. 1, 1955 Preliminary	Feb. 1, 1955 Revised	Mar. 1, 1954
Shell Eggs	252	304	150
In Transit (page 13)	3	3	1
Frozen Eggs (38.5 lb. per case)	203	145	105
T O T A L	<u>458</u>	<u>452</u>	<u>256</u>

1/ These figures include estimates of 1,000 cases of Cold Storage Eggs, 3,000 cases Fresh Eggs and Frozen Eggs, Whole 190,000 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
MARCH 1, 1955

7.

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

	BUTTER		CHEESE		EGGS (000 cases)		
	Creamery (000 lb.)		Cheddar (000 lb.)		Cold Storage		Fresh
	Mar. 1, 1955	Mar. 1, 1954	Mar. 1, 1955	Mar. 1, 1954	Mar. 1, 1955	March 1, 1954	Mar. 1, 1955
Quebec	1,917	3,138	130	150	2/	4	1
Montreal	21,127	16,746	15,645	9,615	2/	1	3
Toronto	8,009	7,750	1,989	1,613	2/	-	6
Winnipeg	9,929	6,527	342	395	50	29	3
Regina	853	378	84	64	2/	-	1
Saskatoon	143	154	43	76	4	1	2
Edmonton	646	673	511	531	39	5	4
Calgary	168	320	308	492	8	3	3
Vancouver 3/	1,225	1,283	519	698	13	11	4
TOTAL 9 CITIES	44,017	36,949	19,571	11,634	123	54	27
Feb. 1, 1955 (revised)							

FROZEN EGGS (000 lb.)	March 1, 1955				Mar. 1, 1954
	WHOLE	YOLK	WHITES	TOTAL	TOTAL
Quebec	540	21	23	584	450
Montreal	452	118	156	726	599
Toronto	595	118	187	900	911
Winnipeg	1,583	412	208	2,203	735
Regina	2/	2/	2/	21	52
Saskatoon	105	-	-	105	51
Edmonton	30	27	19	76	72
Calgary	2/	2/	2/	12	113
Vancouver 3/	233	74	12	319	184
TOTAL 9 CITIES	3,565	771	610	4,946	3,167
Feb. 1, 1955 (revised)	2,563	834	565	3,962	

Note: Of the preliminary totals for Canada at March 1, 1955 the above cities' stocks were:

CREAMERY BUTTER 63.9 % CHEESE 55.2 % SHELL EGGS 59.5 % FROZEN EGGS 63.4 %

1/ Includes 1,584,000 lb. imported cheddar cheese.

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

3/ Including New Westminster.

	Mar. 1, 1955 Preliminary	Feb. 1, 1955 Revised	Mar. 1, 1954		
- thousand pounds -					
<u>TOTAL POULTRY</u>					
	<u>Eviscerated</u>	<u>Dressed</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>CANADA</u>	<u>3,676</u>	<u>14,945</u>	<u>20,121</u> 1/	<u>24,346</u>	<u>26,109</u>
Maritimes	410	557	967	1,390	1,158
Quebec	400	4,264	4,664	6,062	6,058
Ontario	1,966	3,122	5,088	6,381	9,042
Manitoba	256	3,081	3,337	4,412	3,942
Saskatchewan	82	705	787	1,040	1,433
Alberta	187	1,819	2,006	2,923	2,495
Br. Columbia	375	1,397	1,772	2,138	1,981
<u>CHICKEN UNDER 3½ lb.</u>					
<u>CANADA</u>	<u>292</u>	<u>521</u>	<u>813</u>	<u>1,056</u>	<u>921</u>
Maritimes	8	8	16	13	13
Quebec	42	304	346	434	520
Ontario	190	30	220	284	215
Manitoba	20	87	107	132	20
Saskatchewan	9	8	17	31	-
Alberta	12	59	71	123	48
Br. Columbia	11	25	36	39	105
<u>CHICKEN OVER 3½ lb.</u>					
<u>CANADA</u>	<u>569</u>	<u>3,908</u>	<u>4,477</u>	<u>5,954</u>	<u>10,510</u>
Maritimes	9	179	188	280	395
Quebec	49	1,320	1,369	1,857	2,888
Ontario	367	952	1,319	1,651	3,653
Manitoba	37	620	657	911	1,641
Saskatchewan	8	239	247	329	615
Alberta	40	409	449	660	912
Br. Columbia	59	189	248	266	406
<u>FOWL</u>					
<u>CANADA</u>	<u>1,060</u>	<u>3,325</u>	<u>4,385</u>	<u>6,553</u>	<u>7,550</u>
Maritimes	323	204	527	868	453
Quebec	63	662	725	1,003	633
Ontario	602	1,247	1,849	2,593	3,768
Manitoba	16	303	319	652	1,123
Saskatchewan	7	184	191	509	502
Alberta	8	399	407	729	727
Br. Columbia	41	326	367	599	544

1/ These figures include an estimate of 1,500,000 lb. for firms failing to report on time. This estimate is not included in the various classifications or in the specific Provinces.

	Mar. 1, 1955 Preliminary	Feb. 1, 1955 Revised	Mar. 1, 1954
- thousand pounds -			

TURKEY

	<u>Eviscerated</u>	<u>Dressed</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>CANADA</u>	<u>1,595</u>	<u>6,790</u>	<u>8,385</u>	<u>10,022</u>	<u>6,416</u>
Maritimes	61	149	210	213	255
Quebec	231	1,943	2,174	2,705	1,953
Ontario	691	824	1,515	1,578	1,278
Manitoba	172	1,975	2,147	2,586	993
Saskatchewan	58	262	320	357	193
Alberta	127	899	1,026	1,341	754
Br. Columbia	253	738	991	1,242	990

DUCKS

<u>CANADA</u>	<u>89</u>	<u>90</u>	<u>179</u>	<u>251</u>	<u>202</u>
Maritimes	9	-	9	6	11
Quebec	2/	17	17	38	46
Ontario	77	14	91	103	61
Manitoba	-	10	10	13	29
Saskatchewan	-	1	1	2	2
Alberta	-	18	18	25	23
Br. Columbia	3	30	33	64	30

GEESE

<u>CANADA</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>84</u>	<u>94</u>	<u>162</u>	<u>108</u>
Maritimes	-	6	6	8	7
Quebec	-	4	4	8	11
Ontario	8	6	14	61	8
Manitoba	-	40	40	43	36
Saskatchewan	-	4	4	6	3
Alberta	-	12	12	18	23
Br. Columbia	2	12	14	18	20

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<u>CANADA</u>	<u>63</u>	<u>227</u>	<u>290</u>	<u>348</u>	<u>402</u>
Maritimes	-	11	11	2	24
Quebec	15	14	29	17	7
Ontario	31	49	80	111	59
Manitoba	11	46	57	75	100
Saskatchewan	-	7	7	6	118
Alberta	-	23	23	27	8
Br. Columbia	6	77	83	110	86

2/ Less than three firms reporting this item. The figures therefore cannot be shown separately but are included in unclassified.

	Mar. 1, 1955		Feb. 1, 1955		Mar. 1, 1954
	Preliminary		Revised		
- thousand pounds -					
<u>TOTAL POULTRY</u>					
	<u>Eviscerated</u>	<u>Dressed</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Total</u>
Quebec	44	391	435	1,084	568
Montreal	288	3,767	4,055	4,634	4,865
Toronto	1,299	2,259	3,558	4,293	6,053
Winnipeg	256	3,066	3,322	4,392	3,934
Regina & Saskatoon	32	405	437	483	651
Edmonton	113	1,040	1,153	1,899	1,607
Calgary	58	607	665	804	730
Vancouver 1/	366	1,220	1,586	1,994	1,797
TOTAL 9 CITIES	2,456	12,755	16,211 2/	19,583	20,205

CHICKEN UNDER 3½ lb.

Quebec	5	16	21	63	29
Montreal	11	287	298	297	350
Toronto	39	22	61	60	89
Winnipeg	20	87	107	132	20
Regina & Saskatoon	7	3	10	25	-
Edmonton	11	12	23	61	25
Calgary	-	47	47	61	23
Vancouver 1/	10	19	29	31	100
TOTAL 9 CITIES	<u>103</u>	<u>493</u>	<u>596</u>	<u>730</u>	<u>636</u>

CHICKEN OVER 3½ lb.

Quebec	12	160	172	363	269
Montreal	15	1,149	1,164	1,388	2,376
Toronto	138	716	854	1,068	2,370
Winnipeg	37	617	654	908	1,638
Regina & Saskatoon	-	140	140	152	246
Edmonton	19	220	239	449	654
Calgary	17	89	106	135	222
Vancouver 1/	57	163	220	257	389
TOTAL 9 CITIES	<u>295</u>	<u>3,254</u>	<u>3,549</u>	<u>4,720</u>	<u>8,164</u>

FOWL

Quebec	3/	37	37	122	38
Montreal	49	599	648	836	531
Toronto	533	869	1,402	1,952	2,592
Winnipeg	16	301	317	646	1,120
Regina & Saskatoon	2	113	115	128	208
Edmonton	4	302	306	523	463
Calgary	2	80	82	129	188
Vancouver 1/	40	299	339	385	331
TOTAL 9 CITIES	<u>646</u>	<u>2,600</u>	<u>3,246</u>	<u>4,721</u>	<u>5,471</u>

1/ Including New Westminster.

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

NINE CITIES OF CANADA - MARCH 1, 1955
year and comparative totals for last month

11.

	Mar. 1, 1955 Preliminary	Feb. 1, 1955 Revised	Mar. 1, 1954
- thousand pounds -			

TURKEY

	<u>Eviscerated</u>	<u>Dressed</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Total</u>
Quebec	14	174	188	528	228
Montreal	198	1,702	1,900	2,060	1,554
Toronto	504	612	1,116	1,060	904
Winnipeg	172	1,966	2,138	2,575	991
Regina & Saskatoon	23	141	164	166	81
Edmonton	79	481	560	834	434
Calgary	39	363	402	443	277
Vancouver 1/	248	622	870	1,160	850
TOTAL 9 CITIES	<u>1,277</u>	<u>6,061</u>	<u>7,338</u>	<u>8,826</u>	<u>5,319</u>

DUCKS

Quebec	-	3/	-	2	4
Montreal	3/	15	15	34	42
Toronto	75	10	85	96	54
Winnipeg	-	9	9	13	29
Regina & Saskatoon	-	1	1	1	1
Edmonton	-	5	5	7	9
Calgary	-	13	13	17	12
Vancouver 1/	3	29	32	35	28
TOTAL 9 CITIES	<u>78</u>	<u>82</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>205</u>	<u>179</u>

GEESE

Quebec	-	3/	-	6	-
Montreal	-	1	1	3	10
Toronto	8	1	9	12	-
Winnipeg	-	40	40	43	36
Regina & Saskatoon	-	3	3	5	2
Edmonton	-	2	2	6	15
Calgary	-	10	10	12	7
Vancouver 1/	2	11	13	17	15
TOTAL 9 CITIES	<u>10</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>78</u>	<u>104</u>	<u>85</u>

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Quebec	13	4	17	-	-
Montreal	15	14	29	16	2
Toronto	2	29	31	45	44
Winnipeg	11	46	57	75	100
Regina & Saskatoon	-	4	4	6	113
Edmonton	-	18	18	19	7
Calgary	-	5	5	7	1
Vancouver 1/	6	77	83	109	84
TOTAL 9 CITIES	<u>47</u>	<u>197</u>	<u>244</u>	<u>277</u>	<u>351</u>

1/ Including New Westminster.

3/ Less than three firms reporting this item. The figures therefore cannot be shown separately but are included in unclassified.

BUTTER, CHEESE, EGGS AND

Reported by

With Comparative Figures

	Mar. 1, 1955 Preliminary	Feb. 1, 1955	Mar. 1, 1954
IN TRANSIT	<u>BUTTER</u>		
	- thousand pounds -		
CANADA	140	-	35
Ontario	105	-	35
Manitoba	35	-	-
At Principal Railway Terminals <u>1/</u>	NIL	NIL	NIL
IN TRANSIT	<u>CHEESE</u>		
	- thousand pounds -		
CANADA	228	114	228
Maritime Provinces	-	-	38
Ontario	76	-	76
Manitoba	-	38	114
Saskatchewan	38	38	-
Alberta	38	-	-
British Columbia	76	38	-
At Principal Railway Terminals <u>1/</u>			
Toronto	76	-	-
Winnipeg	-	38	-
Edmonton	38	-	-

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

MARCH 1, 1955

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POULTRY IN TRANSIT IN CANADA

Railway Companies

for last year and last month

	Mar. 1, 1955 Preliminary	Feb. 1, 1955	Mar. 1, 1954
IN TRANSIT		<u>EGGS</u>	
CANADA	cases 3,000	cases 3,000	cases 600
Maritimes	600	-	-
Ontario	1,800	2,400	-
Manitoba	600	600	-
British Columbia	-	-	600
At Principal Railway Terminals 1/			
Toronto	-	600	-
Winnipeg	-	600	-
IN TRANSIT		<u>POULTRY</u>	
CANADA	75	- thousand pounds - 25	-
Maritime Provinces	25	25	-
Ontario	50	-	-
At Principal Railway Terminals 1/	NIL	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 TC04F.

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